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Department für Wasser-Atmosphäre-  
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# Department of Water, Atmosphere and Environment

*Science on Order of the Environment*



# Facts and Figures (I) of BOKU Vienna

**Students:** 11.500

**Scientific staff:** ~1.200 (850 financed by projects)

**Other staff:** 430

Teaching, research and administrative facilities are located throughout Vienna at 20 different sites. Most of them are in the green districts – the 18th and 19th district – and are readily accessible by public transportation.

**BOKU main building:** A-1180 Vienna, Gregor Mendel-Strasse 33



# Facts and Figures (II) of BOKU Vienna

**Total budget:** ~ EUR 100 mio.

**External funds (2011):** EUR 33 mio.

**Number of ongoing projects:** 750

**Scientific publications (2011):** ~2500

**Co-operation contracts with partner  
companies and universities world-wide:** 331



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# Major sites of BOKU



Vienna,  
Türkenschanze,  
Muthgasse





The key priorities of the Department in research and education are undoubtedly in the area of water and water bodies. The qualitative and quantitative aspects of the water cycle, hydrological processes, soil-water-plant-atmosphere interactions, including soil physical aspects, soil water management and engineering, soil and water conservation, water supply, water distribution and use, water resources planning and decision making, hydropower engineering, waste water management (waste water treatment), solid waste management, but also protection of natural water resources and hydraulic engineering, river morphology and sediment transport, water quality, hydrobiology and aquatic ecosystem issues as well as river restoration concepts and restoration ecology are themes of research in the Department.

**In Austria there is no organisation which can offer a broader scope on 'water' in teaching and research.**

Another current priority regards climate change. The Department plays a central role in Austrian climate change research, as well with regard to research activities as with coordination. It is obvious that climate change research not only will bring the department's units together in joint research activities, but will also create strong bonds to other BOKU Departments and beyond.

# Department WAU

## Institutes

### **Sanitary Engineering and Water Pollution Control (SIG)**

Mr. Univ.Prof. Dipl.Ing. Dr. Raimund HABERL

### **Waste Management (ABF-BOKU)**

Mrs. ao.Univ.Prof. Dipl.Ing. Dr. Marion HUBER-HUMER

### **Meteorology (BOKU-Met)**

Mrs. O.Univ.Prof. Dr. Helga KROMP-KOLB

### **Hydraulics and Rural Water Management (IHLW)**

Mr. Univ.Prof. Dipl.Ing. Dr. Willibald LOISKANDL

### **Water Management, Hydrology and Hydraulic Engineering (IWHW)**

Mr. Univ.Prof. Dipl.Ing. Dr. Helmut HABERSACK

### **Hydrobiology and Aquatic Ecosystem Management (IHG)**

Mr. ao.Univ.Prof. Dipl.Ing. Dr. Stefan SCHMUTZ

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# 3 Locations

## Muthgasse 18

### Sanitary Engineering and Water Pollution Control (SIG)

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### Water Management, Hydrology and Hydraulic Engineering (IWHW)

Mr. Univ.Prof. Dipl.Ing. Dr. Helmut HABERSACK ([Extension in Muthgasse 107](#))

### Hydraulics and Rural Water Management (IHLW)

Mr. Univ.Prof. Dipl.Ing. Dr. Willibald LOISKANDL ([Großenzersdorf](#))

## Muthgasse 107

### Waste Management (ABF-BOKU)

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## Türkenschanze

### Meteorology (BOKU-Met)

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### Hydrobiology and Aquatic Ecosystem Management (IHG)

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### Safety- and Risk Sciences (ISR)

