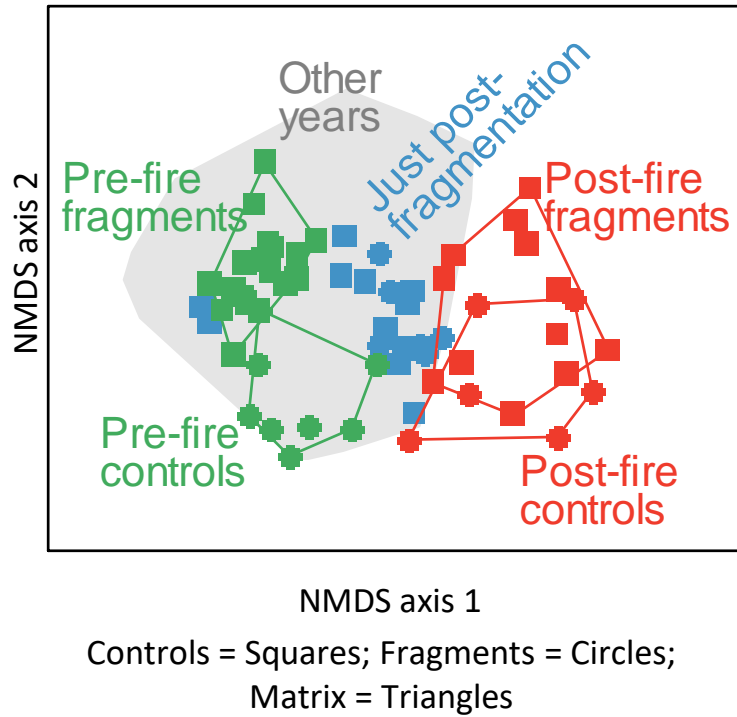


### C. Carabid species composition



**Figure.** Ordination showing fragment-scale species composition of carabid beetles in the spring season just after fragmentation, just before fire, and just after fire in controls and fragments. Points close together have more similar composition. Ordination is two-dimensional, non-metric multidimensional scaling (NMDS) with Czekanowski (presence-absence) dissimilarity. Total number of carabid species and was 64 and the average richness was 4.5 per site.