



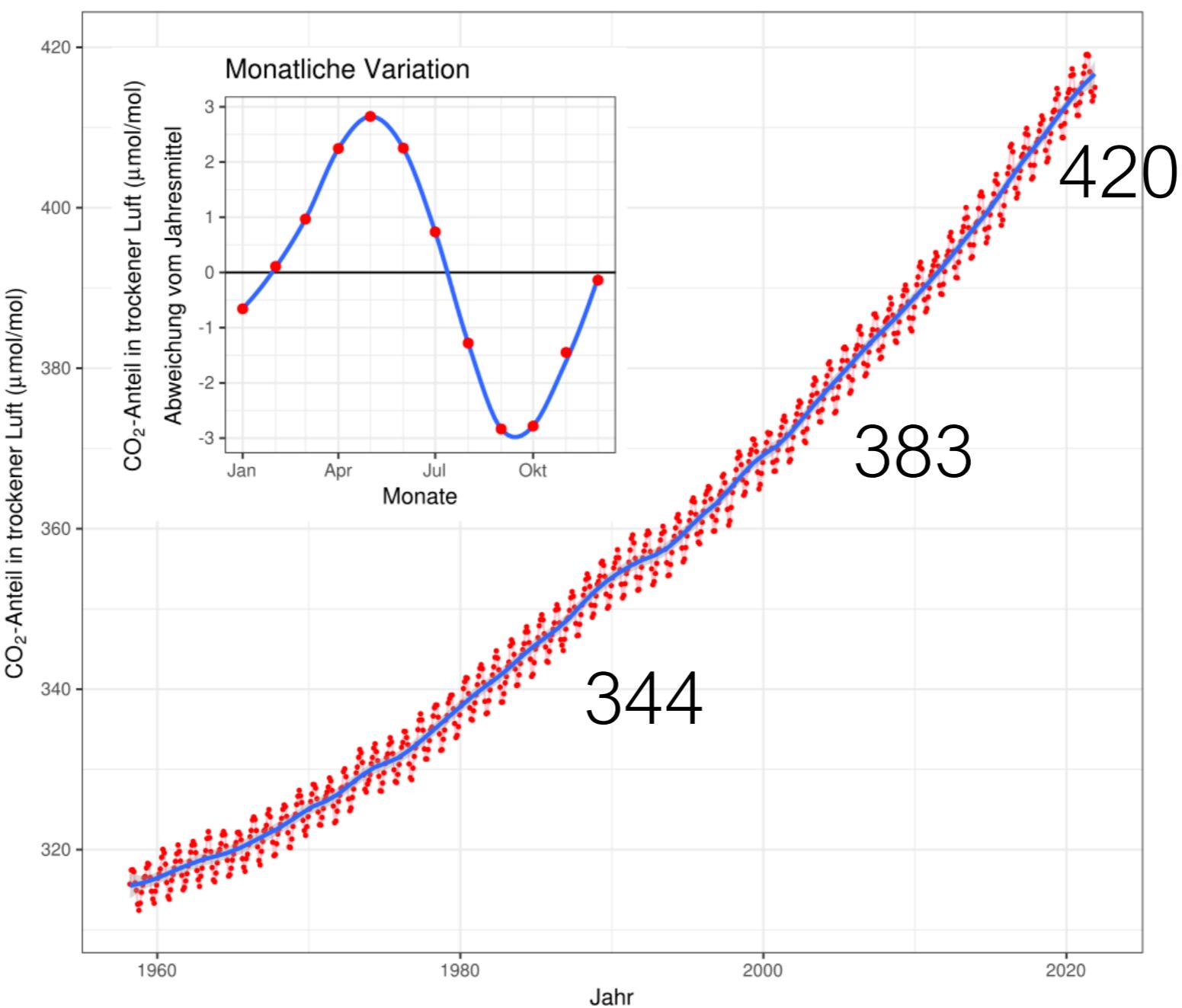
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How humus certificates can boost a regenerative agriculture