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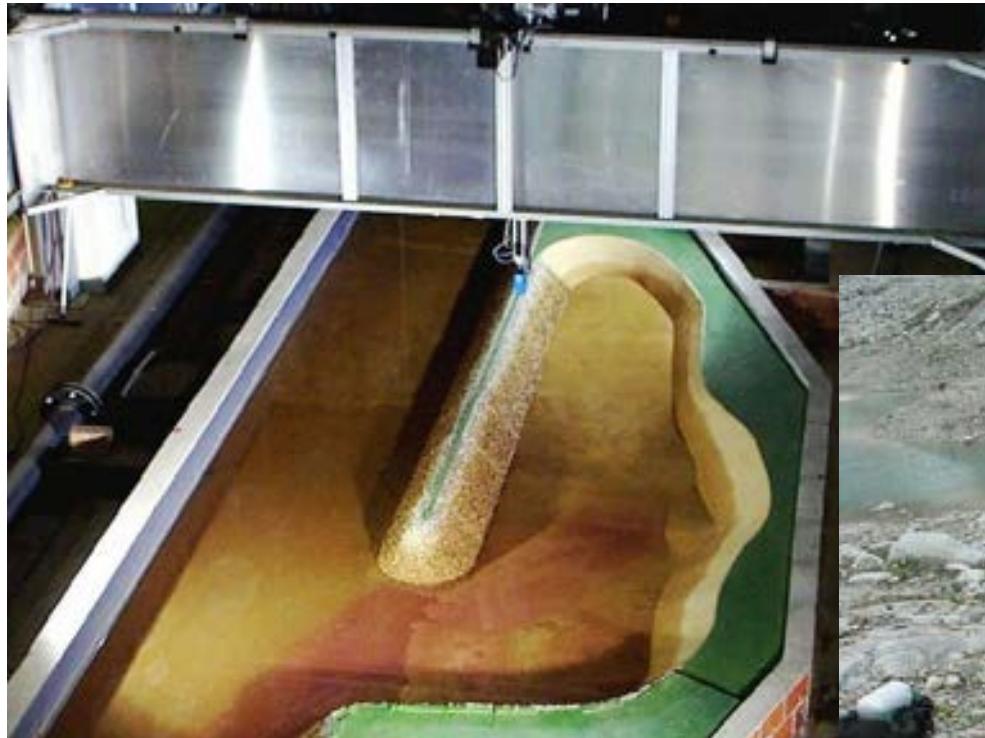


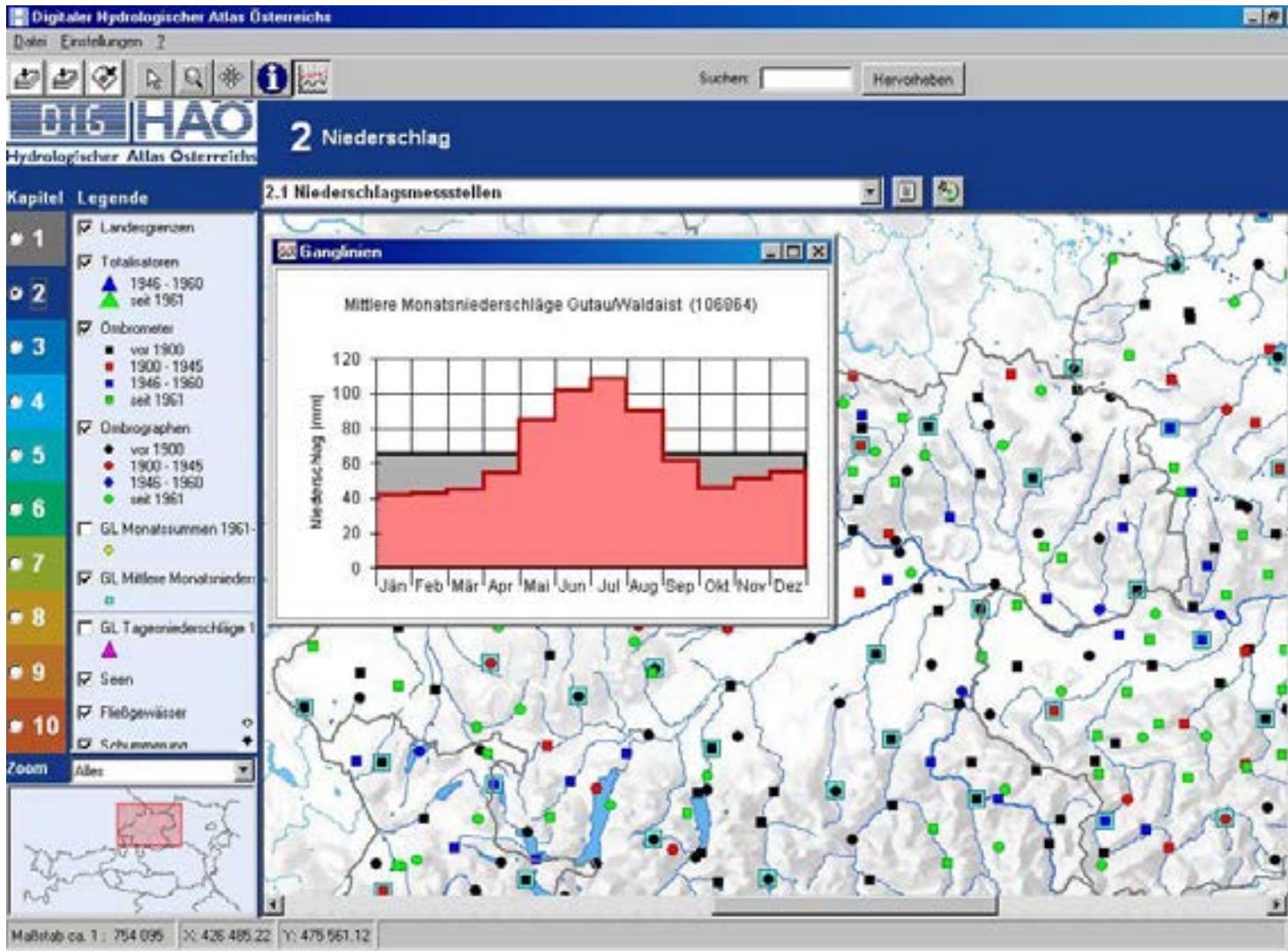
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## Research

