

# Food Forestry

# Why

Access to Food

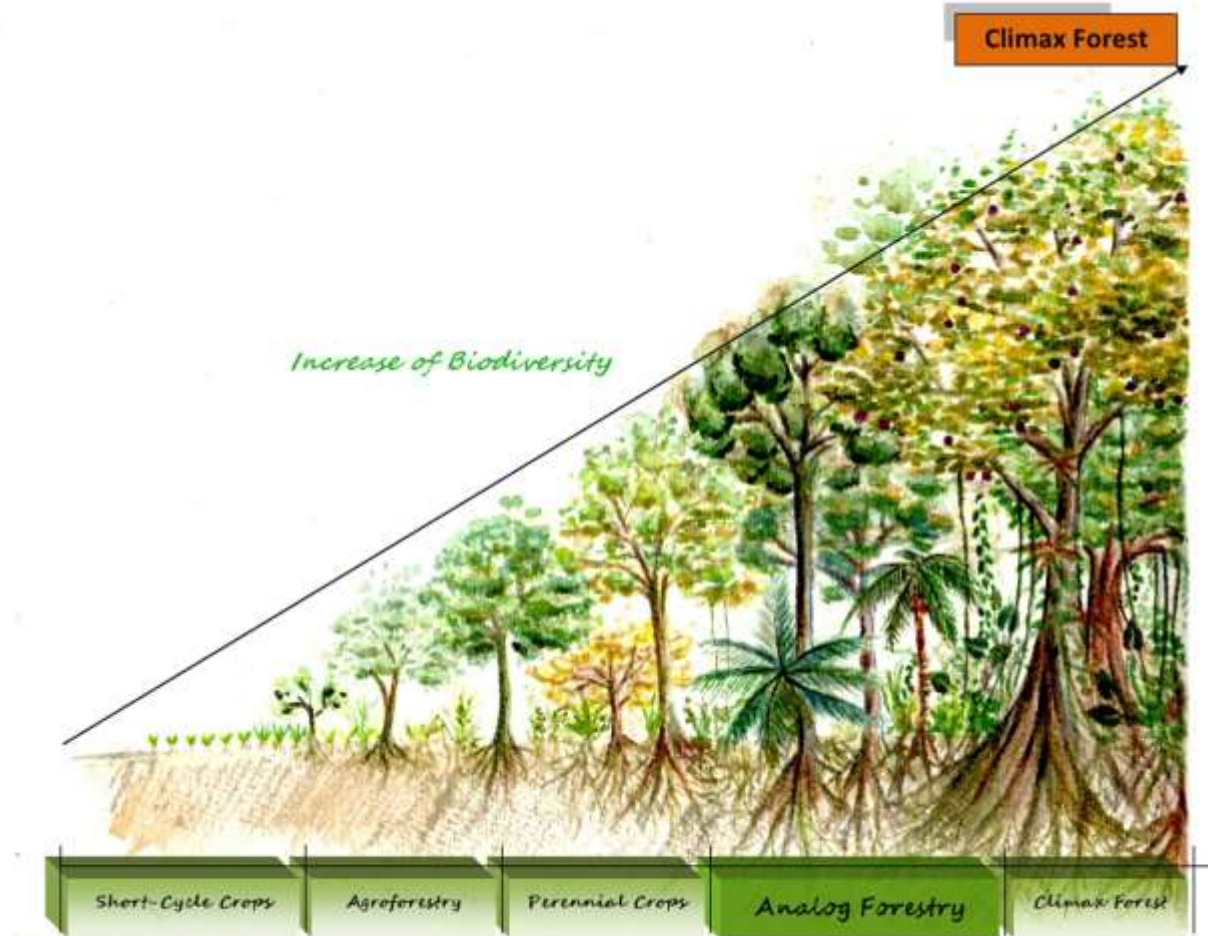
Perennial

Diversity

Yields

Resilience

Posterity



# Sepp Holzer



**Bruce Charles "Bill" Mollison** (born 1928 in [Stanley, Tasmania](#)) is an Australian researcher, author, scientist, teacher, and biologist. He is considered to be the "father of [permaculture](#)"<sup>[1]</sup> (although Joseph Russell Smith was the first to write about a system of permanent agriculture in a book entitled *Tree Crops*, published in 1929, and also a book from 1910 entitled *Breeding and Use of Tree Crops*<sup>[2][3][4]</sup>). Permaculture is an integrated system of design which Mollison co-developed with [David Holmgren](#), and it encompasses not only agriculture, horticulture, architecture, and