Monatliche durchschnittliche CO₂-Konzentration

Mauna Loa 1958 - 2021



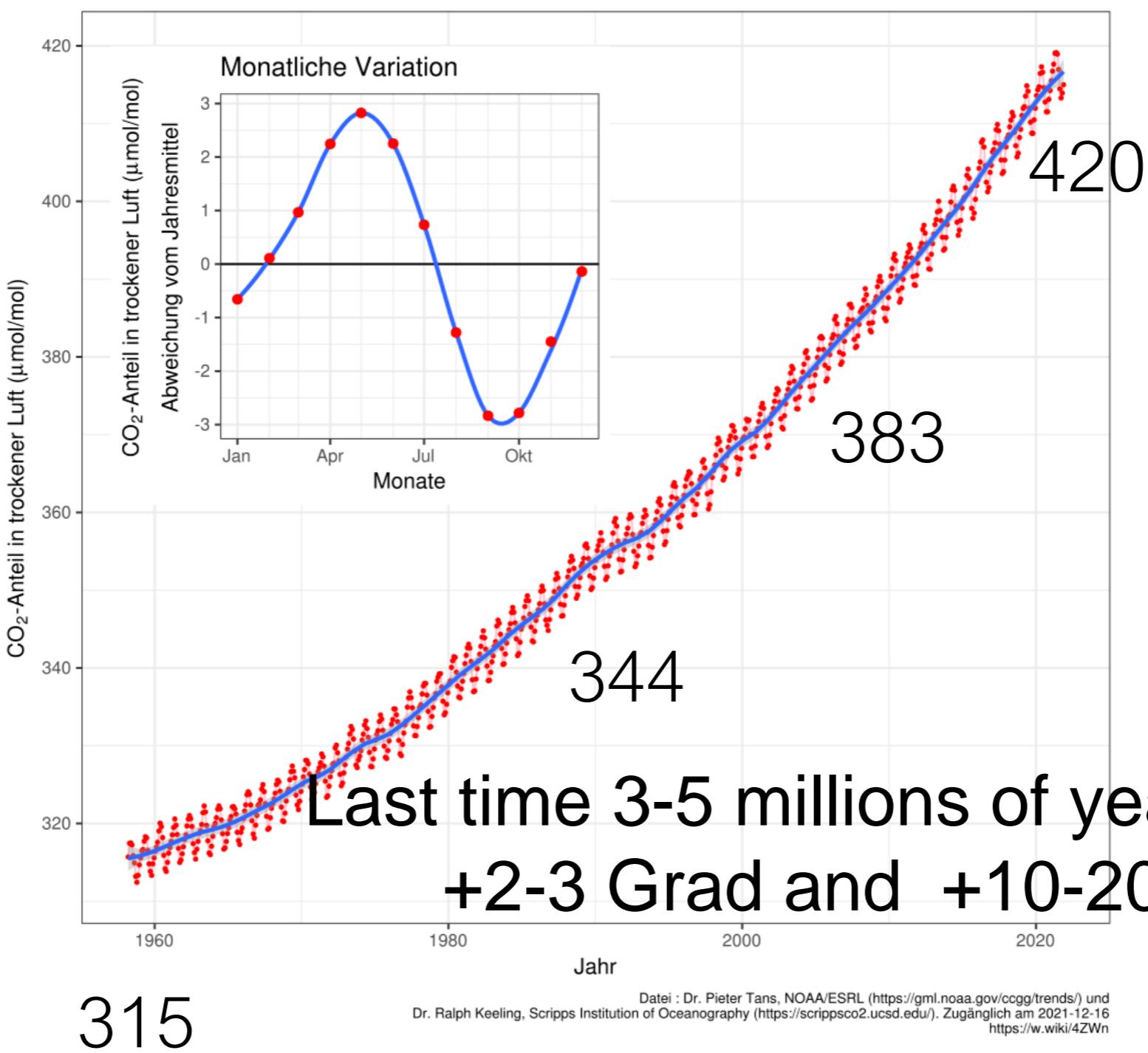
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Exponential growth

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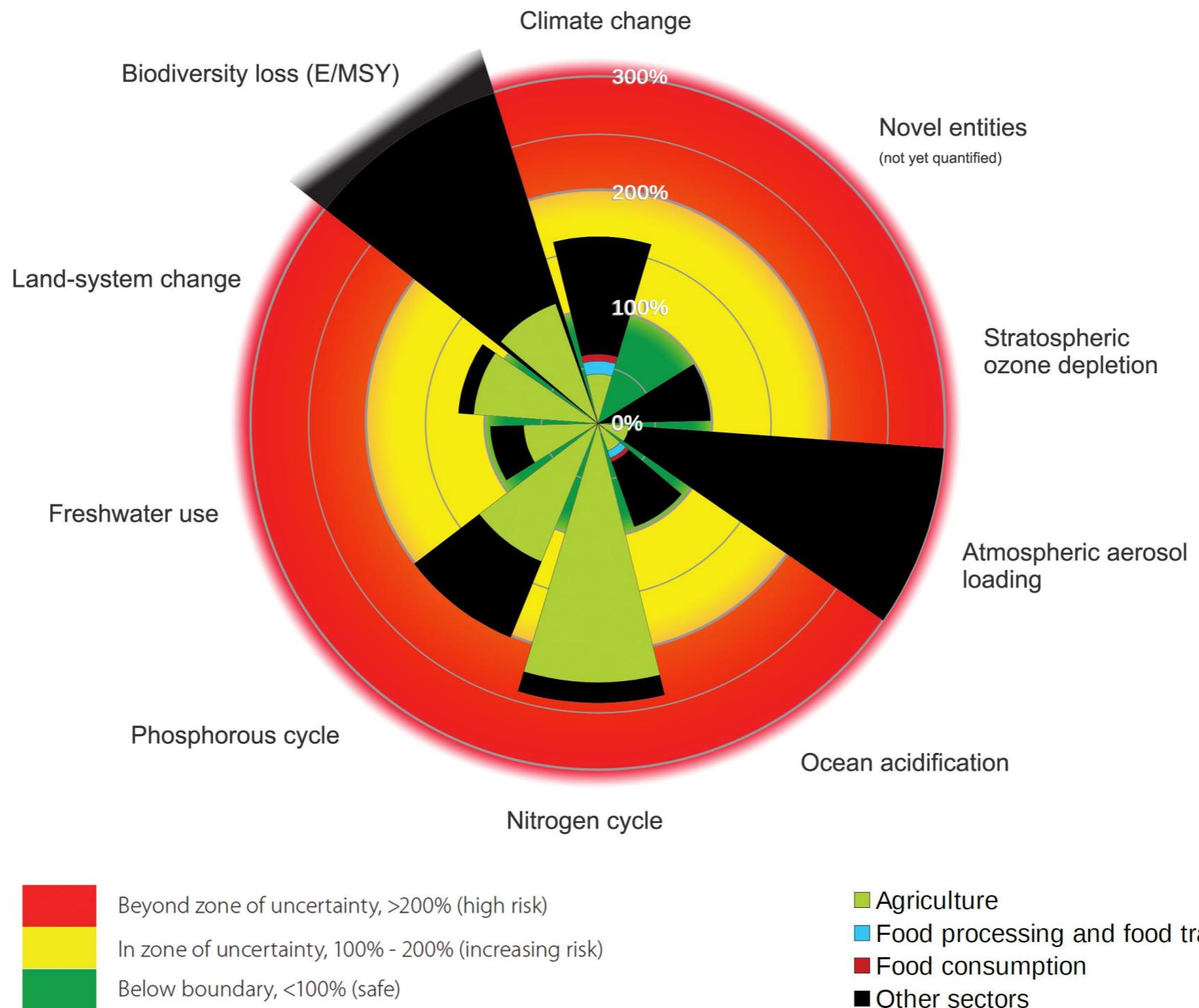


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Exponential growth



Planetary boundaries



Planetary boundaries- Agriculture



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Why humus farming?





