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ABSTRACT De el me flcm aci i.  $\hat{P}$  c -  
ciali e a  $\hat{P}$ . I bi  $\hat{P}$ , h $\hat{P}$  de el me lead $\hat{P}$  dif-  
fe e f ci  $\hat{\nu}$  f hi dlimb $\hat{\nu}$  a d f elimb $\hat{\nu}$ . The eme -  
ge ce f alki g a d . i g  $\hat{\nu}$  e . diffe e c m le  
beha i a e  $\hat{\nu}$  l eek $\hat{\nu}$  afe ha chi g ide $\hat{\nu}$  a  
i e  $\hat{e}$  i g ca $\hat{e}$   $\hat{\nu}$  d i a imal de el me . We mea $\hat{\nu}$ -  
ed he dia h $\hat{\nu}$  eal le g h $\hat{\nu}$  a d mid $\hat{P}$  haf diame e $\hat{\nu}$  f  
h ee i g b e $\hat{\nu}$  (h me  $\hat{\nu}$ , l a, a d ca me aca  $\hat{\nu}$ )  
a d h ee leg b e $\hat{\nu}$  (fem , ibi a $\hat{\nu}$   $\hat{\nu}$ , a d a $\hat{\nu}$  me a-  
a $\hat{\nu}$   $\hat{\nu}$ ) f 79 j e ile (age $\hat{\nu}$  0 42 da $\hat{\nu}$ ) a d 13 ad l  
gla c  $\hat{\nu}$ - i ged g l $\hat{P}$  (Larus glaucescens), a $\hat{\nu}$ emi ec -  
cial $\hat{\nu}$  ecie $\hat{\nu}$ . F m a $\hat{\nu}$  i e f i e a l e a i e ma hema i-  
cal m de $\hat{P}$ , e  $\hat{\nu}$ ed i f ma i - he e ic c i e i a  
de e mi e he be $\hat{\nu}$  m del $\hat{e}$ ) f le g h a d diame e f  
each b e  $\hat{\nu}$  a f ci f age; ha  $\hat{P}$ , e de e mi ed  
he m del $\hat{e}$ ) ha b ai ed he be $\hat{\nu}$  ade ff be ee he  
mi imi ed $\hat{\nu}$  m f $\hat{\nu}$  a ed e id a $\hat{P}$  a d he mbe f  
a ame e $\hat{\nu}$   $\hat{\nu}$ ed he m del. The Ja  $\hat{\nu}$ chek a d  
H lli g III m de $\hat{P}$  be $\hat{\nu}$  de $\hat{\nu}$ c ibed b e g h, i h a  
lea $\hat{\nu}$  e f he $\hat{\nu}$  e m de $\hat{P}$  ieldi ga  $R^2$  0.94 f e e .  
dime  $\hat{\nu}$  i e ce a $\hat{\nu}$  me a a $\hat{\nu}$   $\hat{\nu}$  diame e ( $R^2 = 0.87$ ).  
We  $\hat{\nu}$ ed he be $\hat{\nu}$  g h m de $\hat{P}$  c  $\hat{\nu}$  c acc a e  
all me ic c m a  $\hat{P}$   $\hat{\nu}$  f he b e $\hat{\nu}$ . Ea l ma imal  
ab $\hat{\nu}$  l e g h a e $\hat{\nu}$  cha ace i e he h me  $\hat{\nu}$ , fem ,  
a d a $\hat{\nu}$  me a a $\hat{\nu}$   $\hat{\nu}$ , b e $\hat{\nu}$  ha a $\hat{\nu}$  me ad l- e $\hat{\nu}$  -  
f ci  $\hat{\nu}$  ela i el ea l d i g j e ile de el -  
me . Leg b e le g h $\hat{\nu}$  e hibi m e a id b le $\hat{\nu}$   $\hat{\nu}$   $\hat{\nu}$ -  
ai ed ela i e g h ha i g b e le g h $\hat{\nu}$ . Wi g  
b e diame e $\hat{\nu}$  a e i i iall  $\hat{\nu}$  malle ha leg b e diam-  
e e $\hat{\nu}$ , al h gh h $\hat{P}$  ela i  $\hat{\nu}$  hi  $\hat{P}$  e e $\hat{\nu}$ ed b edgi g.  
Wi g b e $\hat{\nu}$  a d he fem a ach ad l le g h b edg-  
i g b c i e i ce $\hat{\nu}$  e i diame e  $\hat{\nu}$  edgi g; he  
ibi a $\hat{\nu}$   $\hat{\nu}$  a d a $\hat{\nu}$  me a a $\hat{\nu}$   $\hat{\nu}$  a ach b h ad l  
le g h a d diame e b edgi g. I  $\hat{\nu}$ h , he a e  
f b e g h i h $\hat{P}$   $\hat{\nu}$ emi ec cial  $\hat{\nu}$  ecie $\hat{\nu}$  e ec $\hat{\nu}$   
he cha gi g beha i al eed $\hat{P}$  f he de el i g ga  $\hat{P}$  m.  
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dic ed b e<sup>s</sup>i e (le g h diame e ) i a chick f age t, a d K,  
a, b, c, > 0 a e a ame e<sup>s</sup> be e<sup>s</sup> ima ed f m da a. K p he  
a. m ic(ad l ) b e<sup>s</sup>i e, b a, b, c

