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Establishment of Wolbachia Strain

wAlbB in Malaysian Populations

of Aedes aegypti for Dengue Control

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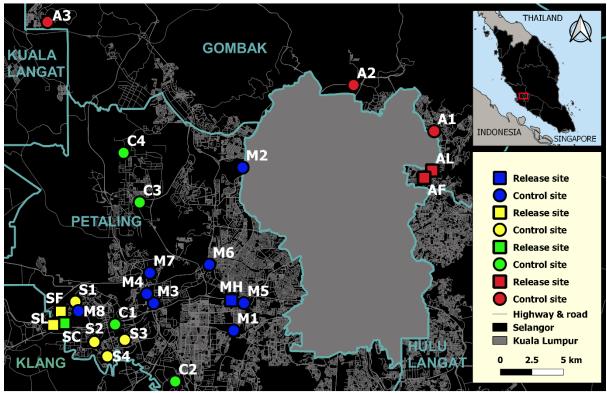


Figure S1. Maps of all six release zones and controls in the Petaling and Gombak Districts of Selangor, Related to Figure 1. Mentari Court high rise (MH) and controls (M1-M8); S7 Flats & Landed (SF & SL) and controls (S1-S4); S7 Commercial (SC) and controls (C1-C4); AU2 landed & AU2 PKNS Flats (AL & AF) and controls (A1-3). Table 1 contains additional details about release and controls sites. Map constructed using <u>MapCruzin.com</u>, <u>OpenStreetMap.org</u> under the Open Database License (http://opendatacommons.org/licenses/odbl/1.0/)).

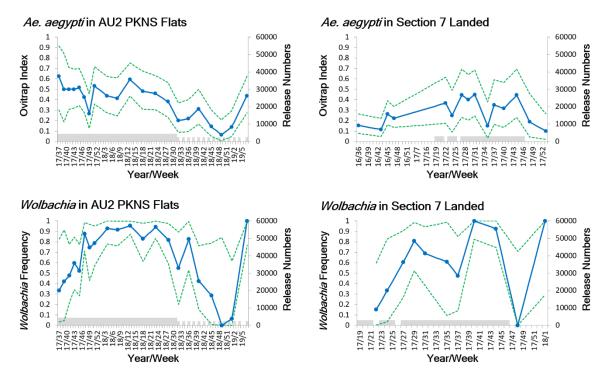


Figure S2. Aedes aegypti population size and Wolbachia frequency estimates for two smaller secondary release sites, Related to Figures 2 and 3. Population size was measured through an ovitrap index (*Ae. aegypti-* positive traps divided by total number of traps) during the release/monitoring period. Grey shaded areas represent release periods; 95% confidence intervals are shown as dotted lines.

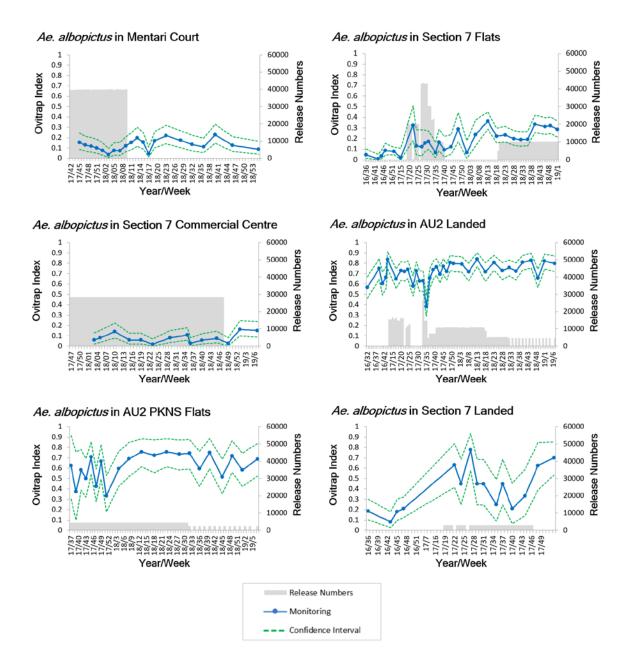


Figure S3. *Aedes albopictus* **population size estimates at release sites, related to figure 2.** Size was measured through an ovitrap index (*Ae. albopictus*-positive traps divided by total number of traps) during the release/monitoring period. Grey shaded areas represent release periods; 95% confidence intervals are shown as dotted lines.

