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Long-term understory vegetation dynamics and responses to ungulate exclusion in the dry forest of Mona Island.

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Table S1. Plant density (plants/m²) and growth-form for the five most abundant species occurring in each sampling plots identified by treatment.

Species	Life-form	Farallon		Indio		Pelota		Phyllanthus	
		Unfenced	Fenced	Unfenced	Fenced	Unfenced	Fenced	Unfenced	Fenced
Ayenia insulicola	Herb					62.3	55.1	26.8	
Bourreria succulenta	Tree		12.4						
Callisia repens	Herb					24.5	73.1	3.2	
Capparis flexuosa	Vine	10.9	23.9						
Commelina elegans	Herb				4.6	21.8	24.2	5.1	13.5
Erythroxylum aerolatum	Tree	7.1							
Euphorbia petiolaris	Shrub			7.7	5.6				
Krugiodendron ferreum	Tree			7.9					

Myrcianthes fragrans	Tree	11.7	10.7	87.4	7.1				
Phyllanthus epiphyllanthus	Shrub								5.8
Pisonia albida	Tree					19.5			
Pithecellobium unguis-cati	Tree								7.7
Setaria pradana	Grass	6.8							
Setaria utowanaea	Grass		15.1	30.1	5.8		33.7	79.2	97.6
Sidastrum multiflorum	Shrub	8.4	99.7	60.3	6.9				
Spermacoce confusa	Herb					65.4	102.4		
Stigmaphyllon emarginatum	Vine							6.5	
Synedrella nodiflora	Herb								6.1

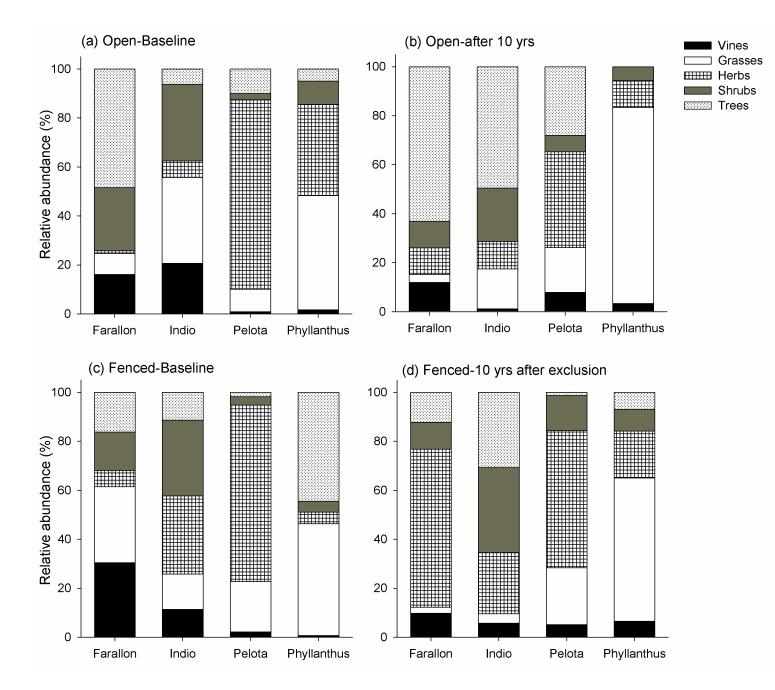


Figure S1. Relative abundance (%) for the different life-forms in unfenced (a-b) and fenced plots (c-d) located at four different depression forest sites (Farallon, Indio, Pelota and Phyllanthus) on Mona Island comparing the 2000 (baseline) and 2010 (10-yrs after exclusion or monitoring) survey.

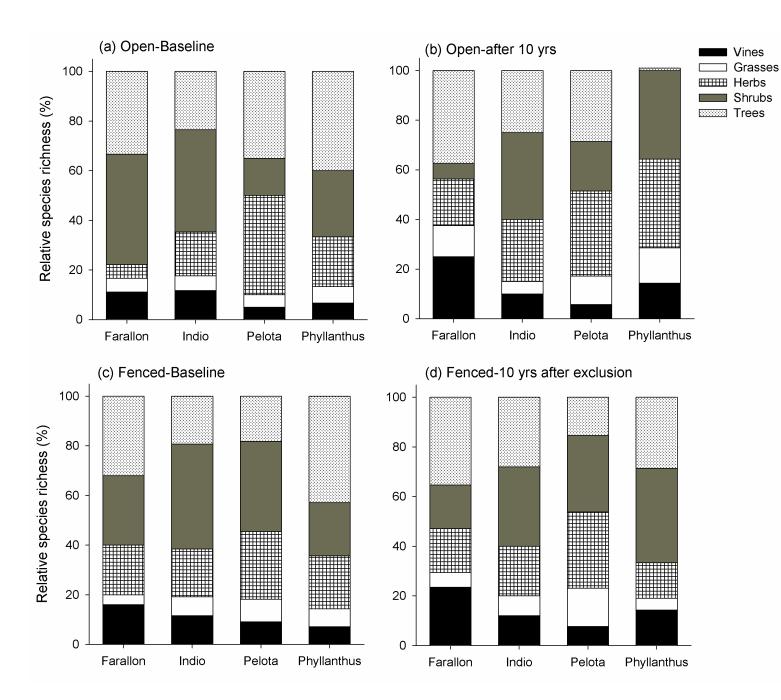


Figure S2. Relative species richness (%) for the different life-forms in unfenced (a-b) and fenced plots (c-d) located at four different depression forest sites (Farallon, Indio, Pelota and Phyllanthus) on Mona Island comparing the 2000 (baseline) and 2010 (10-yrs after exclusion or monitoring) survey.