52 harvests left!!?

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UN-Studie (United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization – FAO)2014,

Why humus farming?





Up to 20t/ha/year soil loss

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Why humus farming?





Water erosion/flooding/soil loss

Why humus farming?





Foto: Rhein-Erft-Kreis, dpa

Why humus farming?





150-200mm rainfall in 2 days

Foto: Rhein-Erft-Kreis, dpa

Why humus farming?





drought damage and harvest loss

<https://www.topagrar.com/acker/news/schwarz-duerrehilfe-wird-zum-flop-11736486.html>

Why humus farming?





Growing input on fertilisation and crop protection

Why humus farming?

¾ of all insects have disappeared since 1990



Why humus farming?





Why humus farming?





Quelle: Ökoregion Kaindorf

How does humus farming work?





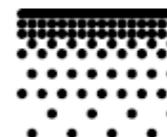
Verbesserte
Wasseraufnahme



Erosionsschutz



Höhere
Fruchtbarkeit



Stabile
Bodenstruktur



Gestärkte
Pflanzengesundheit



Leichtere Bearbeitbarkeit
des Bodens



Gestärkte
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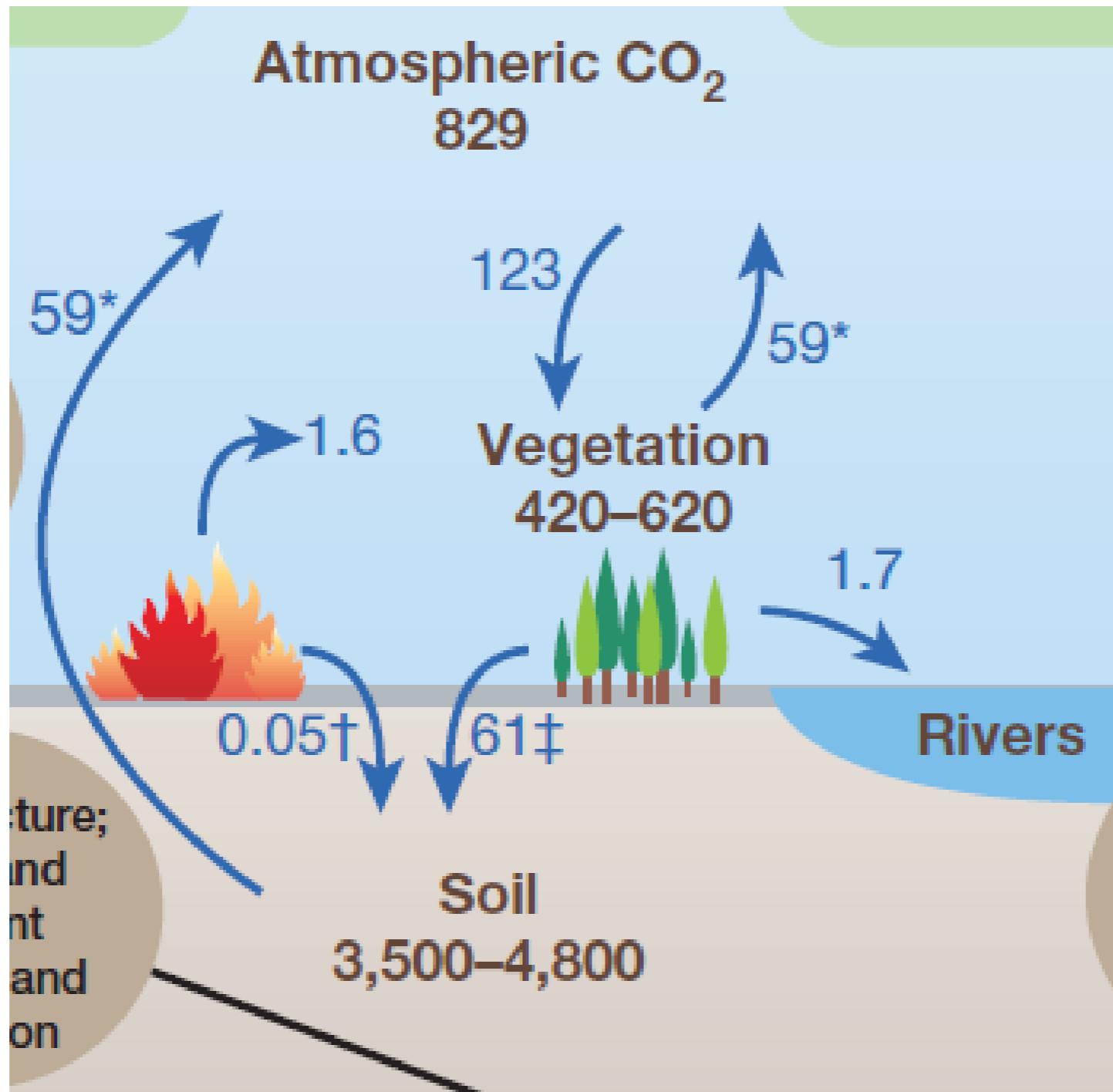


