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**In memory of my schoolmate and colleague**

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# I.

## PREFACE

I started dealing with the problems of the Corded Ware culture (CWC) in Moravia during my studies at the Faculty of Arts at J.E. Purkyně University in Brno, and where it became the topic of my diploma thesis (Šebela 1977). I then intensified my studies during a one-year stay at the Department of Prehistory of Charles University in Prague. There, upon the agreement with Prof. M. Buchvaldek, I started compiling an data base on the Corded Ware culture in Moravia and the adjacent part of Silesia, with the purpose of creating a catalogue of CWC finds. This catalogue is important because most of its material fund is unknown to both domestic research workers, and to those from abroad. This catalogue was to be the basis for a new monographic procession of this culture, because the previous procession carried out by F. Kalousek, though very good at the time of its publication, no longer corresponds with the new state of information and, unfortunately, remains only in the form of a manu-script (Kalousek 1945).

In 1984, I was accepted by the late Academician J. Poulik for internal post-graduate studies at the Archaeological Institute of the Czechoslovak Academy of Sciences (AI CSAV). Thanks to his understanding I was able continue the work started in Prague. It was under these circumstances that I completed the collection of archaeological finds of MCWC for the intended catalogue and, with additional specialists, I was able to carry out a partial analysis. I thus managed to collect data on CWC materials recovered through 1983, and make this the topic of my Candidate's dissertation thesis entitled "The Position of the Corded Ware Culture in Moravian Eneolithic and its Relation to the Development in the Carpathian Basin" (Brno 1986), where it represents its parts two and three. My supervisor was PhDr. J. Ondráček, CSc., to whom I should like to thank for his valuable advice and assistance. The defence was held before the permanent committee for the discussion of candidate dissertation theses in the field of archaeology at the Archaeological Institute of the Czechoslovak Academy of Sciences in Brno on 27 October 1987. Expert opinions were presented by PhDr. A. Medunová, CSc. (AI AS CR Brno), Prof. M. Buchvaldek, DrSc. (Faculty of Arts, Charles University, Prague) and Prof. J. Vladár, DrSc. (AI SAS, Nitra).

The second and the third parts of the above mentioned dissertation thesis became the basis of the present publication. The text part was adapted (particularly the object descriptions) and the resource base extended by new finds between 1983 and 1990. This catalogue should be shortly followed by the theoretical procession, which is beginning to be worked on. In this way, Moravian archaeology will finally pay its "debt" to European archaeology.

The present catalogue of finds of the Corded Ware culture could only be realised thanks to the possibilities I was granted at the Archaeological Institute of the Czechoslovak Academy of Sciences in Brno. I am greatly obliged to the previous leadership of the AI AS CR Brno, particularly to Academician J. Poulik, for the all-round support I received and for the possibility of study trips around Moravia and the adjacent part of Silesia. At the same time, I should like to thank to the present management, especially PhDr. J. Tejral, DrSc., without whose assistance the whole project could not have been finished and the catalogue published within a short period of time. The drawings were made by B. Ludíkovská, D. Švalbachová, L. Trávníčková and B. Prudký. The photographic supplement was carried out by S. Skoupý. I should also like to express my thanks to RNDr. M. Dočkalová (Moravian Museum Brno) and Asst. Prof. RNDr. A. Přichystal (Faculty of Science, Masaryk University, Brno) for the (partial) analyses made. I would further like to thank to the late MVDr. Z. Kratochvíl, CSc. (AI AS CR Brno) and RNDr. L. Peške (AI AS CR Prague) for the determination of the osteological material and PhDr. J. Svoboda (AI AS CR Brno) for typological and technological classification of the chipped stone industry.

The translation is the work of PhDr. B. Herzlík and Jeffrey Vanderziel, B.A. My thanks are also due to the workers of the Moravian Museum in Brno (PhDr. M. Salaš, PhDr. A. Humpolová, RNDr.

