



Human Activities and Biodiversity Protection - Case study of the Bata Canal



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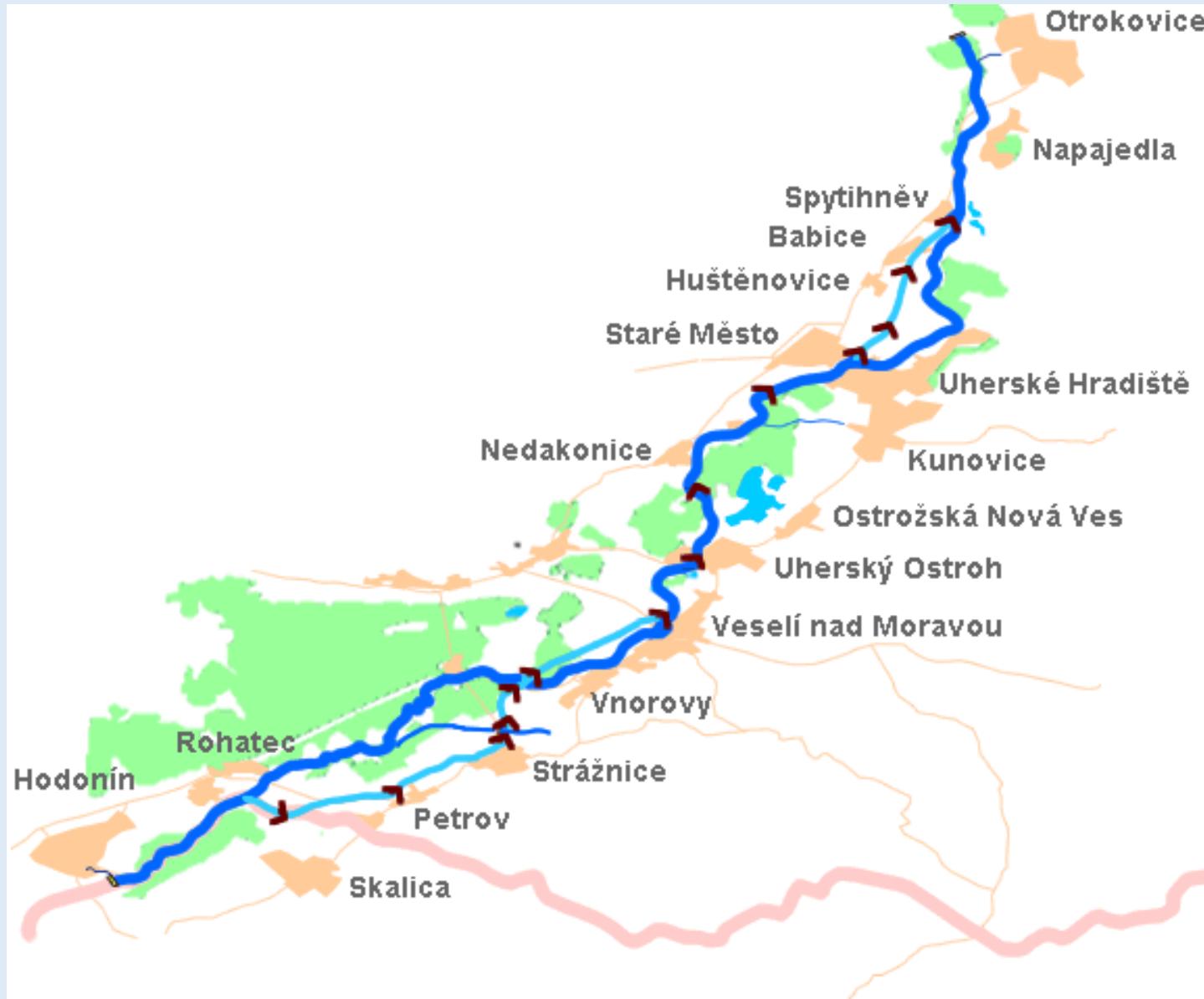
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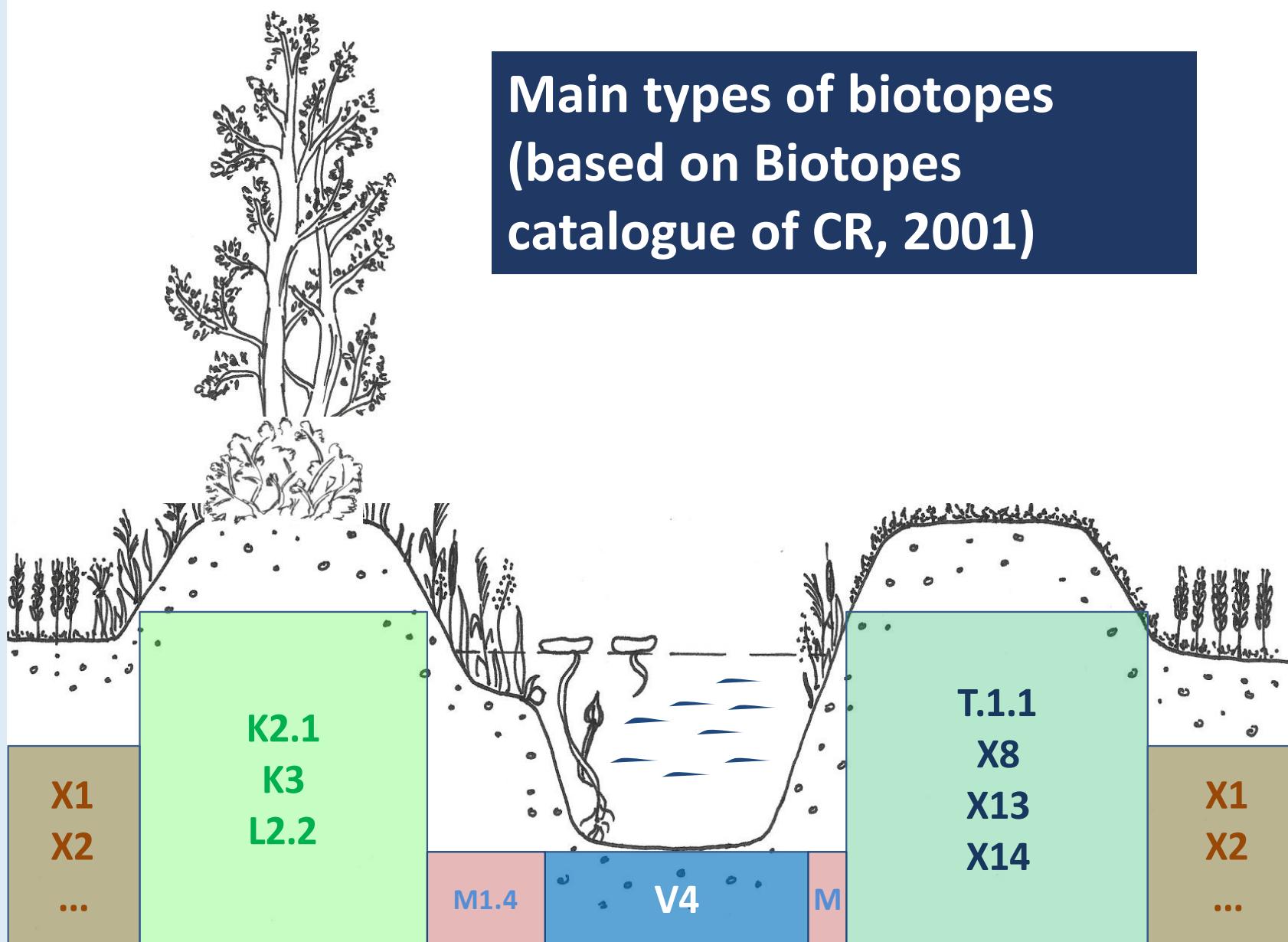
Bata canal – water way



