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A simple method for assessing mangrove forest based on young plants and sesarmid crab holes

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Highlights (for review)

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- 1. A simple method for assessment of functional structure of mangrove forest
- 2. There was a significant correlation between the density of young plants and number of crab holes or tree density or seedling density or complex index.
- 3. This work provided a new method of assessing the eco-functions of mangrove forest

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