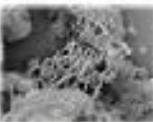


Landfilling of inorganic waste

Landfilling of organic waste

Landfill aftercare

Landfill remediation



Organic matter in waste

Development of organic matter over time

Compost quality

Biological Treatment

Waste generation and prognosis

Waste prevention

Eco-design

Waste disposal systems

Assessment in waste management



## Service



for students  
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for private organisations



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Teaching material

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Specific Analytical Methods  
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Provide information

# Teaching and Post Graduate Courses



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„University meets Public“  
**Textbooks**



**Advanced Training Courses:**  
Abfallwirtschaftsbeauftragter  
**Conferences:**  
BOKU-Waste Conference 2005





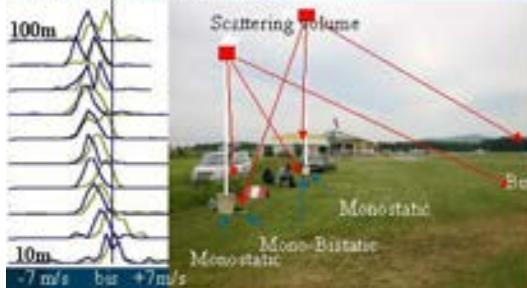
Institut für Meteorologie (BOKU-Met)

## Grenzschichtmeteorologie und kleinräumige Klimatologie

- Bodennahe Atmosphäre und ihre raum-zeitliche Struktur
- Strömungs- und Transportprozesse in komplexem Gelände
- Instrumentenentwicklung – Mini-SODAR
- Modellberechnungen zum Energie- und Stofftransporttransport
- Klimökologie

### Akustische Vertikalsondierung

Mono-Bistatische Vergleich  
Doppler-Radialgeschwindigkeit



## Atmosphärische Strahlung

Monitoring of total ozone and spectral UV radiation at the Sonnblick Observatory (3106 m, Austria)

