



Figure S1. Emergence of loggerhead turtle hatchlings (*Caretta caretta*) during sunrise at João Barrosa beach, Boa Vista. It is a synchronized emergence process where over 60 hatchlings were observed within the first emergent group for this nest (Photos: Samir Martins)



Figure S2. Loggerhead turtle hatchlings (*Caretta caretta*) attacked by ghost crabs (*Ocypode cursor*) during their crawl to the sea at João Barrosa beach, Boa Vista (Photos: Samir Martins)