

# SUSTAINABLE FUTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



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## **SUSTAINABLE FUTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS**

**Stimulating the Blue Green Economy  
for  
Regional, Socio-Economic &  
Spatial Development,  
while safeguarding  
Safety, Navigability as well as  
Environmental Values & Nature**

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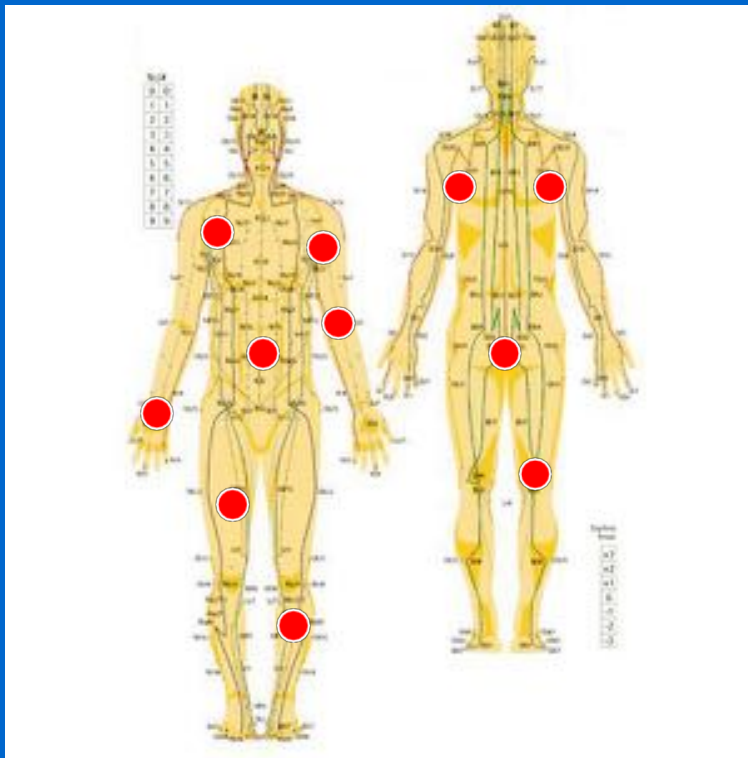
## **Introduction of AQUAPUNCTURE<sup>©</sup>**

**Optimal use, adaptation, experience and  
management of inland waterways and  
their waterfronts**

**for safety against flooding, water storage,  
navigability, economy, employment,  
environment and nature-landscape**

# ACUPUNCTURE

to revitalize  
the Nervous System  
& Human Organs



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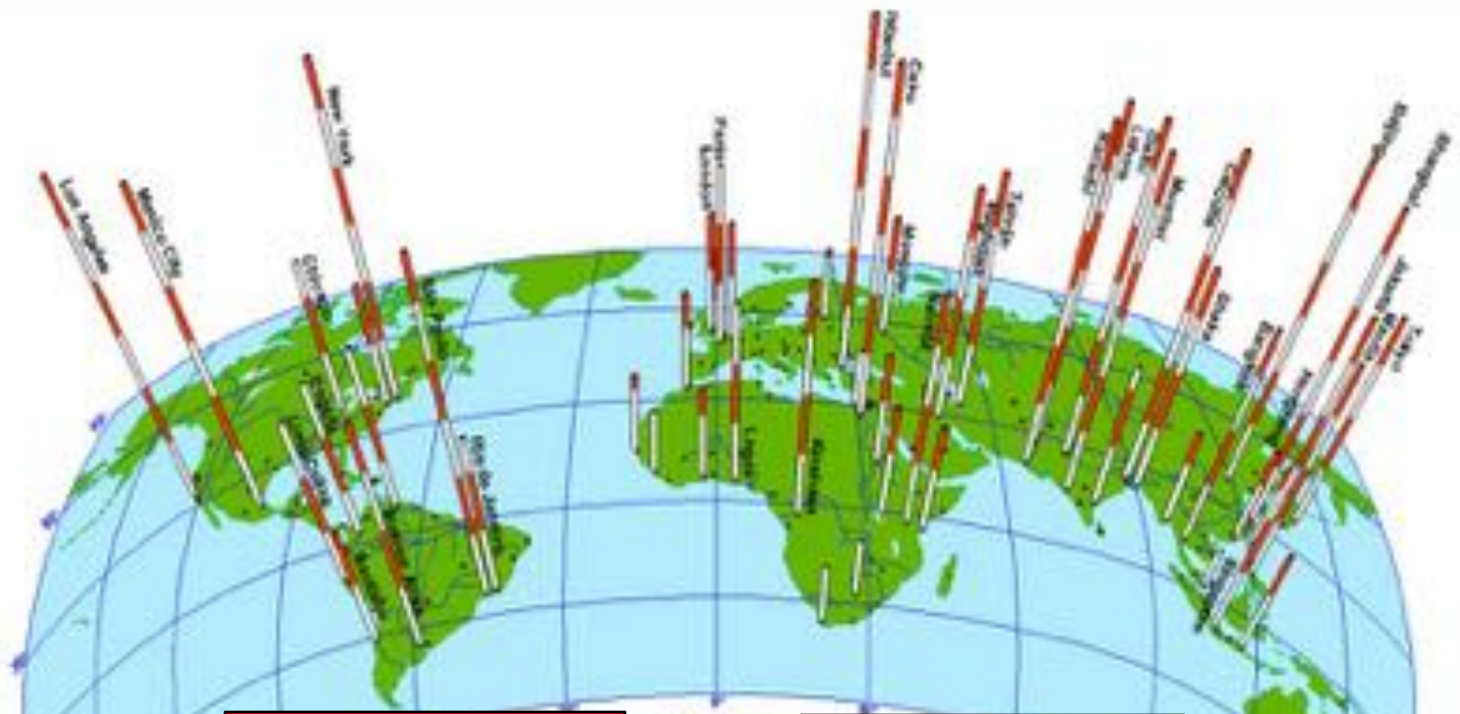
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the Waterways & their  
Water Fronts



Number of inhabitants in millions



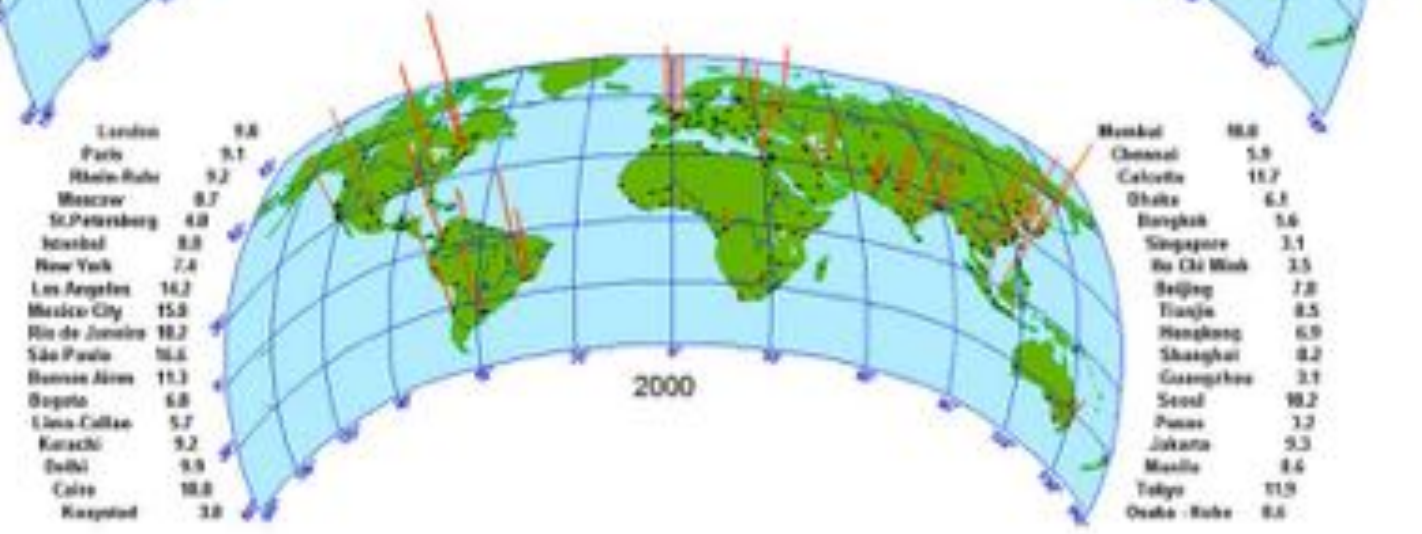
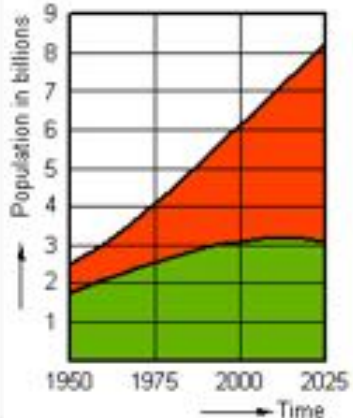
major city (more than 1 million inhabitants)



About 80 % of the major cities can be found in coastal and deltaic areas

A large part of the remaining 20% can be found upstream along rivers, lakes & canals

Growth of World Population in urban (red) and rural (green) areas in billions



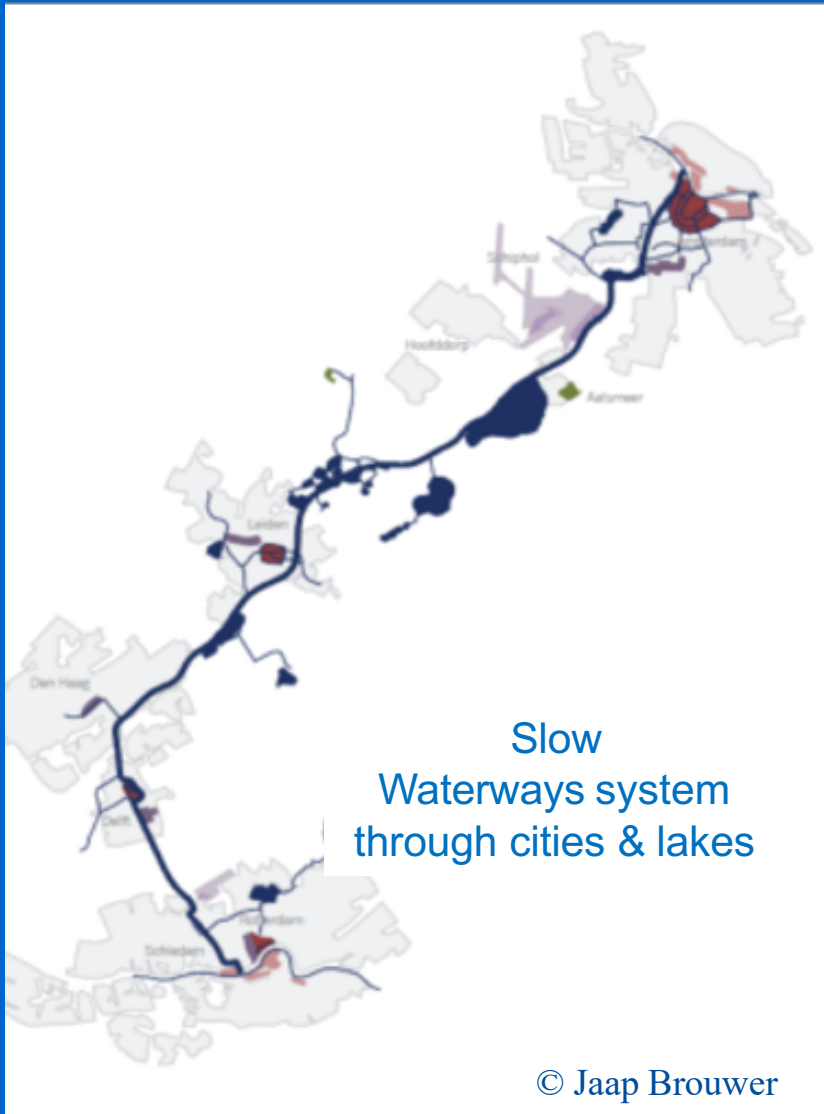
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Jerusalem	8.8
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Mexico City	15.8
Rio de Janeiro	16.2
São Paulo	16.6
Buenos Aires	11.3
Dagupan	6.8
Lima-Callao	5.7
Karachi	9.2
Dhaka	9.9
Calcutta	18.8
Kyoyutok	3.8

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Ho Chi Minh	2.5
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Tianjin	8.5
Hongkong	6.9
Shanghai	8.2
Guangzhou	3.1
Seoul	10.2
Pusan	3.2
Jakarta	9.3
Manila	8.6
Tokyo	11.9
Osaka-Kobe	8.6

European  
Inland  
Waterways



# AQUAPUNCTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



Waterways were always a focal point for settlements & economic activities.

We used to have the slow waterway system through cities & lakes.

Waterways were used for everything from drinking water supply, beer production, fishing, transport of persons & goods (a.o. coal, oil, peat, straw, sand, gravel, manure, fruit, vegetables, milk), defence, but also as open sewer.



# AQUAPUNCTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

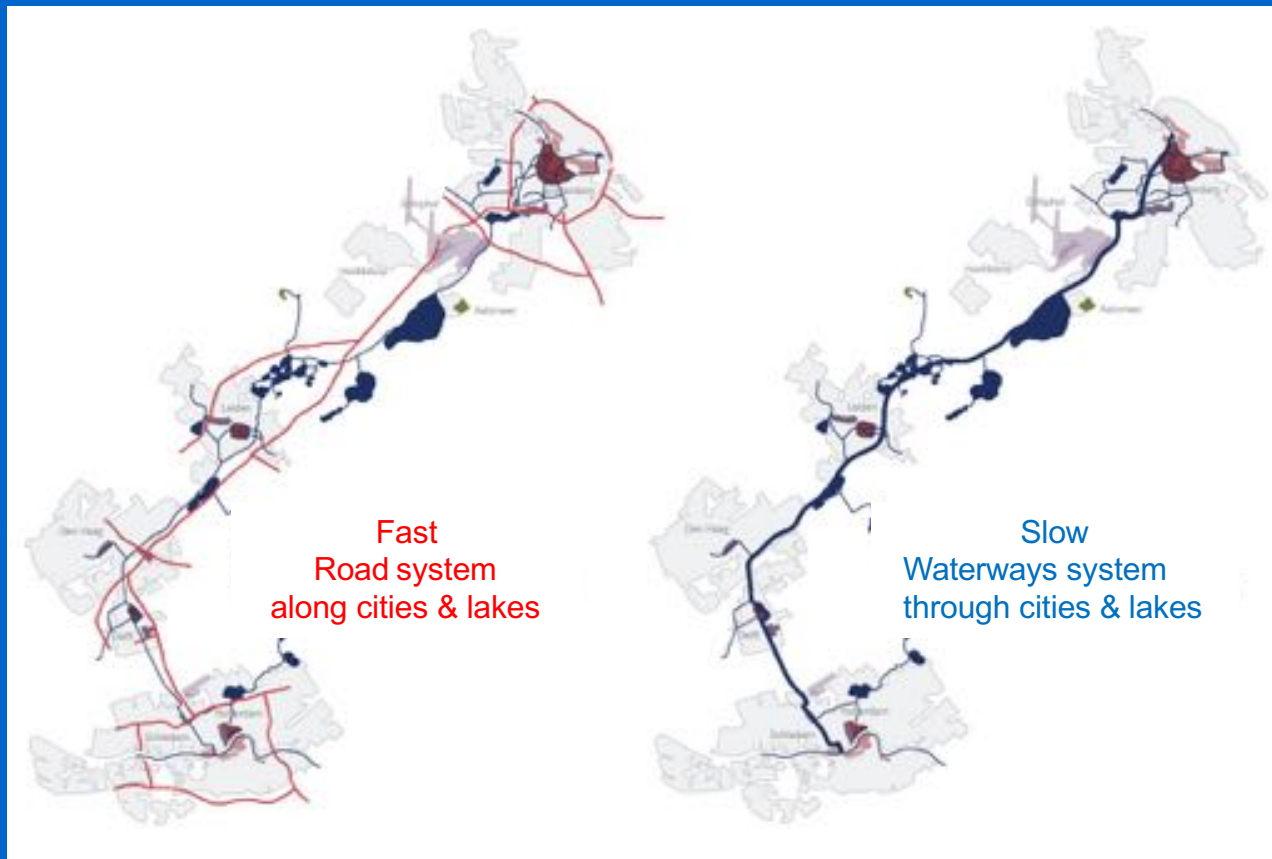


After the fast railway system came the fast road transport system along cities & lakes.

The waterway system became to a certain extent obsolete and its main function was taken over by the faster road system.

The spatial relation between the waterway and urban development became neglected.

# AQUAPUNCTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



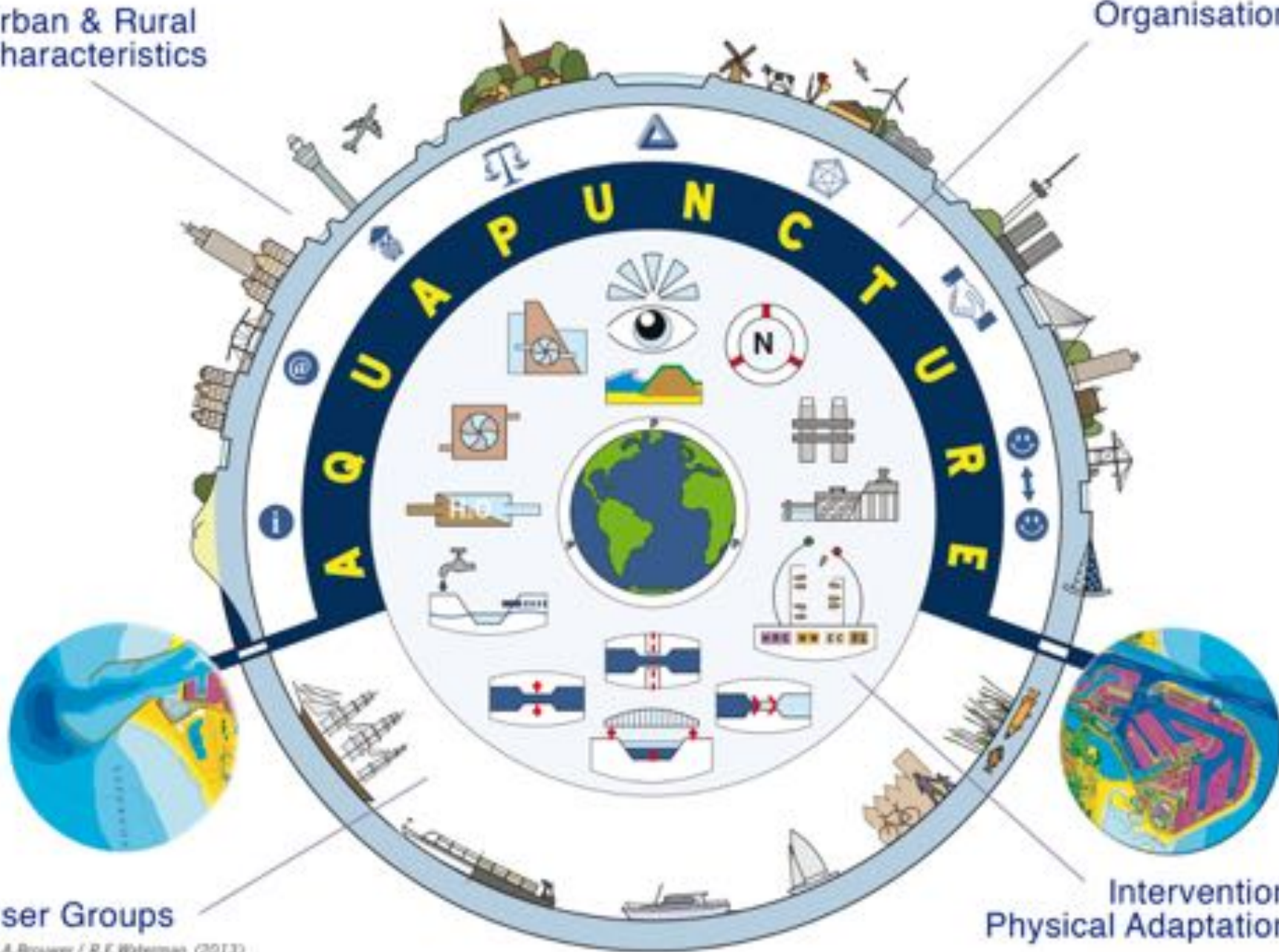
Now we are once again fully aware of the significance of this unique relation between the waterways and the adjacent urban & rural habitats.

Therefore we want to rediscover and revitalise the waterway network through

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Urban & Rural Characteristics

