Appendix 1.

Fig. S1. Preliminary 150m transect at Henry Buck Trail (41.9428, -73.0158), American Legion State Forest, Barkhamsted, CT.

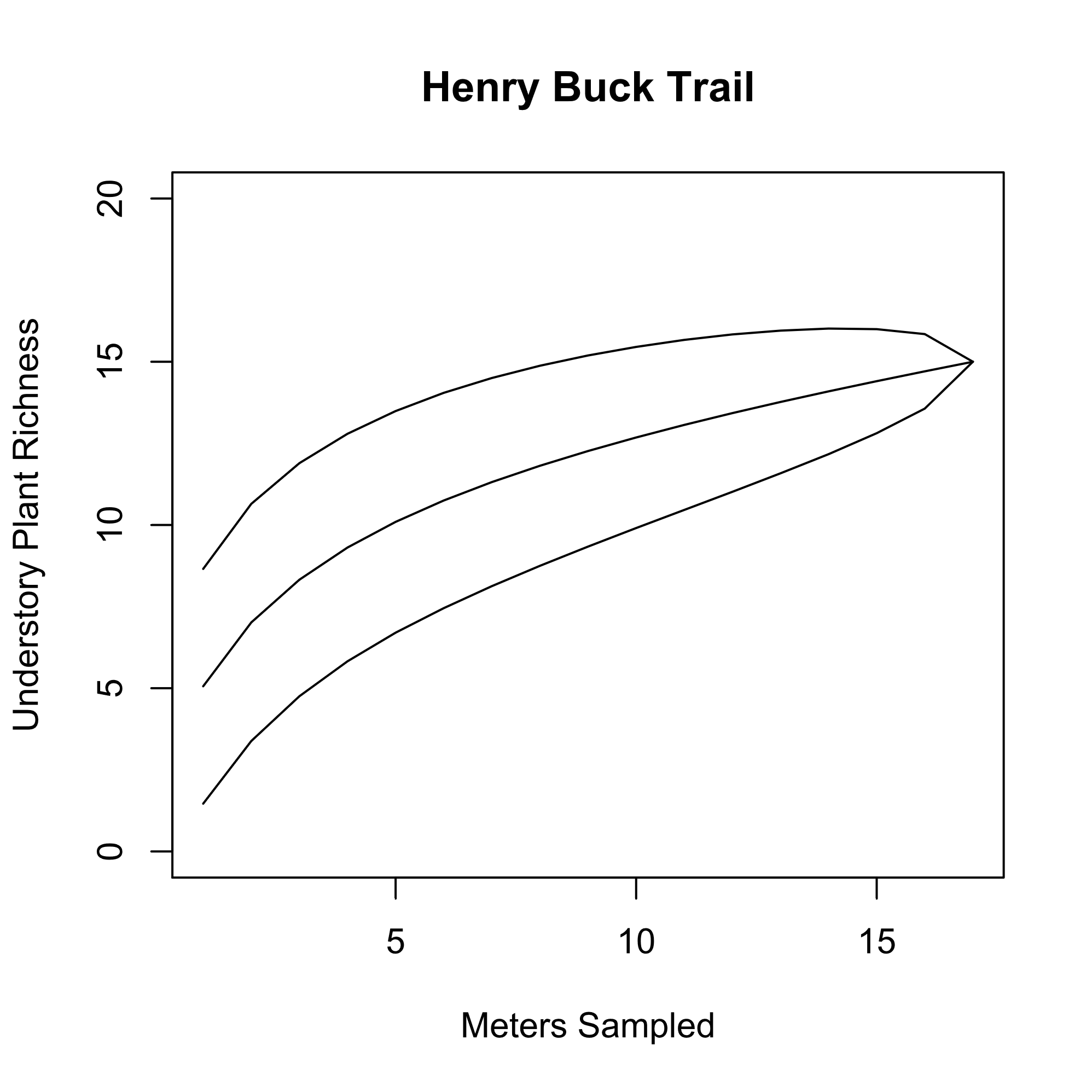


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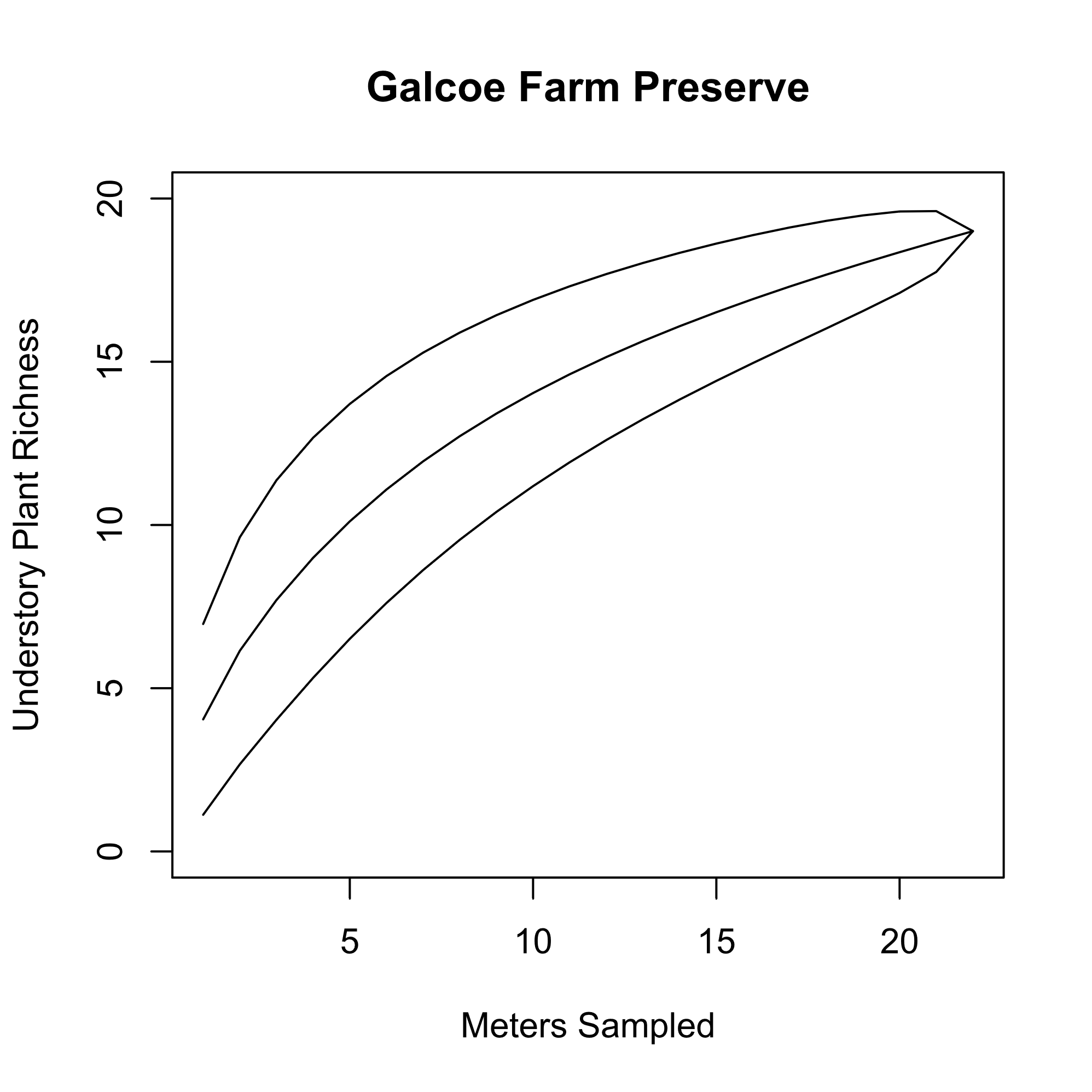


