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# **CASE STUDY: Velké Žernoseky the H2020 FREEWAT platform**

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# CASE STUDY: Velké Žernoseky / Píšťany

3x3km area of complex water use:

- Drinking water supply
- Elbe river navigability / hydropower generation
- Natural protected area
- Agricultural irrigation
- Chemical industry
- Recreation area





# partners involved / CS targets

**Main beneficiary:** regional waterworks operator

**consultants:** Nature Conservation Agency of the Czech Republic , Elbe catchment authority, Eger river catchment authority

**Other partners:** Czech fishing Union, Ústecký region, Czech Hydrometeorological Institute

**5 municipalities:** Lovosice, Velké Žernoseky, Malé Žernoseky, Píšťany, Žalhostice

**water uptake for industry:** Lovosice

**irrigation:** Association of Private Farming of the Czech Republic

**MODFLOW model – ground water flow**

**BASIC TARGETS - variants:**

**ZERO – model calibration with no water pumping**

**AVR – average surface water heads and average pumping finished**

**MIN – hydrologic balance for minimal water heads / droughts**

**MAX – hydrologic balance for maximal water heads not finished**

**IRG – further irrigation scenarios**



# Drinking water uptake = main regard of the study

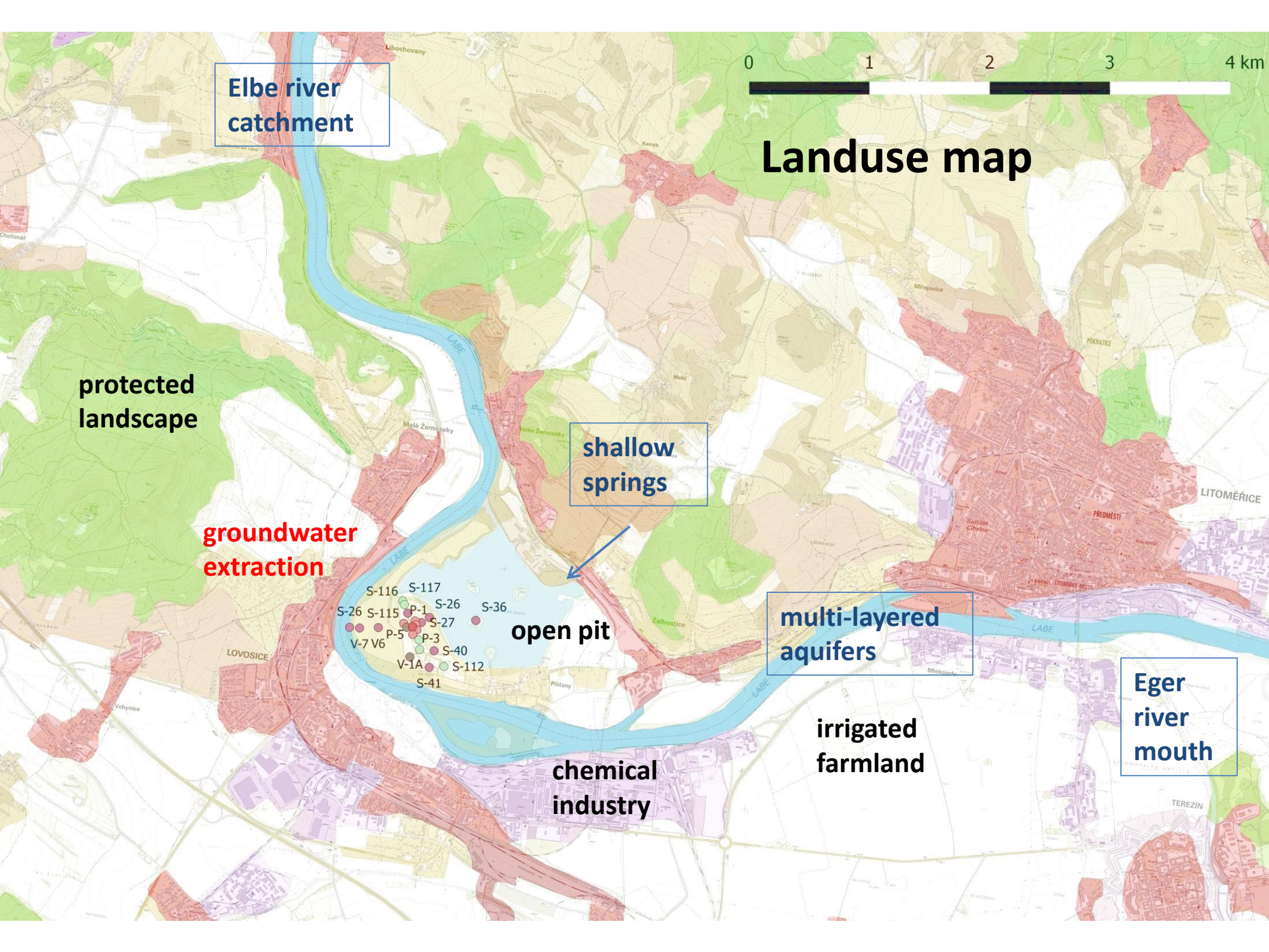
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- radial well
- quaternary
- cretaceous
- cretaceous-obs
- cretaceous-wells



There are 2 types of aquifers: separated Cretaceous aquifer (confined; water 10,000 years old) and Quaternary aquifer (phreatic; in connection with surface water). Important water resources on site cover 13 shallow (16 m) wells in Quaternary sediments and 2 deep (140 m) wells into Cretaceous layers. All wells are located in the protection zone of water sources for major waterworks in the region. Capacity of Quaternary resources (~ 150 l/s) is dependent on the riverbank infiltration, which is limited by the height of the Elbe River, regulated by the lock chamber at Ústí nad Labem. Capacity of Cretaceous resources (~ 50 l/s) is independent of the precipitation conditions and remains stable over the long term. Shallow springs occur along the northern shore of the lake.





