

Table S1. Environmental variables for seven *Sorbus domestica* populations. Acronyms of populations: P01 – Psunj; P02 – Tounj; P03 – Istria; P04 – Novi Vinodolski; P05 – Split; P06 – Brač; P07 – Konavle. Environmental variables: BIO1 = Annual Mean Temperature; BIO2 = Mean Diurnal Range (Mean of monthly (max temp - min temp)); BIO3 = Isothermality (BIO2/BIO7) ($\times 100$); BIO4 = Temperature Seasonality (standard deviation $\times 100$); BIO5 = Max Temperature of Warmest Month; BIO6 = Min Temperature of Coldest Month; BIO7 = Temperature Annual Range (BIO5-BIO6); BIO8 = Mean Temperature of Wettest Quarter; BIO9 = Mean Temperature of Driest Quarter; BIO10 = Mean Temperature of Warmest Quarter; BIO11 = Mean Temperature of Coldest Quarter; BIO12 = Annual Precipitation; BIO13 = Precipitation of Wettest Month; BIO14 = Precipitation of Driest Month; BIO15 = Precipitation Seasonality (Coefficient of Variation); BIO16 = Precipitation of Wettest Quarter; BIO17 = Precipitation of Driest Quarter; BIO18 = Precipitation of Warmest Quarter; BIO19 = Precipitation of Coldest Quarter.

| Pop. | bio1 | bio2 | bio3 | bio4 | bio5 | bio6 | bio7 | bio8 | bio9 | bio10 | bio11 | bio12 | bio13 | bio14 | bio15 | bio16 | bio17 | bio18 | bio19 |
|------|------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| P01 | 10.8 | 9.4 | 31.9 | 716.8 | 24.5 | -5.0 | 29.5 | 19.5 | 3.2 | 19.5 | 1.8 | 952 | 103 | 54 | 17.8 | 281 | 178 | 281 | 186 |
| P02 | 10.4 | 10.8 | 34.6 | 730.5 | 24.8 | -6.5 | 31.3 | 10.7 | 2.8 | 19.2 | 1.1 | 1255 | 136 | 75 | 18.5 | 391 | 242 | 308 | 258 |
| P03 | 12.8 | 9.2 | 32.7 | 707.5 | 26.5 | -1.7 | 28.2 | 13.1 | 5.4 | 21.8 | 4.4 | 1042 | 116 | 60 | 20.2 | 327 | 208 | 248 | 228 |
| P04 | 13.6 | 7.3 | 29.0 | 670.6 | 26.6 | 1.3 | 25.3 | 14.0 | 22.3 | 22.3 | 5.9 | 1211 | 155 | 57 | 32.1 | 450 | 228 | 228 | 280 |
| P05 | 13.6 | 8.5 | 31.4 | 695.7 | 27.9 | 0.9 | 27.0 | 9.9 | 22.6 | 22.6 | 5.6 | 827 | 107 | 34 | 28.4 | 286 | 138 | 138 | 223 |
| P06 | 15.3 | 7.0 | 27.6 | 690.4 | 28.0 | 2.8 | 25.2 | 11.7 | 24.2 | 24.2 | 7.3 | 777 | 102 | 29 | 31.2 | 275 | 119 | 119 | 221 |
| P07 | 15.8 | 7.3 | 30.6 | 621.1 | 28.1 | 4.2 | 23.9 | 13.0 | 23.8 | 23.8 | 8.8 | 1254 | 183 | 29 | 46.1 | 497 | 127 | 127 | 423 |