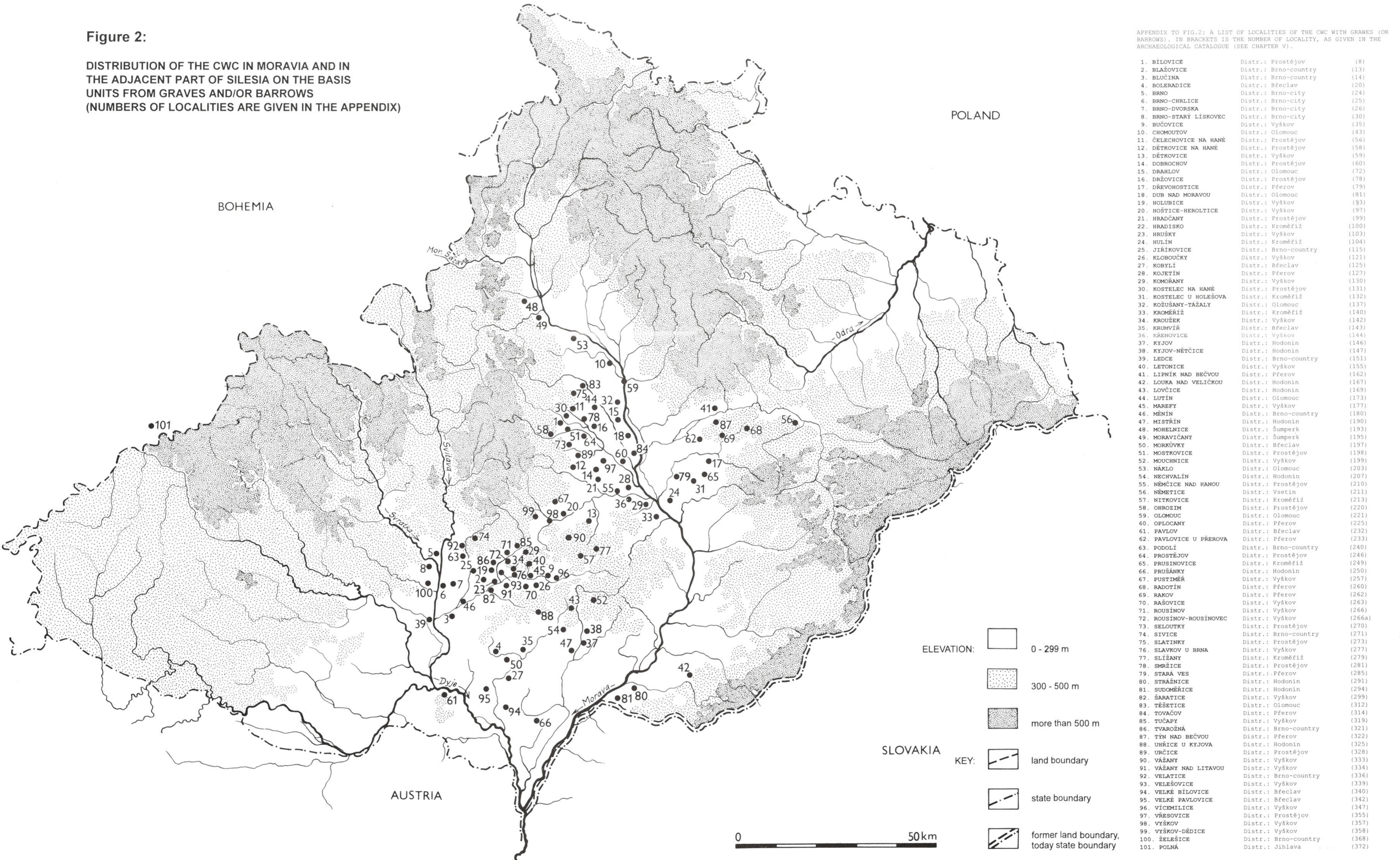
M. Dočkalová) for their assistance in looking up archaeological and anthropological materials. My sincere thanks for this service also belongs to the other colleagues from other museum institutions in the former South Moravian and North Moravian Regions.

