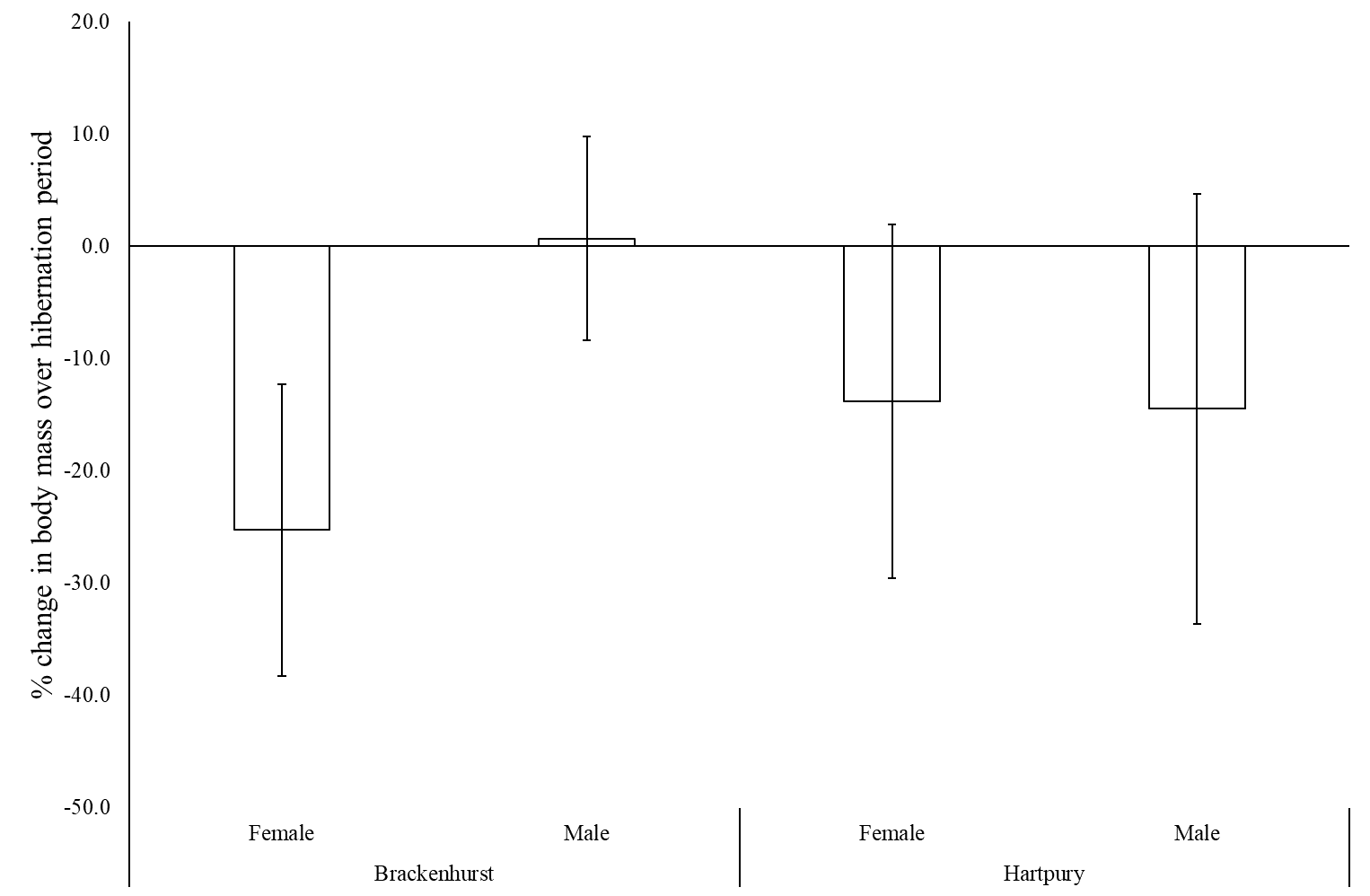


(a) Body mass at the start of hibernation

(b) Percentage mass change during hibernation



**Supplementary Figure 1.** Mean (±SD) (**a**) body mass (g) at the start of the hibernation season, and (**b**) percentage mass change during the hibernation period in relation to site and sex (Brackenhurst: n = 5♀:5♂; Hartpury: n = 6♀:5♂)