Beitrag zu Umwelt-
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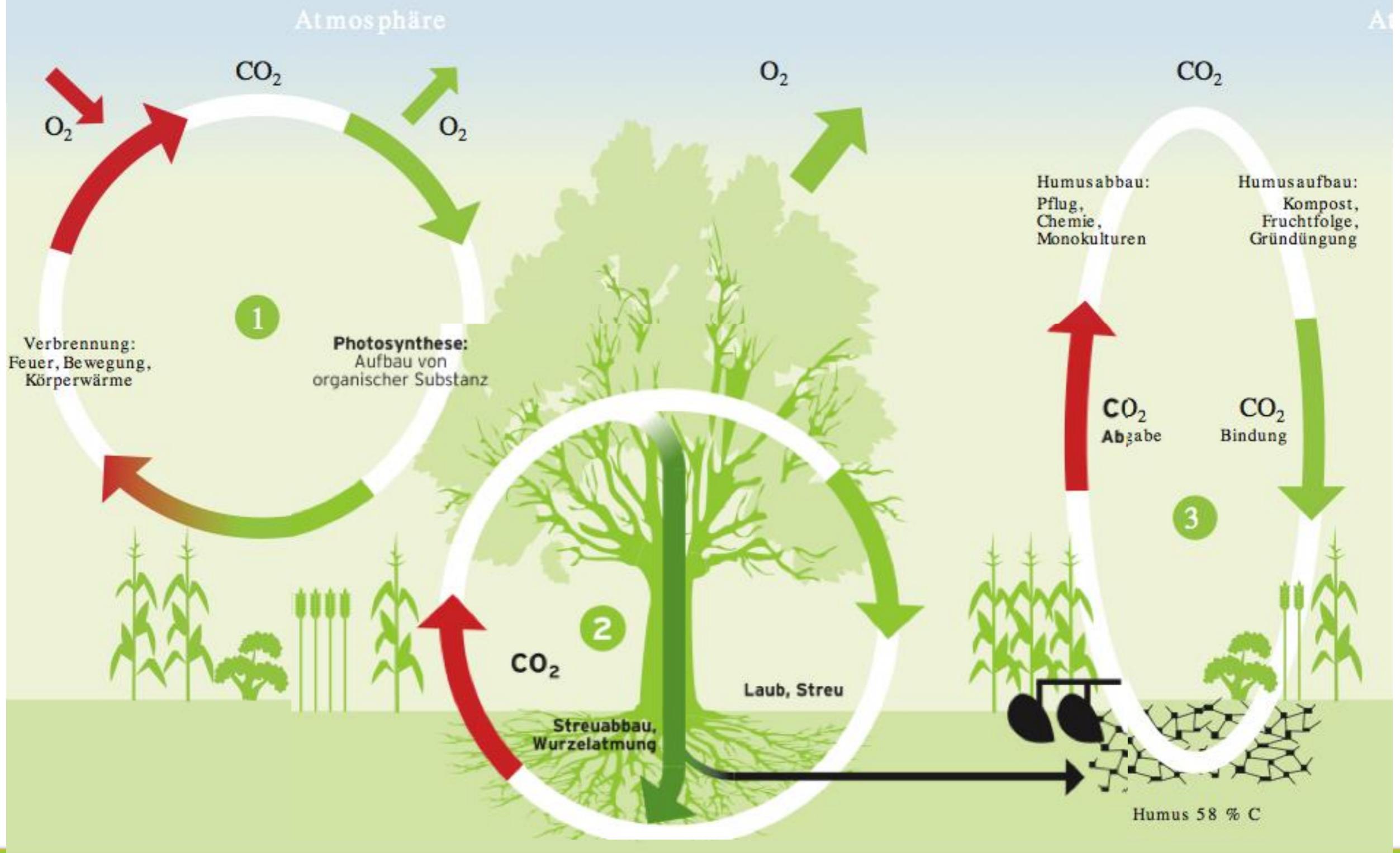
Aktive
CO₂ Speicherung

Advantages of humus farming



Lehmann und Kleber 2015

Where is CO_2 stored?



Lehmann und Kleber 2015

How does humus build up?



**Vielfalt
maximieren**



**Photosyntheseleistung
maximieren**



**Bodenstörungen
minimieren**

3 principles of humus farming

1. Maximise Diversity

- Diverse crop rotation
- Mixed cropping
- Cover cropping
- Intermediate cropping
- Integrate trees,
hedges, perennials



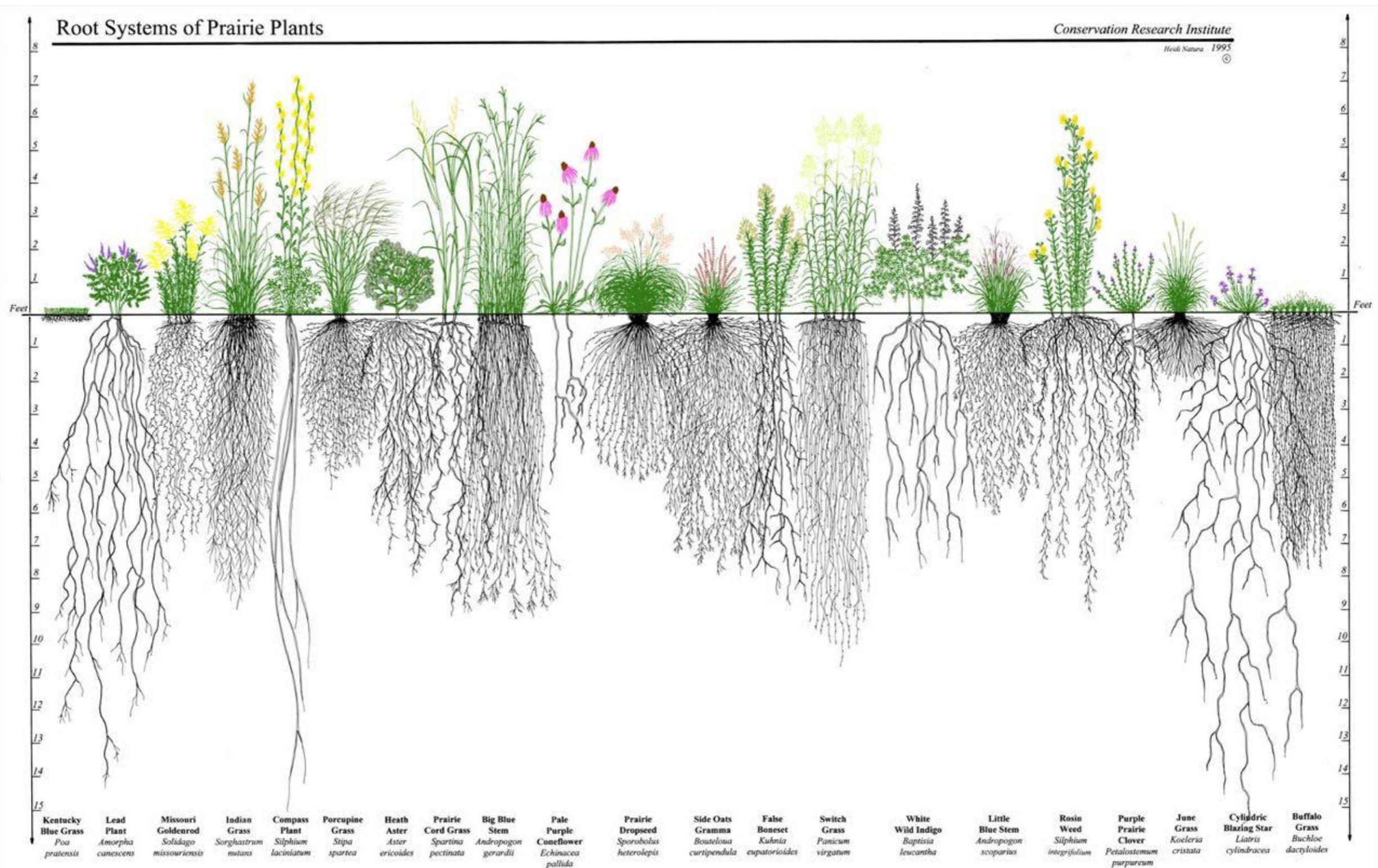
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3 principles of humus farming