$${}_0F_1 \left( \begin{matrix} - \\ j \end{matrix} ; \begin{matrix} v \\ k \end{matrix} ; z \right) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{z^j}{j! \frac{j!}{k^j} \frac{\Gamma(v-k)}{\Gamma(v)}}$$

$$1 - \frac{z}{v} - \frac{z^2}{2!v(v-1)} - \frac{z^3}{3!v(v-1)(v-2)} \quad 13$$

$\hat{r}$  he ca<sup>e</sup>, ela i e g h a e<sup>e</sup> ide m e ea<sup>e</sup> able  
 be ee -b e g h c m a  $\hat{r}$  <sup>s</sup>. A ela i e g h a e  $\hat{r}$   
 de e mi ed b di idi g he ab<sup>e</sup> l e g h a e b he c e  
<sup>s</sup>i e f he b e, ha  $\hat{r}$  (df/dt)/f(t). The ela i e g h a e  $\hat{r}$   
 he g h a e e cm f b e, a d ha<sup>e</sup> i<sup>s</sup> f cm/da /cm,  
 ha  $\hat{r}$ , 1/da . Th<sup>s</sup>, if b e<sup>e</sup> ha e he<sup>s</sup>ame ab<sup>e</sup> l e g h  
 a e, he he l ge b e ha<sup>e</sup> he<sup>s</sup>malle ela i e g h a e;  
 a d if b e<sup>e</sup> ha e he<sup>s</sup>ame ela i e g h a e, he he  
 l ge b e ha<sup>e</sup> he la ge ab<sup>e</sup> l e g h a e. The a ea  
 de he ela i e g h a e c e be ee age 0 a d age  $\tau$   
 e e<sup>e</sup> <sup>s</sup> he ela i e l e g h ( diame e ) f he b e a age  
 $\tau$ , a d  $\hat{r}$  gi e b

$$\frac{\tau}{0} \frac{1}{f t}$$

e e<sup>s</sup>ed (Fig. 4A). M e e , ela i e g h  
 c e<sup>s</sup> f he l a a d ca me aca<sup>s</sup> a e e-  
 dic ed cl<sup>s</sup>el e<sup>s</sup>emble e a he . A<sup>s</sup>imila  
 ela i e g h a e f<sup>s</sup> edic ed f i g b e  
 diame e<sup>s</sup> , al h gh he c<sup>s</sup> - e ime f<sup>s</sup> la e  
 (Fig. 4C). Am g he leg b e<sup>s</sup> , he fem f<sup>s</sup> e-  
 dic ed be ela i el l ge d i g he<sup>s</sup> eek  
 a d a half, a hich ime he ibi a<sup>s</sup> ake<sup>s</sup> he  
 lead (Fig. 4B). The diame e f he fem f<sup>s</sup> e-  
 dic ed be ela i el la ge ha ha f he ibi -  
 a<sup>s</sup> d i g he<sup>s</sup> a d e half eek<sup>s</sup>  
 (Fig. 4D).

The fem f<sup>s</sup> edic ed a ach ela i e ma -  
 im m le gh bef e he a<sup>s</sup> me a a<sup>s</sup> , al h gh  
 ela i e g h c e<sup>s</sup> f he b e<sup>s</sup> e<sup>s</sup>emble  
 e a he (Fig. 4B). I c a<sup>s</sup> , he a<sup>s</sup> me a-  
 a<sup>s</sup> diame e f<sup>s</sup> edic ed<sup>s</sup> g i g a

ab 18 da<sup>s</sup> , hile he fem diame e c i e<sup>s</sup>  
 g (Fig. 4D).

