

program and concepts

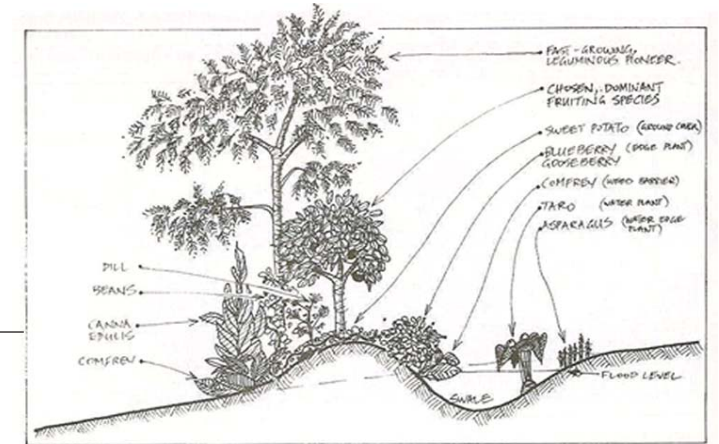
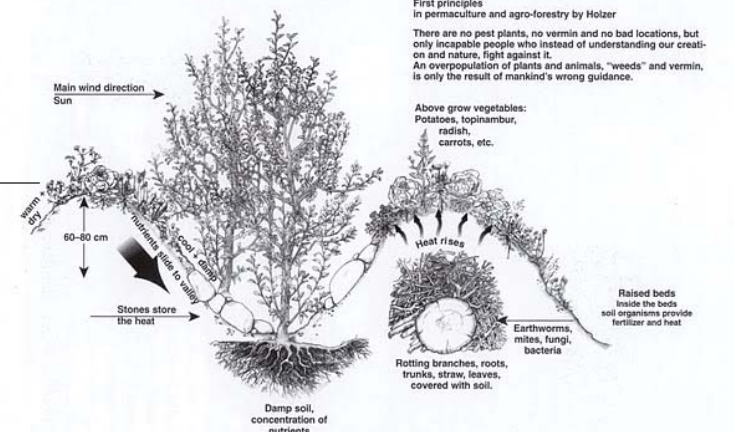


FIGURE 6.4 Trees planted off swale bank to take advantage of wet-season water.

Holzer's methods of gardening and cultivation

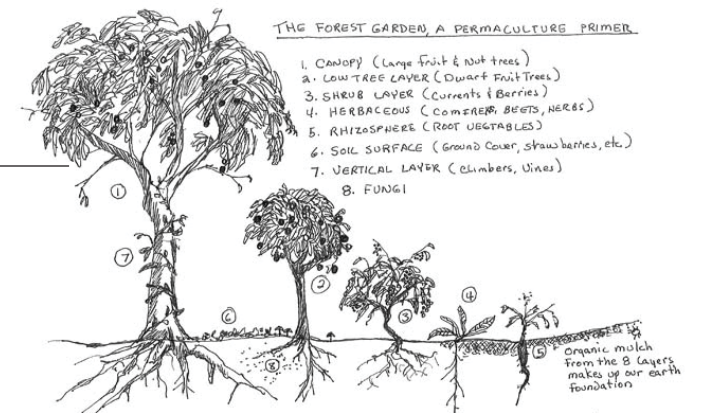
First principles
in permaculture and agro-forestry by Holzer

There are no pest plants, no vermin and no bad locations, but only incapable people who instead of understanding our creation and nature, fight against it. An overpopulation of plants and animals, "weeds" and vermin, is only the result of mankind's wrong guidance.



THE FOREST GARDEN, A PERMACULTURE PRIMER

1. CANOPY (Large fruit & Nut trees)
2. LOW TREE LAYER (Dwarf Fruit Trees)
3. SHRUB LAYER (Currants & Berries)
4. HERBACEOUS (COMFREY, BEETS, HERBS)
5. RHIZOSPHERE (ROOT VEGETABLES)
6. SOIL SURFACE (Ground Cover, straw berries, etc.)
7. VERTICAL LAYER (Climbers, Vines)
8. FUNGI



Permaculture looks at a whole system, seeks connections between key elements in nature, observes how the parts relate, mends sick systems by applying knowledge from long-term, sustainable working systems in nature. It is a broad-based, holistic approach to earth-care and food production. A permaculture yard brings together all elements for a natural garden and yard scape.

pathway/ parking

events

brewery

animals

greenhouse

tree garden