Tourism as a tool for the conservation of semi-natural landscapes

Case studies from Estonia

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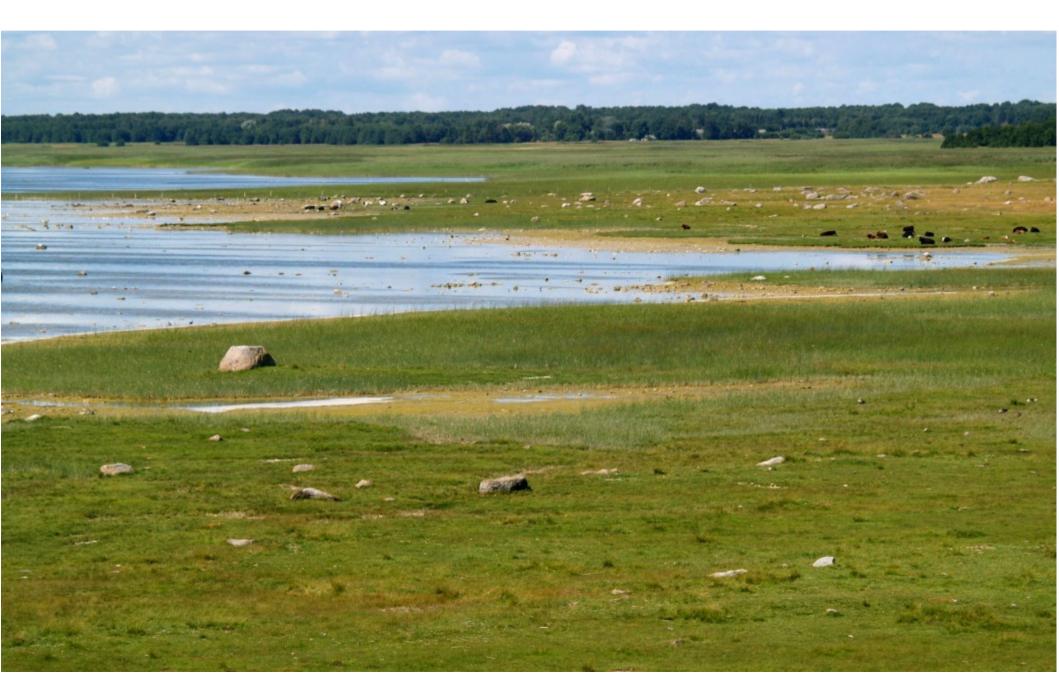
Things to say in 10 minutes

- Semi-natural landscapes in Estonia
- How can tourism support conservation?
- Practical case studies from Estonia