Root Systems of Prairie Plants

Conservation Research Institute

Heidi Natura 1995
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<http://www.humusrevolution.de/wurzelsysteme-in-der-wiese/>

Different root systems in a meadow



Quelle: Ökoregion Kaindorf

3 principles of humus farming



2. Maximise photosynthesis performance

- Different layers
 - Permanent greening
 - Undersown crops
 - Cover crops
 - Healthy plants
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- Integrate trees, hedges, perennials



Quelle: Ökoregion Kaindorf

3 principles of humus farming



Quelle: Ökoregion Kaindorf

3 Prinzipien des Humusaufbaus



3. Minimize soil disturbance

- Reduced tillage
- No-Till
- Mulch sowing
- plowless
- Reduction of chemicals (mineral fertilizers, herbicides, fungicides, pesticides)



Quelle: Ökoregion Kaindorf

3 principles of humus farming



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Quelle: Sonnenerde

composting





Quelle: Sonnenerde

charcoal

 **HUMUS+**
Modell Ökoregion Kaindorf



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Agroforestry, hedges



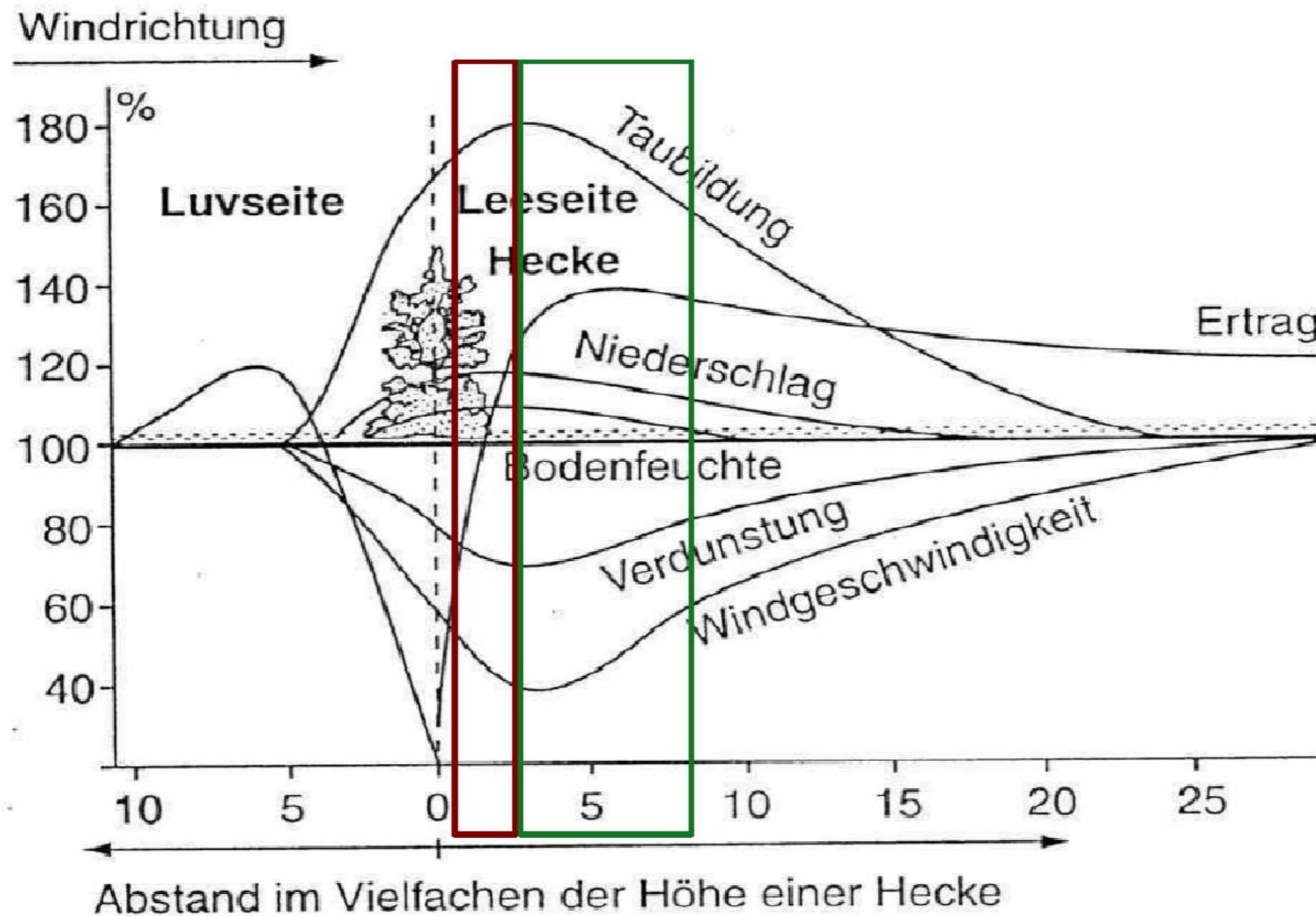


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Verlust und Gewinn beim Getreideertrag durch den Einfluß von Hecken