The ela i e g h f he h me<sup>s</sup> diame e  
 al a<sup>s</sup> e ceed<sup>s</sup> ha f le g h (Fig. 4E). Rela i e  
 g h f he l a a d ca me aca<sup>s</sup> diame e  
 f<sup>s</sup> edic ed e ceed ha f he le g h il da  
 16, he he<sup>s</sup> i a i f<sup>s</sup> e e<sup>s</sup>ed (Fig. 4G,I). F  
 he leg b e<sup>s</sup> , ela i e g h i le g h e ceed<sup>s</sup>  
 ela i e g h i diame e h gh e- edg-  
 i g de el me (Fig. 4F,H,J).

D i g<sup>s</sup> a al de el me , he ibi a<sup>s</sup> f<sup>s</sup>  
 edic ed g a ima el<sup>s</sup> e e ime<sup>s</sup> i<sup>s</sup>  
 a al le g h (Table 1; c m a e K a d S<sub>0</sub>), he ea<sup>s</sup>  
 he fem , a<sup>s</sup> me a a<sup>s</sup> , a d h me<sup>s</sup> g  
 l ab f ime<sup>s</sup> hei i i al le g h<sup>s</sup>. The  
 l a a d ca me aca<sup>s</sup> g ab i e  
 ime<sup>s</sup> hei a al le g h<sup>s</sup>. Th<sup>s</sup> , he leg e e ie -  
 ce<sup>s</sup> le<sup>s</sup> a al g h ha he i g. A  
 i<sup>s</sup> ec i f he K al e<sup>s</sup> i Table 1<sup>s</sup> h<sup>s</sup> ha  
 he fem make<sup>s</sup> ela i el le<sup>s</sup> c ib i (25%)  
 al leg le g h ha d e<sup>s</sup> he h me<sup>s</sup> (36%)

al i g l e g h. A c m a f j e i l e g h  
edic i s / d a a d a d l d a a i F i g e l a d 2  
s h s h a h e b e f h e i g, a e l l a h e f e-

