



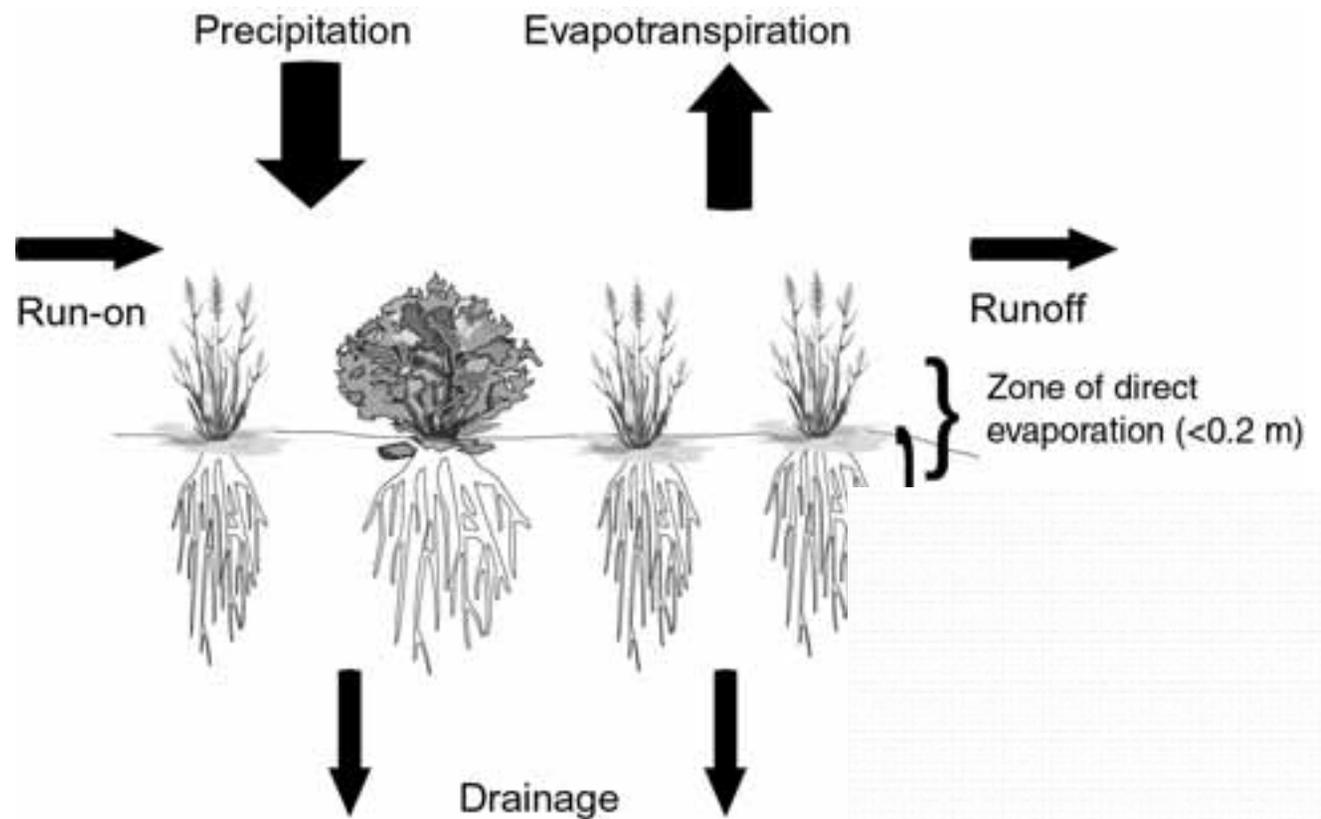
Revegetation Design on ET Covers – An Ecological Approach