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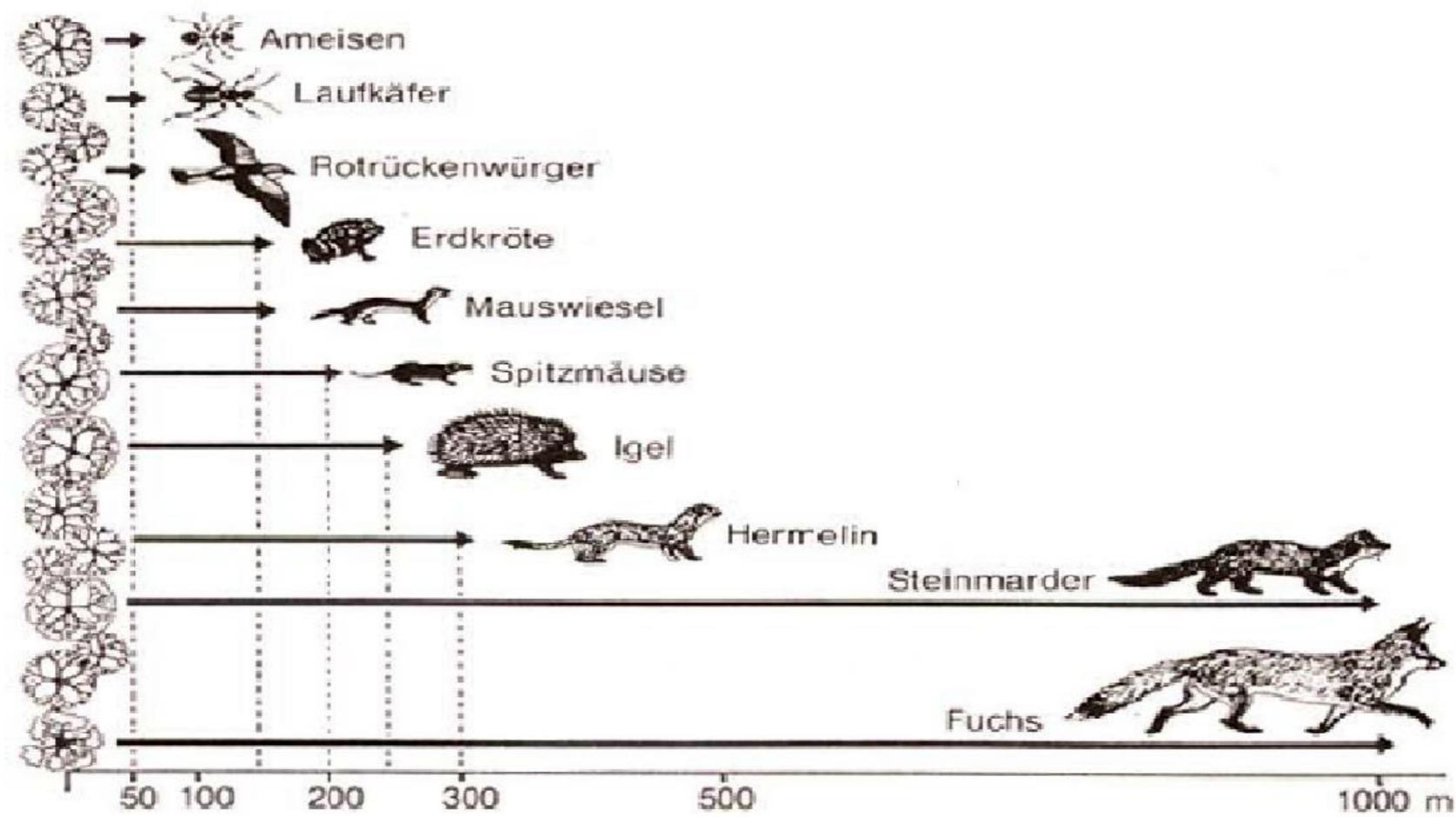


Abb. 98. Die Hecke als »Stützpunkt« für die Nahrungssuche fleischfressender Tiere in der freien Feldflur (DJV 1982).

Agroforestry, hedges



<http://crkeyline.ca/what-is-keyline-design/>

Watermanagement/ Keyline Design





<https://greatestcapefarms.com/swales-a-permaculture-practice-the-down-and-dirty/>

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<https://www.permaculturenews.org/2015/07/24/how-to-build-a-swale-on-contour-successfully/>

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Quelle: Unsplash

(Re-)integration of animals



Quelle: Jochen Buchmaier

Holistic Management, Mobgrazing





Quelle: http://sunnybrae-acres.com/?page_id=14

Holistic Management, Mobgrazing



https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Agroforestry_contour_planting.jpg

Holistic Management, Mobgrazing





Closed circles!!



