



Agrobiodiversity conservation within a changing environment

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*“Preservation or Adaptation? –
Conservation in the face of a changing environment”*

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International NGO with network members throughout Europe

18 years experience of networking stakeholders and running practical projects on the ground

Works on a “three pillar” principle: cooperation of NGO/Civil Society, the State, Scientific research



Member of the IUCN, consultant status with the FAO, affiliated to other networks e.g. GEF

Project work is financed by third parties

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Project office in St. Gallen, Switzerland*

www.save-foundation.net
www.agrobiodiversity.net
www.arca-net.info
www.fruit-net.info
www.elbarn.net
<http://variety-savers.net/>



Agricultural Diversity (*agrobiodiversity*)



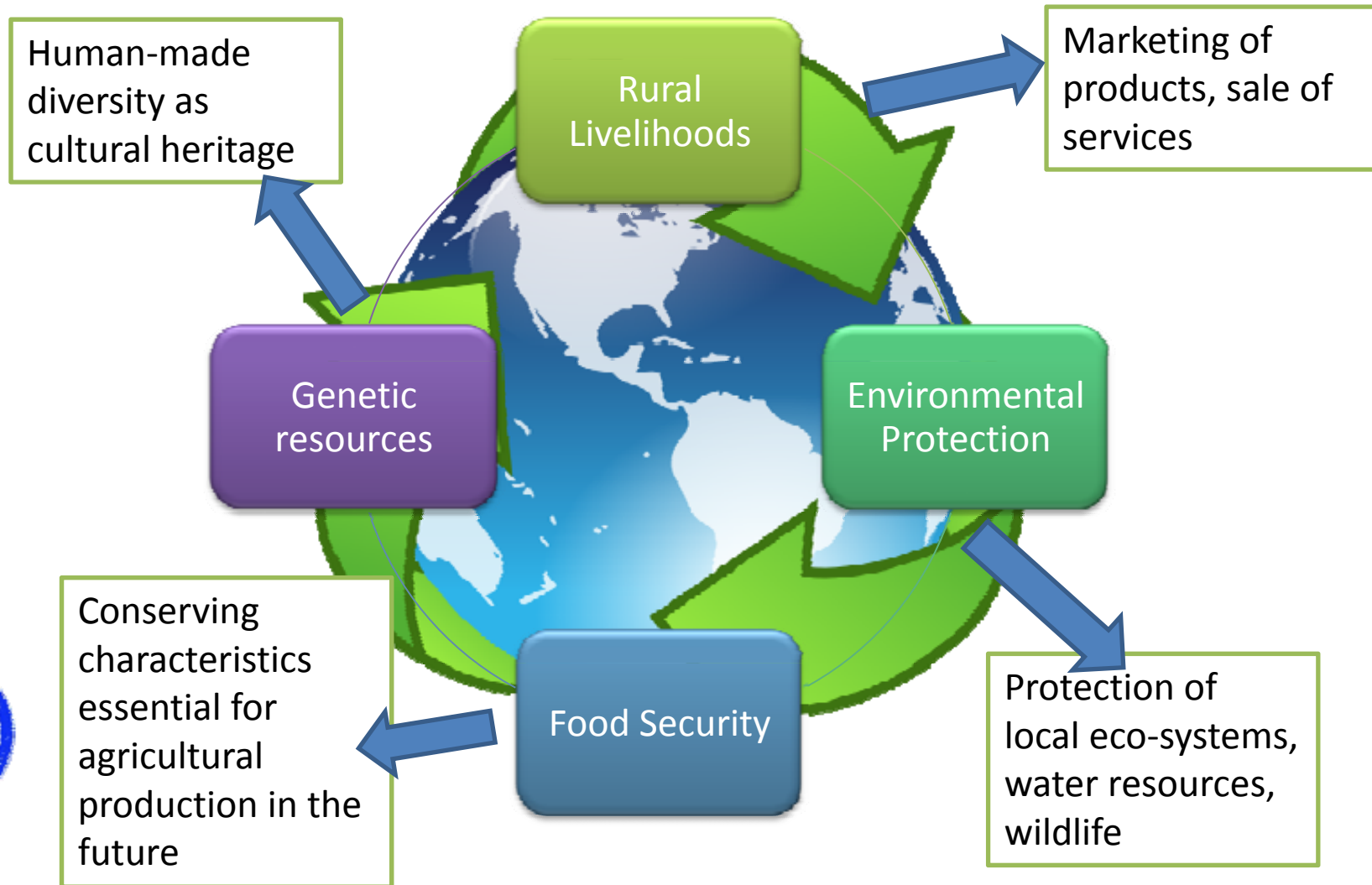
= 10'000 years of human achievement

livestock breeds and cultivated plant varieties were developed for use, if they don't get used, they will become extinct!



