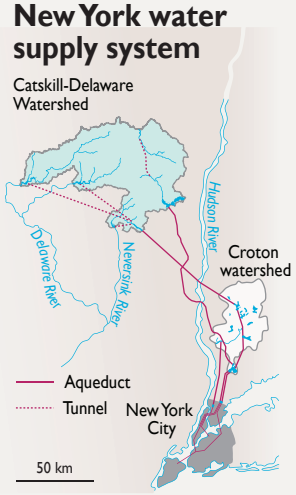
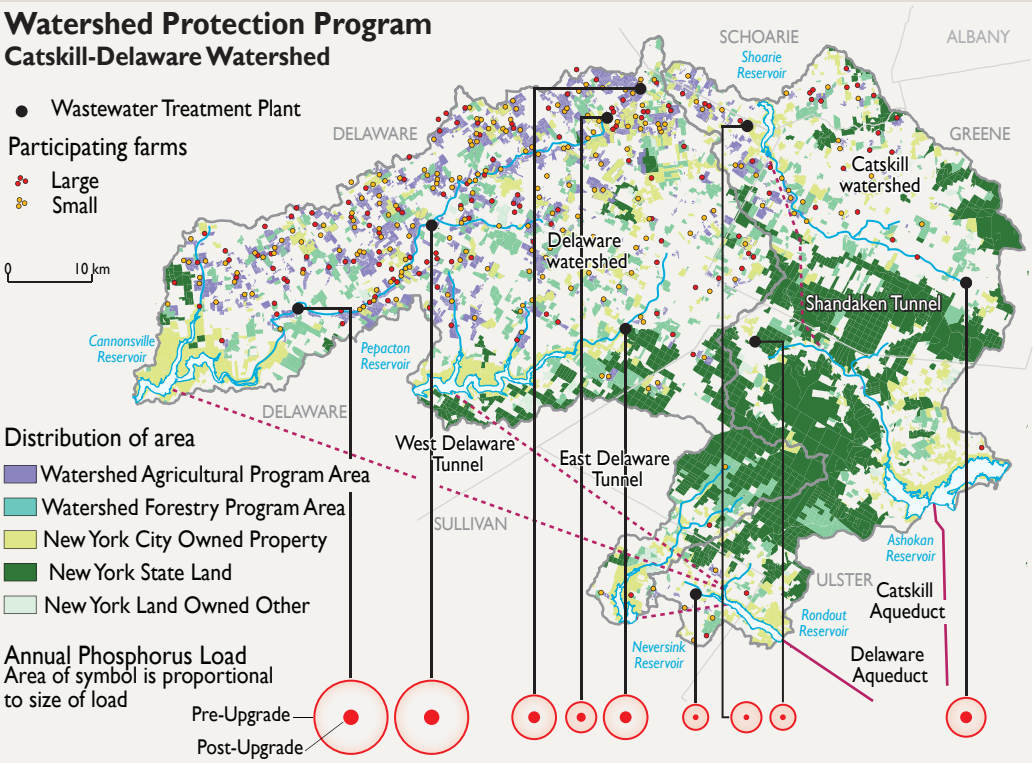
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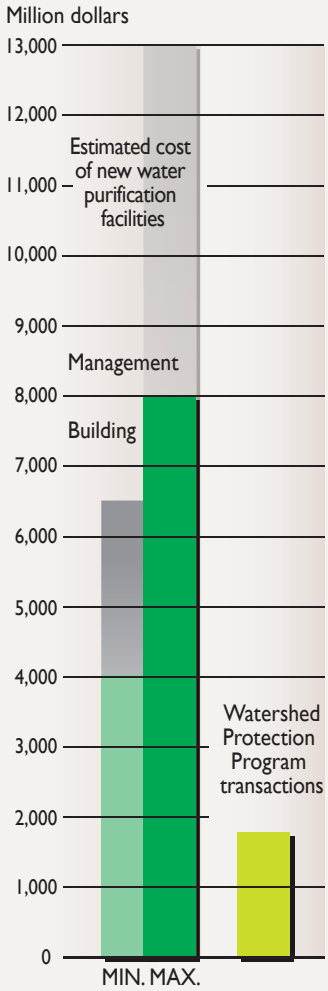
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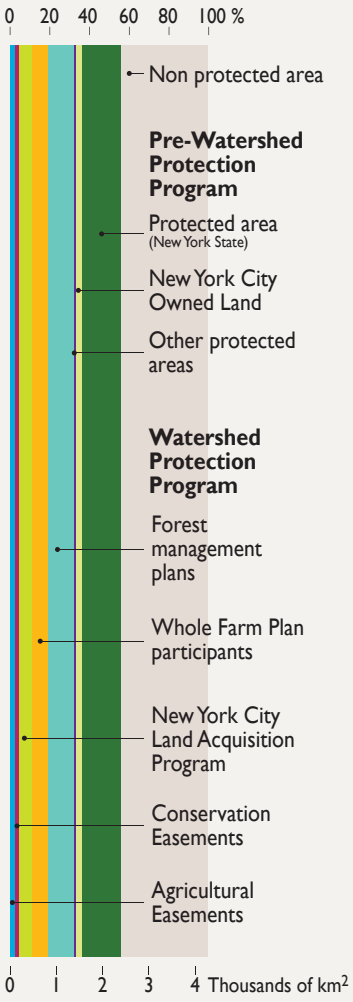
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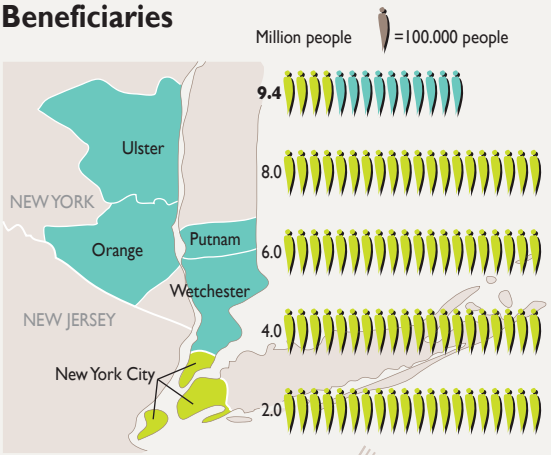
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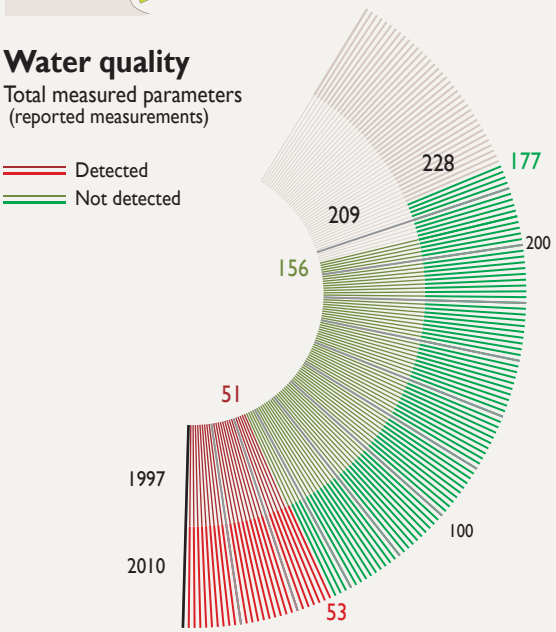
Distribution of area



Beneficiaries



Water quality
Total measured parameters (reported measurements)



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