

Electronic Supplementary Material



Photo 1. Typical red lark (*Calendalauda burra*) habitat at our study site at Black Mountain Conservation Area, Aggeneys, South Africa.

Video 1. Red lark (*Calendalauda burra*) resting in a shaded microsite on a very hot day at Black Mountain Conservation Area, Aggeneys, South Africa. The air temperature at the time the video was recorded was 39 °C.