Organisation

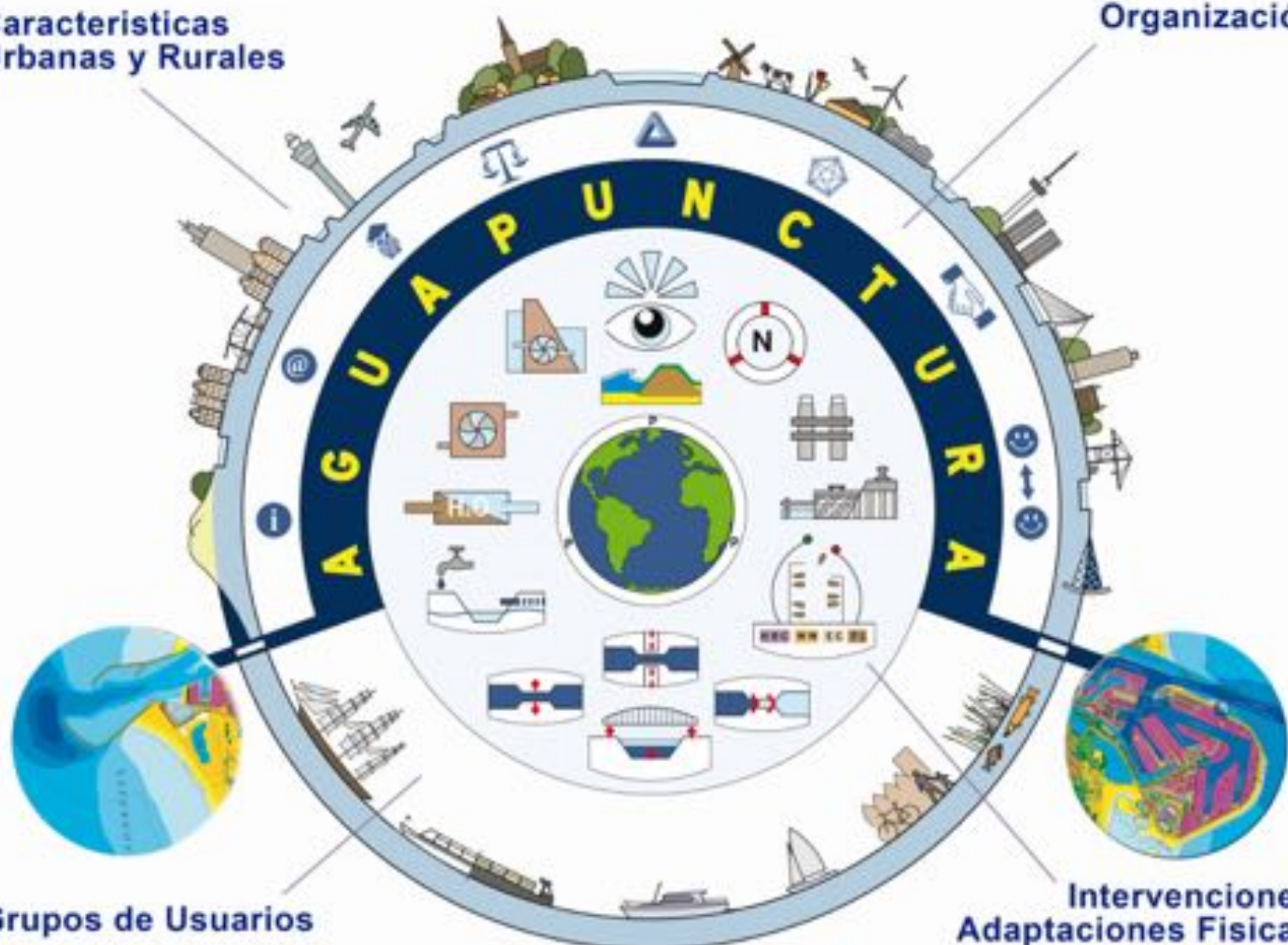


User Groups

Interventions  
Physical Adaptations

**Características Urbanas y Rurales**

**Organización**

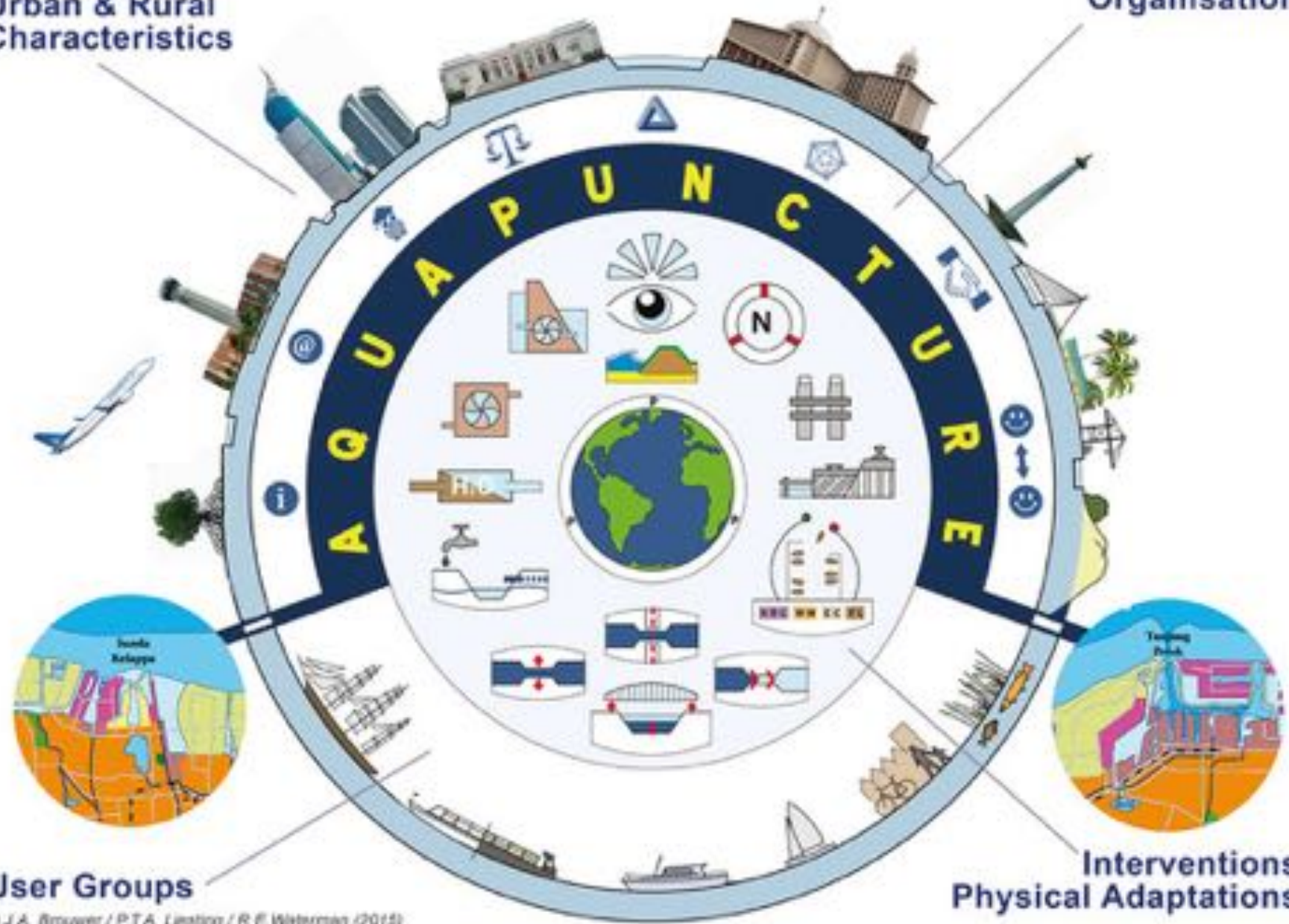


**Grupos de Usuarios**

**Intervenciones Adaptaciones Físicas**

Urban & Rural Characteristics

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# Urban & Rural Characteristics along the Waterways

Connection Inland Waterway with Seaport Marina & Nature Reserve Areas via Building with Nature<sup>©</sup>

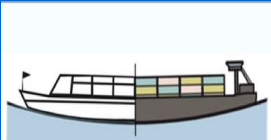
- 1 Soft Coastal Defense
- 2 City
- 3 Village
- 4 Culture & History
- 5 Farms, Agriculture, Horticulture, Nature
- 6 Modern City & Port
- 7 Strong Coastal Defence

Connection Inland Waterway with Mainport Development & Nature Reserve Area via Building with Nature<sup>©</sup>





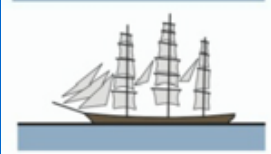
# User Groups in and along the Waterways



**Commercial Shipping**



**Tourism & Recreation**



**Special Nautical Events**



**Water Related Sports**



**Waterfront Users & Developers**

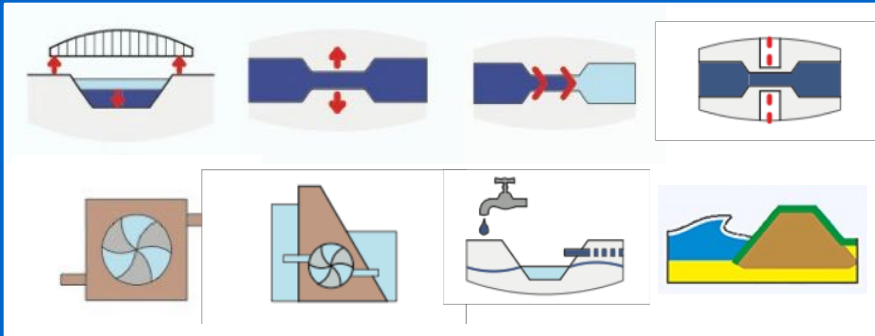


**Aquatic / Terrestrial Flora & Fauna**

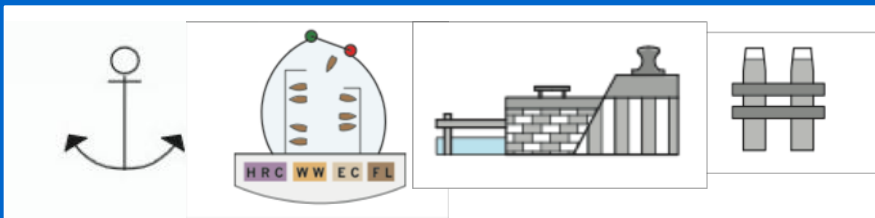


# Physical Adaptations - Interventions

## Physical Adaptations



## Realisation of Facilities



**Safety including  
Nautical Safety**

## Enhancing Spatial Qualities



**Measures for improving  
Safety & Environment  
Mitigating measures with  
regard to Climate Change**



**Water use for  
Agriculture  
Aquaculture  
Drinking Water  
Cooling & Process Water  
Energy  
Transport  
Water Level Control**



# Organisation for Waterway & Waterfront Development



**Stakeholder Participation**



**Public & Private Partnership**



**Societal Costs & Benefits**



**Cooperation with 5 levels of Government**



**Trias Politica: Legislative / Judicial / Executive Power**



**Knowledge & Education**

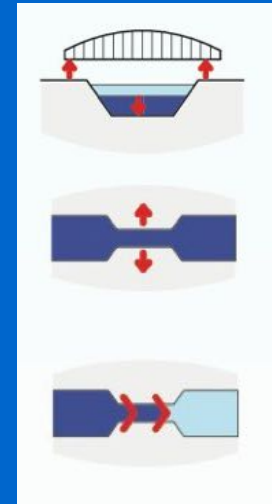
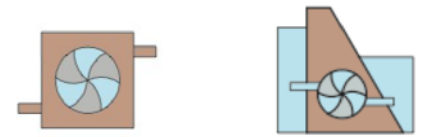


**Information, Awareness, Promotion**



**Communication Tools (e.g. Internet & Apps)**

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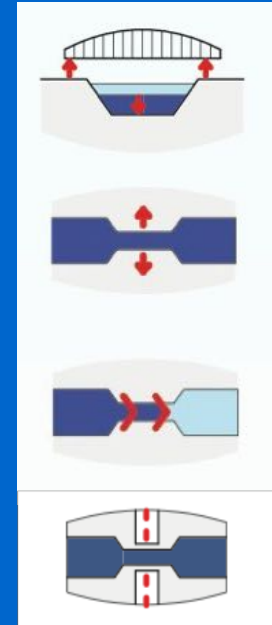


Height bridges  
above water  
surface

Depth waterway  
through  
environment-  
friendly dredging

Enlarging sluice  
/shiplock capacity

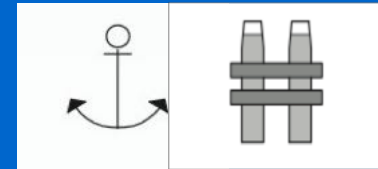
# Physical Adaptations - Interventions



Urban development with connecting waterways

Boat conveyor

# Realisation of Facilities



**Moorings**

**Berths with facilities**



**Jetties, Quay walls,  
Loading/Unloading  
Platforms  
Container Terminals**



**Yachting harbour**

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# Safety including Nautical Safety



**Safety against  
Flooding**



**Nautical Safety**

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# Enhancing Spatial Qualities



**Enhancing  
blue-green  
spatial qualities of  
rural & urban areas**

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# Enhancing Spatial Qualities



▲ Amsterdam

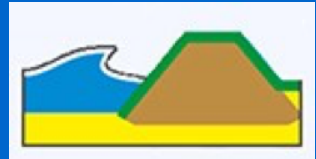
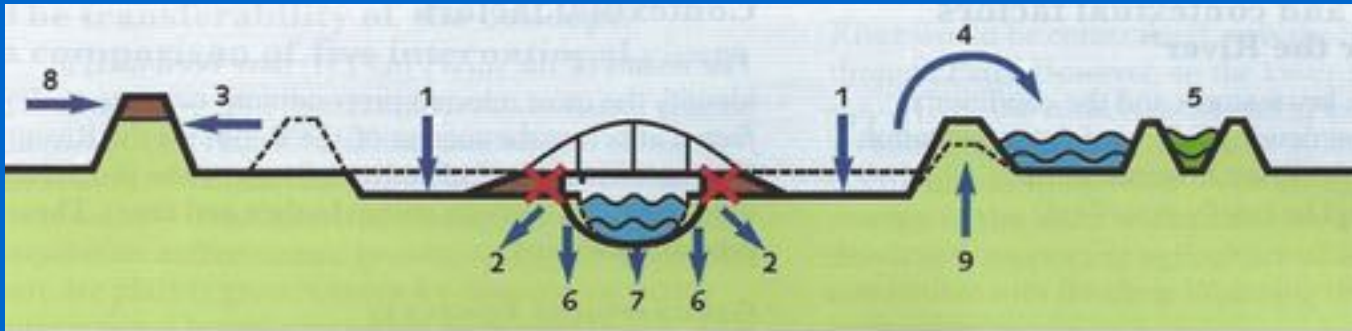
▼ Rotterdam



City meets  
blue-green  
landscape



# Mitigating measures with regard to Climate Change



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|---------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 Lowering of floodplains | 4 Water retention and storage | 7 Deepening of summer bed |
| 2 Removal of obstacles    | 5 By-pass                     | 8 Heightening of dykes    |
| 3 Dyke relocation         | 6 Height reduction of groynes | 9 Dyke improvement        |



Room for the River

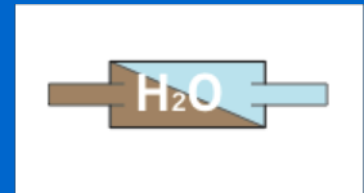
Calamity Storage

Retention Basins

Flood Prevention



# Measures for Improving the Environment



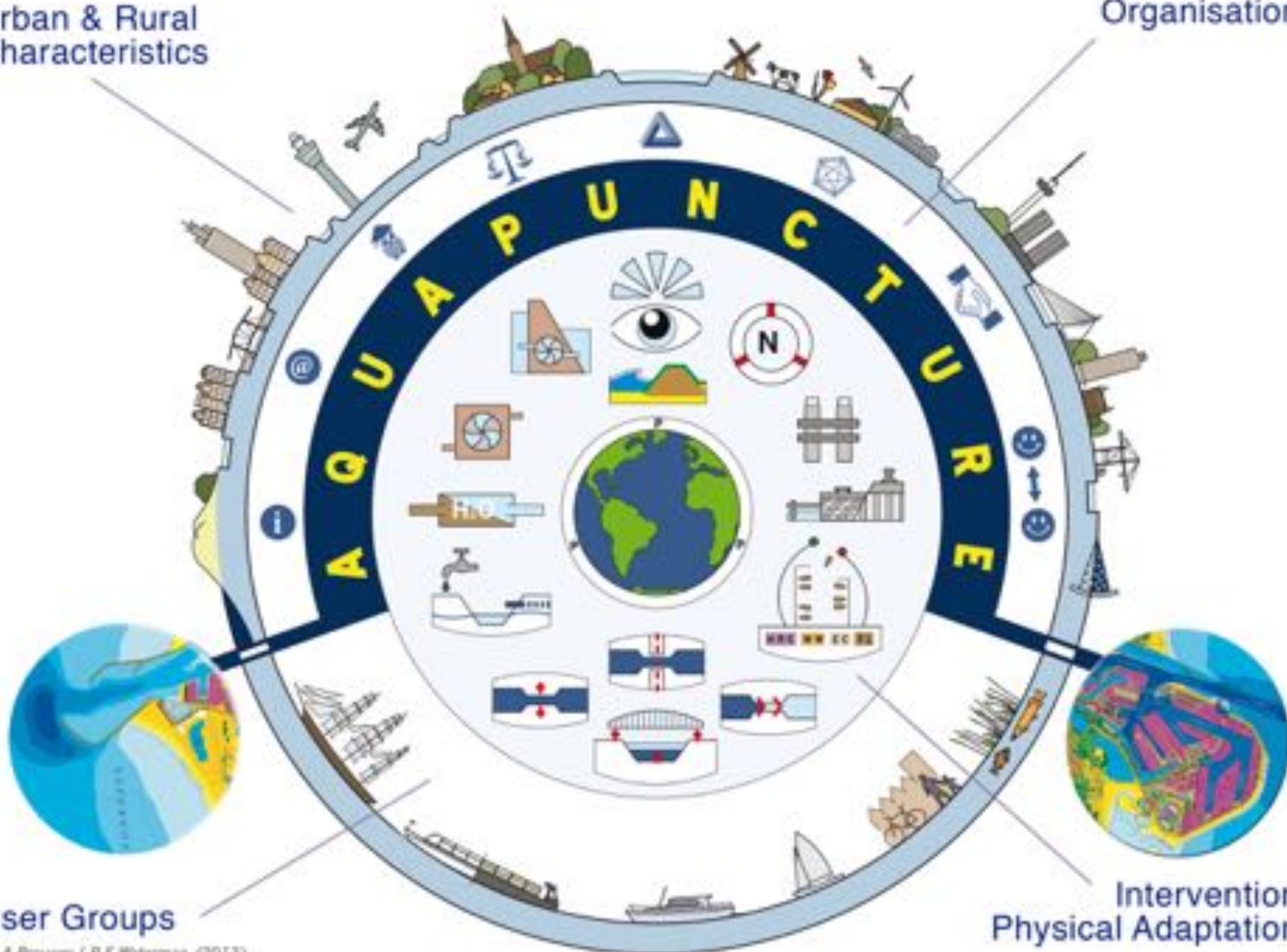
**Waste Water  
Emission  
Prevention**

**Waste Water  
Purification**

**Water Framework  
Directive**

Urban & Rural Characteristics

Organisation



User Groups

Interventions  
Physical Adaptations

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## Societal Costs & Benefits Analysis

For the physical adaptations / interventions in and along the waterways initial investments are necessary. These are followed in a later stage by revenues of various types and from various sources.