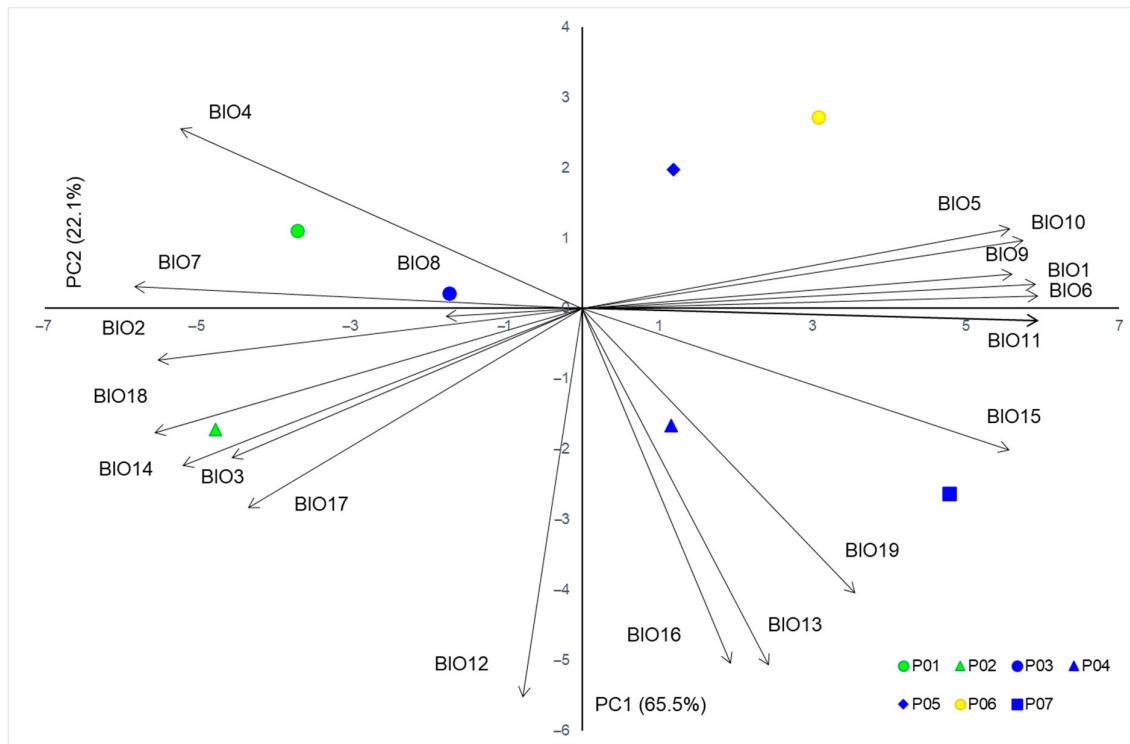


Figure S1. Biplot of the principal component analysis based on 19 bioclimatic variables in seven studied *Sorbus domestica* populations. Acronyms of populations: P01 (Psunj), P02 (Tounj), P03 (Istria), P04 (Novi Vinodolski), P05 (Split), P06 (Brač), and P07 (Konavle). Acronyms for environmental variables as in Table S1.

Table S2. Pearson's correlation coefficients between 19 bioclimatic variables and scores of the first three principal components. Acronyms for environmental variables as in Table S1.

| Environmental variables | PC—Principal Component | | |
|-------------------------|------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | PC1 | PC2 | PC3 |
| BIO1 | 0.985817 | 0.041339 | -0.044234 |
| BIO2 | -0.922173 | -0.122140 | -0.288829 |
| BIO3 | -0.761164 | -0.321878 | -0.383230 |
| BIO4 | -0.872703 | 0.426822 | -0.166406 |
| BIO5 | 0.930220 | 0.172392 | -0.294272 |
| BIO6 | 0.990758 | 0.030378 | 0.007727 |
| BIO7 | -0.972323 | 0.052270 | -0.179615 |
| BIO8 | -0.295793 | -0.001770 | 0.927866 |
| BIO9 | 0.934964 | 0.082226 | -0.065905 |
| BIO10 | 0.958224 | 0.160897 | -0.093932 |
| BIO11 | 0.990957 | -0.028667 | -0.017851 |
| BIO12 | -0.128451 | -0.989237 | -0.001729 |
| BIO13 | 0.405168 | -0.911966 | 0.017329 |
| BIO14 | -0.868277 | -0.372458 | -0.040242 |
| BIO15 | 0.928836 | -0.336795 | 0.016881 |
| BIO16 | 0.323219 | -0.942486 | 0.019305 |
| BIO17 | -0.726478 | -0.472929 | -0.016479 |
| BIO18 | -0.929885 | -0.294792 | 0.165404 |
| BIO19 | 0.593301 | -0.758317 | -0.078756 |
| Eigenvalue | 12.46362 | 4.205575 | 1.289686 |
| % Total Variance | 65.59799 | 22.13461 | 6.787819 |



Figure S2. *Sorbus domestica* fruit samples from seven studied populations.

