

Table S3: Statistical results of linear mixed-effects models with pseudo F-value as response variable, taxonomic group and years after disturbance as predictors and study site as a random effect (i.e. $F\text{-value} \sim \text{taxonomic group} + \text{time since disturbance} + (1|\text{study site}) - 1$). Significant p-values are given in bold and indicate differences in community composition between salvaged and unsalvaged plots. Results correspond to Fig. 2b in the main manuscript.

Variable	Estimate	Std. error	t-value	p-pvalue
Years after disturbance	-6.44 e ⁻²	5.67 e ⁻²	-1.14	0.256
Ants	3.03	3.45	8.77 e ⁻¹	0.381
Bats	9.39 e ⁻¹	3.29	2.85 e ⁻¹	0.775
Birds	5.47	7.33 e⁻¹	7.47	<0.001
Carabids	3.38	7.57 e⁻¹	4.47	<0.001
Epigeal lichens	1.08	1.94	5.58 e ⁻¹	0.577
Epigeal mosses	2.35	1.54	1.53	0.126
Epigeal spiders	4.49	7.62 e⁻¹	5.89	<0.001
Epixylic lichens	2.10 e⁻¹	1.54	1.36 e⁻¹	<0.001
Epixylic mosses	2.93	1.54	1.91	0.057
Nocturnal moths	1.56	3.29	4.75 e ⁻¹	0.635
Non-saproxyllic beetles	3.98	3.45	1.15	0.249
Rodents	1.12	3.29	3.41 e ⁻¹	0.733
Saproxyllic beetles	7.46	1.44	5.19	<0.001
Scuttle flies	2.31	3.29	7.02 e ⁻¹	0.483
Vascular plants	2.12	1.01	2.09	0.037
Wood inhabiting fungi	1.46 e⁻¹	1.54	9.51	<0.001