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The threats posed by the pet trade in alien terrestrial invertebrates in South Africa

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Figure caption:

The Maximum Parsimony phylogenetic tree of 27 sequences of terrestrial invertebrate specimens purchased from South African pet stores in 2017. The values in the tree branch represent the bootstrap percentage values of Neighbor-joining, Maximum Parsimony and Maximum Likelihood. Reference sequences are the species with accession numbers. Red wood ant (*Formica rufa*) and emperor moth (*Gonimbrasia belina*) were used as an out-group. The numbers in brackets are the specimen identifiers (Table 3) used to distinguish species obtained from the pet stores. Blue colour indicates species that have formed sister groups. Red colour represent species that did not form sister groups.