Goals of the research

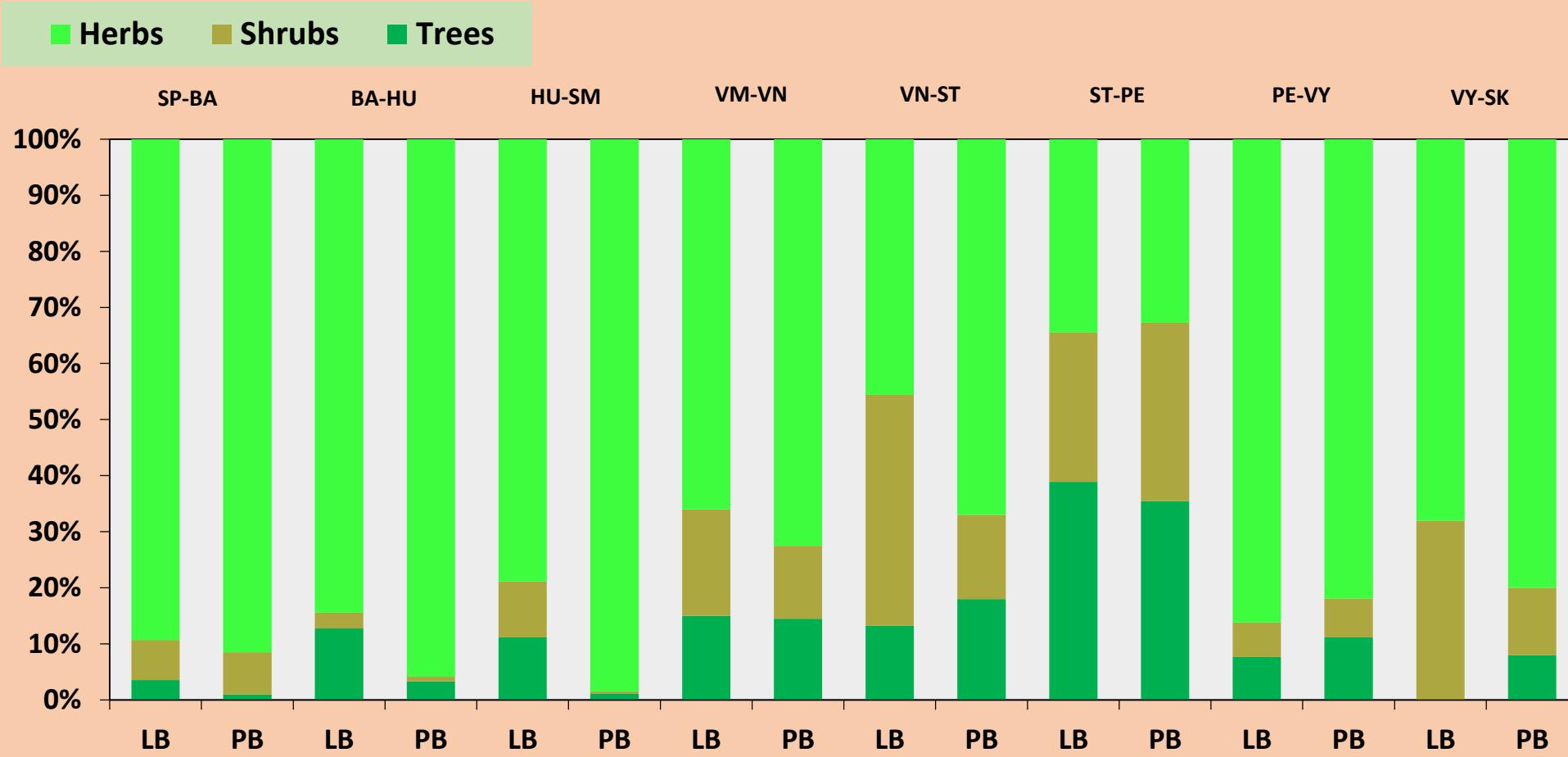
- Field survey – to obtain the field data about the vegetation along the banks of Bata canal
- To analyze the current status of the vegetation concerning the vegetation management
- To propose the management system of the bank vegetation from the point of view of water way security as well as biodiversity and landscape protection