Brno, 20 May 1998

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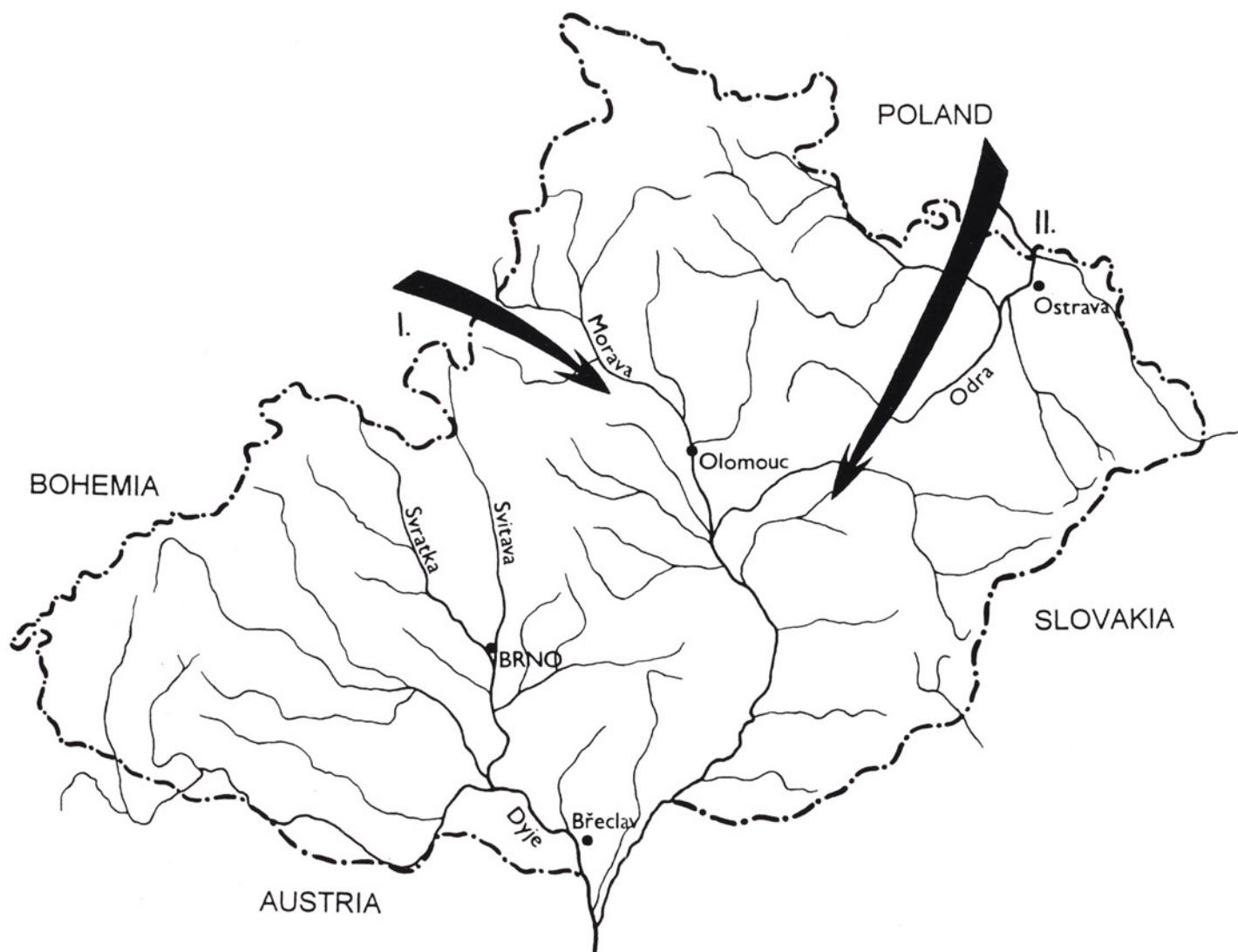
**Figure 2:**

**DISTRIBUTION OF THE CWC IN MORAVIA AND IN THE ADJACENT PART OF SILESIA ON THE BASIS OF UNITS FROM GRAVES AND/OR BARROWS (NUMBERS OF LOCALITIES ARE GIVEN IN THE APPENDIX)**



APPENDIX TO FIG.2: A LIST OF LOCALITIES OF THE CWC WITH GRAVES (OR BARROWS). IN BRACKETS IS THE NUMBER OF LOCALITY, AS GIVEN IN THE ARCHAEOLOGICAL CATALOGUE (SEE CHAPTER V).

