

The Final Conference Introduction



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Why are we here?

- The government of Cyprus has initiated a project to assist the competent authorities in implementing the EU Water Framework Directive
- Particularly, article 8, the design of a monitoring network
- We informed you in three previous workshops
- The Cypriot Agencies and our consortium are happy to present the results of this project.

Overall Project

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Scheme 1

Evaluation of existing situation and framework conditions

Scheme 2

Monitoring programmes developed and Action Plan prepared

Scheme 3

Development of Integrated Databases Scheme 4

Implementation of the Monitoring Programme

Scheme 5

Capacity Building and Training Programme

Objective

- Efficient and reliable groundwater and surface water monitoring networks in accordance with WFD developed and established
- Standardisation of data collection and data recording procedures achieved

A lot has been achieved

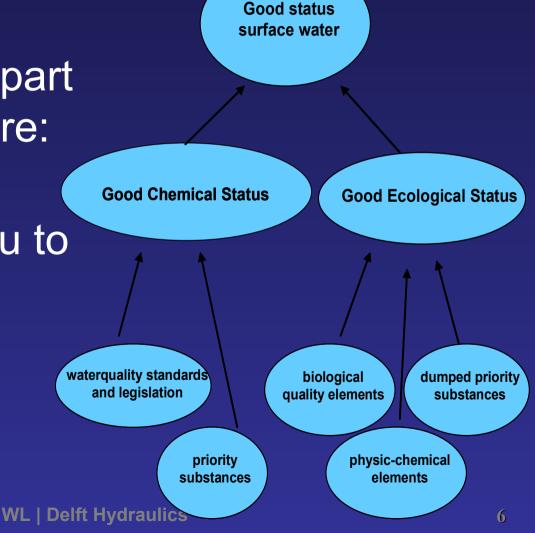
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- we explored and agreed on the Framework Conditions, our starting point
- we designed a monitoring network that fulfilled the requirements of the water framewrok
 Directive
- we developed a database and GIS system that is suitable to store and present the data
- we trained staff to monitor, analyse, store and present data
- we suported the implementation of the monitoring

Ready for the next step?

The monitoring is part of a bigger picture:

Knowledge of the status allows you to take maeasures



What is the next step for Cyprus

Year	Issue
2000	Directive entered into force
2003	Transposition in national legislation Identification of River Basin Districts and Authorities
2004	Characterisation of river basin: pressures, impacts and economic analysis
2006	Establishment of monitoring network
	Start public consultation
2008	Present draft river basin management plan
2008 2009	Present draft river basin management plan Finalise river basin management plan including progamme of measures
2009	Finalise river basin management plan including progamme of measures
2009	Finalise river basin management plan including progamme of measures Introduce pricing policies
2009 2010 2012	Finalise river basin management plan including progamme of measures Introduce pricing policies Make operational programmes of measures

The river basin management plan

All the elements of this analysis must be set out in a plan for the river basin. The plan is a detailed account of how the objectives set for the river basin (ecological status, quantitative status, chemical status and protected area objectives) are to be reached within the timescale required. The plan will include:

the river basin's characteristics,

Monitoring

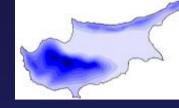
- a review of the impact of human activity on the status of waters in the basin,
- estimation of the effect of existing legislation and the remaining "gap" to meeting these objectives; and
- a set of measures designed to fill the gap.
- One additional component is that an economic analysis of water use within the river basin must be carried out. This is to enable there to be a rational discussion on the cost-effectiveness of the various possible measures.

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12:50 – 14:30 Συζήτηση

WFD Article 8 -