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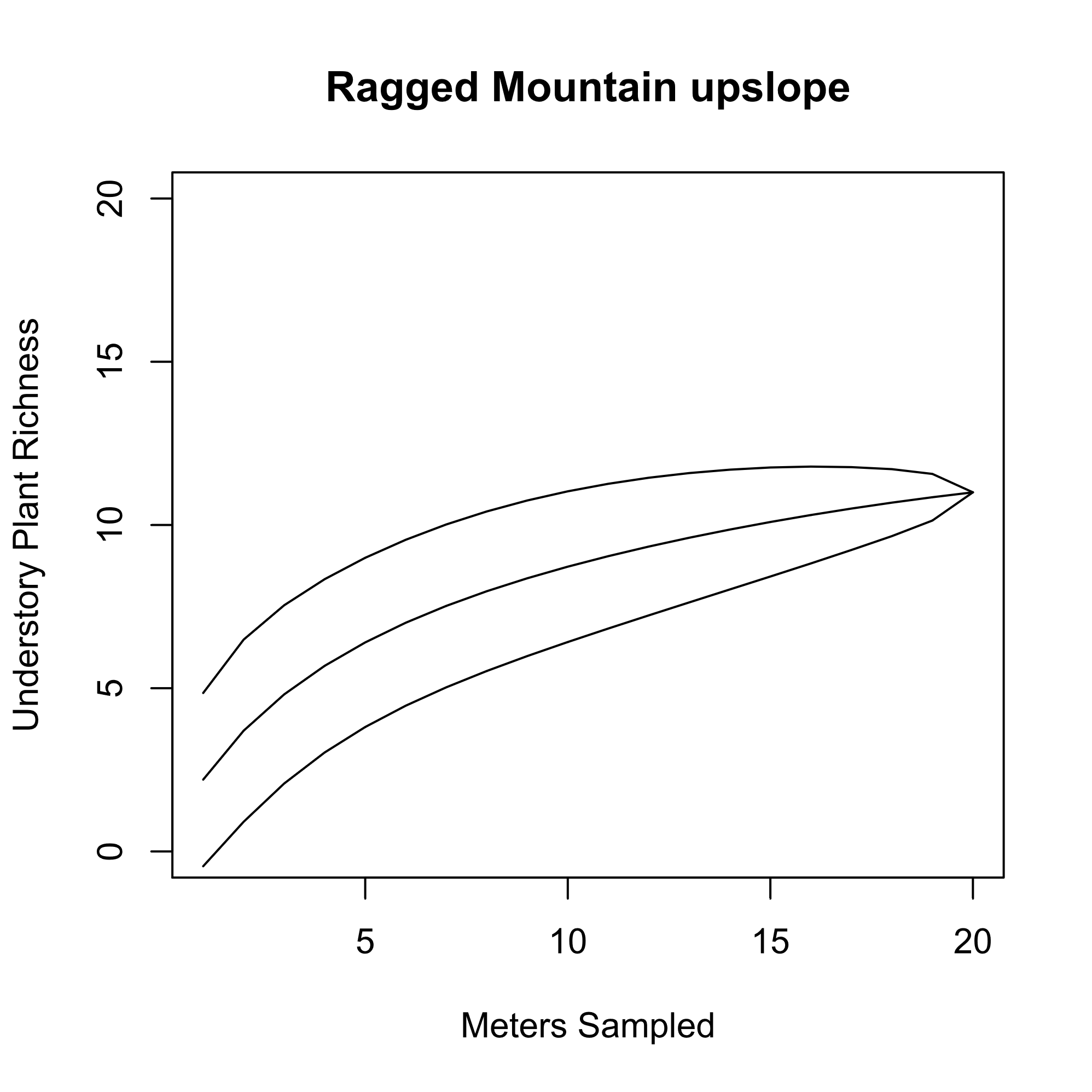