Brewer and Bentham spectroradiometer DM150



CCD-cloud monitoring system

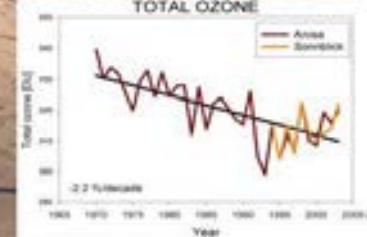


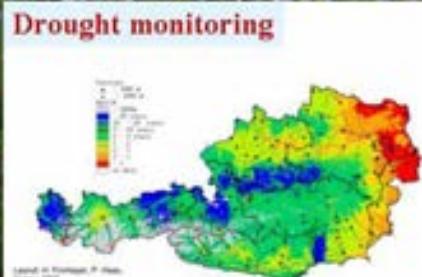
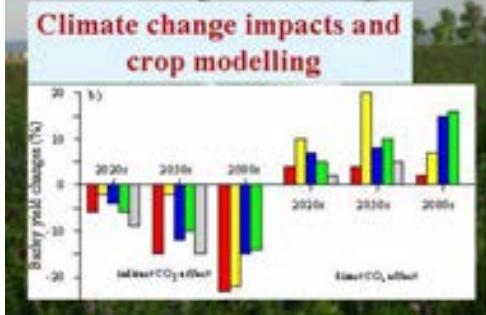
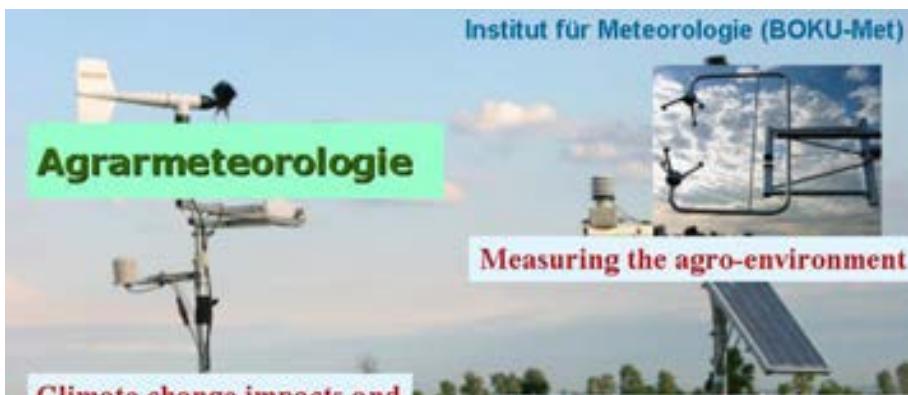
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UV-Biometer

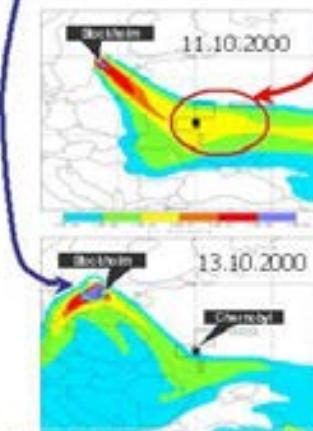
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**Unterschiedliche Herkunft von Cs-137 in der Luft in Stockholm:**

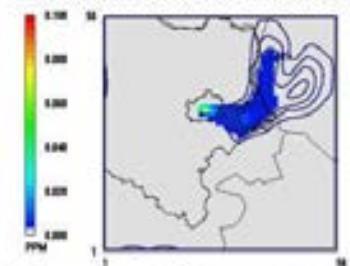
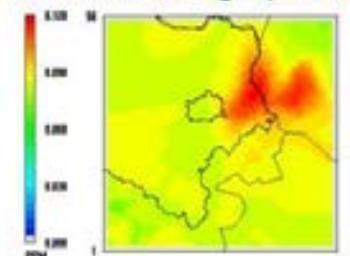
- a) Weitere Umgebung von Chernobyl
- b) kontaminiertes Wald in Schweden



Berechnung mit FLEXPART

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## Habitat requirements



**Habitat requirements:**

- continuum
- gravel grading

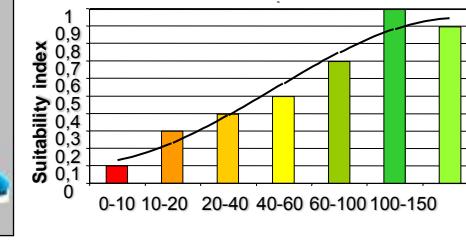
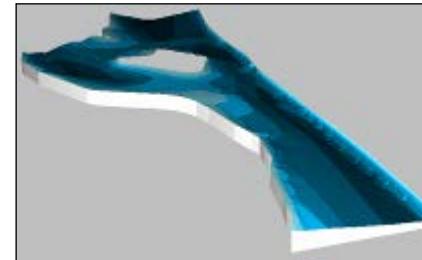
**Habitat requirements:**