ecology, but also economic systems, land access strategies, and legal systems for businesses and communities. In 1978, Mollison collaborated with Holmgren and they wrote a book called *Permaculture One*. Mollison founded The Permaculture Institute in Tasmania, and created a training system to train others under the umbrella of Permaculture.<sup>[5]</sup> Mollison's system of train the trainer has taught thousands of people how to grow food and be sustainable using the Permaculture method. He received the [Right Livelihood Award](#) in 1981 with [Patrick van Rensburg](#).

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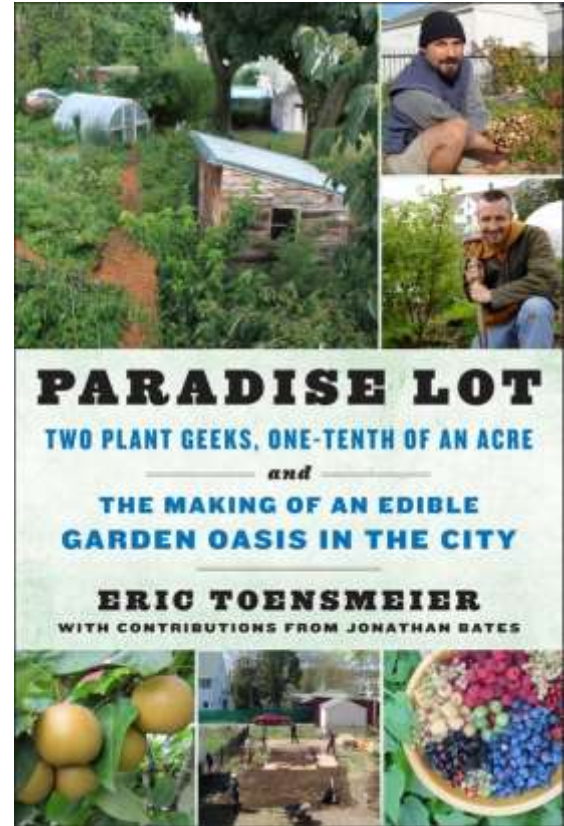
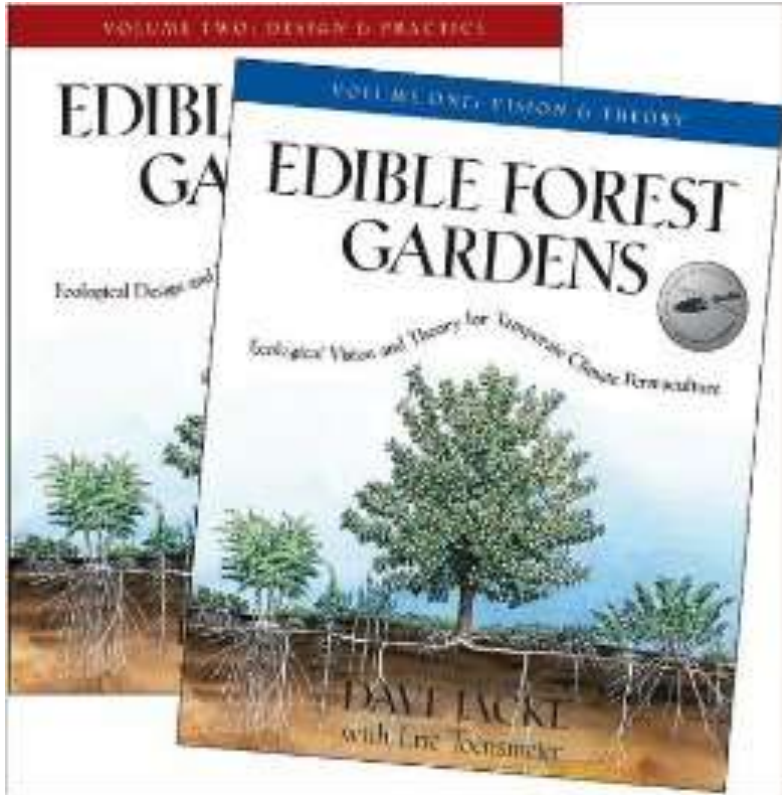
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## Bill Mollison

