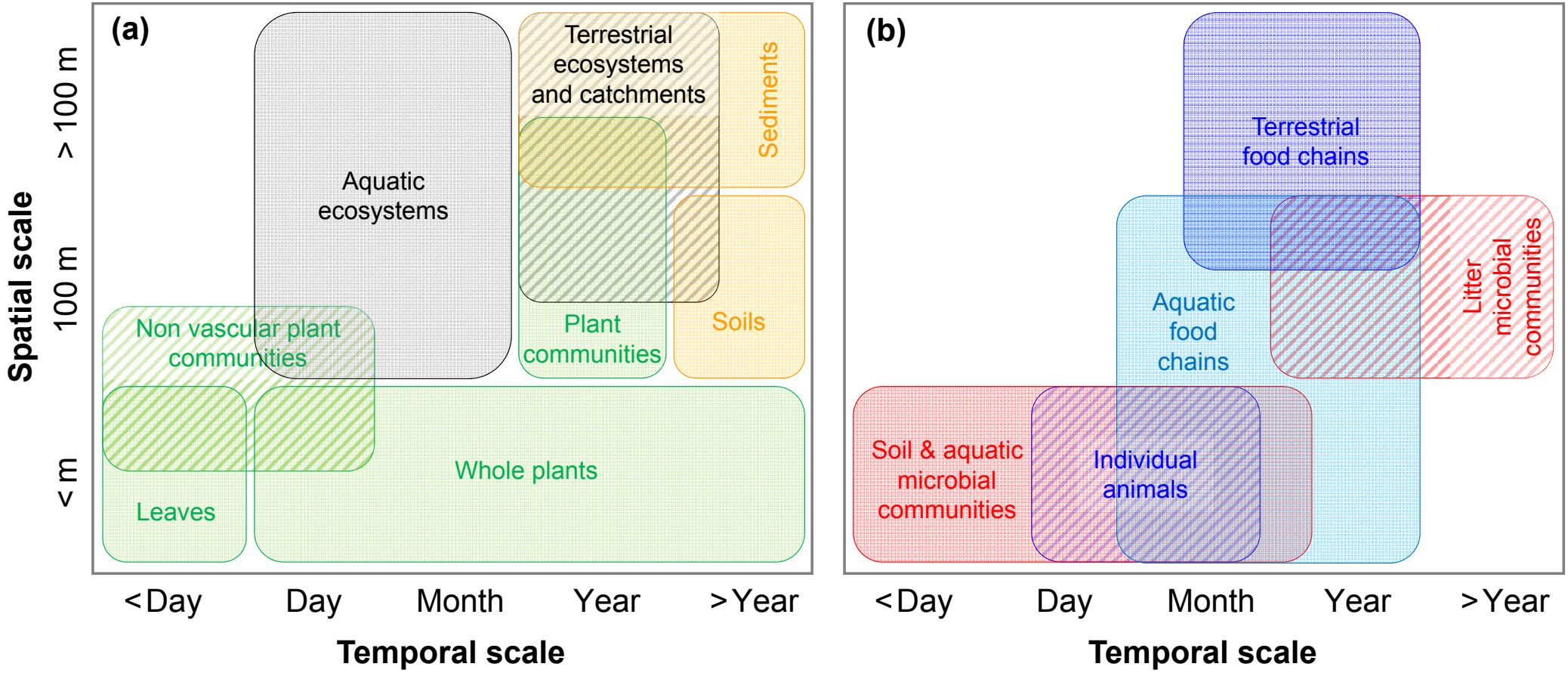
(a)
Spatial scale
> 100 m
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Aquatic ecosystems
Terrestrial ecosystems and catchments
Sediments
Non vascular plant communities
Plant communities
Soils
Leaves
Whole plants
< Day
Day
Month
Year
> Year
Temporal scale
(b)
Terrestrial food chains
Aquatic food chains
Litter microbial communities
Soil & aquatic microbial communities
Individual animals
< Day
Day
Month
Year
> Year
Temporal scale