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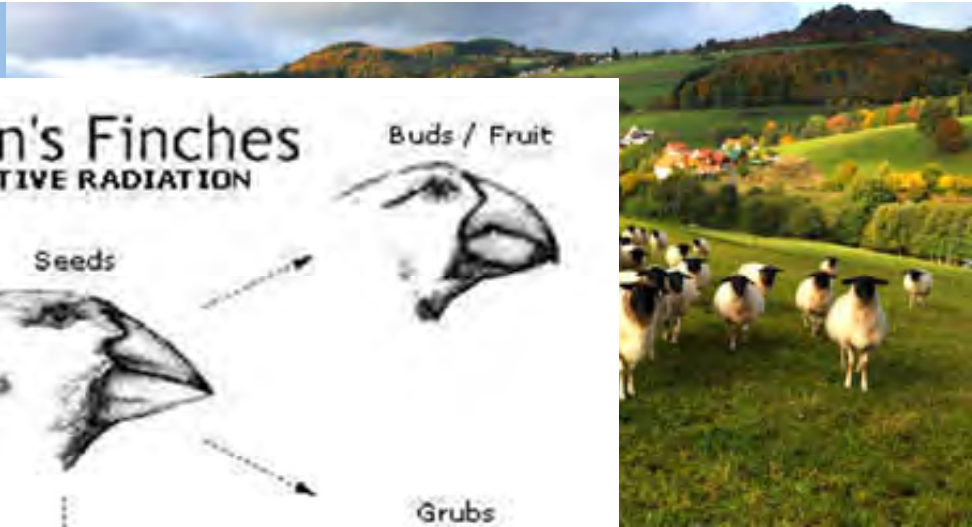
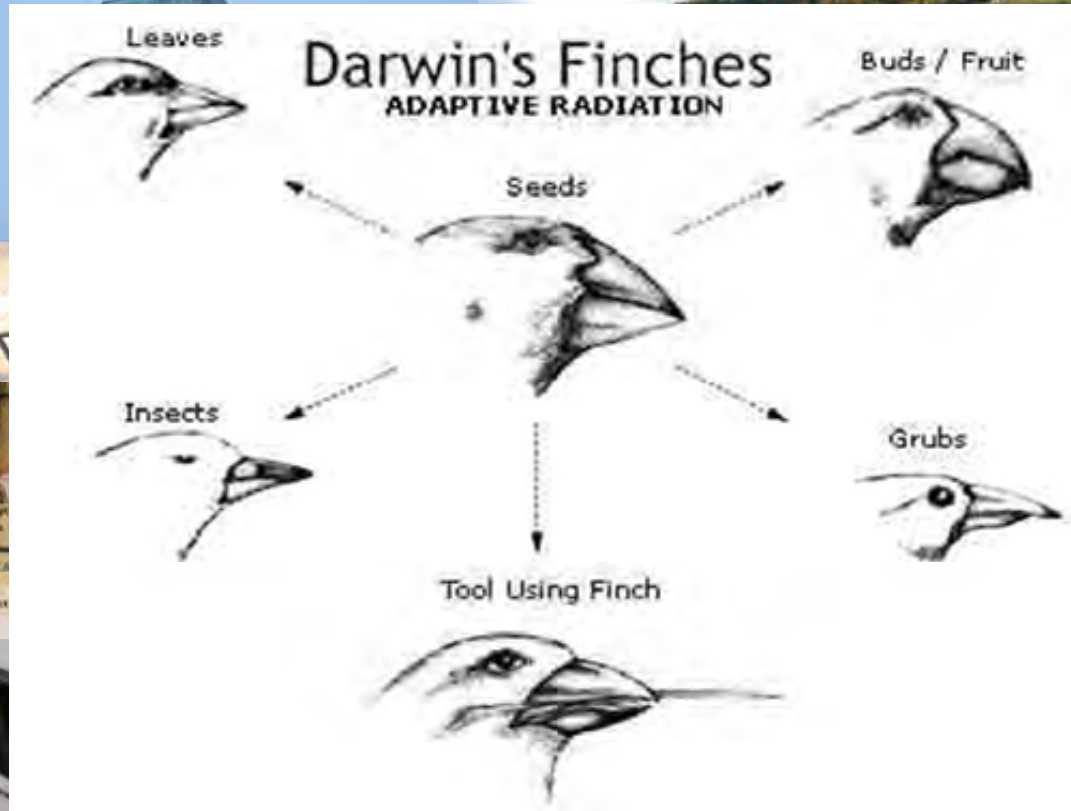
Human Impacts on the Environment

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Primary benefits of live conservation

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Secondary effects of live conservation

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