**Vereinbarung und
Bodenuntersuchung**



Bodenuntersuchung



5 – 7 Jahre
Humusaufbau



Bodenuntersuchung



5 Jahre Haltefrist
+ weiterer Humusaufbau

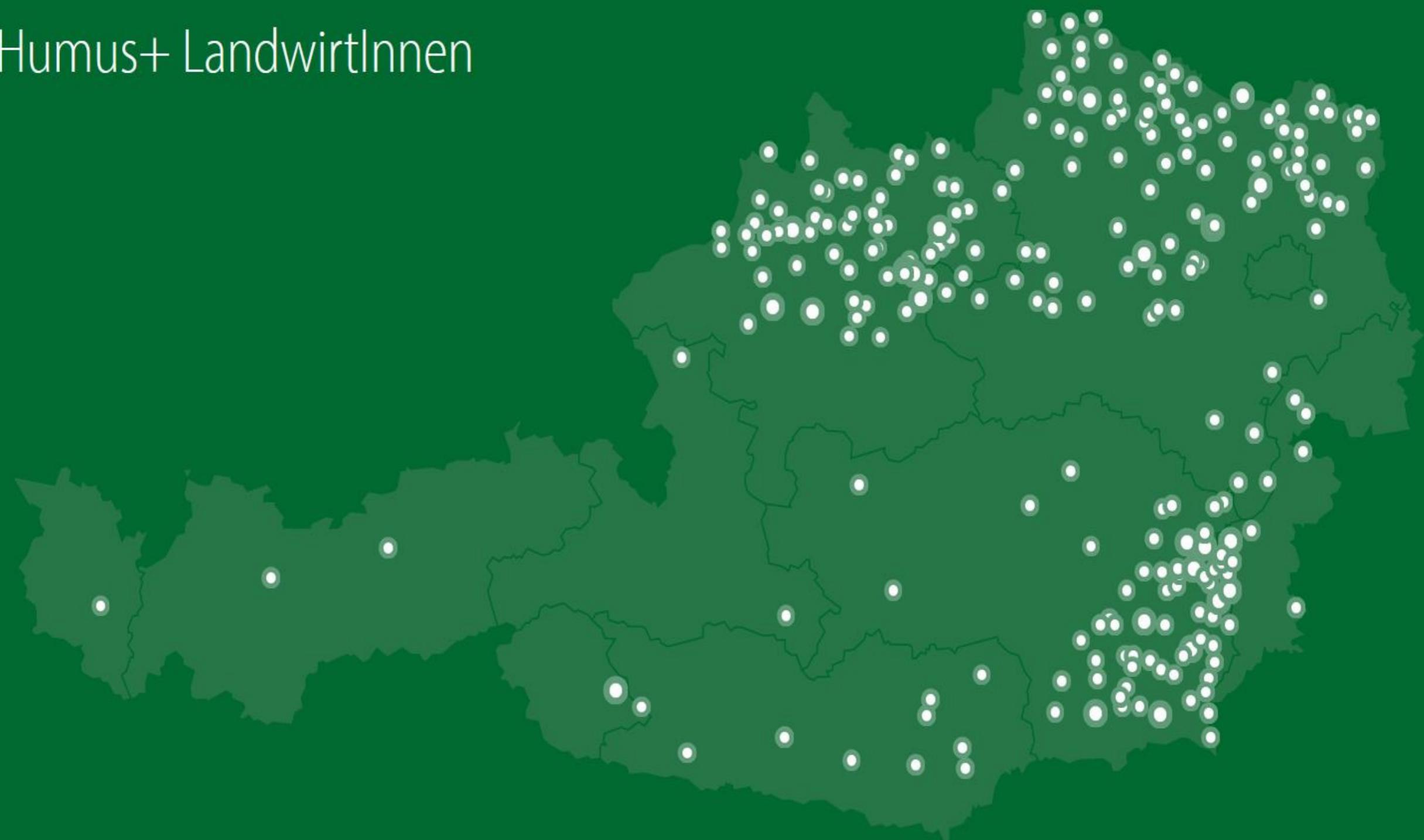


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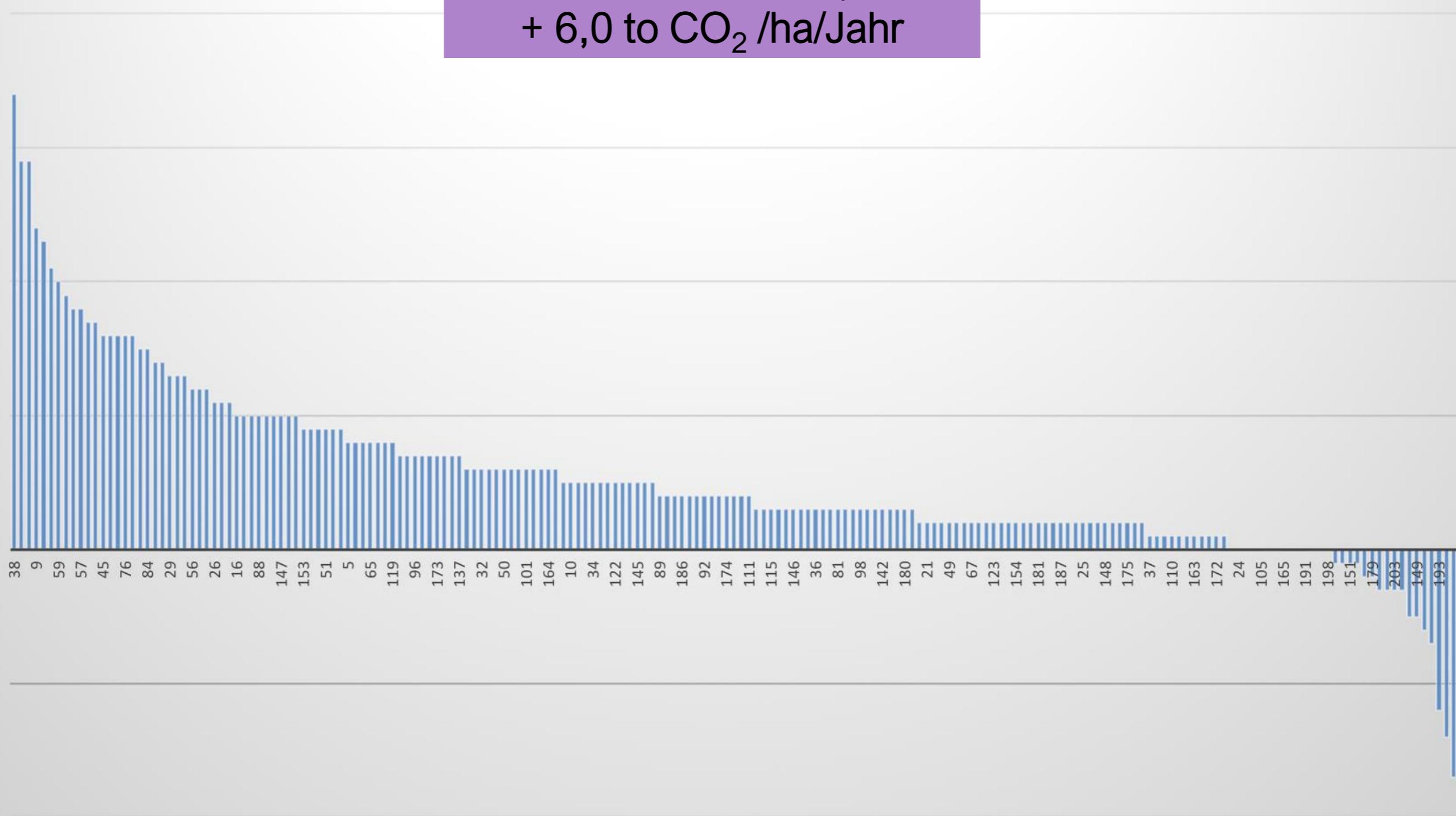
HUMUS+ farming program