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ET Cover Components

- Soil cap
- Plant community



Protective Cap/Biobarrier Experiment

- 4 cap configurations
- 3 precipitation regimes
- 2 vegetation types



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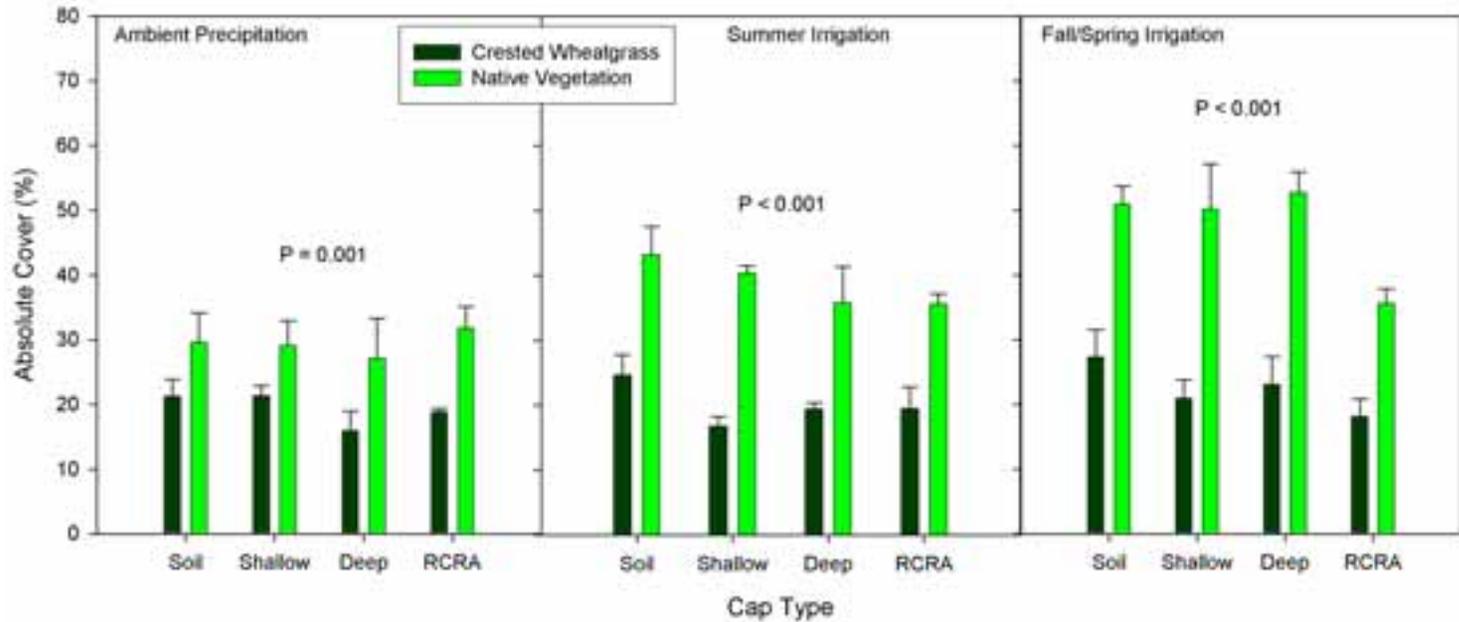
Revegetation Design

- Choosing plant materials
- Planting and establishment
- Long-term vegetation change

Plant Materials

- Native vs. introduced species
- Growth forms and root distributions
- Phenology
- Seed vs. seedlings
- Genetics

Native vs. Introduced Species





Phenology



**NEWLY SEEDED
AREA
KEEP OFF**



Genetics



Planting and Establishment

- Density and distribution
- Mulch and fertilization
- Weed control
- Supplemental Irrigation

Density and Distribution



Mulch and Fertilization



Weed Control



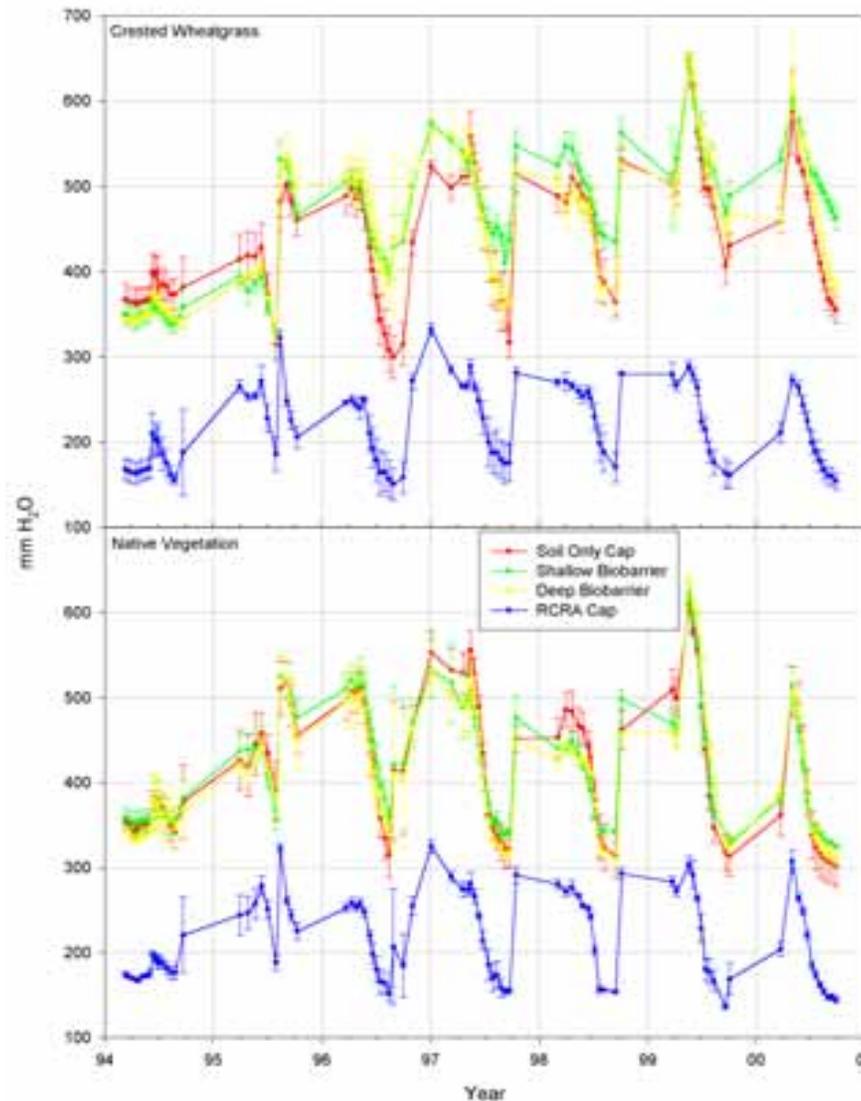
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Long-term Vegetation Change