- **WATER QUANTITY REVENUES**

flood prevention, surface- & ground water regulation, drainage, irrigation for agriculture, drinking water supply, cooling water, process water, water flow, thermal & osmotic energy

- **WATER QUALITY REVENUES**

water quality: beneficial to environment, nature & health

- **NAVIGABILITY REVENUES**

transport of persons and goods, water related sports, tourism & recreation

- **WATERFRONT ATTRACTION REVENUES**

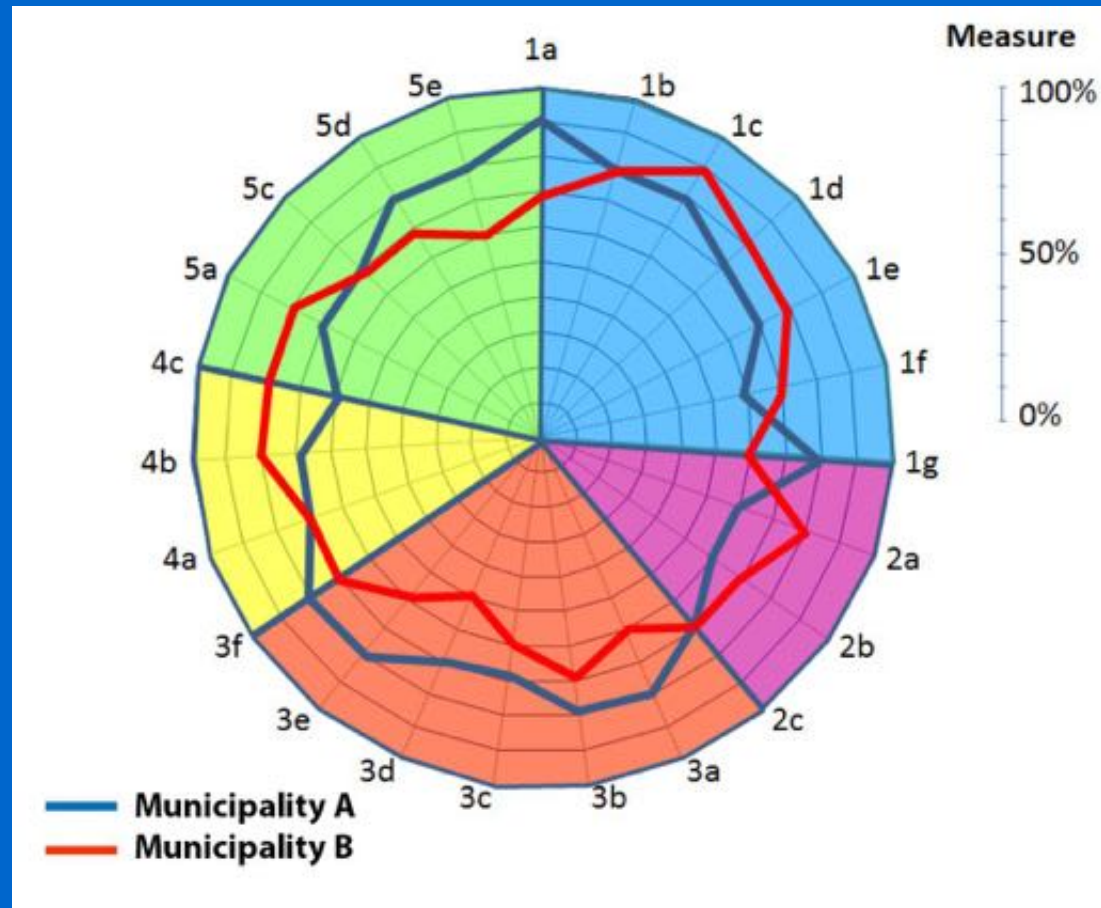
increased liveability, economic activities and increased value of property

- **SPATIAL QUALITY REVENUES**

improved urban & rural environment, preservation & restoration of cultural heritage, attractive residential areas, leisure parks, sustainable industrial parks; overall sustainability also with regard to climate & climate change

Values	Objectives
1. <b>Water quantity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Ensure flood protection</li> <li>b) Surface water &amp; ground water regulation</li> <li>c) Drainage, irrigation for agriculture &amp; aquaculture</li> <li>d) Drinking water supply</li> <li>e) Cooling water</li> <li>f) Process water</li> <li>g) Water flow, thermal, osmotic energy</li> </ul>
2. <b>Water quality</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Improvement of water quality for environment</li> <li>b) Improvement of water quality for nature</li> <li>c) Improvement of water quality for health</li> </ul>
3. <b>Navigability</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Commercial transport of persons</li> <li>b) Commercial transport of goods</li> <li>c) Tourism and recreation</li> <li>d) Special events on/at water</li> <li>e) Water related sports</li> <li>f) Waterway classification &amp; connectivity</li> </ul>
4. <b>Water front revenues</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Increased liveability</li> <li>b) Economic activities</li> <li>c) Increased value of property</li> </ul>
5. <b>Spatial quality revenues</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Improved urban &amp; rural environment</li> <li>b) Preservation &amp; restoration of cultural heritage</li> <li>c) Attractive residential &amp; business areas</li> <li>d) Leisure parks, sustainable industrial parks</li> <li>e) Overall sustainability, also with regard to climate &amp; climate change</li> </ul>

## Aquapuncture - Shared Value: Societal Costs & Benefits Measurement Model





# Regional Waterway System



## Objective: Sustainable Environment for Living & Working

Utilization & Improvement  
Inland Waterways

Socio-Economic & Spatial  
Development

Preservation & Development  
Environment & Nature

Climate Change  
Adaptation

## Aspects

Navigational  
Routes  
(bottleneck analysis)

