





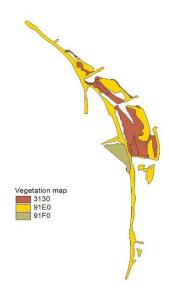
Factsheet A.2.5: Restoration of Korpádi islands (Hungary)

Location: Duna-Dráva National Park, right bank of the Danube at river km1491,5 - 1494,95

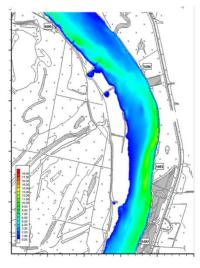
Responsible Partner: ADUVIZIG (in cooperation with DDNPD)

<u>Background</u>: As commercial forestry has affected the majority of floodplain forests, the preservation of unmanaged forest patches like on the Korpádi island is very important for nature conservation. The lack of river dynamics results in sedimentation and the loss of islands and aquatic habitats.

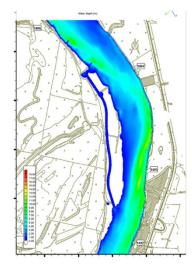




<u>Objective</u>: The restoration activity – partially opening of groynes and dredging the side branch - restores a side branch and maintains the islands in their natural status. It improves the water regime of the islands, furthermore prevent the coalesce the islands and the riverbank. The active side branch will prevent the disturbance of softwood gallery forest on island and also prevent any forestry activity which may decrease the natural status of this habitat.



present situation



planned situation