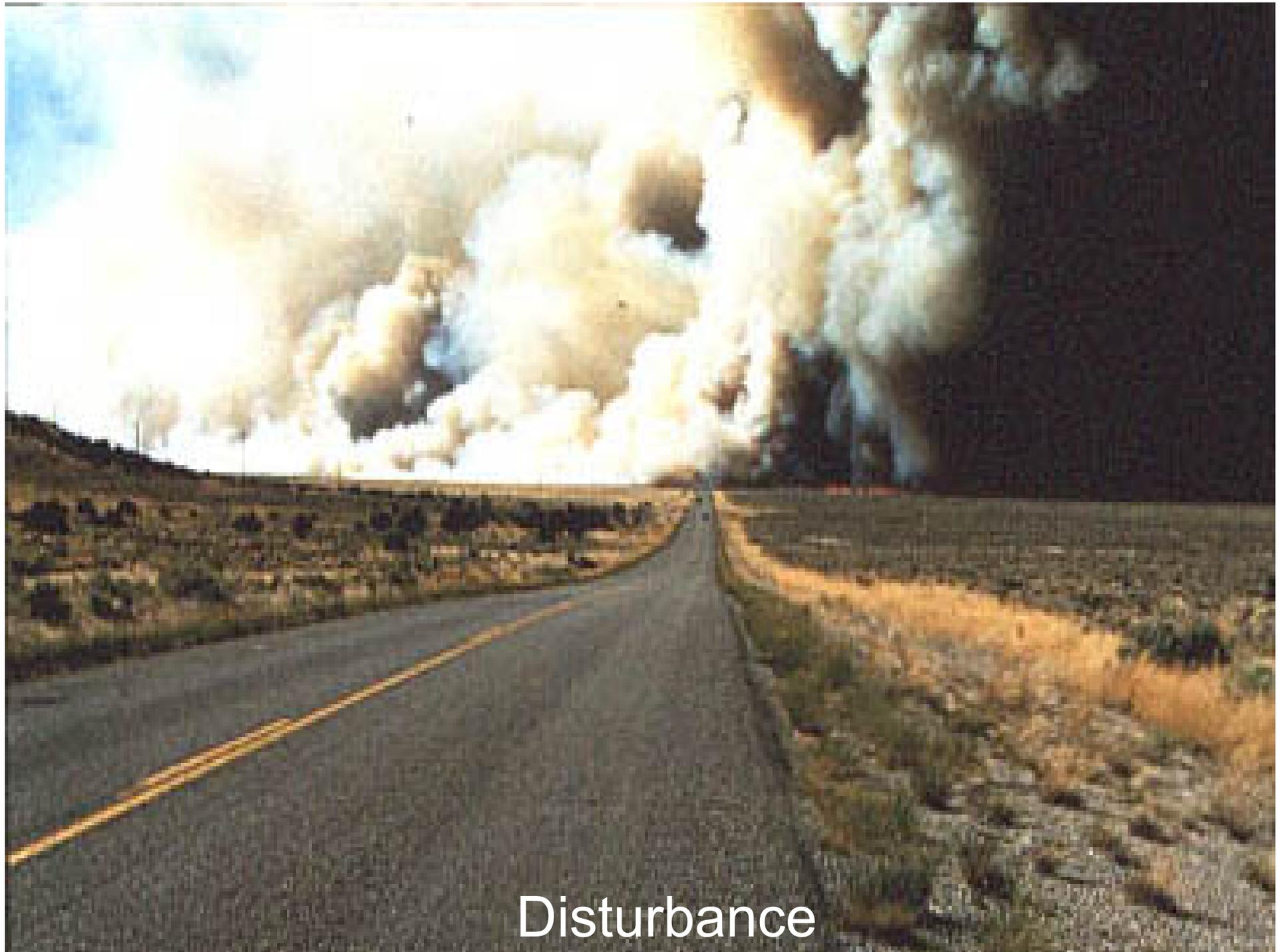
- Global climate change
- Species invasion
- Catastrophic disturbance

Global Climate Change



Species Invasion





Disturbance

Additional Considerations

- Borrow soil specifications
- Revegetation acceptance criteria
- Vegetation monitoring

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