1. BÍLOVICE	Distr.: Prostějov	(8)
2. BLAŽOVICE	Distr.: Brno-country	(13)
3. BLUČINA	Distr.: Brno-country	(14)
4. BOLERADICE	Distr.: Břeclav	(20)
5. BRNO	Distr.: Brno-city	(24)
6. BRNO-CHRlice	Distr.: Brno-city	(25)
7. BRNO-DVORSKA	Distr.: Brno-city	(26)
8. BRNO-STARÝ LÍSKOVEC	Distr.: Brno-city	(30)
9. BUČOVICE	Distr.: Vyškov	(35)
10. CHOMOUTOV	Distr.: Olomouc	(43)
11. ČELEHOVICE NA HANÉ	Distr.: Prostějov	(56)
12. DĚTKOVICE NA HANÉ	Distr.: Prostějov	(59)
13. DĚTKOVICE	Distr.: Vyškov	(60)
14. DOBROCHOV	Distr.: Prostějov	(72)
15. DRAHOV	Distr.: Olomouc	(78)
16. DRŽOVICE	Distr.: Prostějov	(79)
17. DŘEVHOŠTICE	Distr.: Přerov	(79)
18. DUB NAD MORAVOU	Distr.: Olomouc	(81)
19. HOLUBICE	Distr.: Vyškov	(93)
20. HOŠTICE-HEROLTICE	Distr.: Vyškov	(97)
21. HRADČANY	Distr.: Prostějov	(99)
22. HRADISKO	Distr.: Kroměříž	(100)
23. HRUŠKY	Distr.: Vyškov	(103)
24. HULIN	Distr.: Kroměříž	(104)
25. JIŘIKOVICE	Distr.: Brno-country	(115)
26. KLOBOUCKY	Distr.: Vyškov	(121)
27. KOBYLÍ	Distr.: Břeclav	(125)
28. KOJETÍN	Distr.: Přerov	(127)
29. KOMORANY	Distr.: Vyškov	(130)
30. KOSTELEC NA HANÉ	Distr.: Prostějov	(131)
31. KOSTELEC U HOLEŠOVÁ	Distr.: Kroměříž	(132)
32. KOŽÚSANY-TÁZALY	Distr.: Olomouc	(137)
33. KROMĚŘÍZ	Distr.: Kroměříž	(140)
34. KROUŽEK	Distr.: Vyškov	(143)
35. KRUMVÍŘ	Distr.: Břeclav	(144)
36. KRENOVICE	Distr.: Vyškov	(146)
37. KYJOV	Distr.: Hodonín	(146)
38. KYJOV-NĚTČICE	Distr.: Hodonín	(147)
39. LEDCE	Distr.: Brno-country	(151)
40. LETONICE	Distr.: Vyškov	(155)
41. LIPNIK NAD BEČVOU	Distr.: Přerov	(162)
42. LOUKA NAD VELÍČKOU	Distr.: Hodonín	(167)
43. LOVČICE	Distr.: Olomouc	(169)
44. LUTÍN	Distr.: Vyškov	(177)
45. MAREFY	Distr.: Brno-country	(180)
46. MĚNÍN	Distr.: Hodonín	(190)
47. MÍSTRÁN	Distr.: Šumperk	(193)
48. MOHELNICE	Distr.: Šumperk	(195)
49. MORAVIČANY	Distr.: Břeclav	(197)
50. MORKUVKY	Distr.: Prostějov	(198)
51. MOSTKOVICE	Distr.: Brno-country	(199)
52. MOUCHNICE	Distr.: Vyškov	(203)
53. NAKLO	Distr.: Olomouc	(203)
54. NECHVALÍN	Distr.: Hodonín	(207)
55. NĚMCICE NAD HANOU	Distr.: Prostějov	(210)
56. NĚMETICE	Distr.: Vsetín	(211)
57. NITKOVICE	Distr.: Kroměříž	(213)