Waterway  
Facilities

Spatial  
Quality

Cultural  
Heritage

Environment  
&  
Nature

Climate

## Users

Commercial  
Shipping

Touristic &  
Recreational  
Boating

Watersports

Waterfront  
Developers & Users

Special  
Nautical  
Events

Flora & Fauna  
Micro-organisms

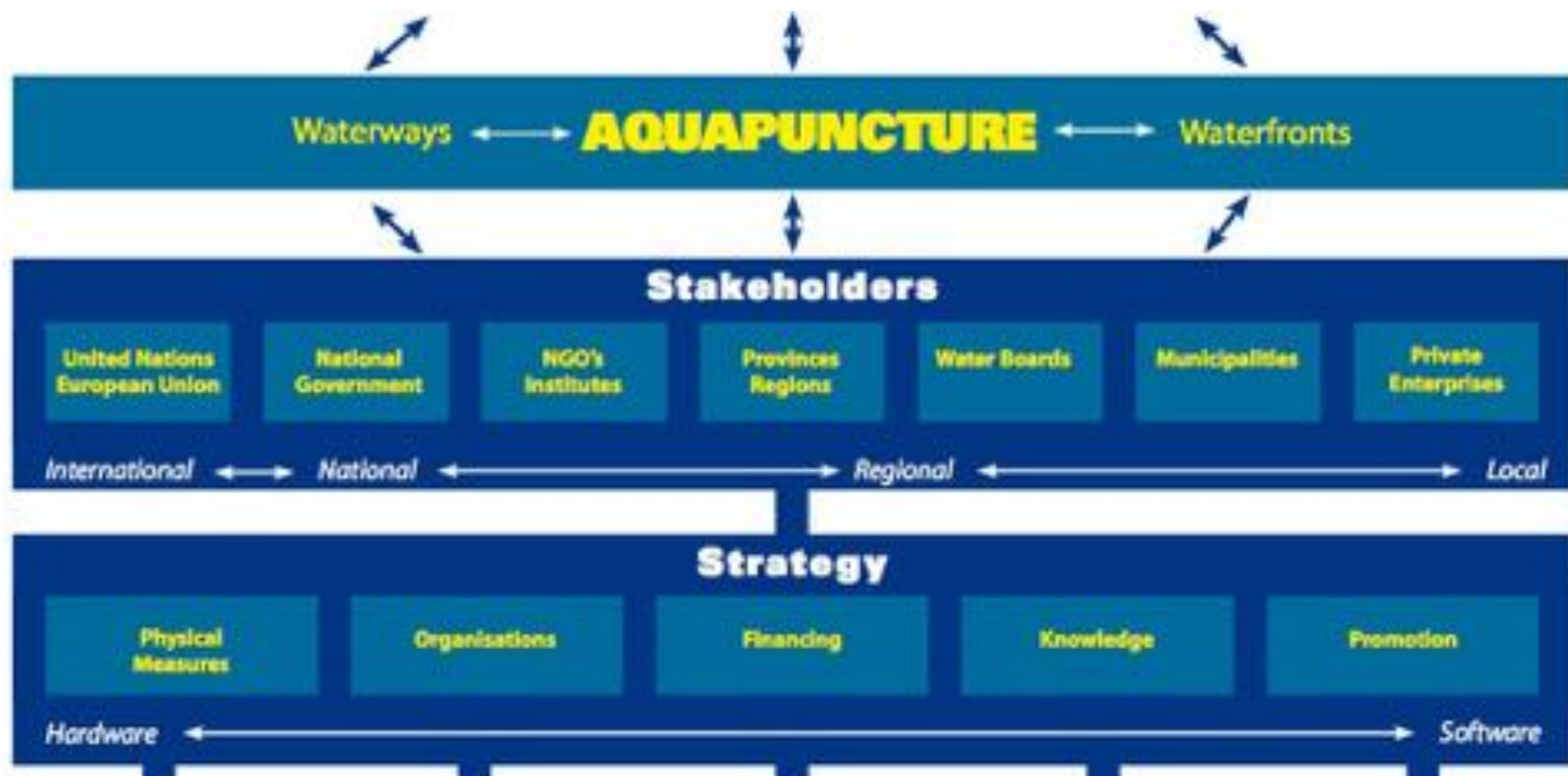
On water

Along / In the water

Waterways

**AQUAPUNCTURE**

Waterfronts



Waterways ↔ **AQUAPUNCTURE** ↔ Waterfronts

### Projects

Navigational Waterway Improvement

New shipping routes

Mooring Facilities

Berths & Marinas

Loading & Unloading Platforms

Container Terminals

Navigational Urbanisation

Waterstorage Basins

Nature Improvement & Development

### Projects

Bridge & Sluice Improvement / Servicing

Nautical Safety

Stakeholder Cooperation

Stakeholder Participation

Stakeholder Platforms

### Projects

Social - Economic Cost / Benefit Analysis

Nautical Vignette

Blue Tax

Private Investments

Public - Private Partnership

Public Financing

### Projects

European Waterways Forward

WaterAtlas

Symposia Congresses

Courses

Water Workshops Masterclasses

Waterways Knowledge Centre

### Projects

WaterAtlas

Water Transfer Points

Signposting along the Waterway

Historic Routes

GPS Routes / Apps

Website Touristic Waterguide

Touristic Transfer Points

Blue Flag

Blue Pennant

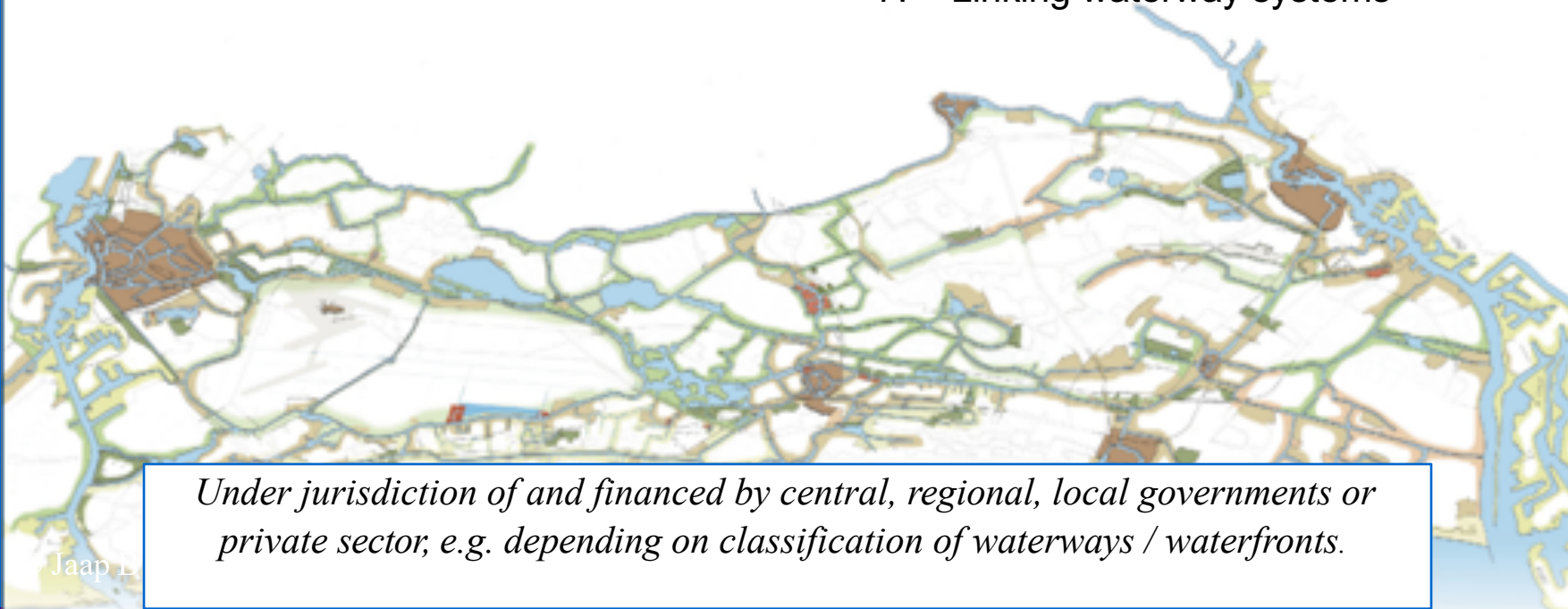
Short term

Long term

# UPGRADING WATERWAY SYSTEMS THROUGH AQUAPUNCTURE

## Adaptation of the waterways

1. Adaptation of height under bridges
2. Expanding sluice/shiplock capacity
3. Increasing depth through environment-friendly dredging methods
4. Waterway widening
5. River & canal bank adaptation
6. Waterlevel regulation
7. Linking waterway systems

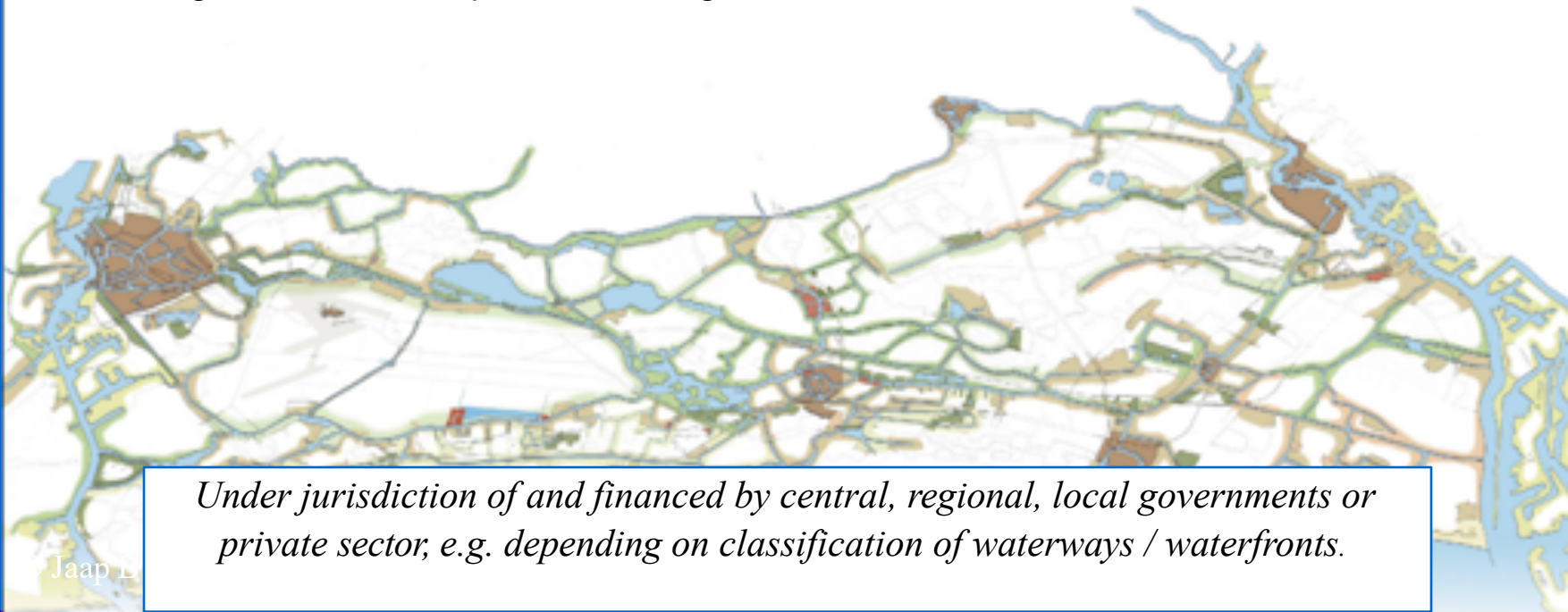




# UPGRADING WATERWAY SYSTEMS THROUGH AQUAPUNCTURE

## Waterway facilities

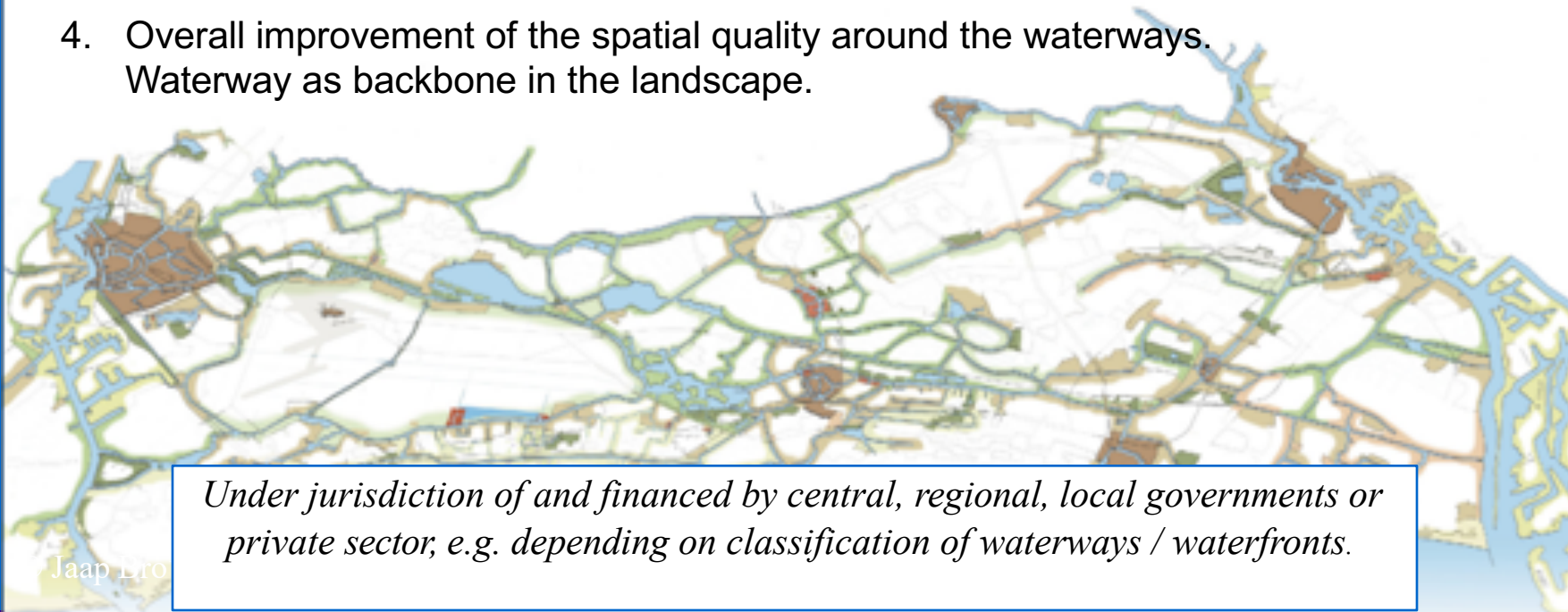
1. Introduction of berths, marinas with facilities & bollards for mooring
2. Introduction of quay walls, loading/unloading platforms & inland container terminals
3. Bridge and sluice/shiplock servicing



# UPGRADING WATERWAY SYSTEMS THROUGH AQUAPUNCTURE

## Waterfront facilities

1. Cycle- & footpaths, parking space along the waterway
2. Maintaining & restoring & purposeful using cultural heritage values in and along the waterway
3. Introduction of hotel, restaurant, café/pub facilities, museums, water related shops, leisure parks along the waterway
4. Overall improvement of the spatial quality around the waterways. Waterway as backbone in the landscape.



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# Recreational Navigation Classification



DESIGNATION	OPEN BOAT	CABIN CRUISER	MOTOR YACHT	SAILING BOAT	MOTOR BARGE
CLASS	RA	RB	RC	RD	I
MAX. LENGTH (M)	5.5	9.5	15.0	15.0	38.5
MAX. BEAM (M)	2.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	5.05
DRAUGHT (M)	0.5	1.0	1.5	2.0	1.8 – 2.2
MIN. HEIGHT UNDER BRIDGES (M)	2.0	3.25	4.0	30.0	4.0

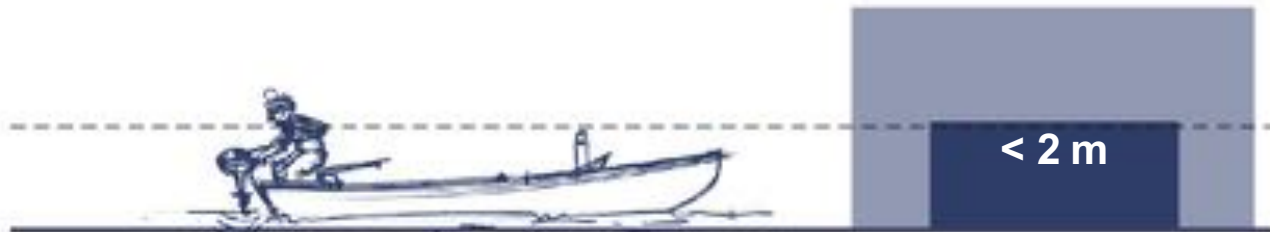
# AQUAPUNCTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



**Cruiser**



**Barge / Boat / Dinghy**



**BM / Rowing boat / canoe**

**Waterway classification is a.o. depending on the height of the bridges above the water surface and waterway dredging depth**

# AQUAPUNCTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



Not only to improve but also to extend the waterway system

# AQUAPUNCTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



Revenue = € X



Revenue = € X + 15,000

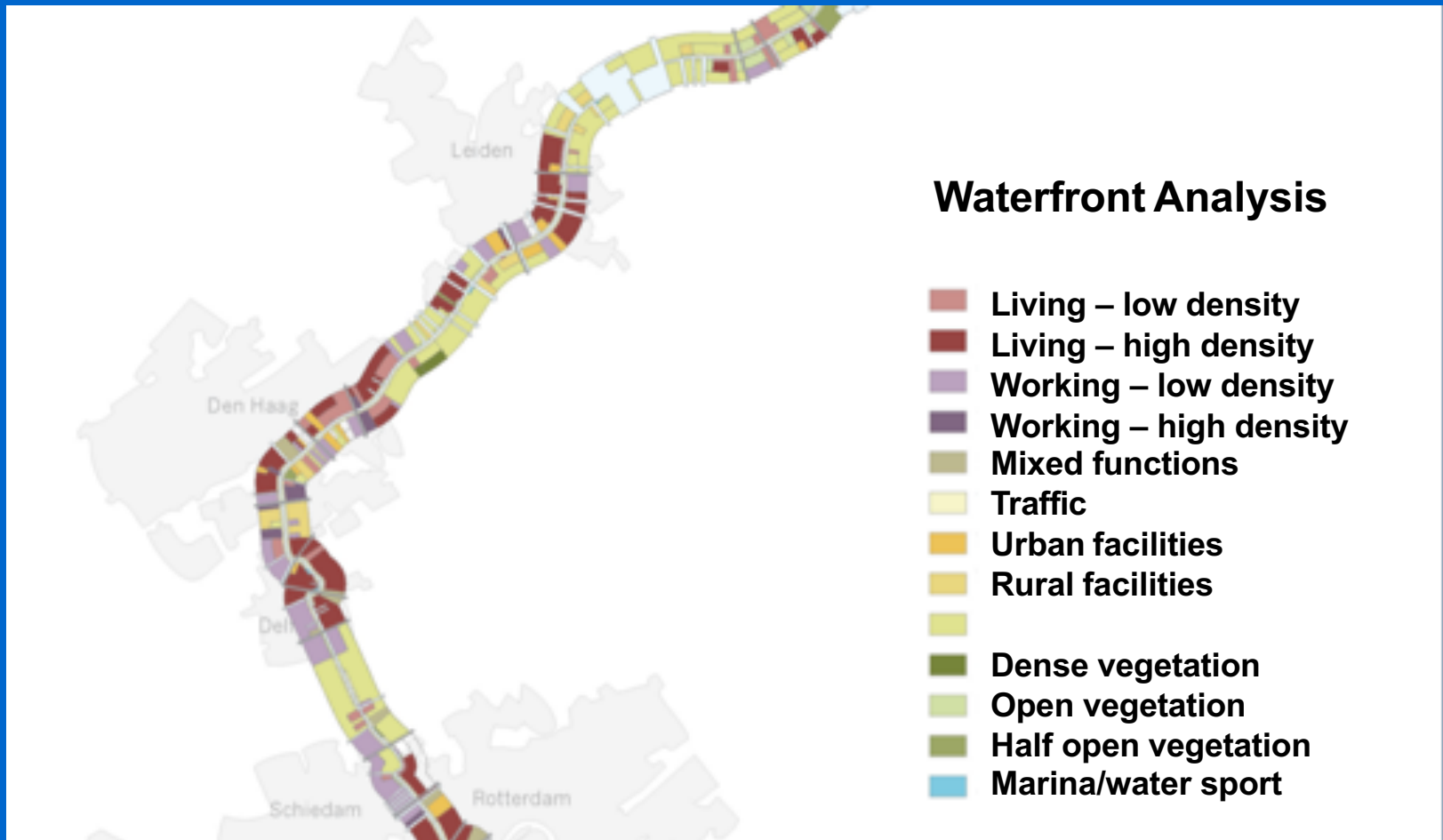


Revenue = € X + 40,000

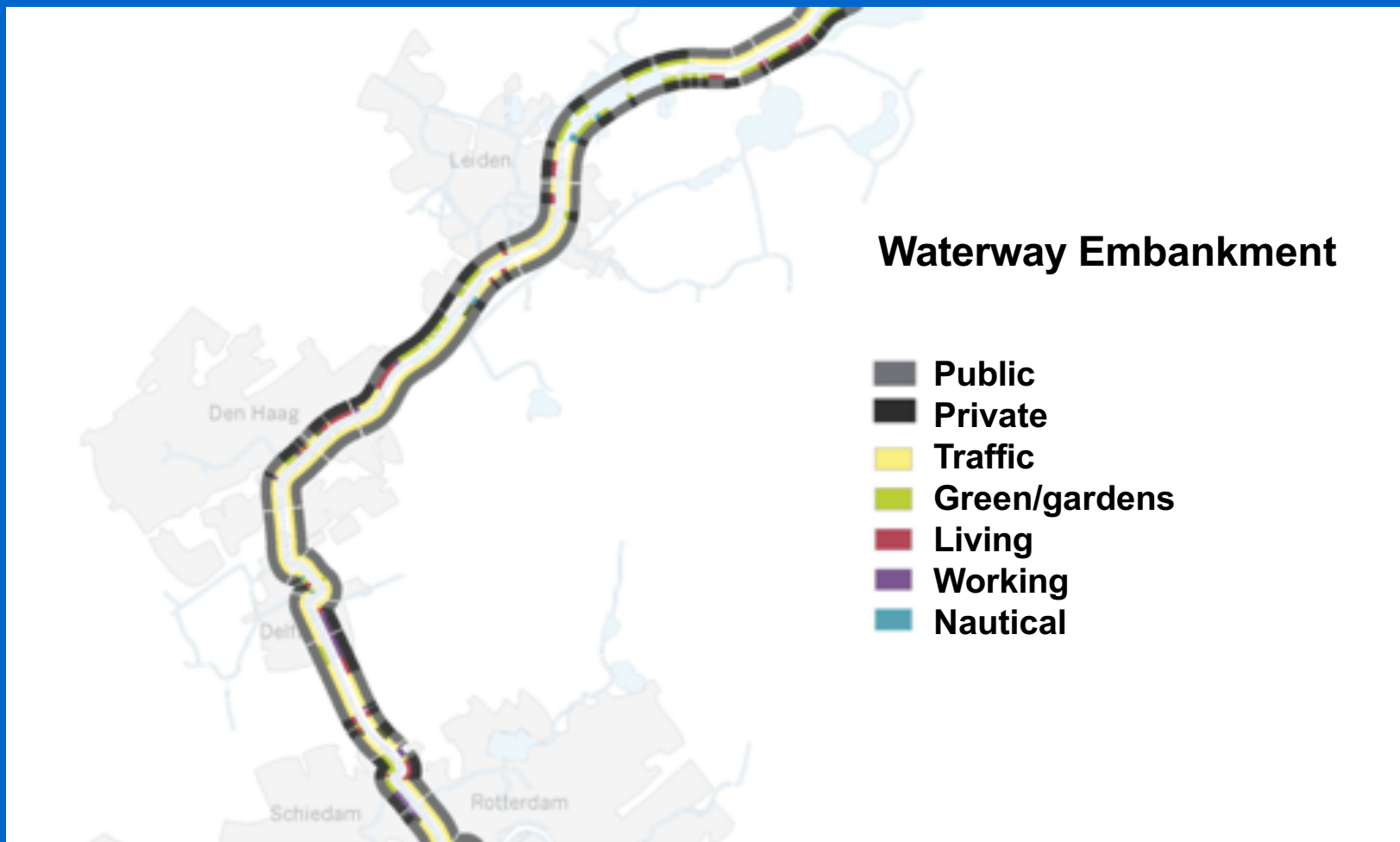
The social-economic significance of water-related tourism / recreation is self-evident and shows in the total revenues and employment figures.

Furthermore waterway improvement leads to higher values of real estate along the waterfront.

# WATERWAY & WATERFRONT CHARACTERISTICS

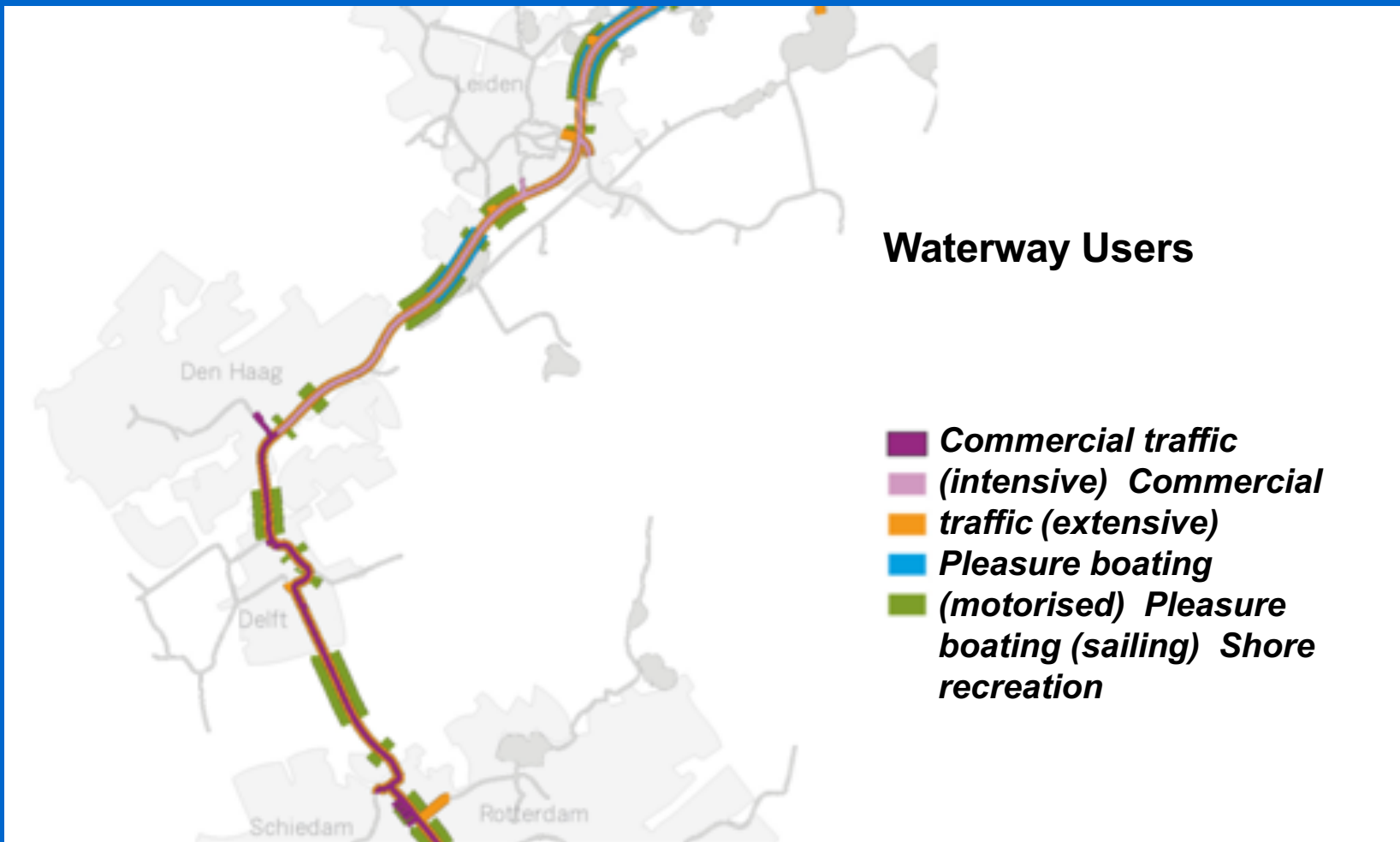


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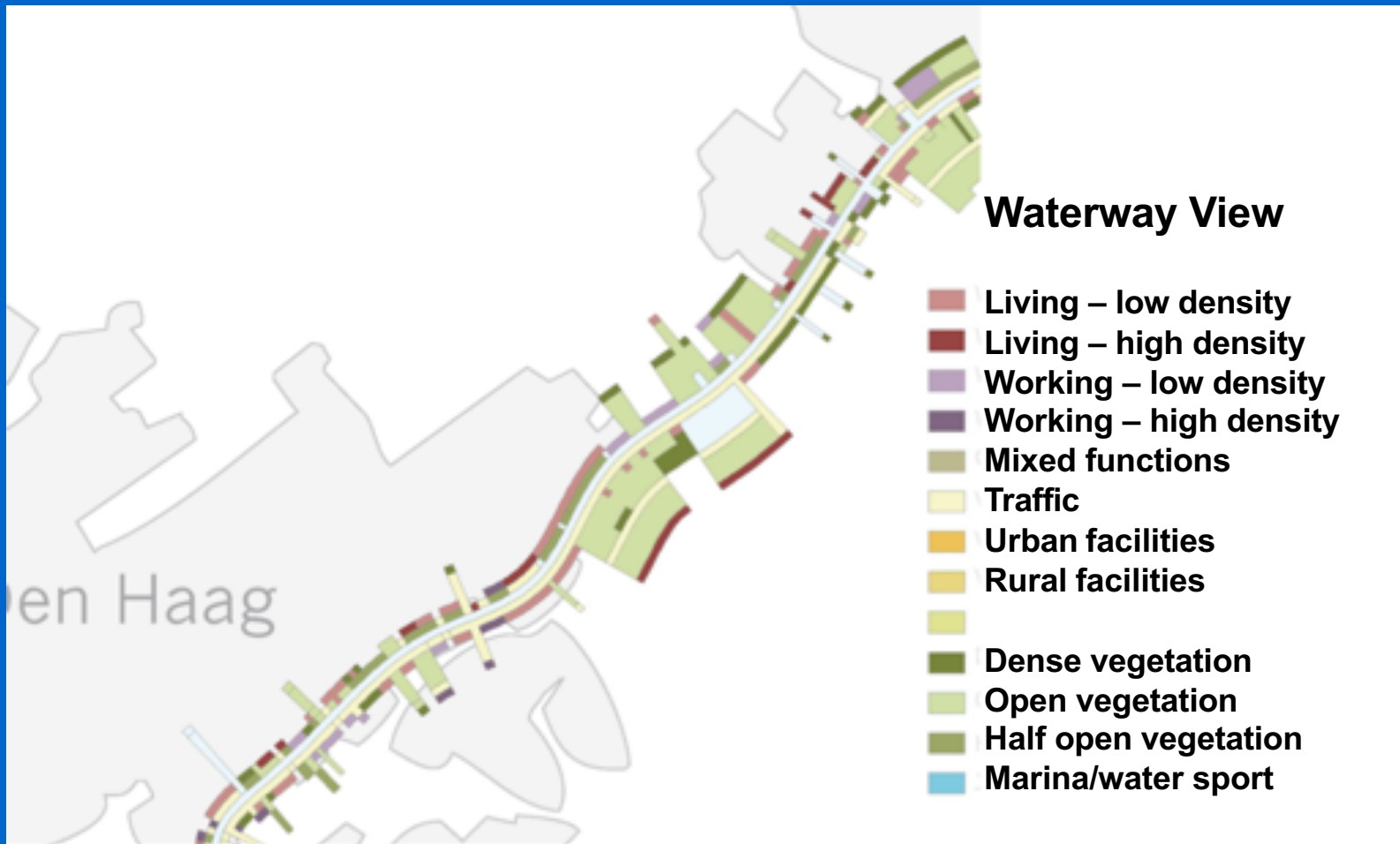