m de  $\mathbb{F}$  ( $\Delta AIC =$





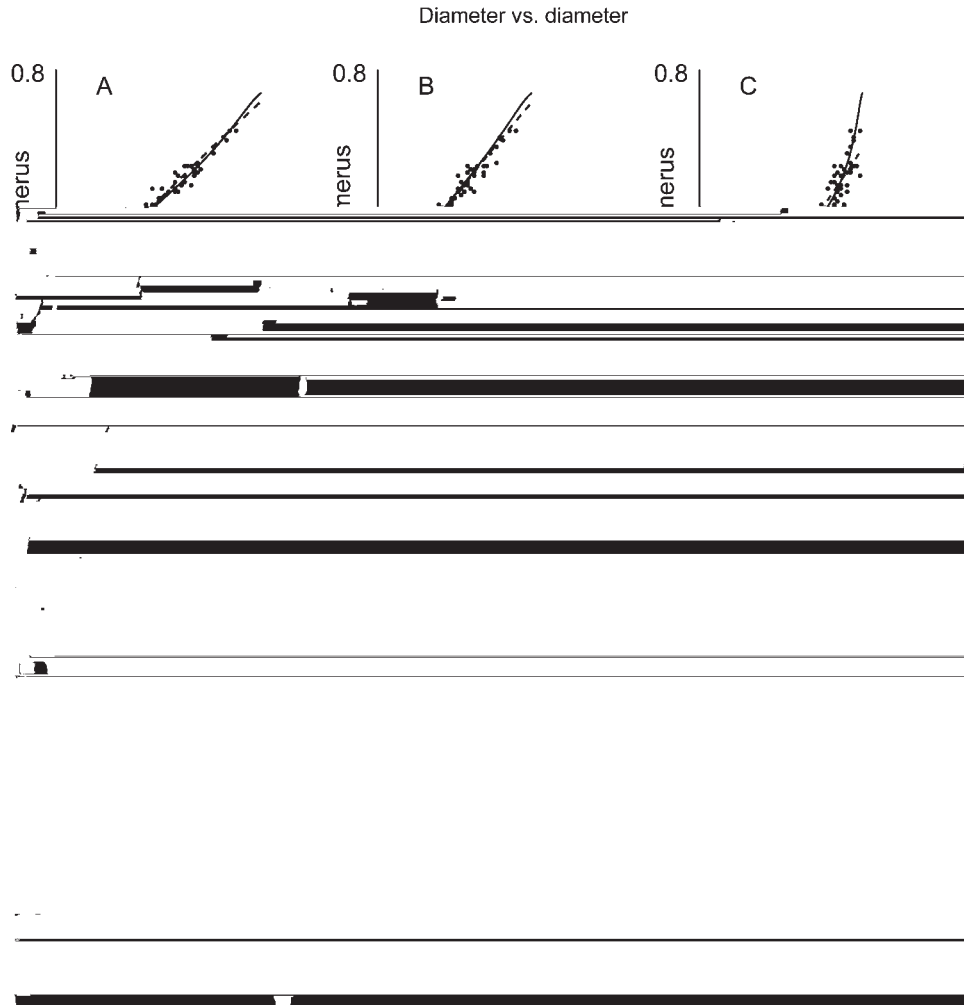


Fig. 6. All me ic elai f elec ed ai f b e diame e i Larus glaucescens. See Fig e 4 f de ai h i e e each g a h.

(m del 9), P am g he be m deP f b h he le g h a d diame e f each f he i b e, he l m del f hich hP P e. B h he Ja - chek a d H lli g III m deP de c ibe i g m idal g h, hich i l e a i i i a l h a e f e - e i a l i c e a e i c h d c e m i P a d / h - e h (b e l e g h) a d e i i a l g h a d calci ca i (b e diame e), f l l e d b a h a e f d i m i P h i g g h h a l e a P g h e m i - a i . The ma i m a l a b l e g h a e c c a a i m e h a c e P i h h e i e c i i f h e g h c e (a e, Fig. 1,2).

The i e c i i c c e a l i g h f h e h m e s, hich i d e a l a d m c l e a a c h m e s f h e a i d l e l g a i g i g, a d i g h f h e f e m a d a m e a a s, hich i d e a l e i a l l c m f h e e m i e c c i a l j e i l e. C e e l, hP i c c e l a i e l l a e i g h f h e l a a d c a m e a c a, hich a e a c h e d h e i - m a a d e c d a i g h f e a h e, e e c i e l,

h a b e c m e f c i a l l a e d g i g. I e l h, e a l m a i m a l a b l e g h a e c h a c c e i e b e h a a m e a d l - e b e h a i a l f c i a l i e l a i e l e a l d i g j e i l e d e l m e .

R e l a i e d i f f e e c e i b e d i m e s i s i d i f f e - e l i e d g a P m e e d P c e d b G a l i l e i h e e e e e h c e (Galilei, 1638 [1914]). R e l - a i e g h c e f b e d i m e s i s i d e i i g h i g h i e l a i i i a l s i e. ThP a l l s f a "f a i " c m a P b e e e a i s b e. I f a l l a s f a l - d a - l d h a c h l i g - c e e d e d g a h e a m e l a i e a e, a i d i d - a l h a a 44 - d a l d, h e a e a g e a g e a e d g - i g, l d e a i h e i s i e h i b i e d a a h a c h l i g, a l h g h i l d b e m c h l a g e, m e a k a d, a d a b l e . C m a P s a m g e l a i e g h c e f b d a s a l l f a a s e m e f h l e - b d m h g e P.

M s i e e i g i hP e g a d P h e e l a i e g h f i g a d l e g b e l e g h, e e c i e l .

The hatchling humerus immediately functions to support the entire wing, which lies folded against the side of the body and attached to the body at a single point. Given this supportive function, as well as rapid growth of the nascent but all-important pectoralis (right) muscle already attached to this bone, humeral growth dominates forelimb development for the first 2 weeks. Beginning in the

b ė. Chick̇ begi alk i hi a da f ha ch-  
i g, he eȧ he ̇ igh cc ̇ ab 6 eek̇  
la e; he g h a e ̇ h ̇ e ec he dif-  
fe i g l c m - ge iė. N abl, b h ibi -  
ȧ al a d ȧ me a ȧ al diame ė achie e  
ea l achie e ad l ̇ i e ell bef e edgi g,  
al h gh he c i e g i le gh.  
Al h gh i g b e diame ė a e i i iall  
̇ malle ha leg b e diame ė, ḣ ela i ̇ hi

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