

Water policy in France

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Essential functions

- A clear overview of water policy
- A planning process
- A wide knowledge
- Management and administration
- Ownership and responsibility of works
- Technical management
- A sane economic network

The obvious constraints to each of us

- The geography and the river basins
- Inertia and irreversibility of some phenomenon
- Size and price of the building process
- The landplanning choice
- Water quality constraint
- The cost of water

Framework of french water policy

- French are lucky
- A founding law
- The planning
- The knowledge
- The administration
- The ownership of works
- Running facilities
- Financing water policy
 - Polluter-payer principle
 - Water pays for water

Various actors role

- The State
- The municipalities
- River basin agencies and river basin committees
- Private water companies

The RM&C Agency



The european context

- Main principles
- The present structure
- The framework directive

A new water law

- A updating of law enforcement
- A upgrading of the RBA system
- A simplification of the levies calculation
- Flood prevention and RBA
- Coordination between RBA and river basins solidarity
- Agriculture pollution

Thank you for your attention