- gravel interstitial
- gravel bars
- heterogenous banks
- benthic invertebrates

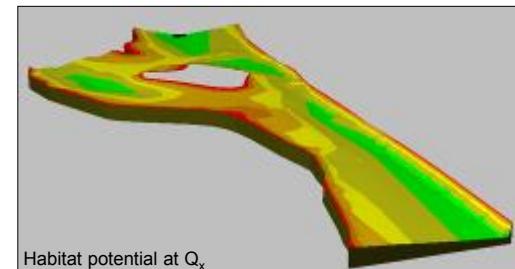


Habitat availability  $Q_x$

## Habitat modelling



Output of model



**Habitat requirements:**

- gravel bars
- heterogenous banks
- fish fry



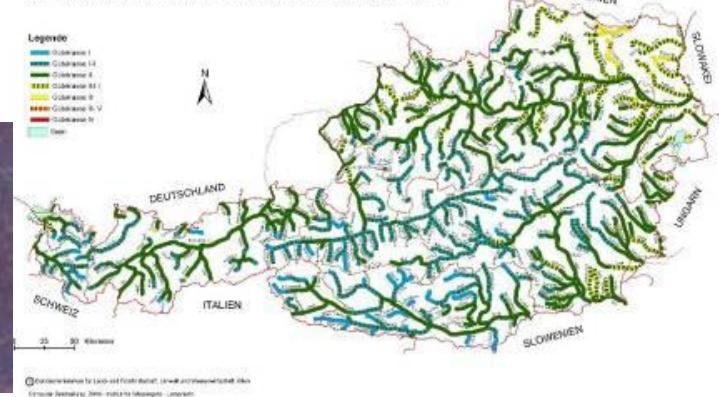
## WasserCluster Lunz mit Zuordnung von Personal



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Biologisches Gütebild der Fließgewässer Österreichs 200





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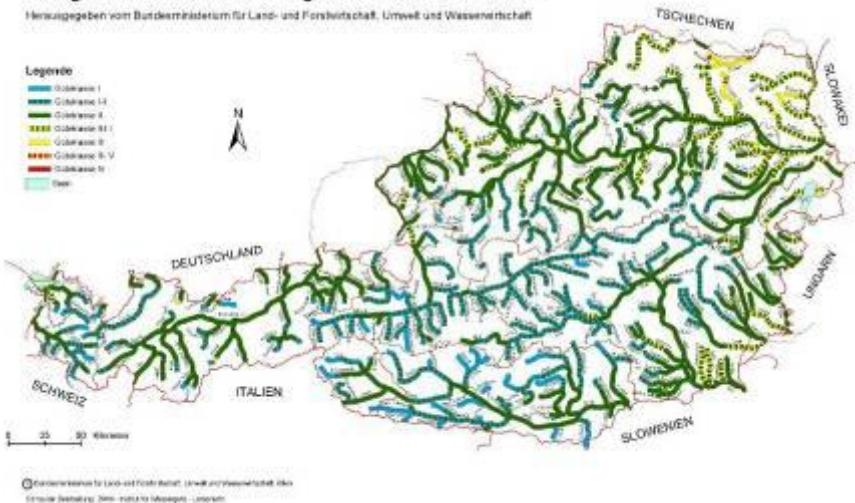


Biologisches Gütebild der Fließgewässer Österreichs 2001

Herausgegeben vom Bundesministerium für Land- und Forstwirtschaft, Umwelt und Wasserwirtschaft

Legende

- Gütekasse I
- Gütekasse II
- Gütekasse III
- Gütekasse III+II
- Gütekasse II+
- Gütekasse II-V
- Gütekasse N
- Grün