Main types of biotopes – Bata canal

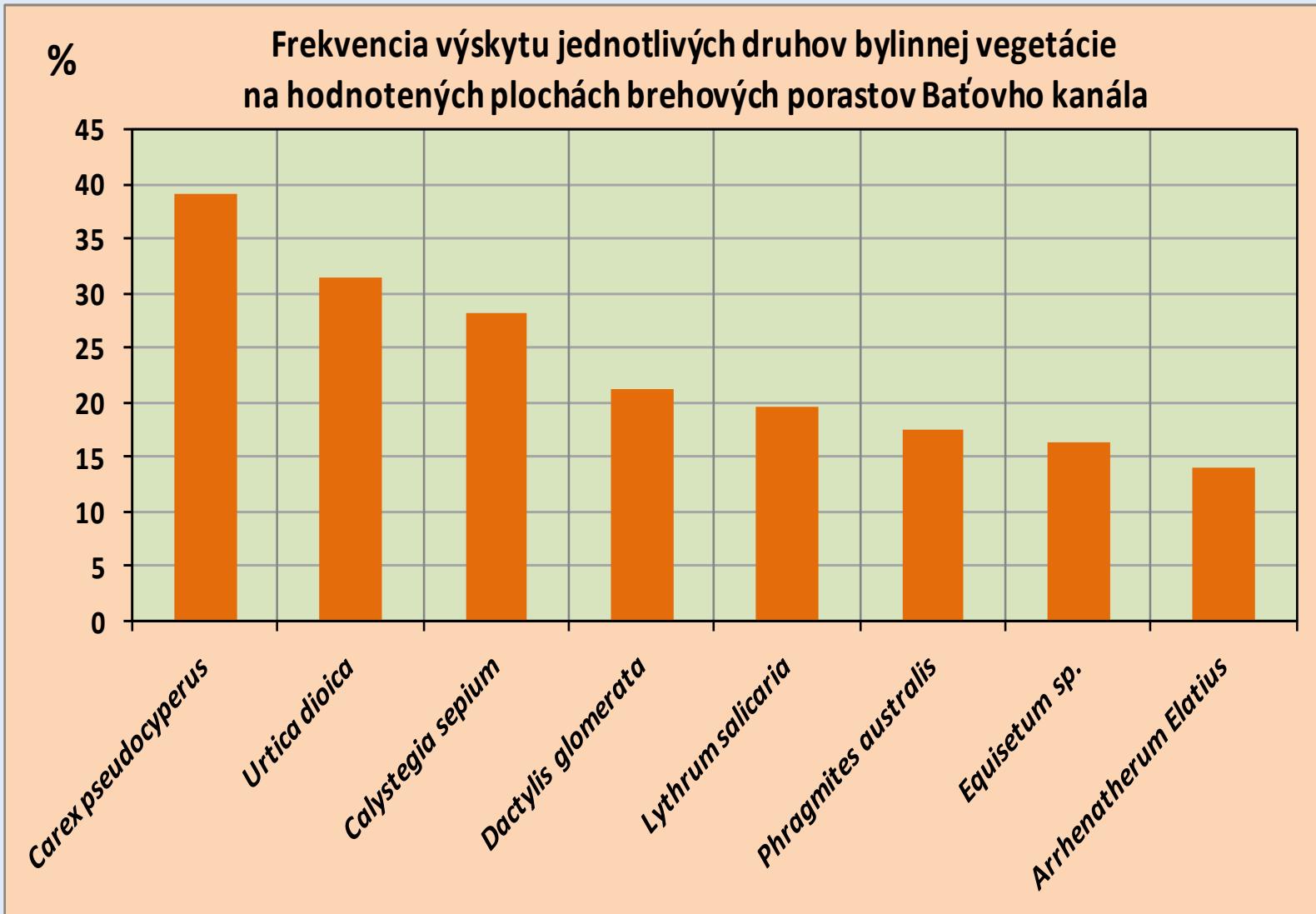


Results – Vegetation types

Percentage portion of the individual vegetation types