Elbe river  
catchment

0 1 2 3 4 km

# Landuse map

protected  
landscape

groundwater  
extraction

shallow  
springs

open pit

multi-layered  
aquifers

Eger  
river  
mouth

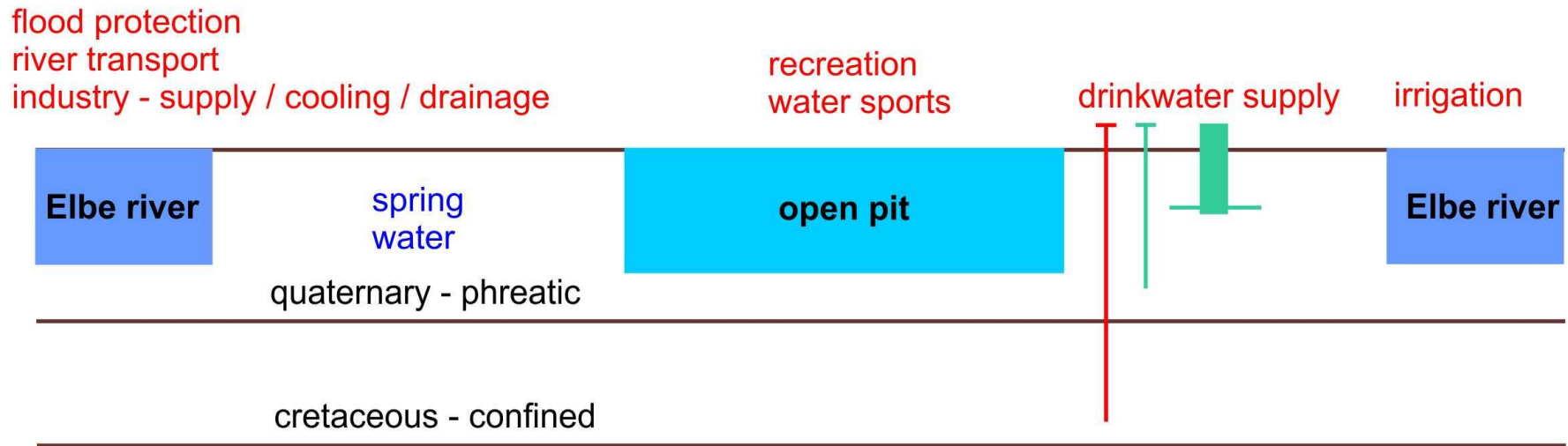
irrigated  
farmland

chemical  
industry

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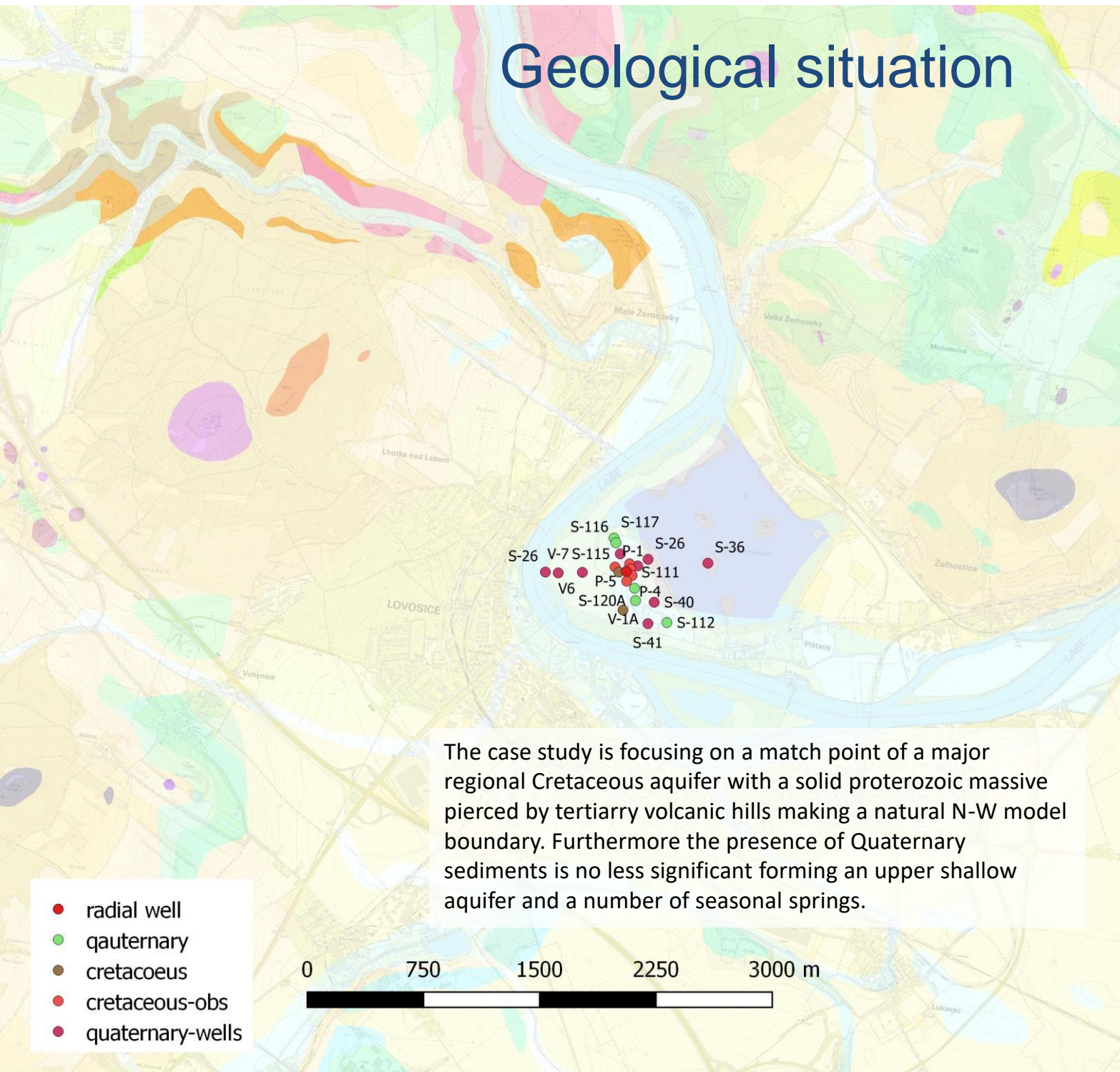
# conceptual model - PM



aquifer	aquitard	stratigraphy	symbol	age	model layer
Q				Quaternary	1
D		merbolticke	Km	coniak / santon	není
		brezenske	Kbr		
		rohatecke	Kr		
	C/D	teplicke	Kt	Upper Turonian	
C		jizerske	Kj	Cretaceous	2
	C/D			Middle Turonian	
B		belohorske	Kb	Cretaceous	3
				Lower Turonian	
A		korycanske	KK	Cretaceous	4
		perucke	Kp	Cenomanian	