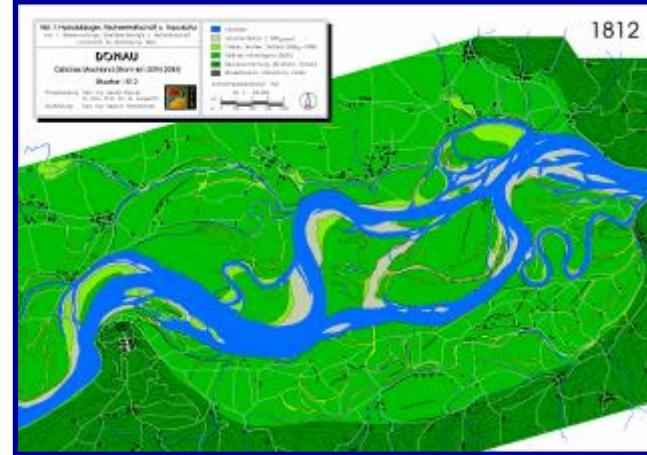


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# Connectivity / dynamics



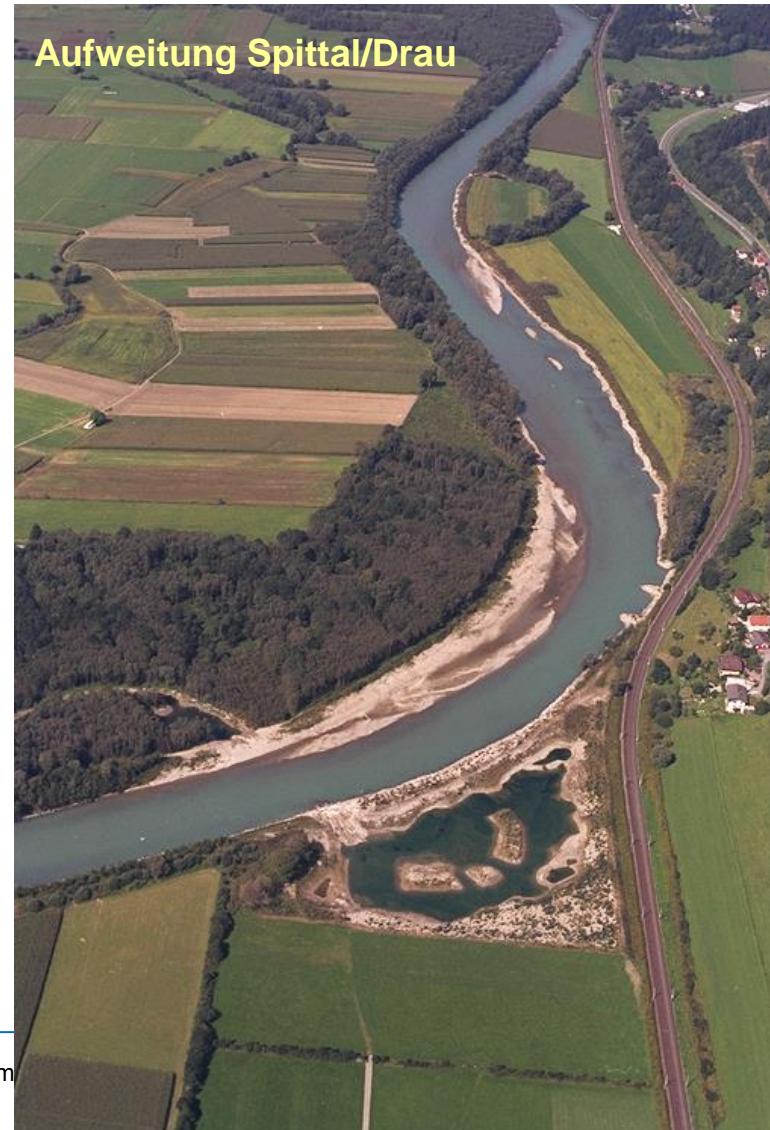
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# LIFE-Projekt Obere Drau



