

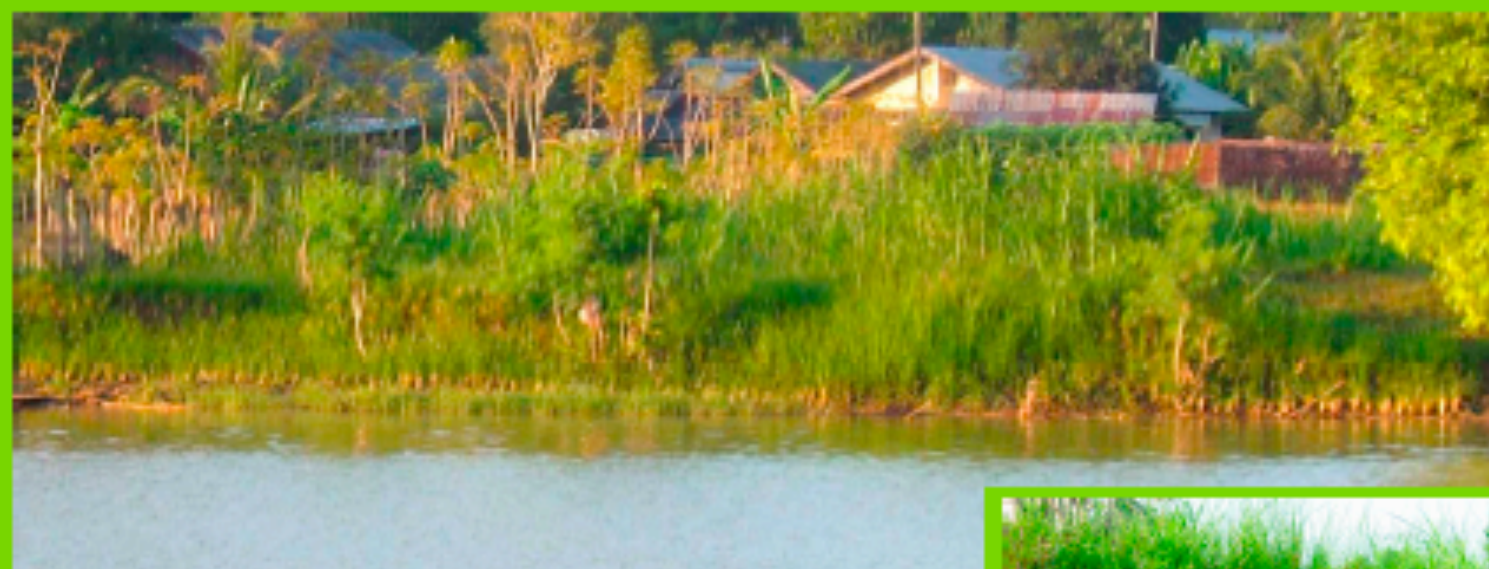
## Riverbank Stabilization *with* **Vetiver Grass**

Indonesia has thousands of kilometres of cleared and eroding riverbanks. Vetiver grass is a *soft engineering* solution. Vetiver is economical, community-based and very good for the environment – *Vetiver reduces soil erosion, Improves water quality & provides habitat*



**Demo: Eroding Riverbank late Nov 07**  
15m long, preparation & planting, 3workers 3hrs  
*Krueng Aceh, Darussalam, Aceh Besar*

*6 weeks later..*



**Demo: Vetiver growing on Riverbank early Jan 08**  
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