The main issue to be faced is optimization of groundwater sources management focusing on drinking water for major waterworks company in the region. The pumping wells cover 2 separated aquifers with direct influence of surface water management (transport, irrigation, industry, recreation, agriculture) and quality (surface water and groundwater relation)

# Geological situation



The case study is focusing on a match point of a major regional Cretaceous aquifer with a solid proterozoic massive pierced by tertiary volcanic hills making a natural N-W model boundary. Furthermore the presence of Quaternary sediments is no less significant forming an upper shallow aquifer and a number of seasonal springs.

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# DEM x HGR

Křída Dolního Labe po Děčín - pravý břeh

Křída Dolního Labe po Děčín - levý břeh, jižní část

Křída Obrtky a Úštěckého potoka

Kvartér Labe po Lovosice

Ohárecká křída

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V-4

P-2

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S-118

P-16

V-5

S-30

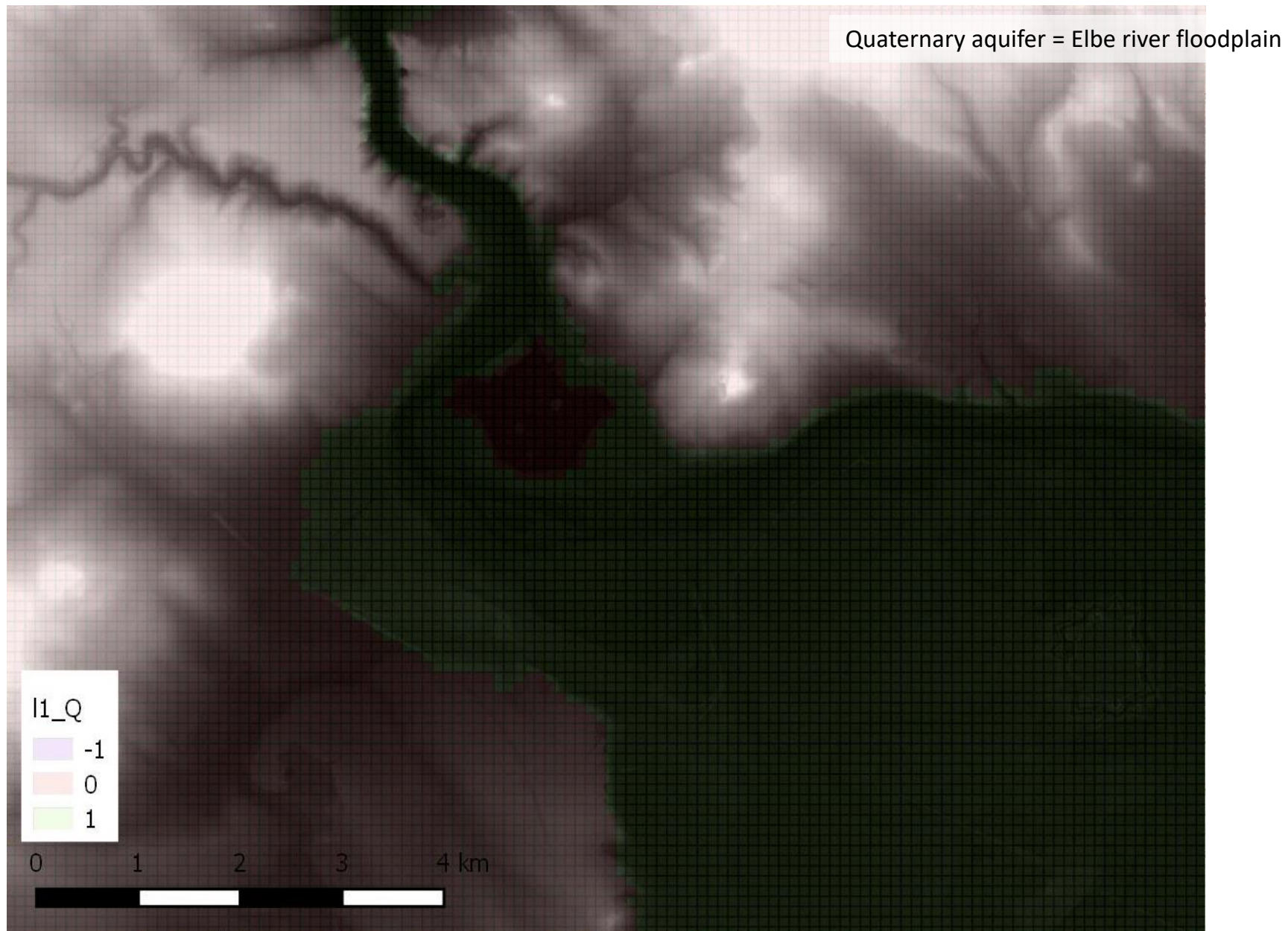
Q-5

- vrty\_kvarter
- vrty\_krida
- zlomy\_vedlejsi
- zlomy\_hlavni
- HGR svrchní
- HGR základní