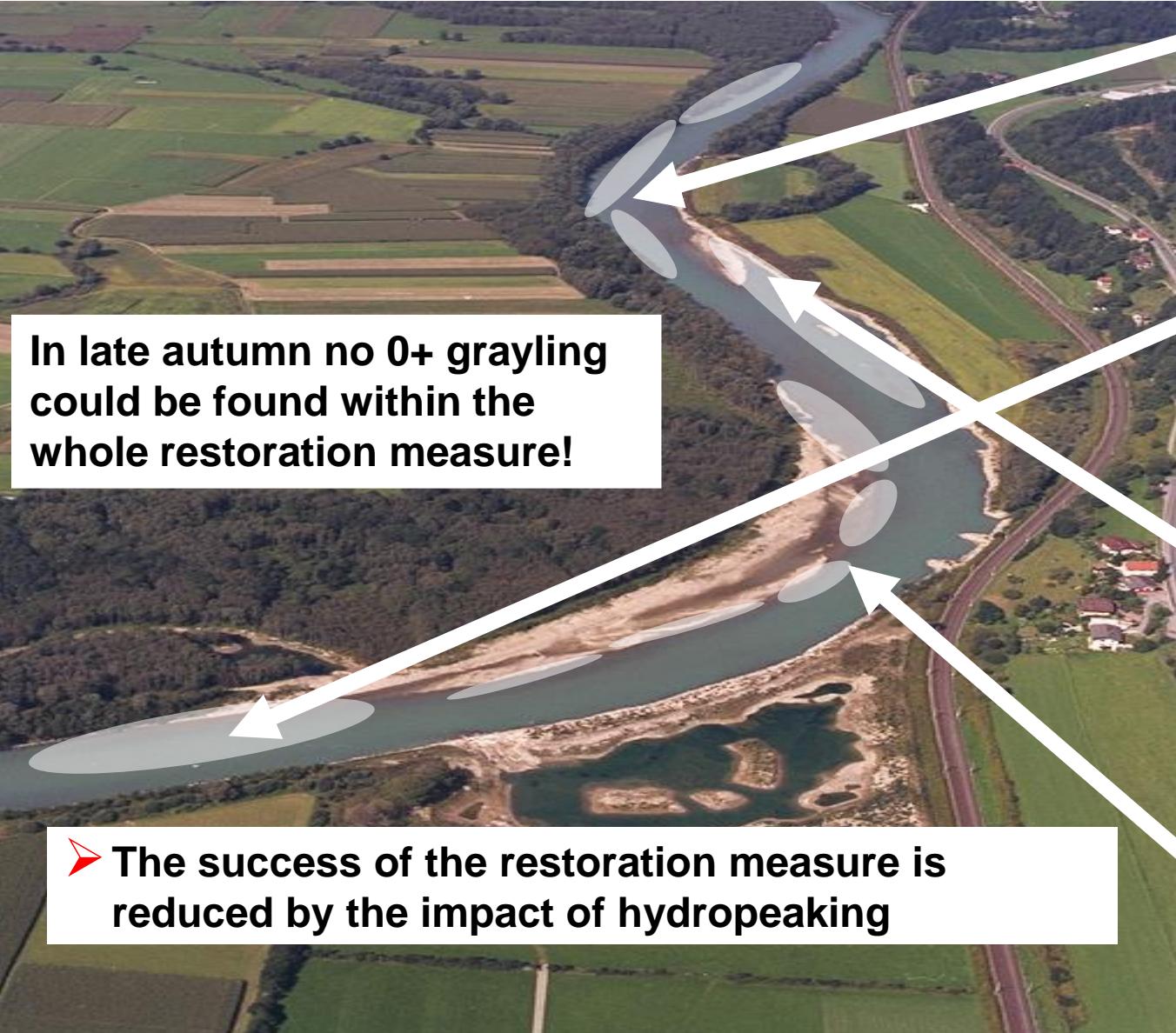
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# Conclusions





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**Laufzeit: 15.04.2005 - 14.04.2008**

**FP6 - Managing humid and semi-humid ecosystems, STREP  
INCO-CT-2005-003659**

**10 Partner aus 8 Staaten**

**Bangladesh, Bhutan, Indien, Nepal, Pakistan,  
Österreich, Deutschland, Tschechien  
plus 1 internationale Organisation**

**wissenschaftlicher Koordinator: Univ. Prof. Dr.O. Moog**



# Integrating BOMOSA cage fish farming system in reservoirs, ponds and temporary water bodies in Eastern Africa



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