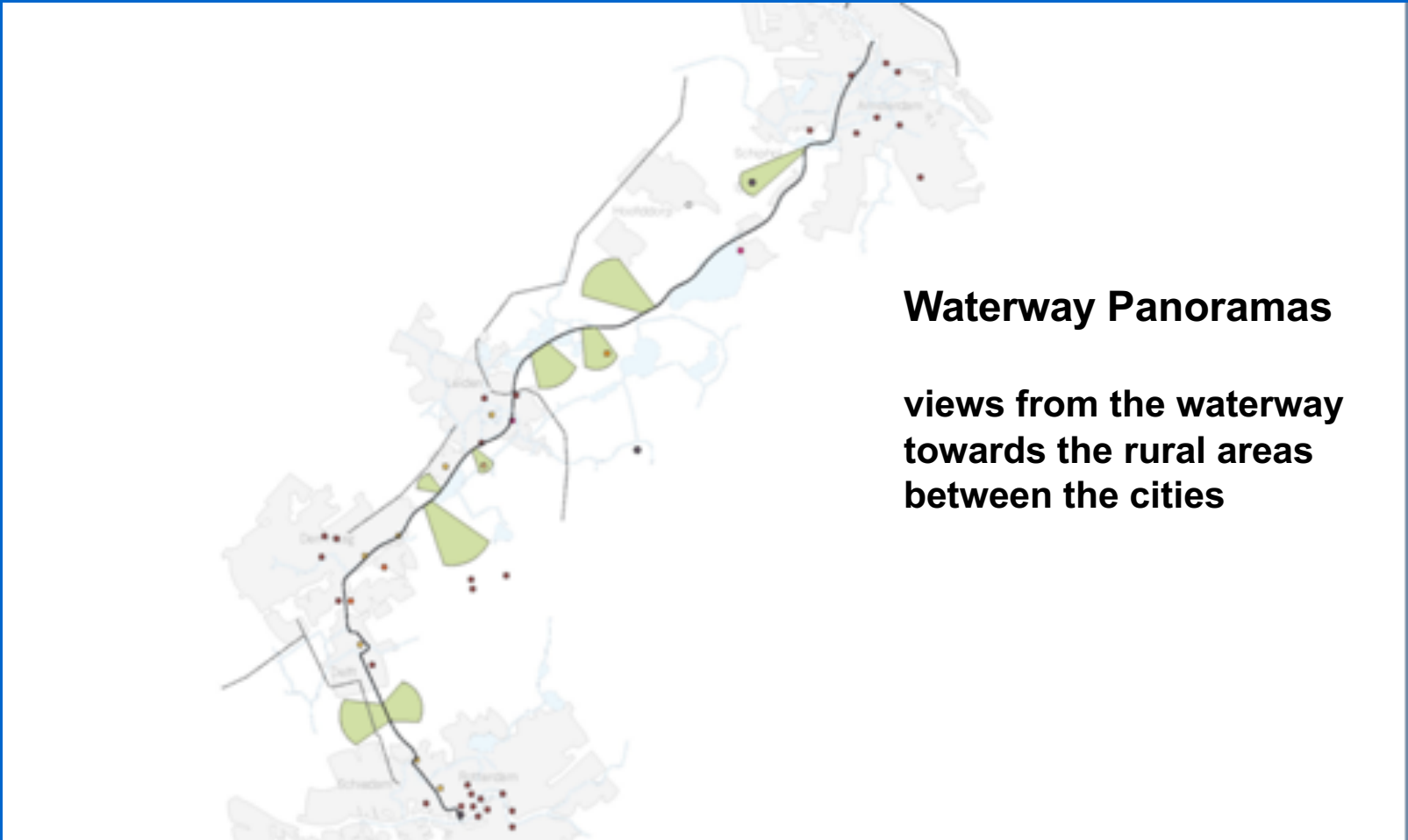
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## Waterway Panoramas

views from the waterway  
towards the rural areas  
between the cities

# UPGRADING WATERWAY SYSTEMS THROUGH AQUAPUNCTURE

## Environmental measures

1. Introduction of environment-friendly banks / shores
2. Improving overall water quality and aquatic & terrestrial ecosystems
3. Implementation of Water Framework Directive for canals, rivers & lakes
4. Conservation of protected species within Natura 2000 and other designated sites
5. Controlling of invasive flora en fauna species (AIS) in inland waterways, using innovative methods e.g. bio-degradable mats
6. Waterway improvement by cutting overgrowth and by removal of excessive aquatic plants
7. Waterway quality improvement by aeration, a.o. through placing stones in shallow streams and air bubble screens; increasing waterflow
8. Monitoring before, during & after measures for improving water quality
9. Introduction of electrically powered vessels

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# UPGRADING WATERWAY SYSTEMS THROUGH AQUAPUNCTURE

## Environmental measures

10. Waste water storage, transport & treatment both on shore as on pleasure crafts
11. Environment-friendly dredging methods to achieve and maintain channel depths
12. Re-introduction of indigenous flora and fauna species
13. Creating conditions for nature development (Building with Nature)
14. Intermodal transition from motorway to waterway transport for freight and persons (boat bus) using Eco-calculator models
15. Measures against eutrophication through waste water purification and by reducing use of fertilizers in agriculture
16. Improving environment – nature – landscape through education & active volunteer participation
17. Promotion of eco-tourism in and near Nature 2000 areas / sites
18. Introduction of the Blue Pennant as environmental quality mark for vessels
19. Introduction of the Blue Flag for municipalities to promote good swimming water quality for the public waters

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# SUSTAINABLE FUTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

Special berths with facilities



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# SUSTAINABLE FUTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

Special berths  
with facilities



# Value of Water Recreation



## Culture History



## Relation Urban - Rural



## Residential Quality



## Societal & Business Quality



## Health



# Water Recreation in The Netherlands (2015)

**2.600.000 vacationers**  
**507.800 vessels**  
**1.160 yachting harbours**  
**18.690.000 shipping days**  
**20.370 employees**  
**4.200 businesses**

**Turnover:**  
**€ 4.500.000.000 / year**

Source:  
Waterrecreatie  
Nederland





# GIS MAPS TOURISM & RECREATION SOUTH-HOLLAND



## Waterways Network

Waterway Physical  
Waterway Organisation  
Waterway Network Routes

Bridge  
Sluice  
Aqueduct  
Servicing  
Blue Wave

Harbours  
Passer-by Births  
Shopping Jetty  
Anchorage  
Waiting Station

Trailer Slope  
Portage

Nautical Safety

Internet/Apps/Signing

## Waterfronts

Horeca  
Attractions  
Events

Cars  
Public Transport  
Ferry  
Touristic Transfer Point

Walking Path  
Cycling Path  
Public Space

Arrangements

## Environment

### Nature Landscape

Water Quality  
Flora & Fauna  
Nature Development  
Landscape



# GIS MAPS TOURISM & RECREATION SOUTH-HOLLAND



## Usage

River & Canal Cruise  
Waterbus / Watertaxi

Sailing Boat

Motorboat

Sloop

Canoe

Swimming

Diving

Fishing

Surfing

Kiting

Speedboating

Rowing

Scouting

Thematic Routes

## Culture History

Countryside

Urban Site

Nautical Site

Landscape Structure

Urban Structure

Nautical Structure

Landscape Heritage

Industrial Heritage

Water related Heritage

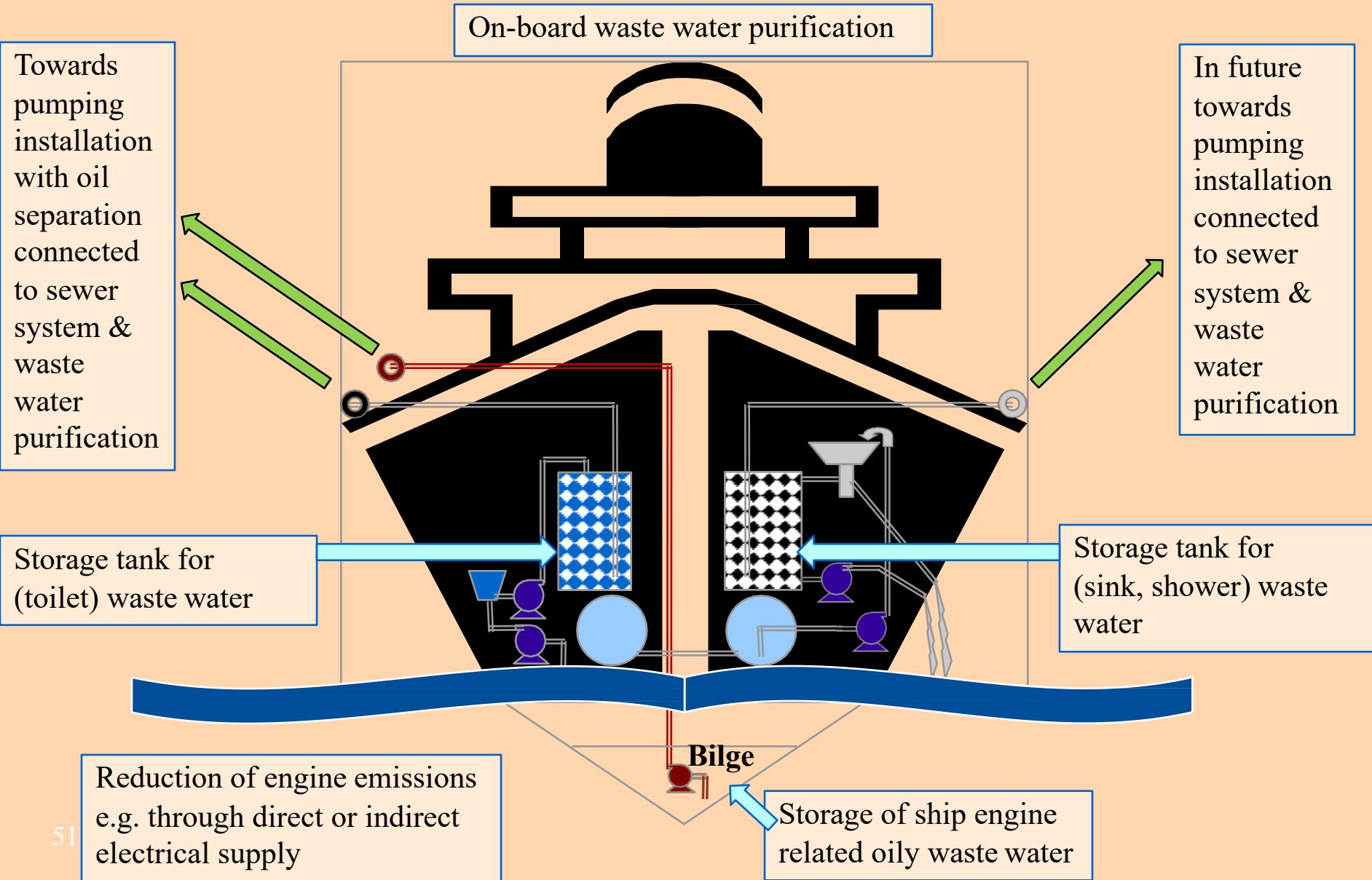
Nautical Heritage

Shipping Heritage

Geopolitical Heritage

Musea

# On-board technical provisions starting 2009



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# SUSTAINABLE FUTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



**New inland  
container terminal  
for brewery**





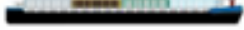











**New sluice  
for shipbuilding**



## Types of vessels

ECMT Category	Types of vessels	
I	Spits 	14X 
	Length 38,50 m - width 5,05 m - draught 2,20 m - cargo capacity 350 t	
II	Campine vessel 	22X 
	Length 55 m - width 6,60 m - draught 2,59 m - cargo capacity 655 t	
III	Dortmund-Eems canal vessel 	40X 
	Length 67 m - width 8,20 m - draught 2,50 m - cargo capacity 1,000 t	
IV	Rhine-Herne canal vessel (Europe vessel) 	54X 
	Length 85 m - width 9,50 m - draught 2,50 m - cargo capacity 1,350 t	
Va	Large Rhine vessel 	120X 
	Length 110 m - width 11,40 m - draught 3,00 m - cargo capacity 2,750 t	
Va	Extended large Rhine vessel 	160X 
	Length 135 m - width 11,40 m - draught 3,5 m - cargo capacity 4,000 t	
Vb	Two lighter pushing unit 	220X 
	Length 172 m - width 11,40 m - draught 4,00 m - cargo capacity 5,500 t	
Vib	Four or six lighter pushing unit 	440/660X 
Vlc	Length 193 m - width 22,80 / 34,20 m - draught 4,00 m - cargo capacity 11,000 / 16,500 t	
Va	Standard tank vessel 	120X 
	Length 110 m - width 11,40 m - draught 3,50 m - cargo capacity 3,000 t	