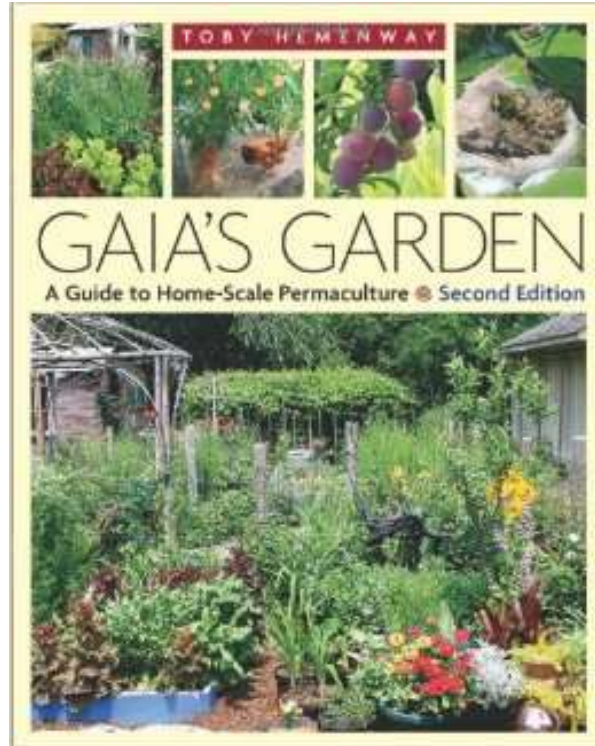


<b>Born</b>	1928 (age 87–88) <a href="#">Stanley, Tasmania, Australia</a>
<b>Residence</b>	Australia
<b>Nationality</b>	Australian
<b>Fields</b>	<a href="#">Biologist</a> and environmentalist
<b>Institutions</b>	<a href="#">CSIRO</a> <a href="#">Tasmania Museum</a> <a href="#">Inland Fisheries Commission</a> <a href="#">Permaculture Institute</a>
<b>Alma mater</b>	<a href="#">University of Tasmania</a>
<b>Known for</b>	<a href="#">Environmental psychology</a> <a href="#">Permaculture</a>
<b>Notable awards</b>	<a href="#">Right Livelihood Award</a> (1981)