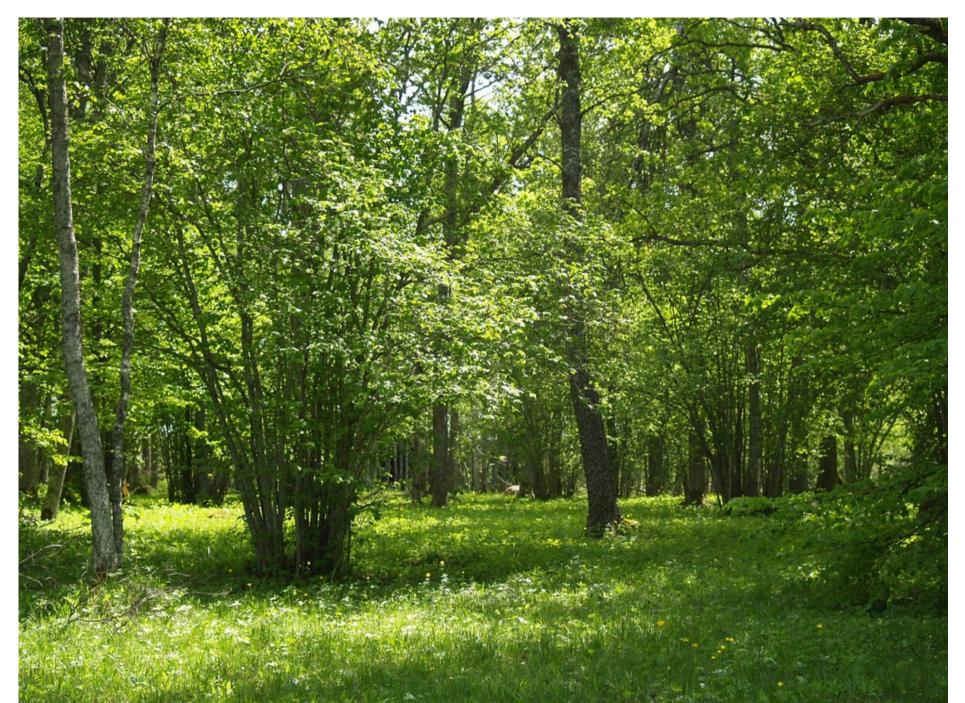
Semi-natural landscapes in Estonia

- Coastal meadows
- Floodplain meadows
- Wooded meadows
- Alvar meadows

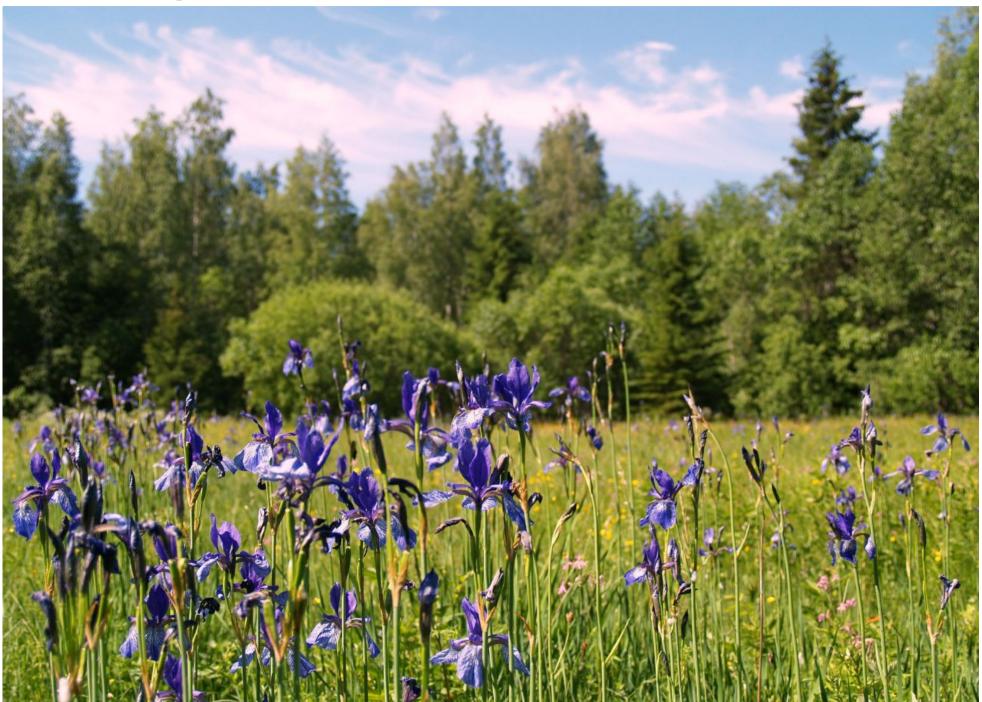
Coastal meadows



Wooded meadows



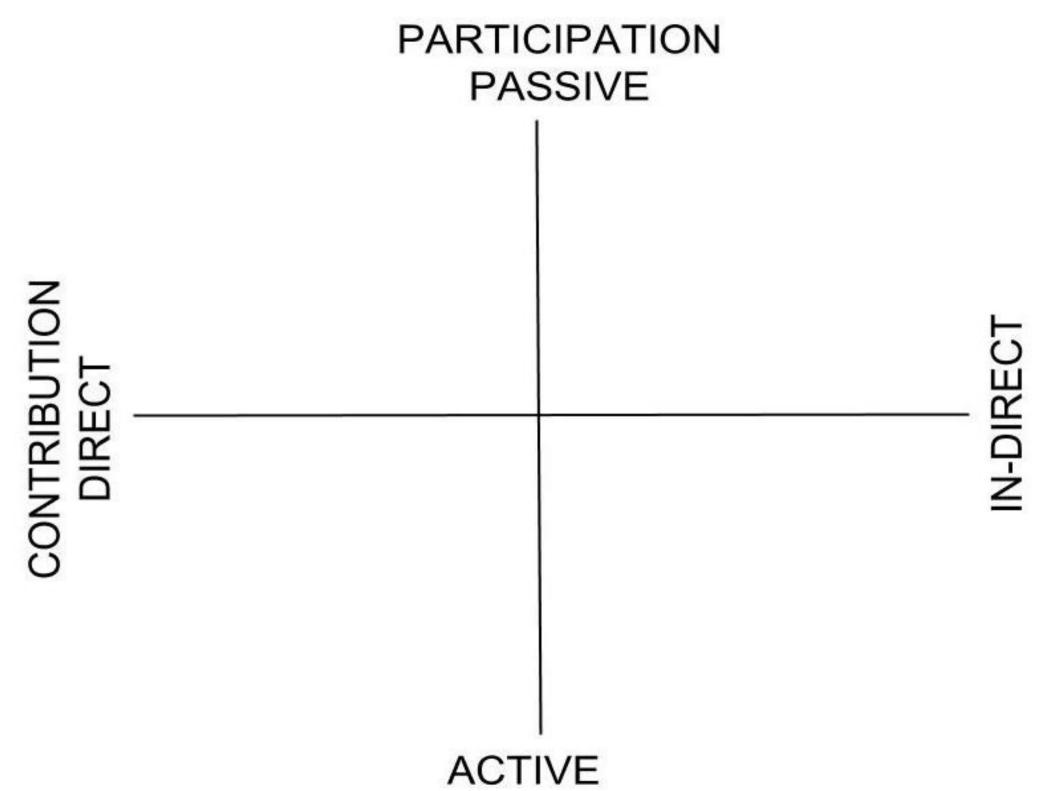
Floodplain meadows



How can tourism support conservation ?

- raising awareness about conservation issues
- providing financial means