HUMUS+
Modell Ökoregion Kaindorf

Unsere Humus+ Landwirtnnen



Durchschnitt: +0,14% pro Jahr
+ 6,0 t CO₂ /ha/Jahr





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Remuneration for their ecosystemic service!

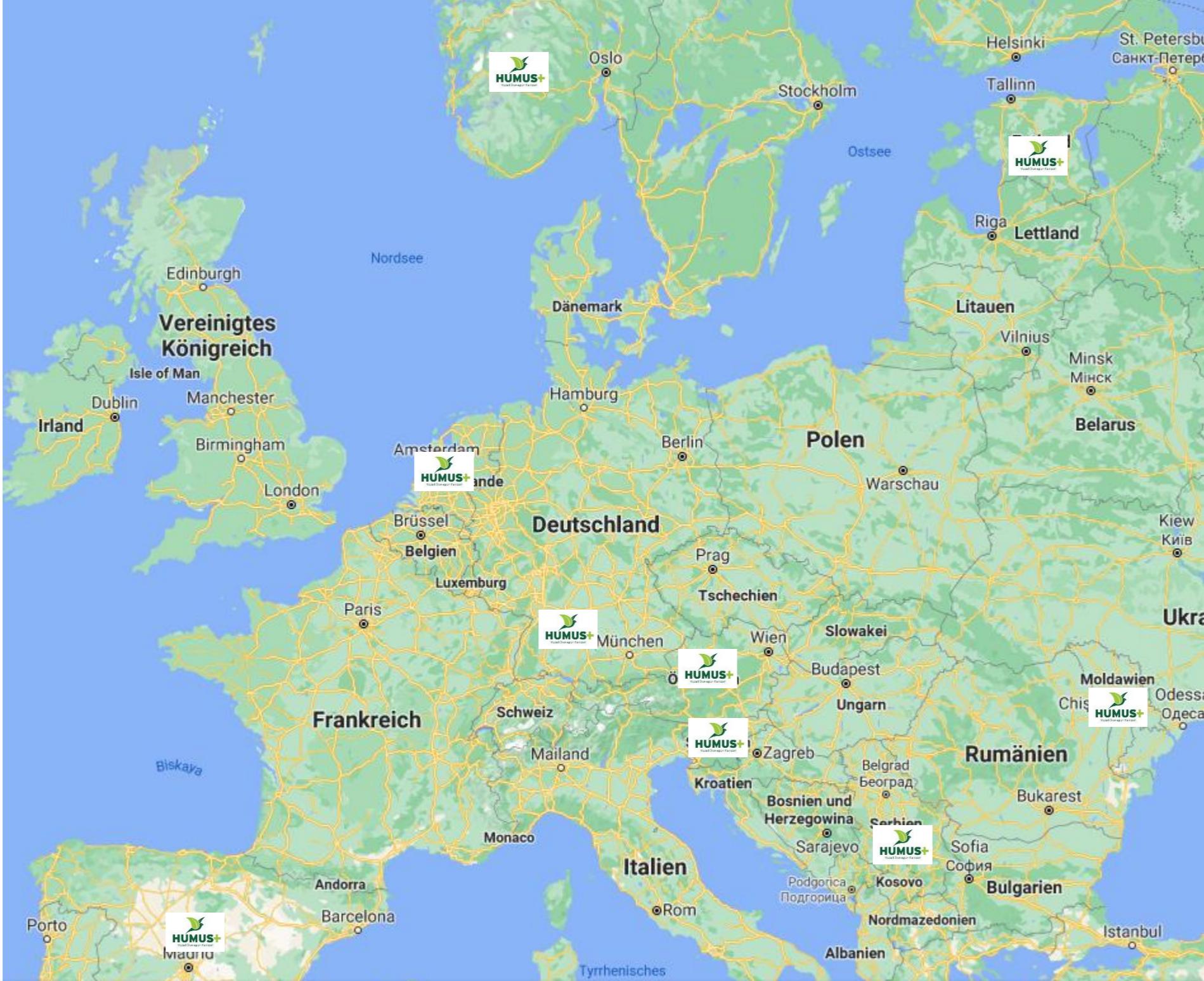


- Humus+Get together
 - Humus+Academy
 - Humus+Days
 - Humus+Consulting

Quelle: Ökoregion Kaindorf

HUMUS+Education





Partnership in Slovenia, interest in
Moldova, Estonia, Norway, Germany,
Netherlands, Spain, Serbia till Nigeria



Quelle: Ökoregion Kaindorf

Thanks for your interest!



Now we can exchange and discuss!