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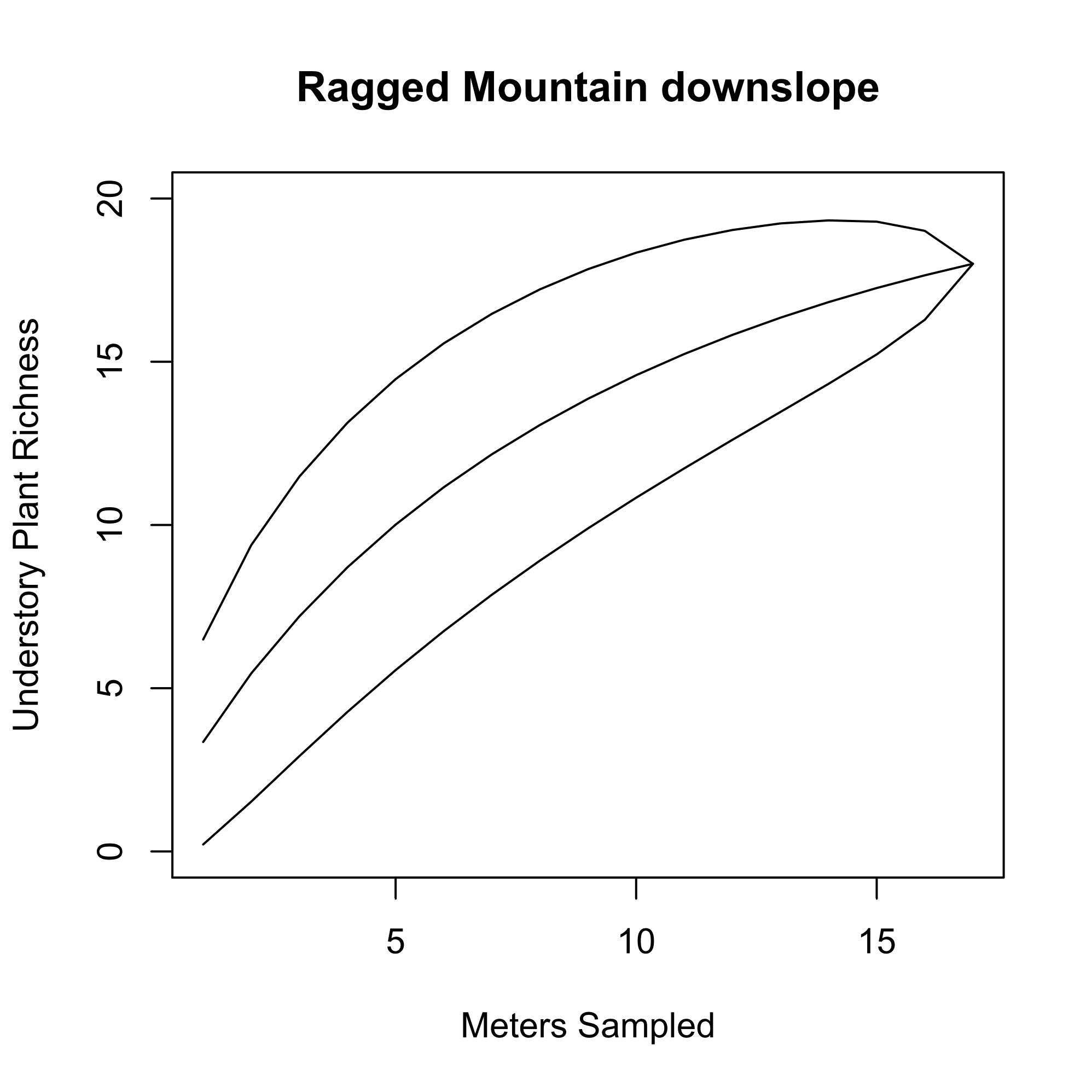


Fig S6. Plot design GPS waypoints and flagged at corners. Arrow indicates cardinal orientation, and each panel describes the factorial treatment design. The asterisk indicates a single plant in which the overstory was dominated by *Pinus strobus* (White Pine) rather than a deciduous canopy.

Shape

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