0 1 2 3 4 km

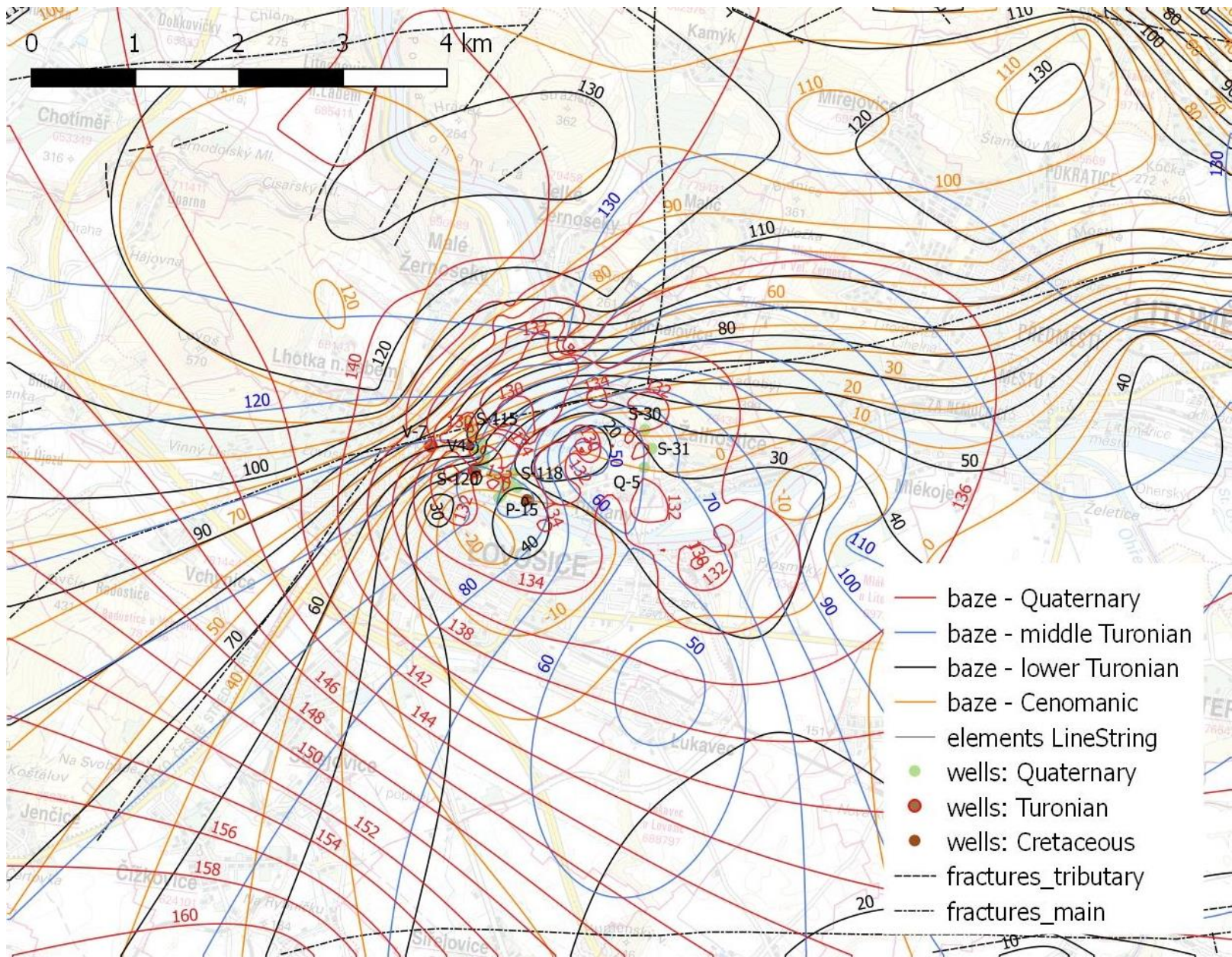


# model layer 1 – DEM based



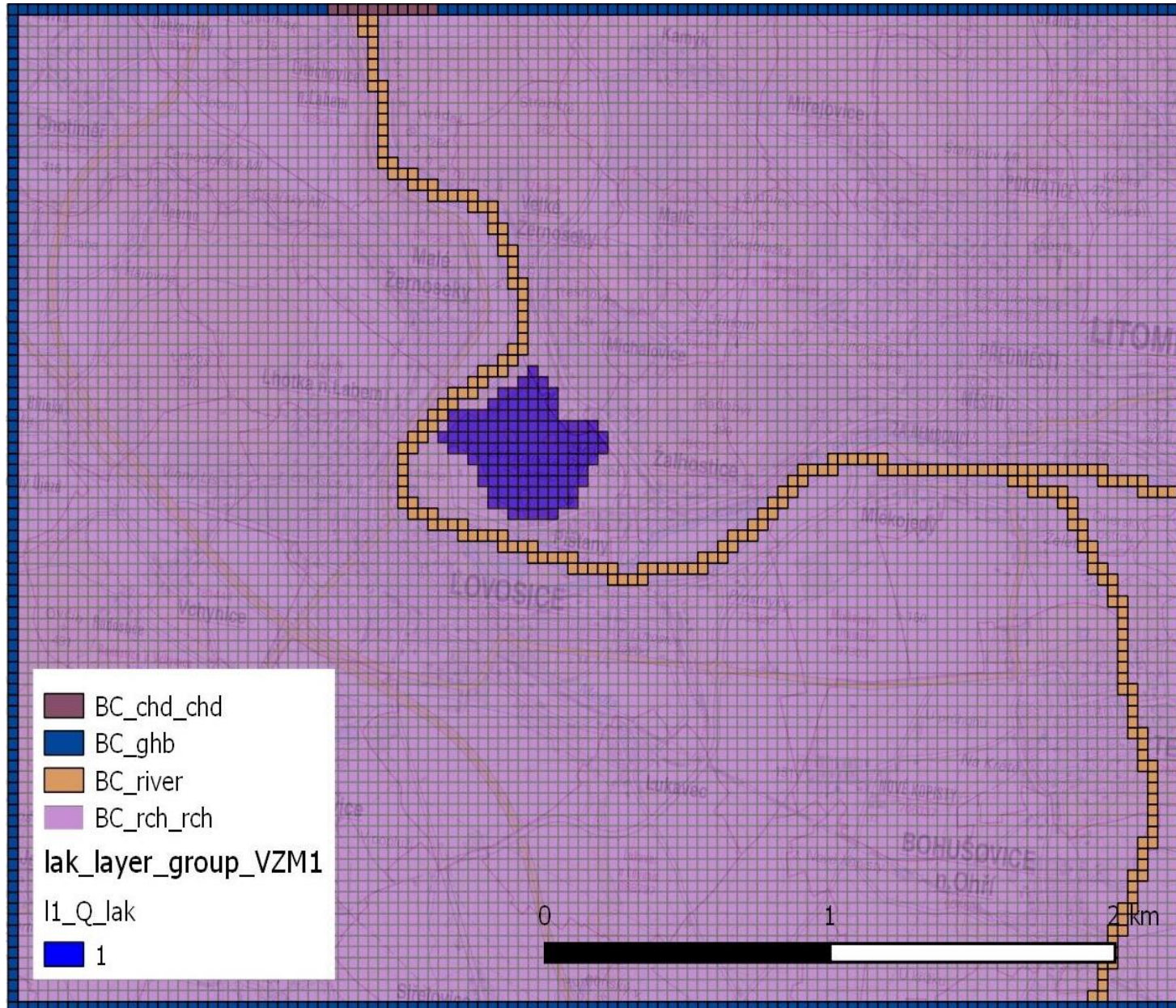


# GW aquifer bases



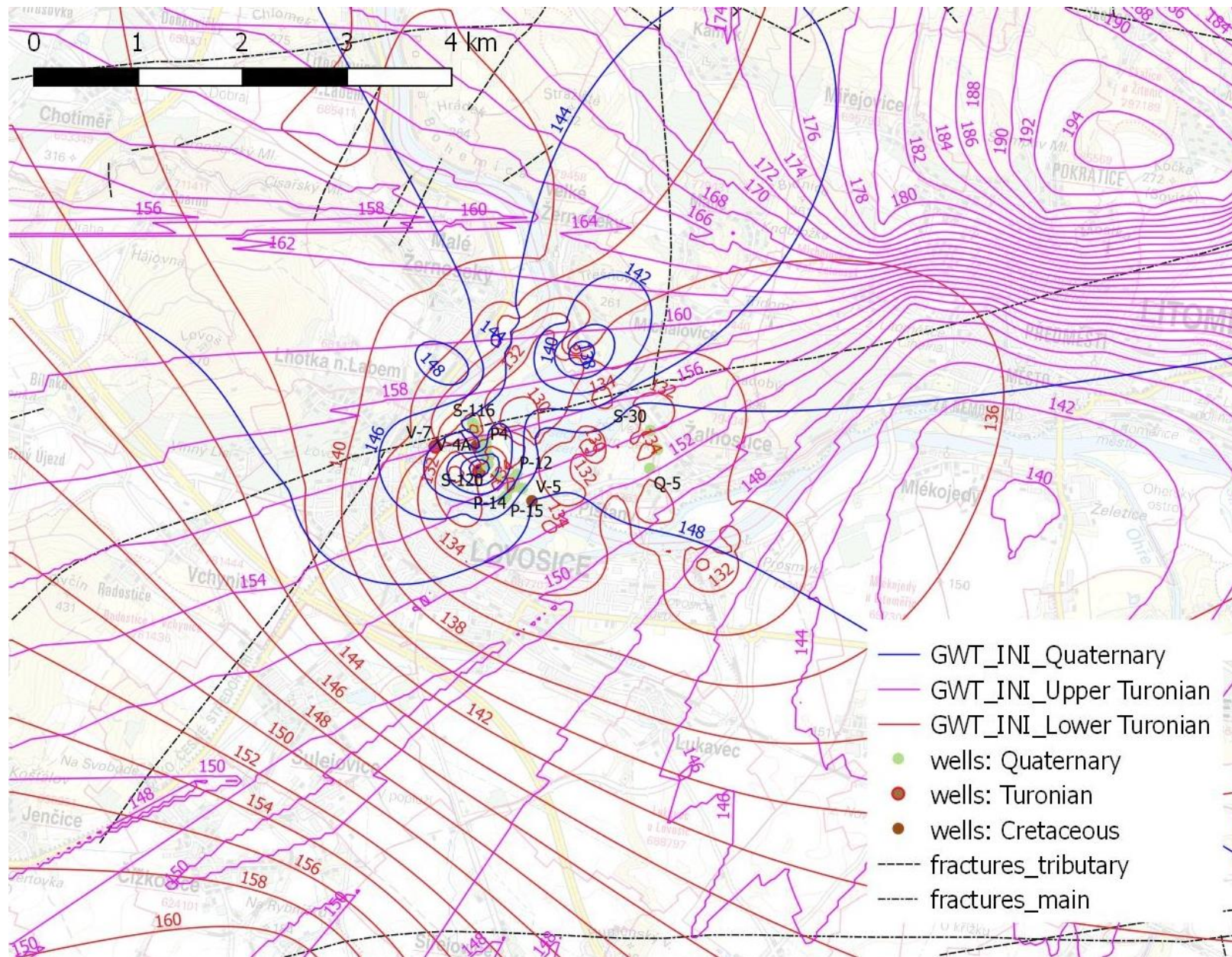


## GW – boundary conditions





# GW INITIAL heads





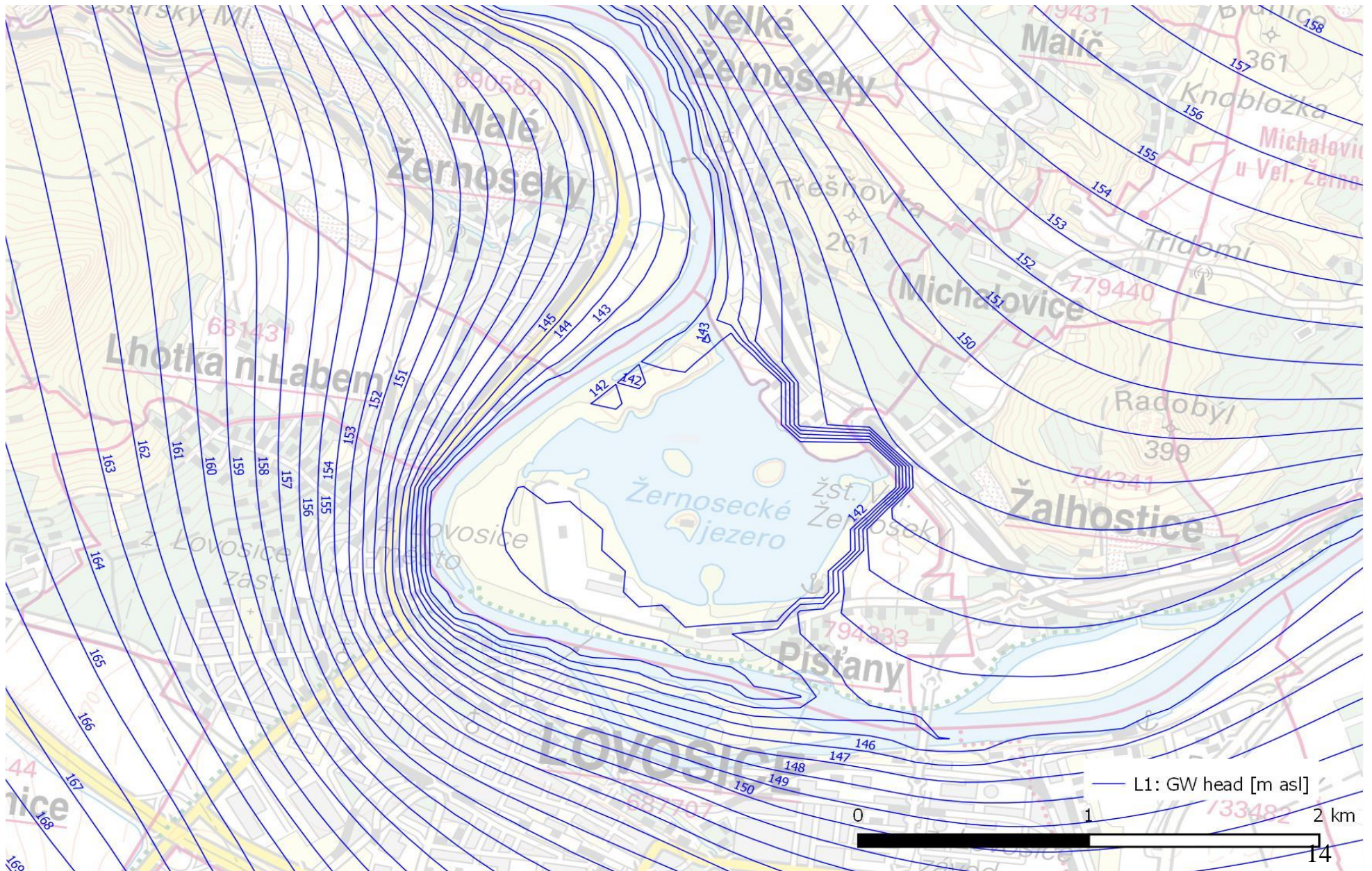
# MODFLOW – balance results

## ZERO/AVR

CUMULATIVE VOLUMES	L**3	RATES FOR THIS TIME STEP	L**3/T	CUMULATIVE VOLUMES	L**3	RATES FOR THIS TIME STEP	L**3/T
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IN:		IN:		IN:		IN:	
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STORAGE = 0.0000		STORAGE = 0.0000		STORAGE = 0.0000		STORAGE = 0.0000	
CONSTANT HEAD = 12.8850		CONSTANT HEAD = 3.5301E-02		CONSTANT HEAD = 12.8906		CONSTANT HEAD = 3.5317E-02	