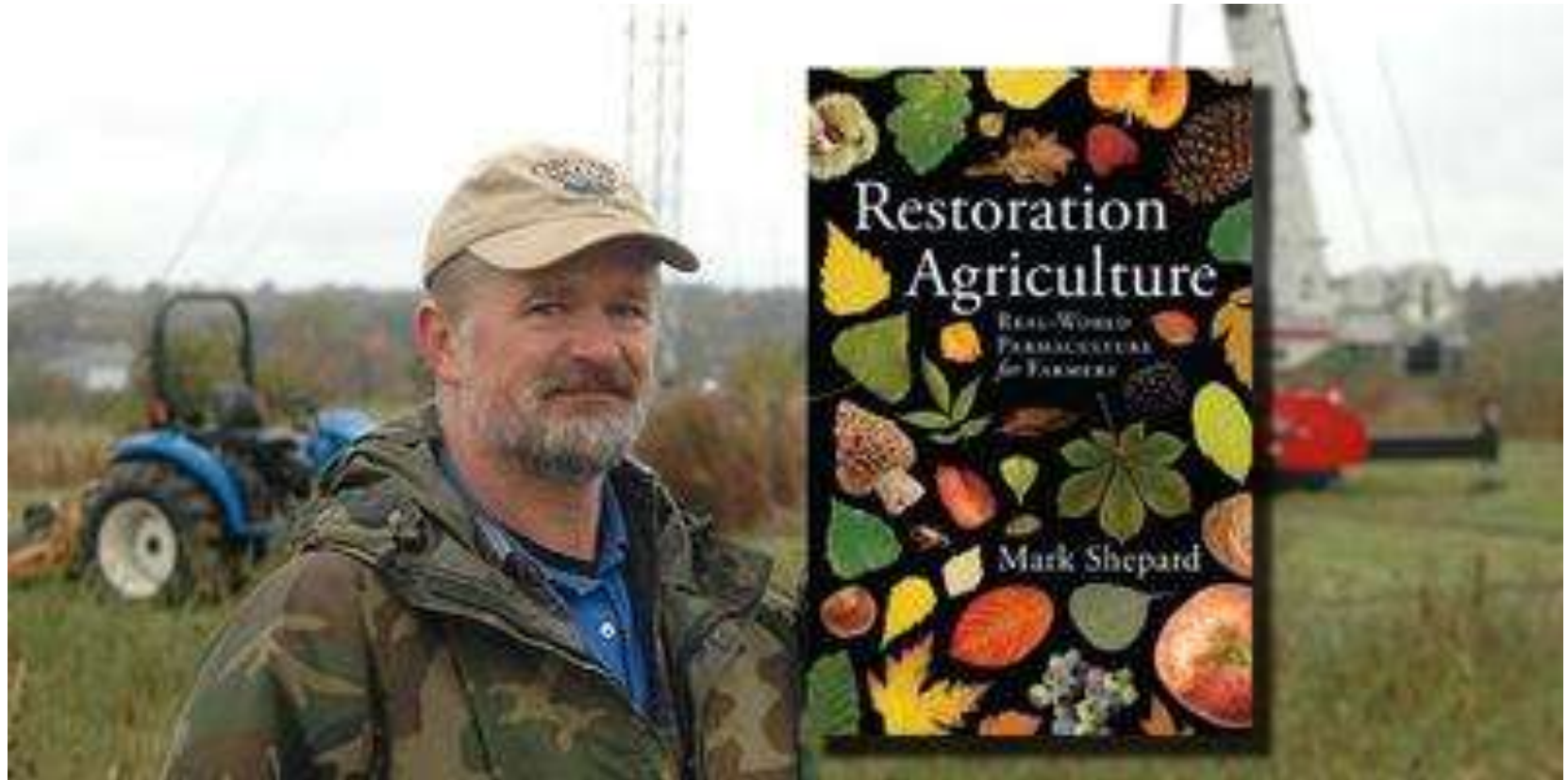
# David Jacke and Eric Toensmeier



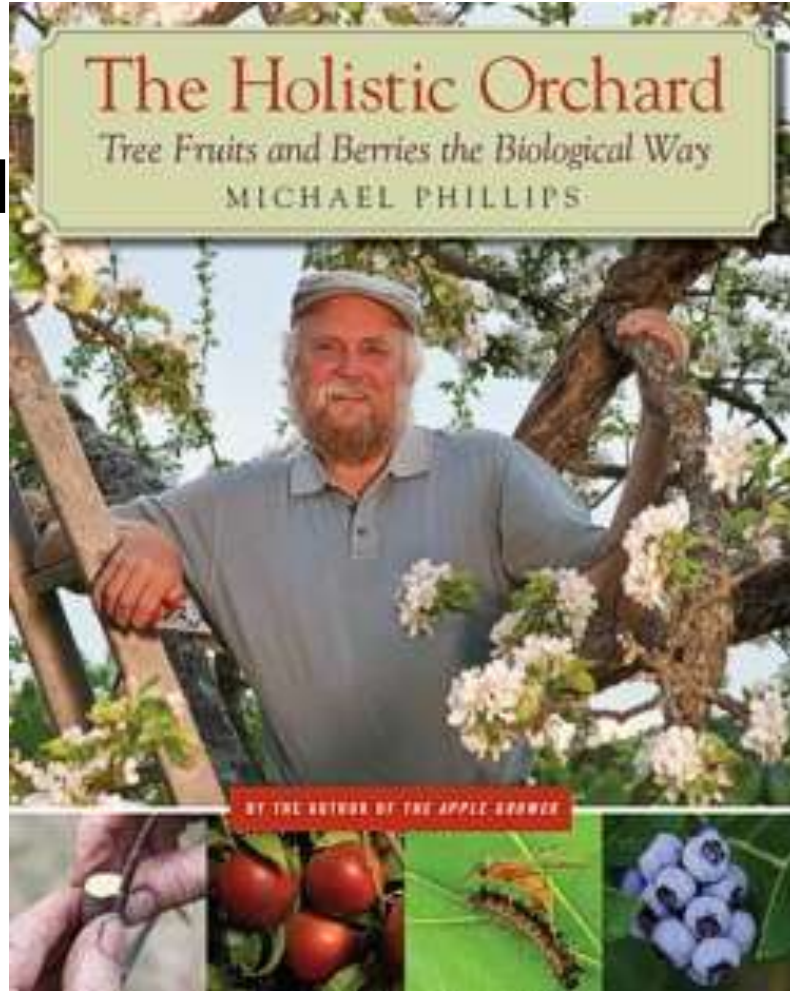
# Toby Hemenway - Gaia's Garden



# Mark Shepard - Restoration Agriculture