58. OHROZIM	Distr.: Prostějov	(220)
59. OLOMOUC	Distr.: Olomouc	(221)
60. OPOLOCANY	Distr.: Přerov	(225)
61. PAVLOV	Distr.: Břeclav	(232)
62. PAVLOVICE U PŘEROVA	Distr.: Přerov	(233)
63. PODOLÍ	Distr.: Brno-country	(240)
64. PROSTĚJOV	Distr.: Prostějov	(246)
65. PRUSINOVICE	Distr.: Kroměříž	(249)
66. PRUŠANKY	Distr.: Hodonín	(250)
67. PUSTIMĚR	Distr.: Vyškov	(257)
68. RADOTÍN	Distr.: Přerov	(260)
69. RAKOV	Distr.: Přerov	(262)
70. RÁSOVICE	Distr.: Vyškov	(263)
71. ROUSINOV	Distr.: Vyškov	(266)
72. ROUSINOV-ROUSÍNOVEC	Distr.: Vyškov	(266a)
73. SELOUTKY	Distr.: Prostějov	(270)
74. SIVICE	Distr.: Brno-country	(271)
75. SLATINKY	Distr.: Prostějov	(273)
76. SLAVKOV U BRNA	Distr.: Vyškov	(277)
77. SLÍŽANY	Distr.: Kroměříž	(279)
78. SMRŽICE	Distr.: Prostějov	(281)
79. STARÁ VES	Distr.: Přerov	(285)
80. STRÁZNICE	Distr.: Hodonín	(291)
81. SUDOMĚŘICE	Distr.: Hodonín	(294)
82. ŠARATICE	Distr.: Vyškov	(299)
83. TĚSEVICE	Distr.: Olomouc	(312)
84. TOVACOV	Distr.: Přerov	(314)
85. TUCAPY	Distr.: Vyškov	(319)
86. TVAROŽNÁ	Distr.: Brno-country	(321)
87. TÝN NAD BEČVOU	Distr.: Přerov	(322)
88. UHŘICE U KYJOVA	Distr.: Hodonín	(325)
89. URČICE	Distr.: Prostějov	(328)
90. VÁZANY	Distr.: Vyškov	(333)
91. VÁZANY NAD LITAVOU	Distr.: Vyškov	(334)
92. VELATICE	Distr.: Brno-country	(336)
93. VELEŠOVICE	Distr.: Vyškov	(339)
94. VELKE BÍLOVICE	Distr.: Břeclav	(340)
95. VELKE PAVLOVICE	Distr.: Břeclav	(342)
96. VÍCEMILICE	Distr.: Vyškov	(347)
97. VŘESOVICE	Distr.: Prostějov	(355)
98. VÝŠKOV	Distr.: Vyškov	(357)
99. VÝŠKOV-DĚDICE	Distr.: Vyškov	(358)
100. ZELEŠICE	Distr.: Brno-country	(368)
101. POLNA	Distr.: Jihlava	(372)



**Figure 3:**

THE MOVEMENT OF CORDED WARE CULTURE PEOPLES INTO MORAVIA: (I) FROM EASTERN BOHEMIA VIA THE MORAVSKÁ SÁZAVA OR TŘEBŮVKA RIVER VALLEYS AND FROM THERE ALONG THE RIGHT BANK OF THE MORAVA RIVER TO THE SOUTH; OR (II) FROM THE NORTH, I. E. FROM UPPER SILESIA (EVENTUALLY EVEN FROM LITTLE POLAND) ALONG THE ODRA RIVER AND THROUGH THE MORAVIAN GATE REGION INTO THE PŘEROV AREA AND FURTHER ON THE SOUTH.



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