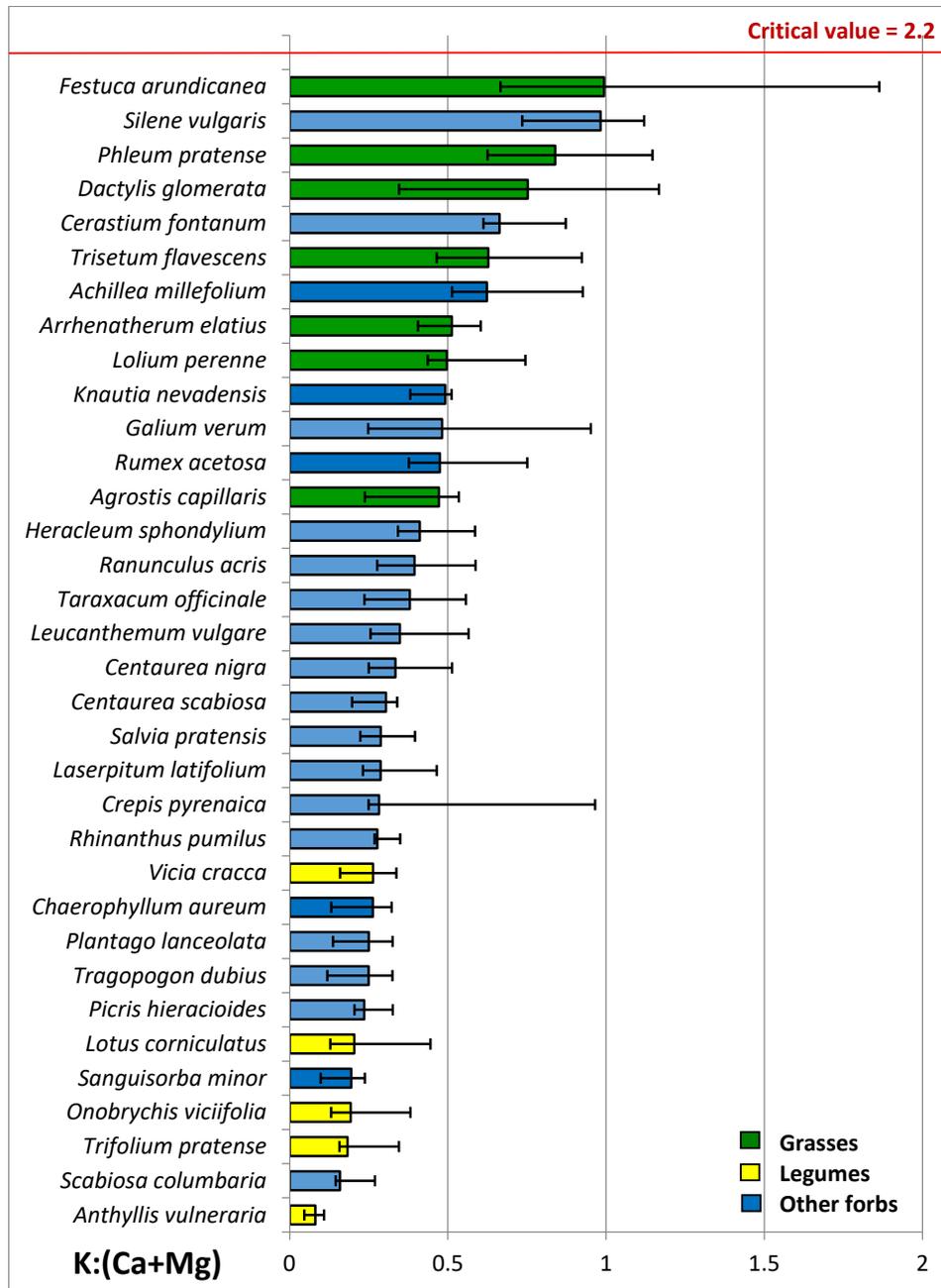
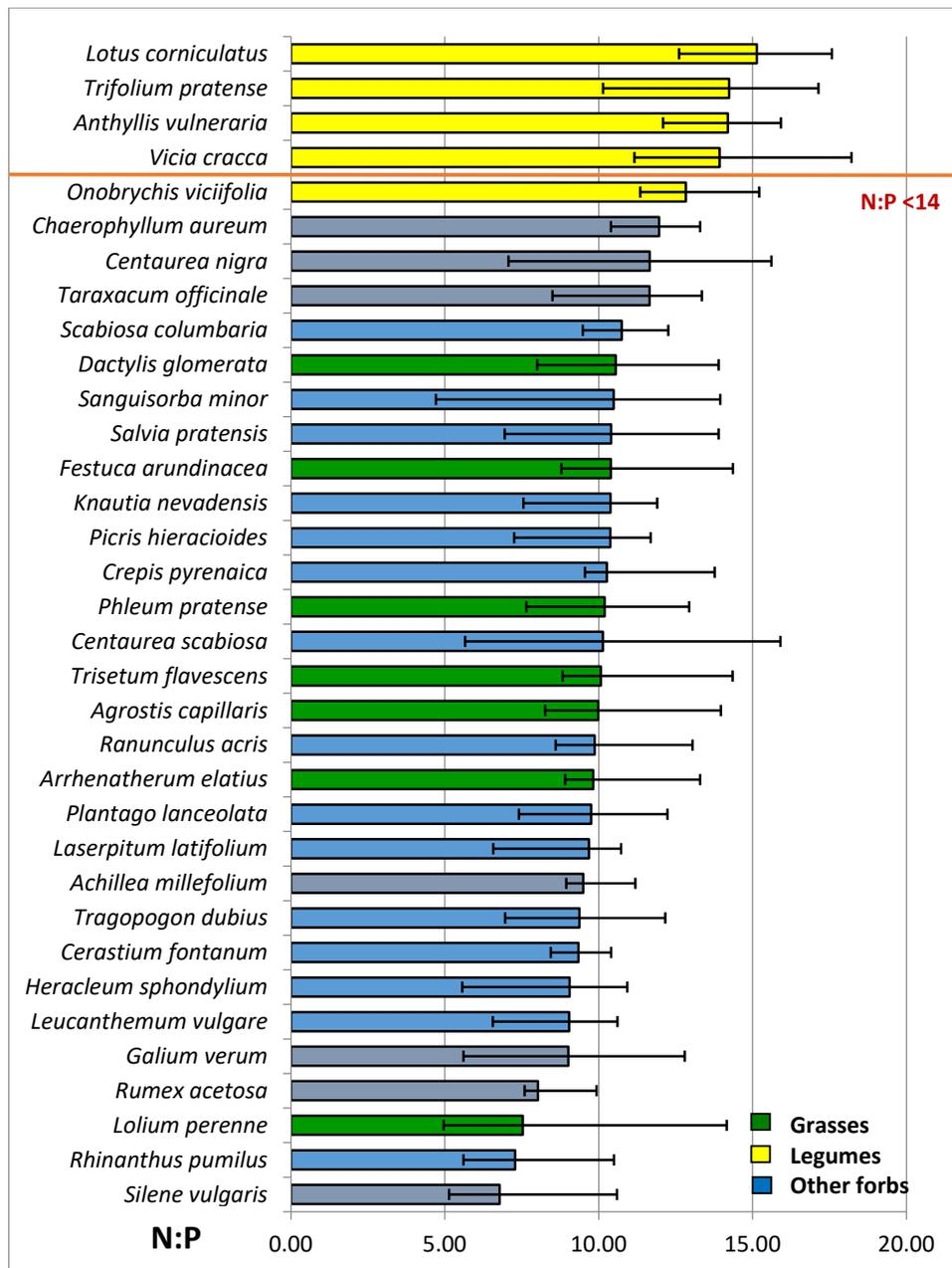


**Figure S1.** PDI (“protéines digestibles dans l’intestin”), digestible crude proteins in the gut, expressed in % DM, of the 34 species analyzed (median values, maximum and minimum), calculated according to INRA [38] procedures.



**Figure S2.** K:(Ca+Mg) ratio of the 34 species analyzed (median values, maximum and minimum). Red line indicates species with K:(Ca+Mg)  $\geq$  2.2, which can cause grass tetany according to Grunes and Welch [43] and NCR [42].



**Figure S3.** N:P ratio of the 34 species analyzed (median values, maximum and minimum). Red line indicates species with N:P ratio < 14, which is indicative of N nutrient limitation according to Koerselman and Meuleman [44] and Aerts and Chapin [45].