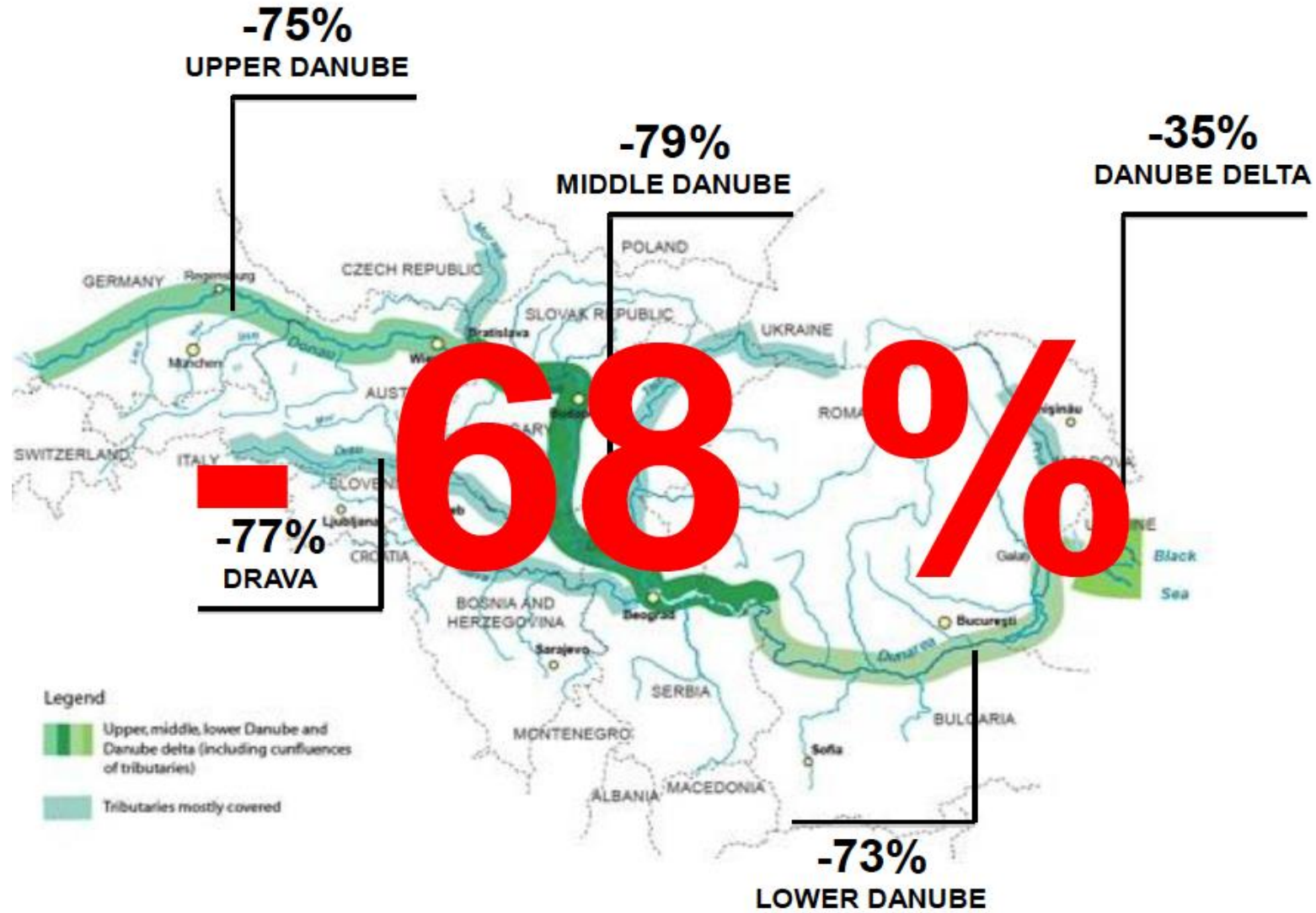




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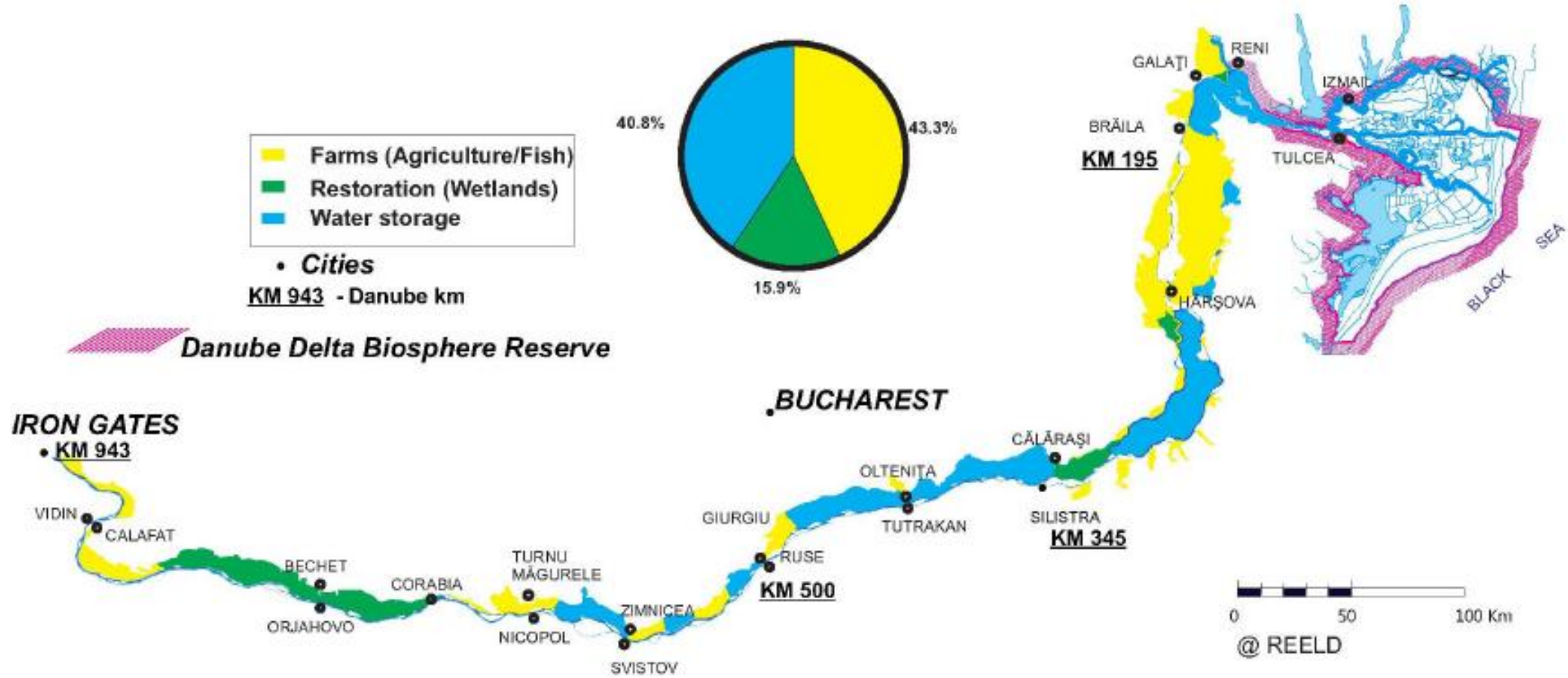


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## Proposed change in GAEC standards in the CAP post 2020 legislative proposals

2014-2020 GAEC standards	Proposed post 2020 GAEC standards
<b>Climate change</b>	<b>Climate change</b>
	GAEC 1 Maintenance of permanent pasture
	GAEC 2 Protection of carbon-rich soils through appropriate protection of peatland and wetland
GAEC6 Maintenance of soil organic matter through ban on burning stubble	GAEC3 Maintenance of soil organic matter through ban on burning stubble
<b>Water</b>	<b>Water</b>
GAEC 1 Establishment of buffer strips along water courses	GAEC 4 Establishment of buffer strips along water courses
GAEC2 Where use of water for irrigation is subject to authorisation, compliance with authorisation procedures	
GAEC3 Protection of groundwater against pollution	
	GAEC5 Use of Farm Sustainability Tool for Nutrients
<b>Soil protection and quality</b>	<b>Soil protection and quality</b>
GAEC5 Minimum land management reflecting site specific conditions to limit erosion	GAEC6 Minimum land management under tillage to reduce risk of soil degradation including on slopes
GAEC 4 Minimum soil cover	GAEC 7 No bare soil in most sensitive period
	GAEC 8 Crop rotation
<b>Biodiversity and landscape</b>	<b>Biodiversity and landscape</b>
GAEC 7 Retention of landscape features, a ban on cutting hedges and trees during the bird breeding and nesting season, and as an option, measures for avoiding invasive plant species.	GAEC 9 Maintenance of non-productive features and area, including a minimum share of agricultural area devoted to non-productive features or areas, retention of landscape features, a ban on cutting hedges and trees during the bird breeding and nesting season, and as an option, measures for avoiding invasive plant species.
	GAEC10 Ban on converting or ploughing permanent grassland in Natura 2000 sites

Sources: Annex III of Regulation No 1306/2013 and Annex II of draft CAP Strategic Plan Regulation

Source: <http://capreform.eu/the-greening-architecture-in-the-new-cap/>



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