RIVER LEAKAGE = 8.3637		RIVER LEAKAGE = 2.2914E-02		WELLS = 0.0000		WELLS = 0.0000	
HEAD DEP BOUNDS = 3304.7778		HEAD DEP BOUNDS = 9.0542		RIVER LEAKAGE = 8.2681		RIVER LEAKAGE = 2.2652E-02	
RECHARGE = 1187.5275		RECHARGE = 3.2535		HEAD DEP BOUNDS = 9727.1982		HEAD DEP BOUNDS = 26.6499	
LAKE SEEPAGE = 0.0000		LAKE SEEPAGE = 0.0000		RECHARGE = 1174.4969		RECHARGE = 3.2178	
TOTAL IN = 4513.5542		TOTAL IN = 12.3659		LAKE SEEPAGE = 3.2884E-03		LAKE SEEPAGE = 9.0092E-06	
OUT:		OUT:		TOTAL IN = 10922.8564		TOTAL IN = 29.9256	
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STORAGE = 0.0000		STORAGE = 0.0000		----		----	
CONSTANT HEAD = 34.3536		CONSTANT HEAD = 9.4119E-02		STORAGE = 0.0000		STORAGE = 0.0000	
RIVER LEAKAGE = 1504.1893		RIVER LEAKAGE = 4.1211		CONSTANT HEAD = 33.9201		CONSTANT HEAD = 9.2932E-02	
HEAD DEP BOUNDS = 2967.4702		HEAD DEP BOUNDS = 8.1301		WELLS = 55.3340		WELLS = 0.1516	
RECHARGE = 0.0000		RECHARGE = 0.0000		RIVER LEAKAGE = 1516.5037		RIVER LEAKAGE = 4.1548	
LAKE SEEPAGE = 0.3879		LAKE SEEPAGE = 1.0627E-03		HEAD DEP BOUNDS = 5189.5337		HEAD DEP BOUNDS = 14.2179	
TOTAL OUT = 4506.4009		TOTAL OUT = 12.3463		RECHARGE = 0.0000		RECHARGE = 0.0000	
IN - OUT = 7.1533		IN - OUT = 1.9598E-02		LAKE SEEPAGE = 0.3669		LAKE SEEPAGE = 1.0052E-03	
PERCENT DISCREPANCY = 0.16		PERCENT DISCREPANCY = 0.16		TOTAL OUT = 6795.6582		TOTAL OUT = 18.6182	
				IN - OUT = 4127.1982		IN - OUT = 11.3074	
				PERCENT DISCREPANCY = 46.59		PERCENT DISCREPANCY = 46.59	