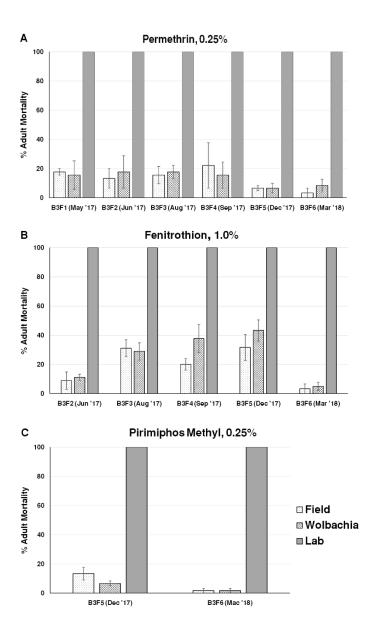


Figure S4. Insecticide susceptibility of the release line ("Wolbachia") compared with the field-derived wild-type population of *Ae. aegypti* ("Field") and a laboratory insecticide susceptible line ("Lab"), related to STAR Methods. Lines were tested against three pesticides: permethrin, fenitrothion, and pirimiphos methyl. Bioassays measured adult mortality at discriminating doses. Error bars represent standard errors.



Figure S5. Example of an egg release container as used in the Section 7 Commercial Centre site, related to Figure 3. Note the 2 cm diameter release holes and plug, removed to allow escape of adult mosquitoes.

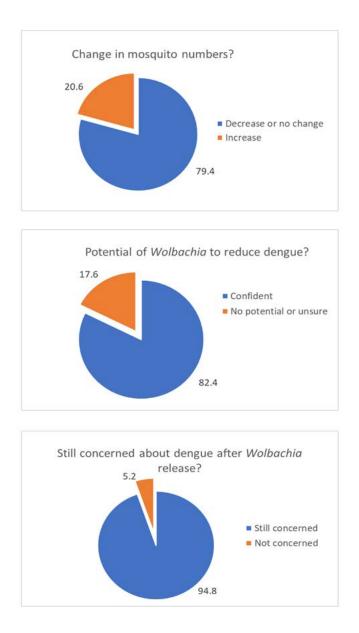


Figure S6. Post-release survey questionnaire results from community engagement activities in Section 7 Flats, related to figures 2 and 3. Data were collected from a door-to-door survey in the Section 7 Flats release area 2 months after the beginning of the releases. 196 respondents were included, consisting of 40% females, with age classes 29-39 (15%), 40-50 (65%) and >60 (10%).

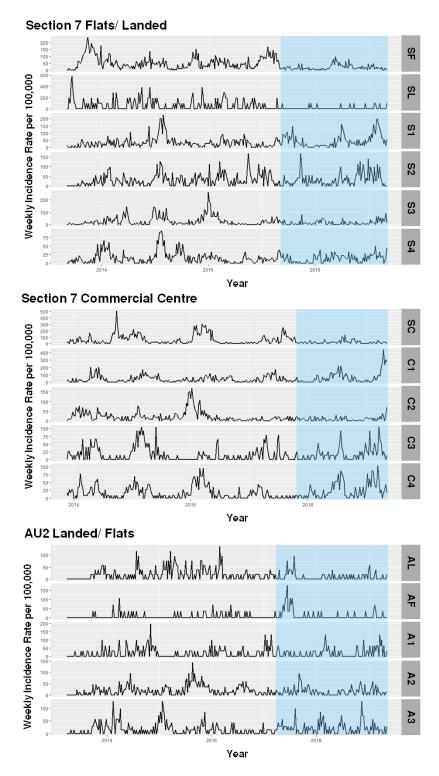


Figure S7. Dengue incidence plots at the Shah Alam Section 7 PKNS flats & Landed, Section 7 Commercial Centre, and AU2 Landed / Flats release and matched control sites, related to Figure 4. SF, SL, SC, AL and AF represents release areas on different sites. See Table 1 for additional details on control sites. The periods during and after commencement of *Wolbachia* releases are indicated by blue regions.