for the segments of Bata canal
PB - Right river bank LB - Left river bank



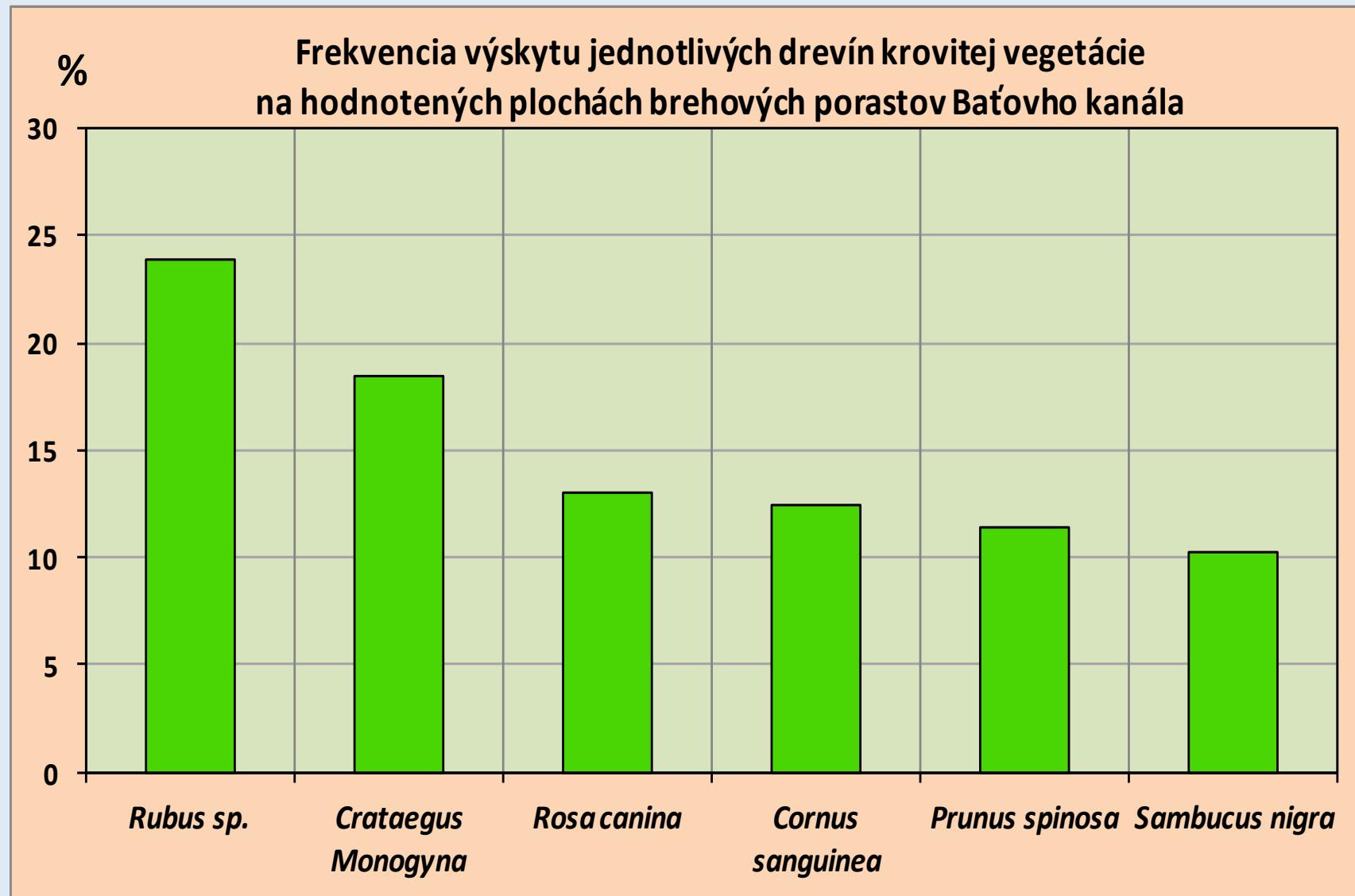
Results – Frequency of the herbs species