Table S3. Pearson's correlation coefficients between ten morphological traits and scores of the first three principal components.

| Trait | PC—Principal Component | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | PC1 | PC2 | PC3 |
| Fruit Mass | -0.927652 | -0.034356 | 0.106469 |
| Fruit Length | -0.899328 | 0.285453 | 0.258839 |
| Maximum Fruit Width | -0.907215 | -0.384038 | 0.098813 |
| Position of Maximum Fruit Width | -0.883715 | 0.189022 | 0.187832 |
| Fruit Width 1 | -0.811658 | -0.465808 | 0.108048 |
| Fruit Width 2 | -0.807114 | -0.517059 | -0.019728 |
| Maximum Fruit Width/Fruit Length | 0.132294 | -0.938399 | -0.233767 |
| Seed Length | -0.612588 | 0.540219 | 0.054570 |
| Seed Width | -0.789985 | 0.131612 | -0.462564 |
| Number of Seeds | 0.565801 | -0.340882 | 0.632544 |
| Eigenvalue | 5.920514 | 2.056156 | 0.807143 |
| % Total Variance | 59.20514 | 20.56156 | 8.07143 |

Table S4. Pearson's correlation coefficients between ten chemical traits and scores of the first three principal components.

| Trait | PC—Principal Component | | |
|------------------|------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | PC1 | PC2 | PC3 |
| Water | -0.875312 | 0.116830 | 0.286291 |
| Crude proteins | 0.153992 | -0.484624 | 0.069657 |
| Sugars | -0.824995 | -0.320994 | 0.064157 |
| Ash | 0.755234 | 0.090704 | 0.259989 |
| Crude Fat | -0.118221 | -0.682250 | -0.195699 |
| Cellulose | 0.776374 | 0.302306 | -0.057561 |
| Acidity | 0.092736 | 0.105715 | 0.781612 |
| DPPH | 0.093218 | -0.774208 | 0.210610 |
| FRAP | -0.377734 | 0.374581 | -0.516128 |
| Total Phenols | -0.540674 | 0.495550 | 0.312717 |
| Eigenvalue | 3.109915 | 1.913083 | 1.219590 |
| % Total Variance | 31.09915 | 19.13083 | 12.19590 |

Table S5. Results of the stepwise discriminant analyses for morphometric traits. $p(\lambda)$, significance of Wilks' λ : *** significant at $p < 0.001$, ** significant at $0.001 < p < 0.01$, * significant at $0.01 < p < 0.05$, ns non-significant values($p > 0.05$).

| Trait | Wilks' Lambda | Partial Lambda | F-Remove | p-Value |
|---------------------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|---------|
| Fruit Mass | 0.181243 | 0.966230 | 0.664055 | ns |
| Fruit Length | 0.227957 | 0.768225 | 5.732343 | ** |
| Maximum Fruit Width | 0.185318 | 0.944985 | 1.106131 | ns |
| Position of Maximum Fruit Width | 0.219460 | 0.797971 | 4.810396 | * |
| Fruit Width 1 | 0.213889 | 0.818753 | 4.206012 | * |
| Fruit Width 2 | 0.200534 | 0.873283 | 2.756981 | ns |
| Seed Length | 0.194915 | 0.898457 | 2.147363 | ns |
| Seed Width | 0.190265 | 0.920414 | 1.642887 | ns |
| Number of Seeds | 0.299037 | 0.585623 | 13.444110 | *** |

Table S6. Results of the stepwise discriminant analyses for chemical traits. $p(\lambda)$, significance of Wilks' λ : *** significant at $p < 0.001$, ** significant at $0.001 < p < 0.01$, * significant at $0.01 < p < 0.05$, ns non-significant values($p > 0.05$).

| Trait | Wilks' Lambda | Partial Lambda | F-Remove | p-Value |
|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|---------|
| Water | 0.149932 | 0.577806 | 13.517690 | *** |
| Crude Proteins | 0.089422 | 0.968793 | 0.595925 | ns |
| Sugars | 0.090458 | 0.957693 | 0.817260 | ns |
| Ash | 0.087305 | 0.992287 | 0.143804 | ns |
| Crude Fat | 0.118228 | 0.732748 | 6.747410 | ** |
| Cellulose | 0.101290 | 0.855285 | 3.130210 | * |
| Acidity | 0.089834 | 0.964351 | 0.683881 | ns |
| Total Phenols | 0.090239 | 0.960018 | 0.770467 | ns |
| DPPH | 0.102515 | 0.845058 | 3.391977 | * |
| FRAP | 0.088468 | 0.979236 | 0.392285 | ns |