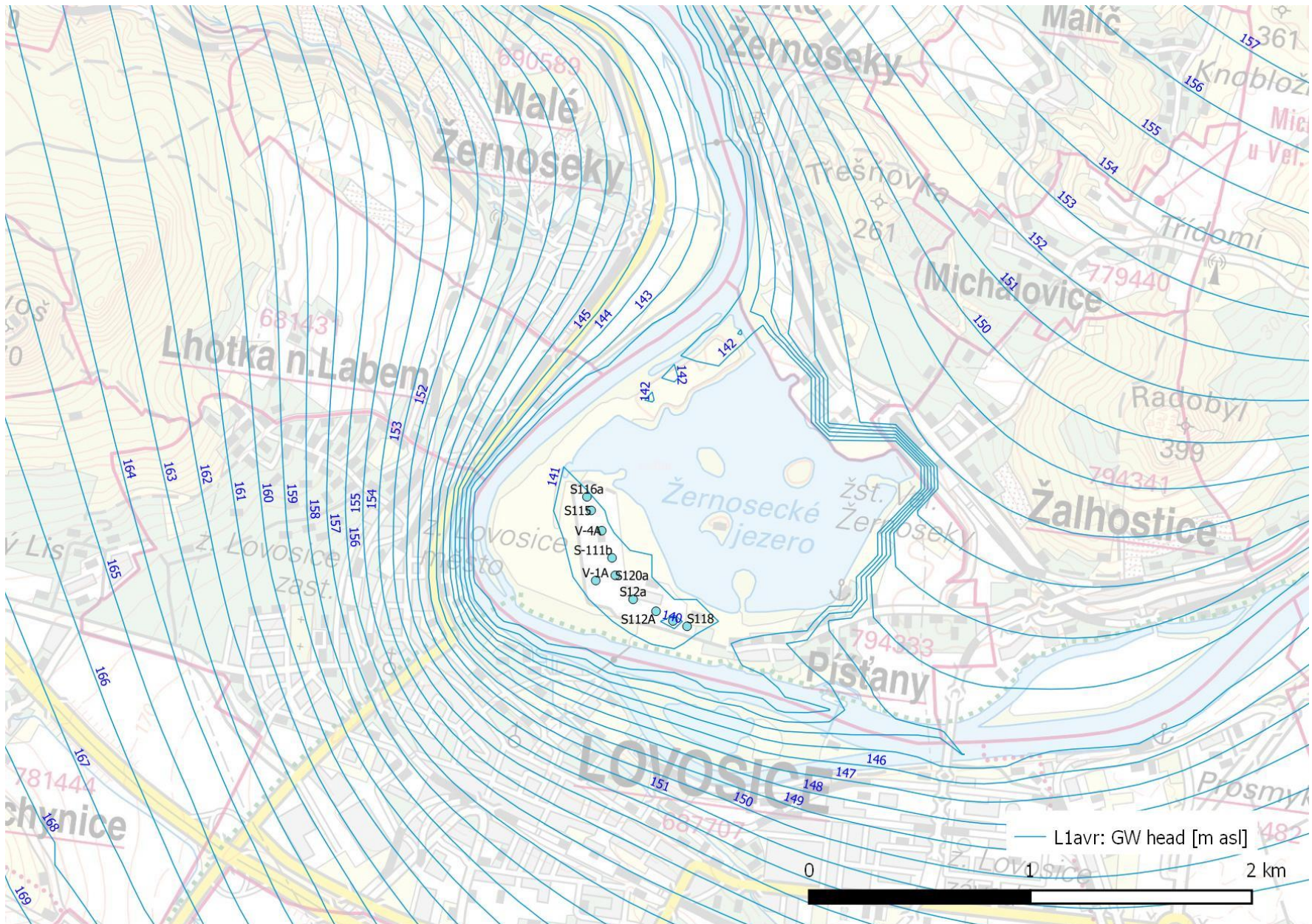


# WMS ZERO – L1 (Quaternary)



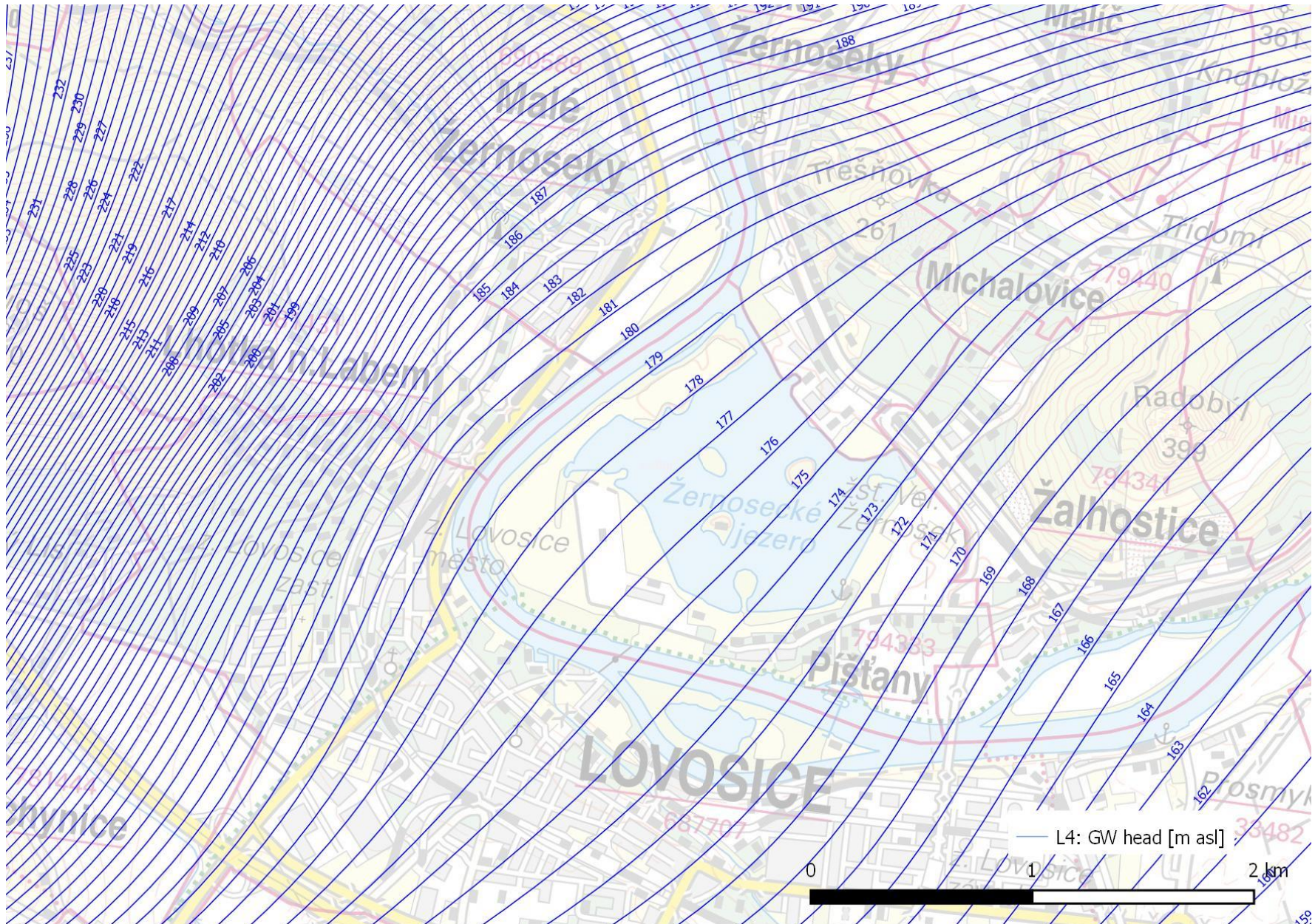


# WMS AVR – L1 (Quaternary)