Lythrum salicaria



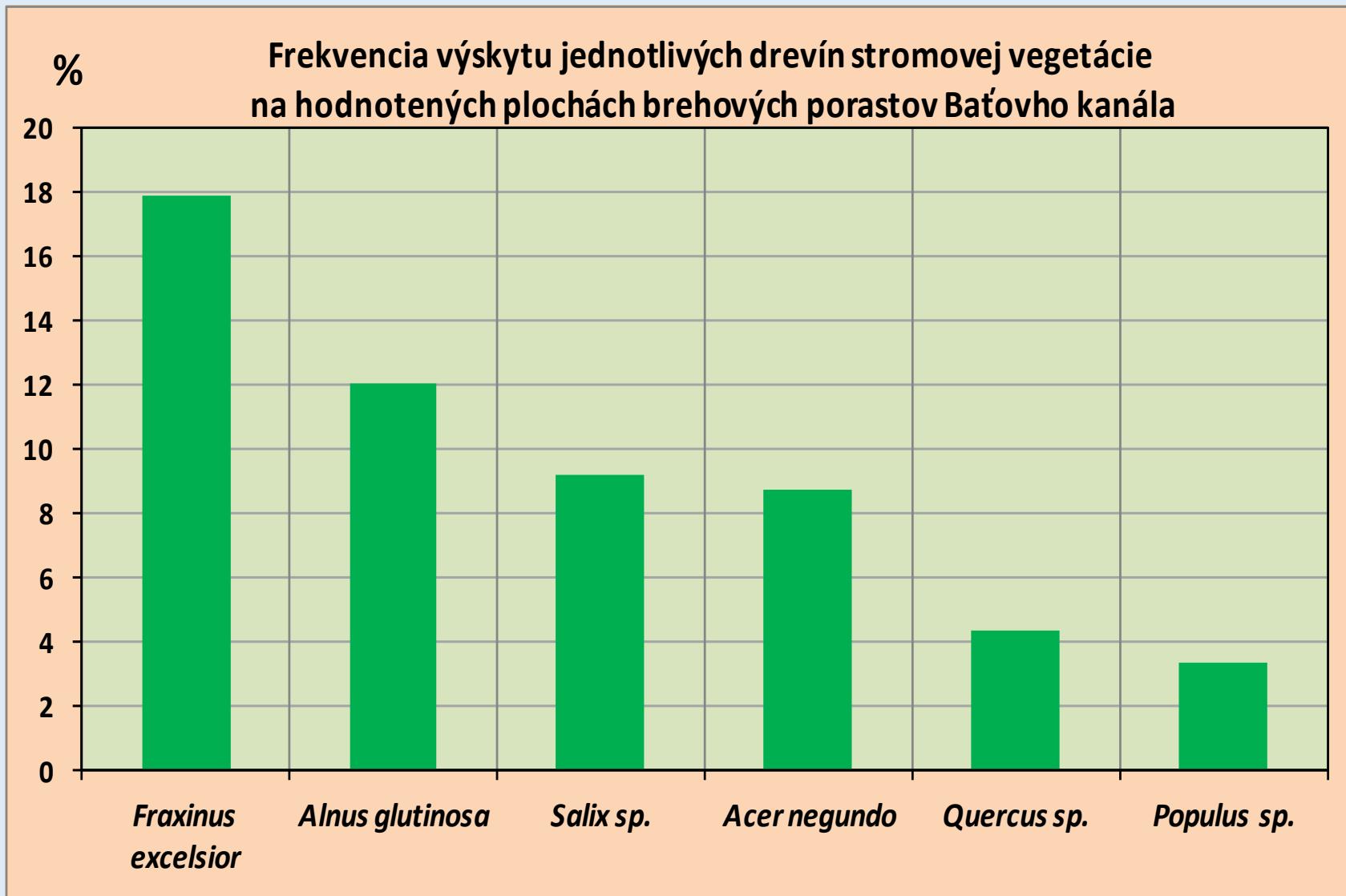
Results – Frequency of the shrubs species



Cornus sanguinea



Results – Frequency of the tree species



Invasive species – *Acer negundo*



- Very frequent in South Moravia region
- Very high potential of natural regeneration
- Remove from ecosystems – total root extraction

