**S5 Table. Distribution of responses to the question "How much do you like or dislike the following animals?" (n=2,007).**

| | Median | Percent of respondents | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Strongly dislike | Dislike | Neither like nor dislike | Like | Strongly like |
| Snakes | Dislike | 25.6 | 26.0 | 23.4 | 17.6 | 7.4 |
| Lizards | Neither like nor dislike | 6.0 | 15.6 | 31.6 | 32.8 | 14.1 |
| Turtles/tortoises | Like | 0.9 | 2.3 | 19.5 | 48.0 | 29.2 |
| Frogs | Neither like nor dislike | 4.4 | 12.6 | 35.8 | 34.9 | 12.4 |
| Toads | Neither like nor dislike | 5.5 | 16.2 | 40.4 | 28.4 | 9.6 |
| Salamanders/newts | Neither like nor dislike | 5.5 | 14.1 | 40.6 | 28.6 | 11.3 |
| Freshwater fish | Like | 0.9 | 1.6 | 23.5 | 47.9 | 26.1 |
| Saltwater fish | Like | 1.1 | 2.1 | 26.3 | 45.6 | 24.9 |