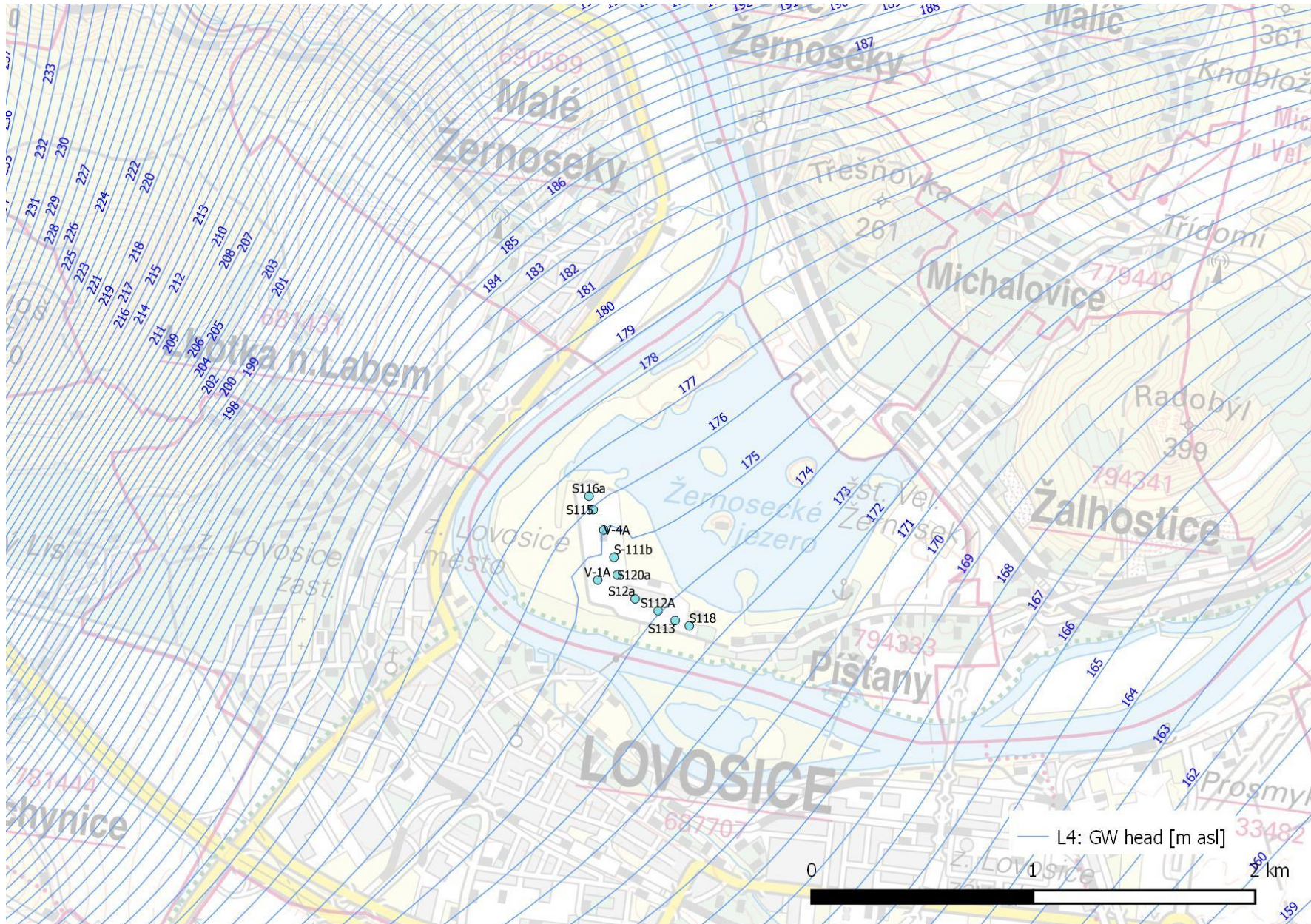


# WMS ZERO – L4 (Cretaceous)





# WMS AVR – L4 (Cretaceous)







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