VS on Ponds, Dams and Lakes

3 Objectives:

- Erosion control, mainly waves during the wet season
- Pollution control in polluted environment
- Ornamental

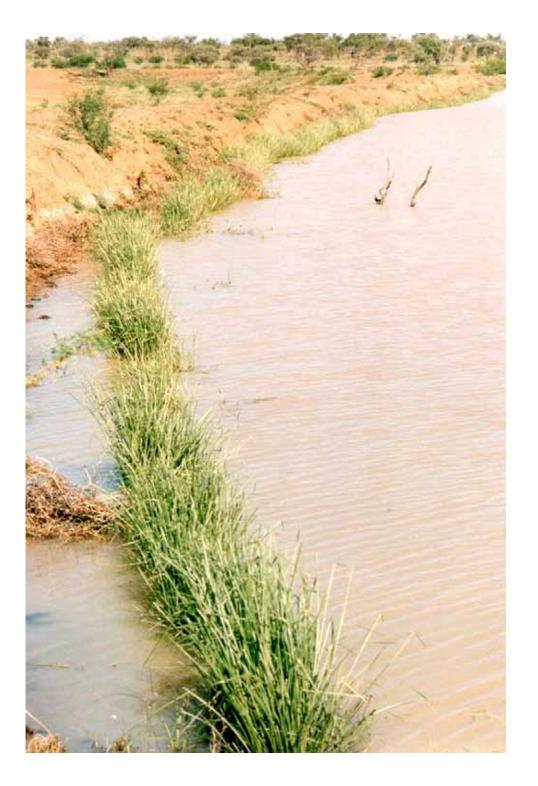
Australian works by P. Truong

On the edge of a farm dam in northern Australia



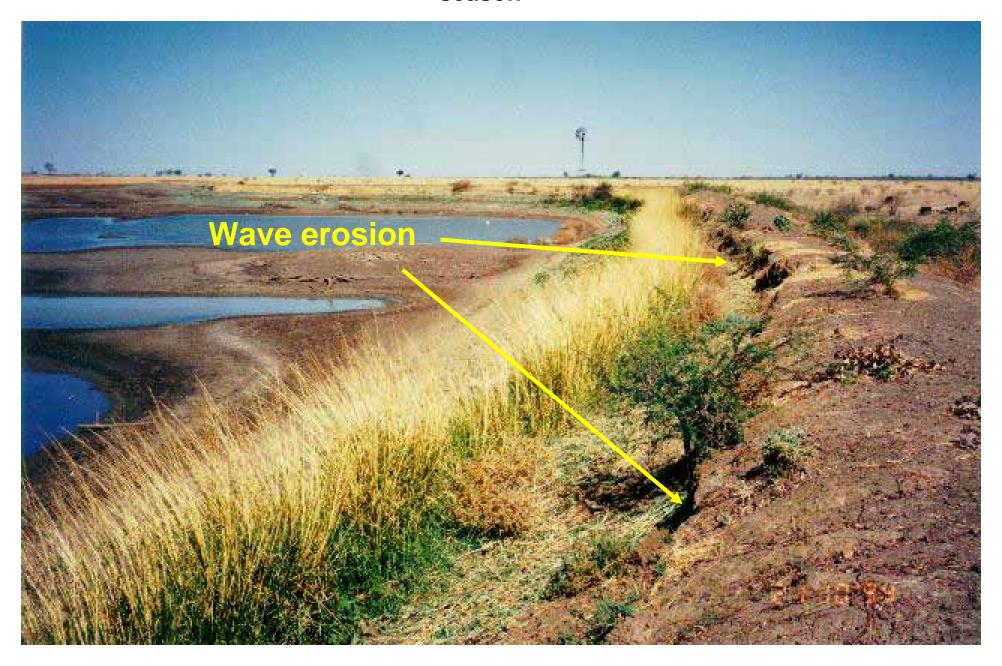
Inside wall of a large farm dam in northern Australia to control wave erosion