- contibuting to practical conservation work
- supporting traditional land-use activities

Source: Estonian Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan, 1999 http://www.cbd.int/doc/world/ee/ee-nbsap-01-en.pdf

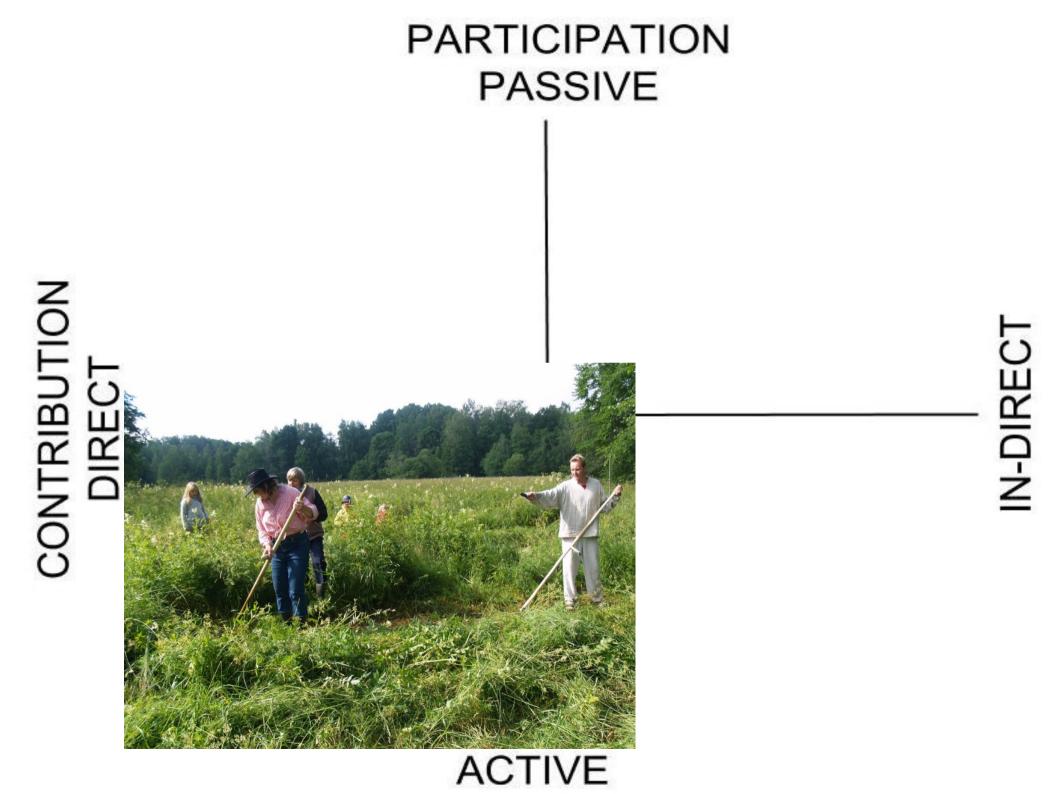


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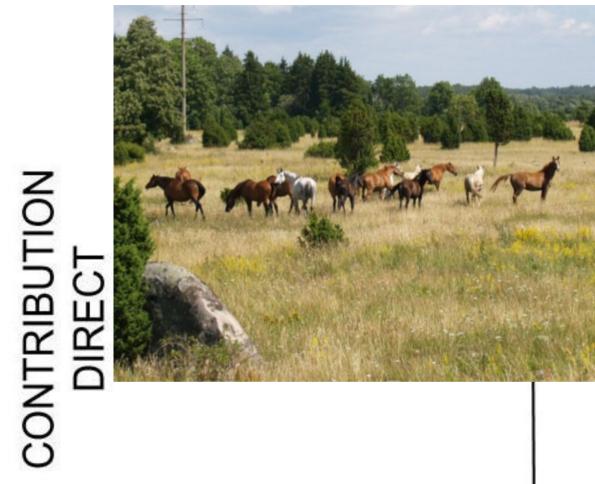
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