Invasive species – *Asclepias syriaca*



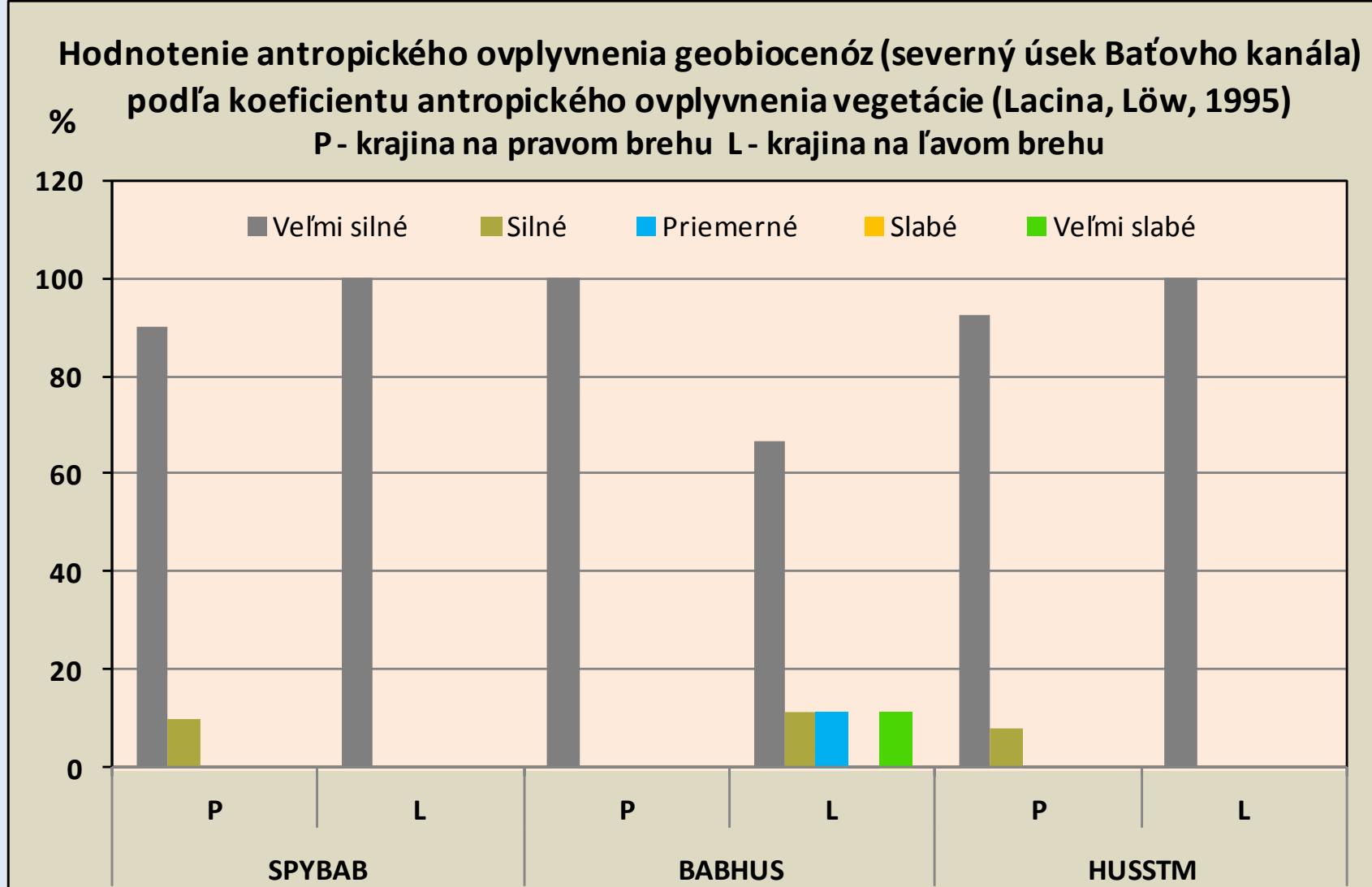
- Toxic species
- Several places near Veselí n.M.
- Remove from ecosystems – total root extraction