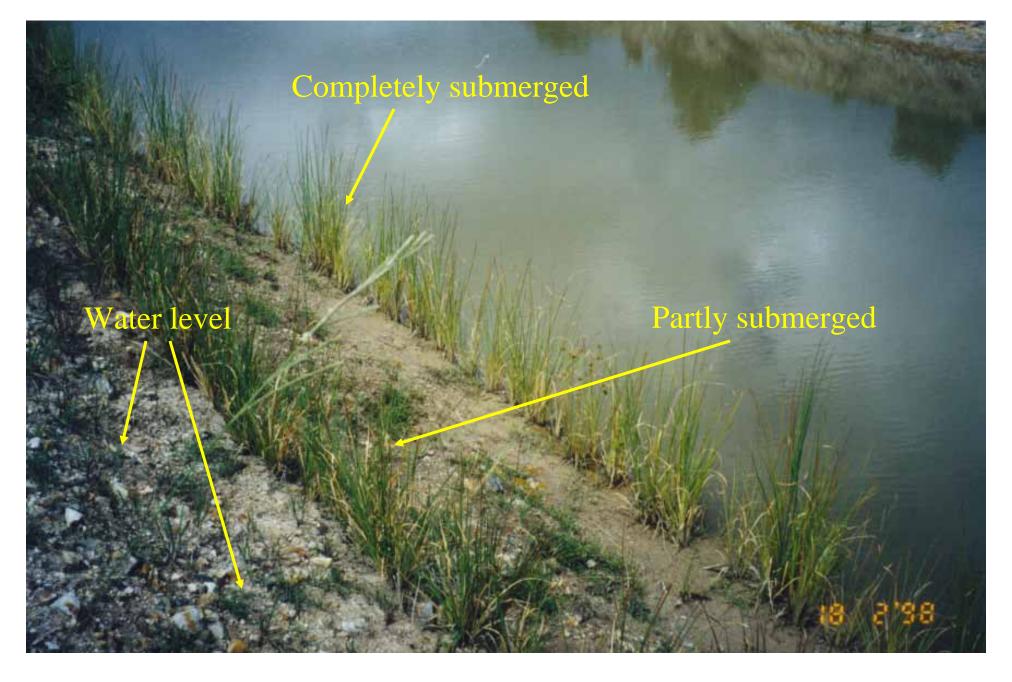


Inside wall of a farm dam during the wet season

This Vetiver hedge protected the wall from wave erosion during the wet season



Dam wall during the dry season



Dam wall during the wet season



Filter strip for a farm dam in southern Queensland, Australia





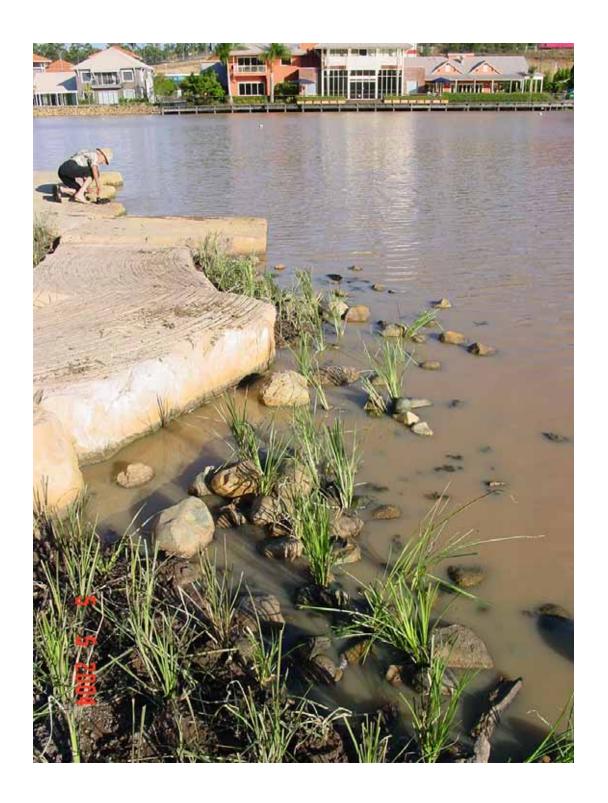
Vetiver planted for pollution control and ornamental on a lake at Springfield Lake, an upmarket housing state in Queensland



Ten months after planting





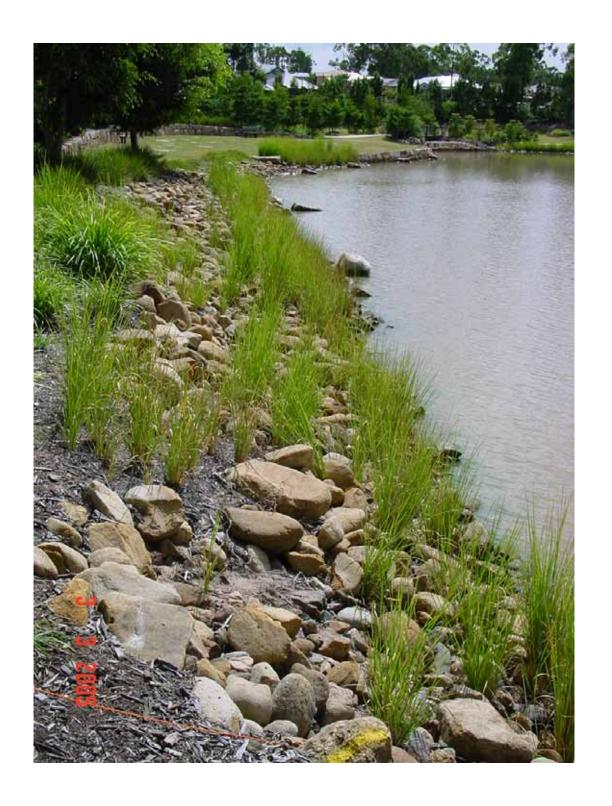






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China: Highly erodible and badly eroded of the often flooded shore line of Lake Evergreen in Guangdong

