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All,

Not sure if all of you saw Tuesday's Washington Post Express, with the American Bird Conservancy's anti-neonic. ad buy—it was a full spread on the middle two pages. (They've had similar radio ads on NPR all week too).

Anyway, Dave Epstein forwarded this timely 'note.' I'm not all that familiar with this journal, but it's apparently one of SETAC's. And this is clearly couched as an opinion piece rather than a reviewed research article. But it hits on a lot of issues we wrestle with frequently, particularly the problems of applying screening-level eco assessments to real-world risk management decisions.

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