Invasive species - *Fallopia japonica (bohemica)*

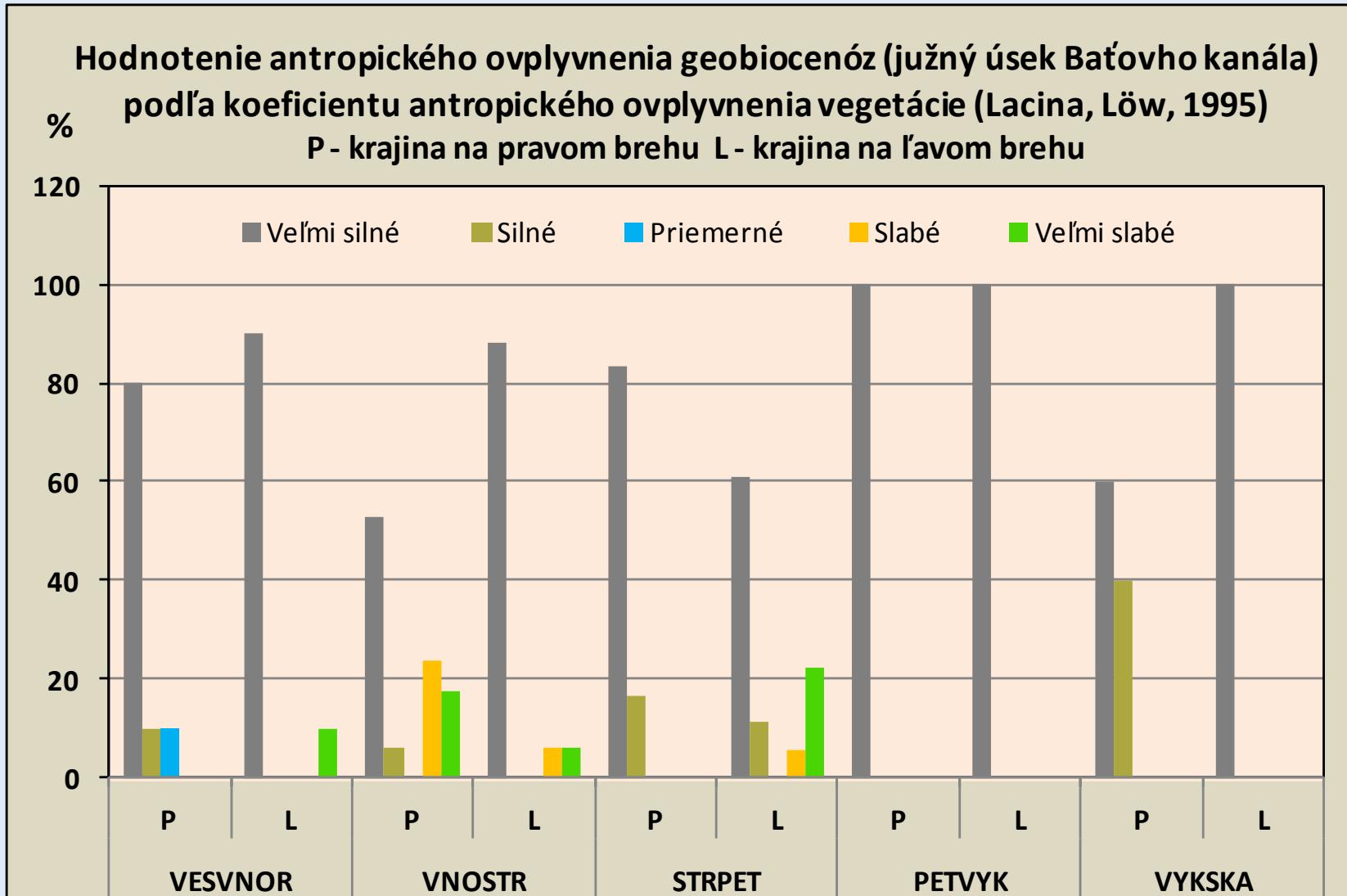


- Very intensive growth
- Impossible to remove from ecosystems
- 1 cm root part – enough for regeneration

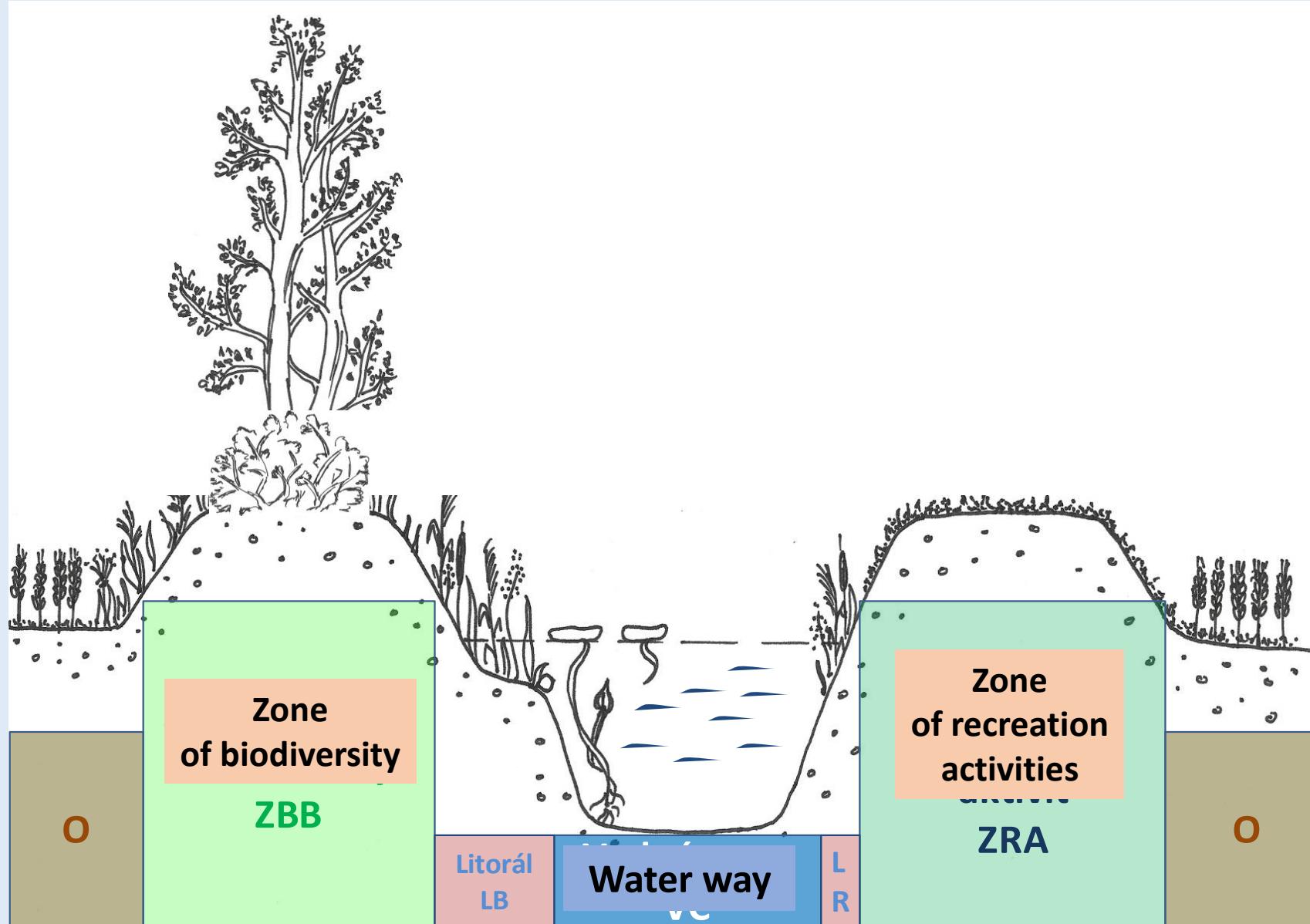
Anthropogenic influence on vegetation structure