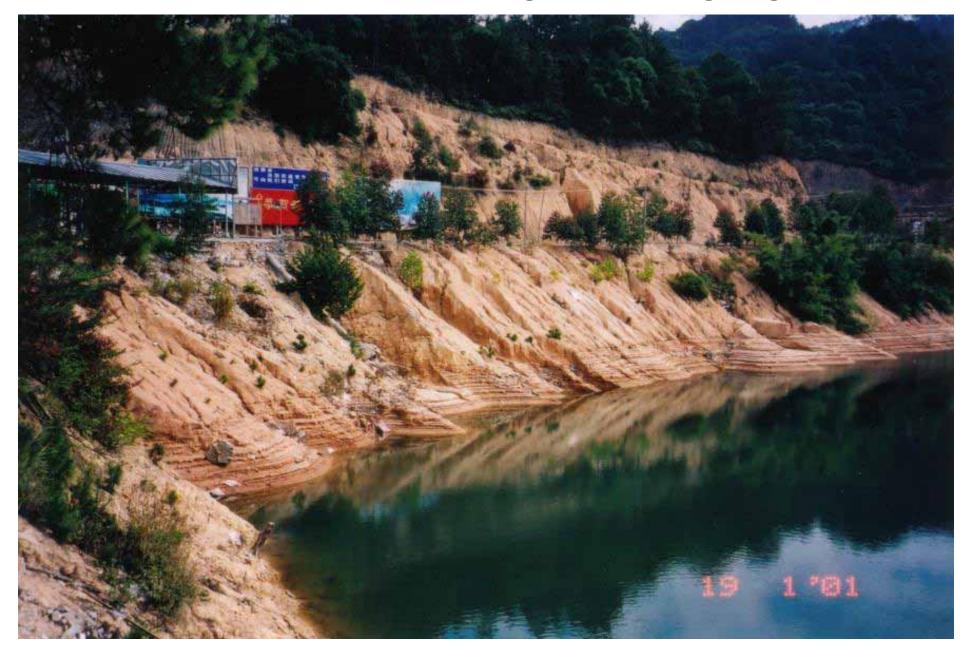
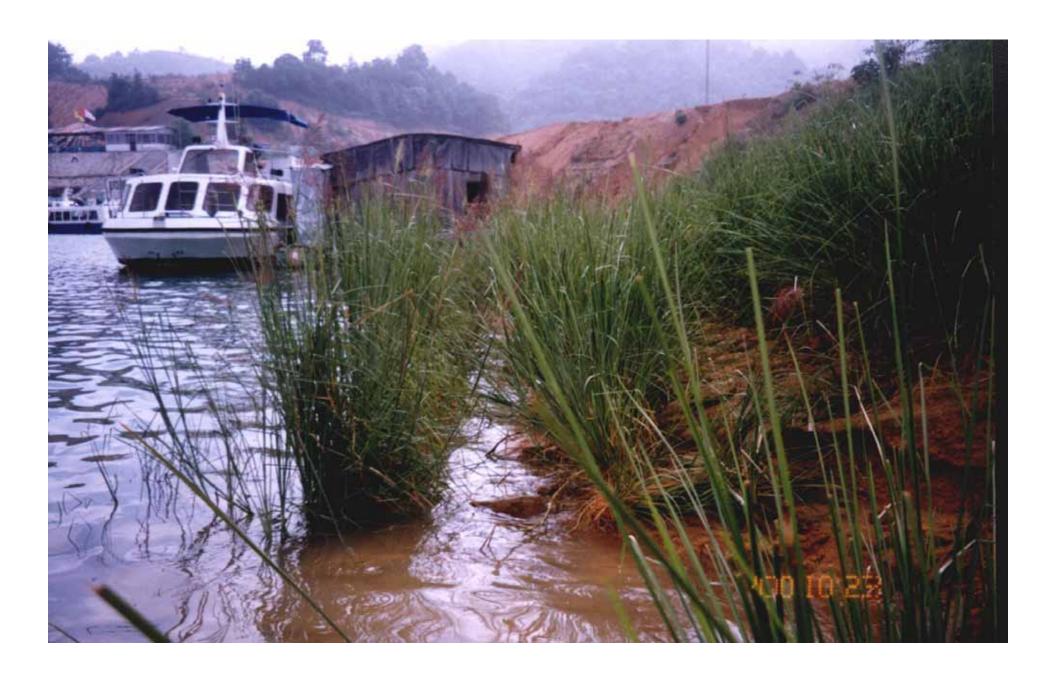


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Growing on the bank of Green Lake Guangdong, China (Photo credit for Xu or Xia)