# Michael Phillips - The Holistic Orchard





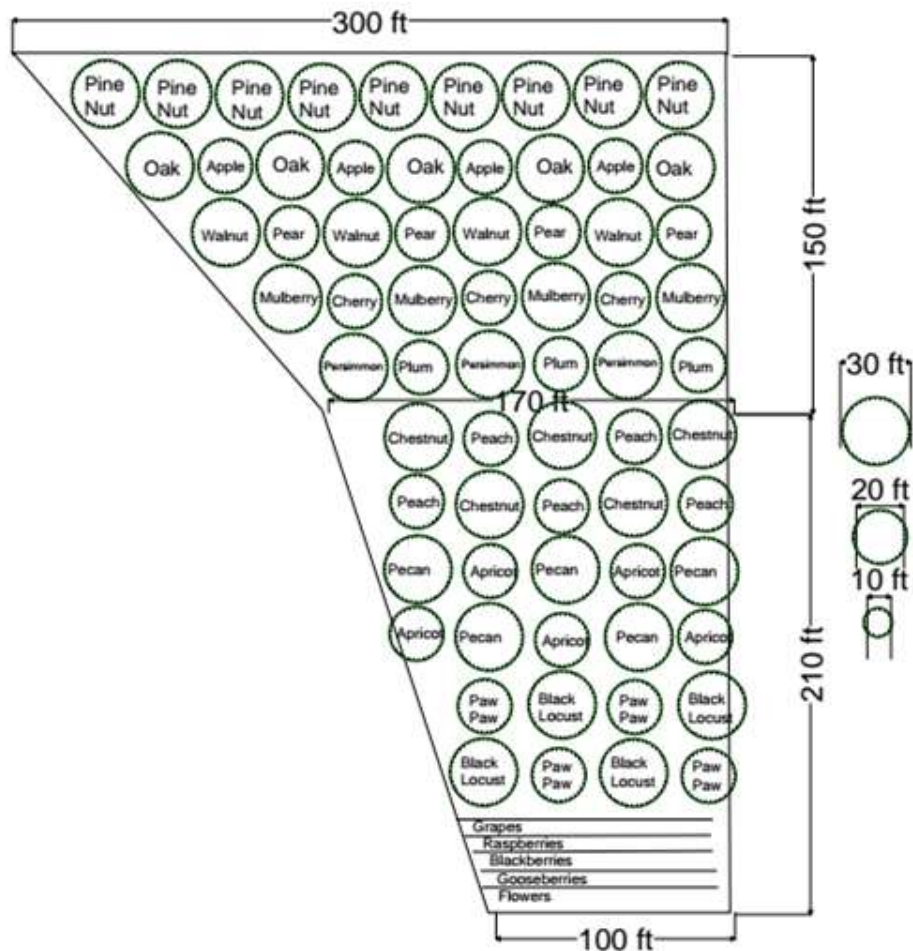


# Peterson Park Plan

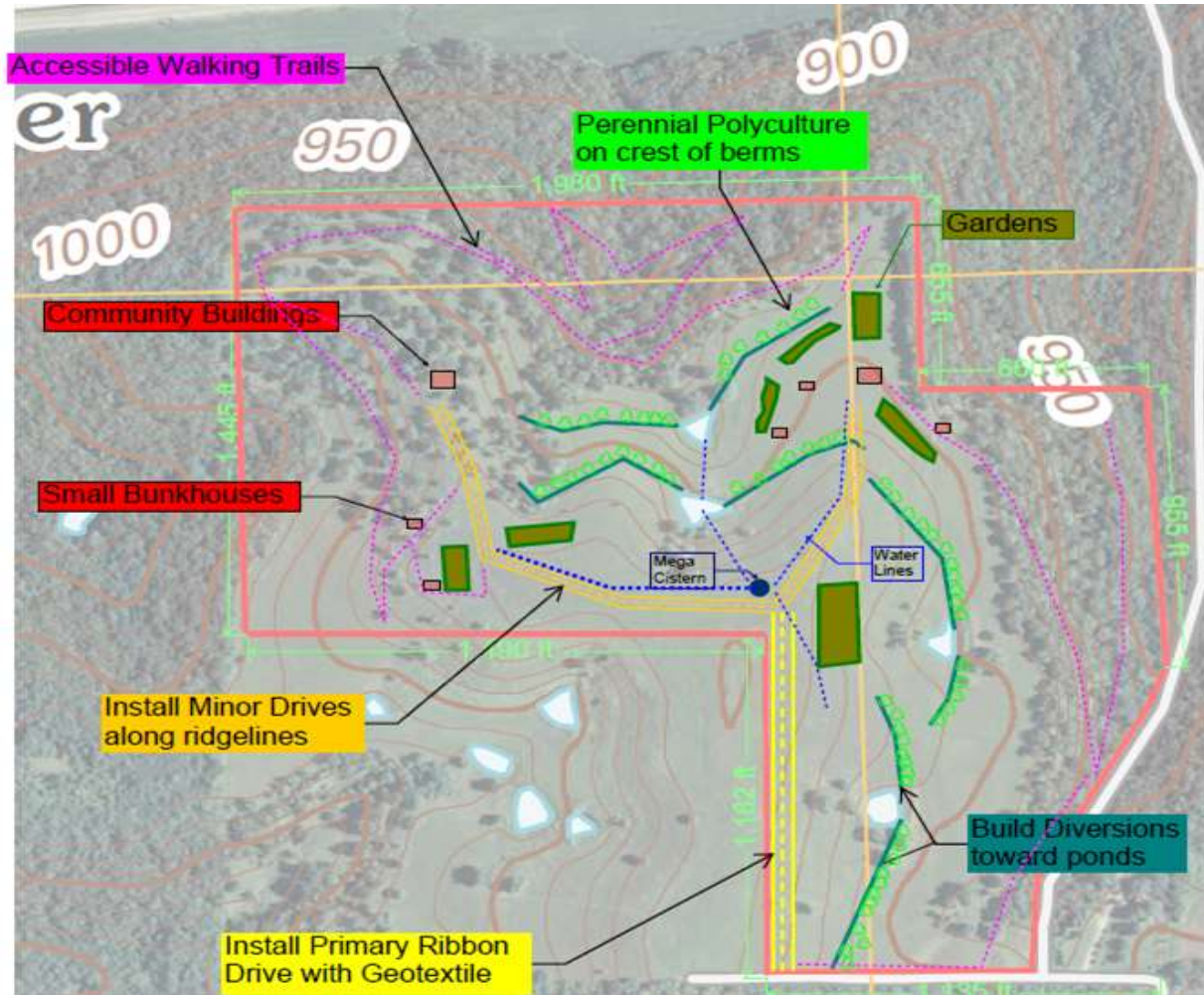
Flat Ground

Densely Planted