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Proposal of the bank management



Bata canal – Veselí nM - Vnorovy

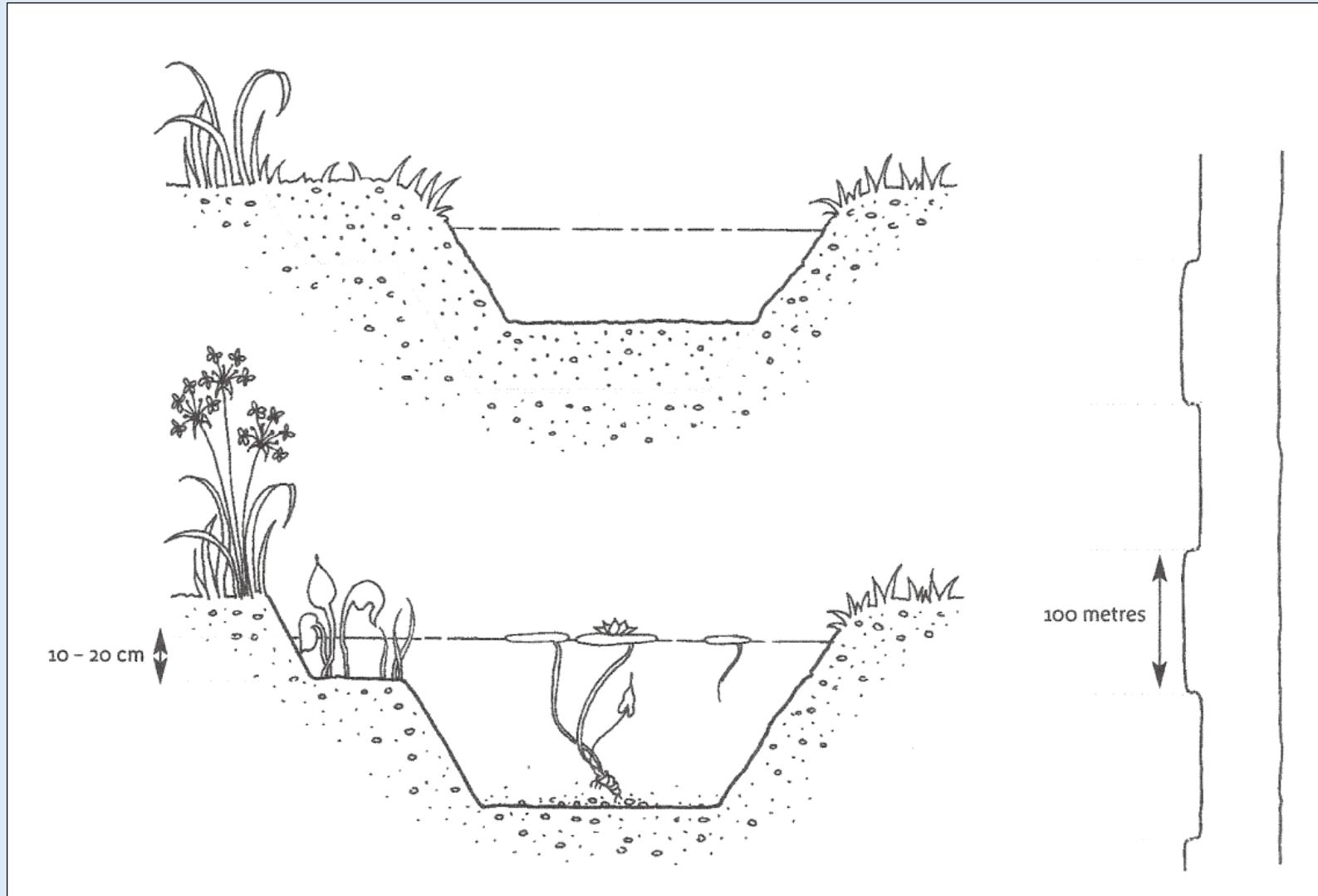


Reconstruction of the water way



- Reconstruction of the water way
Bata canal
- Harmonization of activities
 - Water transport (recreation)
 - Cycling, Trekking, ...
 - Biodiversity and Landscape protection

Management options to improve biodiversity



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Biodiversity corridors of BC – networking with landscape ecological stability system



A photograph of a lush, green forest. In the foreground, there is a body of water, possibly a pond or a slow-moving stream, with several fallen tree trunks and branches floating on its surface. The water reflects the surrounding dense foliage and tall trees. The overall atmosphere is serene and natural.

Thanks for your attention