



Lessons learned in Sweden

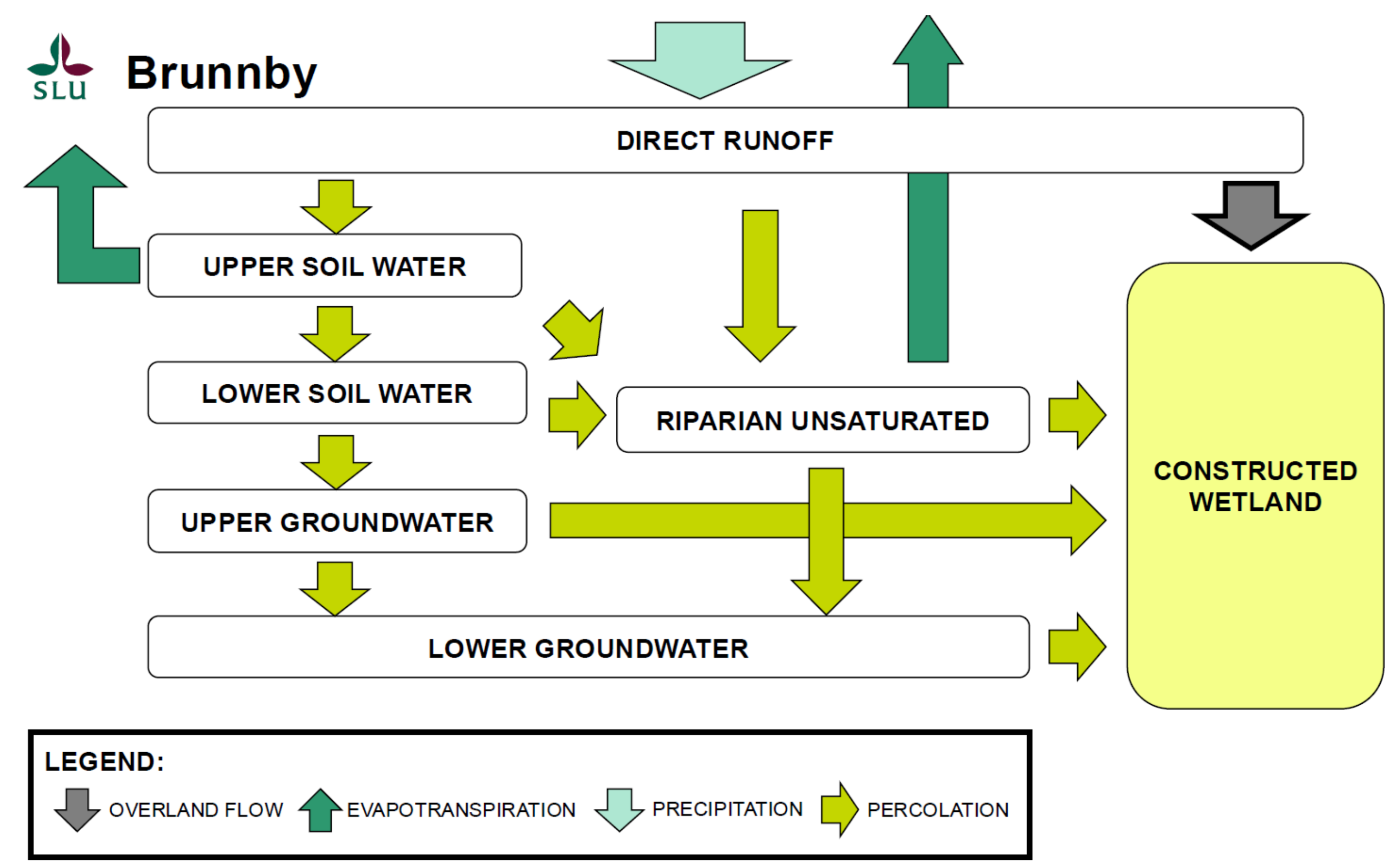
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From NSWRM to Natural, Sustainable Water Retention Measures

Understand Function

One prerequisite for successful NSWRM implementation is an understanding of their biophysical functioning. We study the hydrology and biogeochemistry of constructed agricultural wetlands to understand what measures may work where.



Build Community

Sustainable NSWRM implementation requires trust and community. We work with land owners, managers, politicians and the general public to build a community based on shared knowledge and experience.



Map the Landscape

NSWRM are located in both biophysical and institutional landscapes. At the start of the project, we understood the importance of the former but one key finding has been the importance of land ownership for measure implementation.