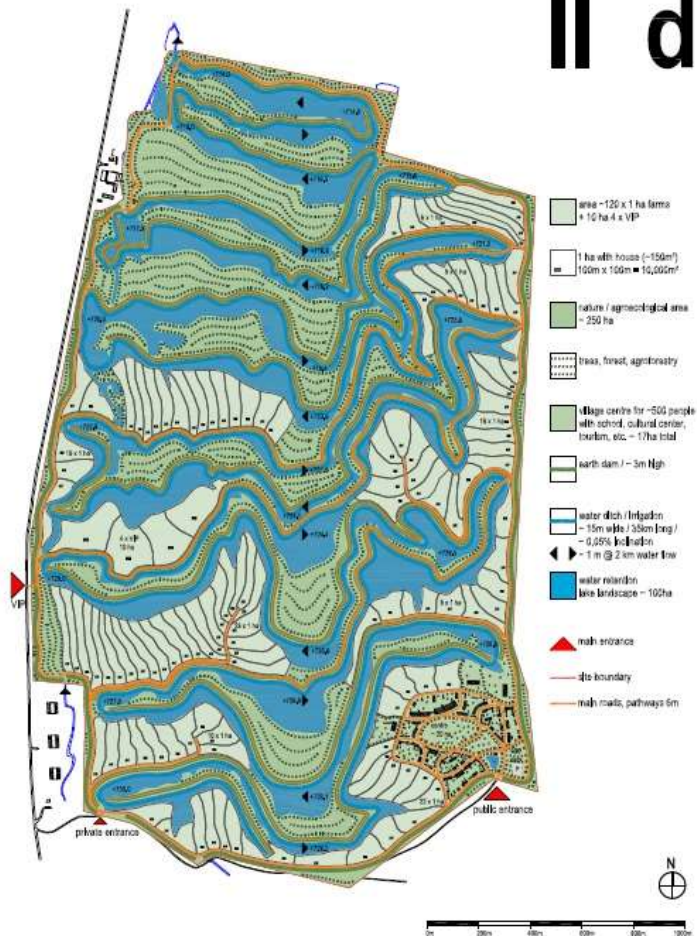
Varied tree crops



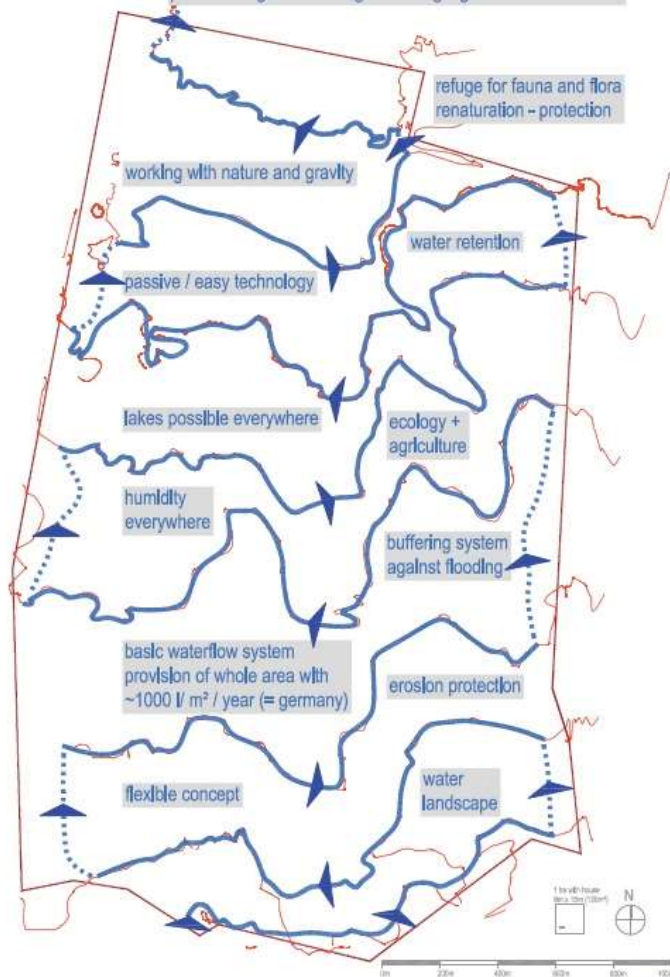
# Agrohydrology - Food Production by Induced Meandering



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constant and equal supply of water to villages downstream  
protection against flooding / buffering high and low water level





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