## ECMT Category

Vb	Large tank vessel 	380X 
	Length 135 m - width 21,80 m - draught 4,40 m - cargo capacity 9,500 t	
Va	Car vessel 	60X 
	Length 110 m - width 11,40 m - draught 2,00 m - cargo capacity 530 cars	
III	Container vessel (Campine class) 	16X 
	Length 63 m - width 7 m - draught 2,50 m - cargo capacity 32 TEU	
Va	Standard container vessel 	100X 
	Length 110 m - width 11,40 m - draught 3,00 m - cargo capacity 200 TEU	
Vb	Large container vessel 	250X 
	Length 135 m - width 17 m - draught 3,50 m - cargo capacity 500 TEU	
Va	Ro-ro vessel 	72X 
	Length 110 m - width 11,40 m - draught 2,50 m	
Vib	Coupled formation (vessel with pushed lighter) 	240X 
	Average length 185 m - width 11,40 m - draught 3,50 m - cargo capacity 6,000 t	
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	Average length 185 m - width 11,40 m - draught 3,50 m - cargo capacity 6,000 t	

# Hinterland transport by means of inland navigation for maritime transport chains

Maritime supply in a seaport



Import connection  
Export connection

Transshipment to inland navigation



Inland navigation operator



Main transport: Inland navigation

Inland terminal



Shipper / Recipient



Main transport: Inland navigation

Pre / post transport by road

- < 10,000 TEU
- 10,000 - 100,000 TEU
- 100,000-1,000,000 TEU
- > 1,000,000 TEU
- Terminal
- Planned terminal



- Planned
- To be improved



# SUSTAINABLE FUTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

- **Climate change leads to:**

**Rise in temperature,  
sea level rise,  
higher frequency & intensity of storm surges,  
more inland: higher frequency & intensity of rainfall  
with intermittently periods of drought.  
Seasonal varieties of wet and dry periods.  
More extremes.**

**In addition we have to deal with:  
land subsidence, salt water intrusion,  
a higher % hard surfaces, deforestation,  
with a quicker run off towards canals and rivers,  
resulting in high water levels,  
with in between periods of low water levels  
invasive flora & fauna species  
bank & shore erosion**

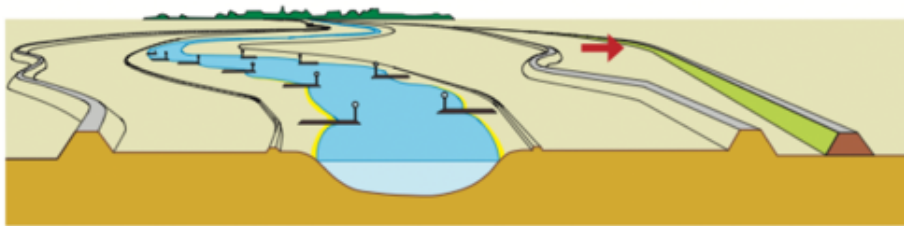




# UPGRADING WATERWAY SYSTEMS THROUGH AQUAPUNCTURE

Adequate measures for Climate Change:

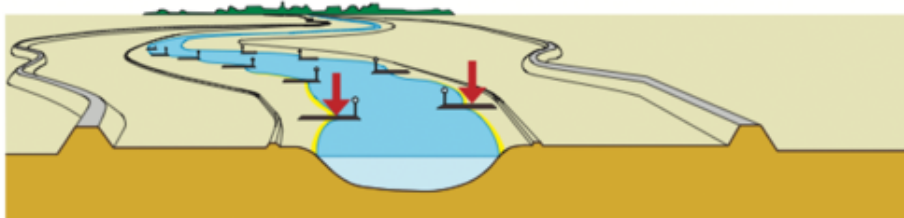
## 1) Room for the waterway



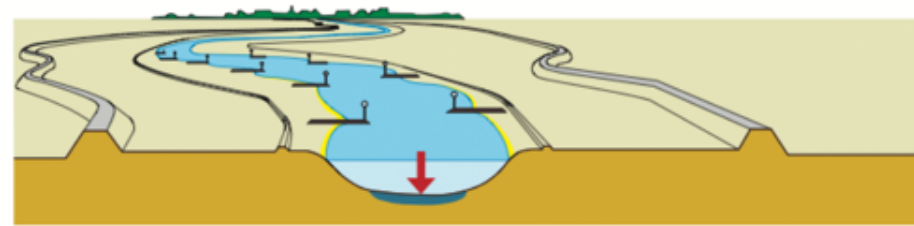
I. Large-scale relocation of the dikes to increase the overflow area between river and dikes



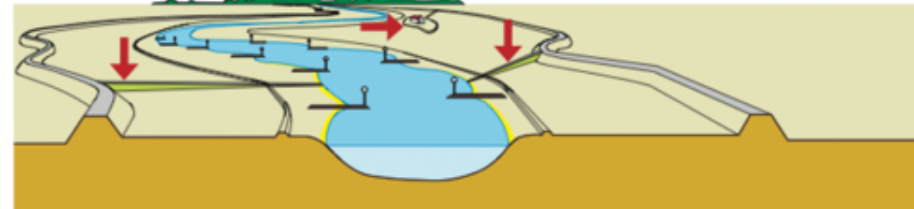
II. River by-pass construction to be used in case of periodic high water levels



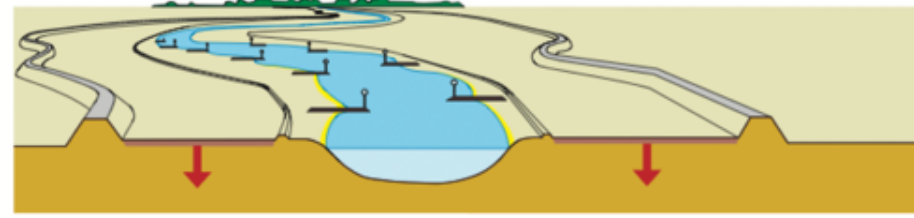
III. Lowering of the groynes



IV. Lowering the riverbed



V. Removal of hydraulic obstacles from the riverbed and the adjacent flood plains



VI. Lowering of the flood plains

# UPGRADING WATERWAY SYSTEMS THROUGH AQUAPUNCTURE

## Mitigation measures with regard to climate change

### *Flood prevention through*

1. Room for the river
2. River bank protection using as much as possible 'Building with Nature' methods
3. Dune/beach widening/heightening along the sea shore through 'Building with Nature'
4. Introduction of calamity storage basins
5. Adequate drainage pumping systems for water level regulation
6. Creation of storm surge barriers
7. Enlarging coastal wetlands for wave energy dissipation & nature development
8. Reduction of hard surfaces
9. Improving soil permeability & infiltration  
(green roofs, water storage under buildings & infrastructure)
10. Creation of artificial high grounds

*Under jurisdiction of and financed by central, regional, local governments or private sector, e.g. depending on classification of waterways / waterfronts.*

# UPGRADING WATERWAY SYSTEMS THROUGH AQUAPUNCTURE

## Mitigation measures with regard to climate change

### *Flood adaptation through*

1. Adaptation of land-water use, spatial planning & zoning
2. Flood proof / dry proof buildings and infrastructure
3. Early warning systems, evacuation plans

### *Drought prevention*

1. Provision of retention basins
2. Adequate choice of vegetation and use of drip irrigation

### *Fighting salt water intrusion*

1. Dune / beach widening / heightening creating larger fresh water lenses
2. Double air bubble screens & fresh water injection; creation of thresholds

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# UPGRADING WATERWAY SYSTEMS THROUGH AQUAPUNCTURE

To achieve the necessary results cooperation of all the relevant stakeholders is imperative.

Therefore:

- Stakeholder meetings
- Stakeholder involvement
- Stakeholder participation



# UPGRADING WATERWAY SYSTEMS THROUGH AQUAPUNCTURE

To achieve the necessary results cooperation of all the relevant stakeholders is imperative.

In order to achieve:

- Territorial & Social Cohesion
- Raising Awareness
- Community Engagement
- Consensus Approach
- Volunteer Participation

For the necessary improvement of the waterway system, through e.g. physical measures, funding is required. This can be achieved through public and/or private financing.



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# SUSTAINABLE FUTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

## Promotion of HERITAGE TOURISM

based on urban & rural  
cultural heritage values  
on and near the waterway

ICT, using creative multi-  
media for interactive  
map-based websites of  
the waterway and its  
surrounding areas



# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

**Promotion of sustainable use of inland waterways and their surrounding areas through:**

- **Education - stimulating of awareness of terrestrial & aquatic ecosystems starting with the young generation**
- **Active volunteer participation in achieving sustainable use of the waterways and their waterfronts**
- **Organising special events**
- **Marketing through promotion of the multi-faceted significance of the inland waterways and their surrounding areas.**



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## **SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS**

**In all cases good governance should be ensured on the basis of documents, communication and cooperation between public & private stakeholders.**

**European and national water & environmental laws, directives, regulations and standards have to be taken into account.**

**Development of Business Plans and Societal Cost/Benefit Analyses.**

**Priority sequence should be established with regard to the necessary mitigating measures.**

**Best practices for each (European) region have to be developed and knowledge transfer has to be ensured.**



# SUSTAINABLE FUTURE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

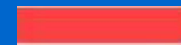
## DELIVERABLES

- **A sound basis for more integrated regional policies to boost the socio / economic development of inland waterways and adjacent areas in a balanced way, while respecting environment, nature & landscape.**
- **Improved governance by creating better structures and models to: streamline national and regional regulations to organize a more integrated approach between the various policy sectors to have a balanced structure of responsibilities for the management of waterways, resulting in a jointly defined best governance model for regional waterways**
- **Strengthening the multi-functional use of regional inland waterways, while reducing negative effects on environment, nature & landscape, taking into account: WFD policies for river basins & effects of climate change on these waters. Ensuring in all cases safety.**

# Spatial plan based on a six layer system



Atmosphere Layer



Occupation Layer



Infrastructure Layer



Agriculture &  
Aquaculture Layer



Terrestrial &  
Aquatic Nature Layer



Soil / Subsoil /  
Hydrosphere Layer

# Spatial plan based on a six layer system

## 1. Underground Layer (Soil / Hydrosphere)

*The underground layer with its composition and structure and all its natural resources serves a whole series of natural functions. In addition to these natural functions, it fulfils and can fulfil a series of human-initiated and humanmade functions in and on the underground layer, which are and have to be based on its soil, sub-soil and hydrosphere characteristics.*

*This underground layer serves as a basis for:*

- *landscape & seascape*
- *agriculture, fishery, aquaculture*
- *exploitation of composite minerals, ores*
- *foundation for building sites and infrastructure*
- *storage for waste products, energy, water and CO<sub>2</sub>*
- *terrestrial & aquatic nature values*
- *extraction groundwater & surface water*
- *geothermal energy, water energy, fossil energy*
- *tunnels, cables, pipelines, geodetic domes*
- *preservation historic and archaeological sites.*

*The composition and structure of the underground layer are of vital importance for the following layers.*

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## Spatial plan based on a six layer system

### 2. Green-Blue Layer

*This layer contains all valuable terrestrial & aquatic nature values, including landscape and seascape, rivers, lakes, ponds and waterways that are in constant need of conservation.*

### 3. Agriculture – Fishery – Aquaculture Layer

*This production layer contains all forms of agriculture (greenhouse horticulture, forestry, cattle & poultry breeding, dairy farming); fishery & aquaculture (including mariculture); the production of microorganisms and their metabolic products.*

*This layer has a clear overlap and interaction with the green-blue layer, especially since production and nature protection are increasingly combined.*

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## Spatial plan based on a six layer system

### 4. Occupation Layer

*The occupation layer contains all building sites for living, working and recreation with all additional facilities amongst others related to education, health care & welfare, religion, shopping, sports and culture.*

### 5. Infrastructure Layer

*This layer contains all forms of infrastructure: waterways, roads (including motorways, cycle paths, and footpaths), railroads, pipe / tube / cable, air lanes, electronic highway. In this infrastructure layer, are also present all construction / engineering / structural works such as bridges, tunnels, viaducts, aqueducts, sluices, weirs, railroad stations, metro stations and bus stations, airports, pumping stations, transformers, transceiver stations, sensors, electronic signalling and control equipment. This infrastructure layer serves to link cities, ports and urban, rural & sea areas.*

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## Spatial plan based on a six layer system

### 6. Atmosphere Layer

*This umbrella layer is essential for the climate cycle, hydrological cycle as well as other cycles. It is also an important medium for transportation of electromagnetic waves, sound waves and matter in all its diversity.*

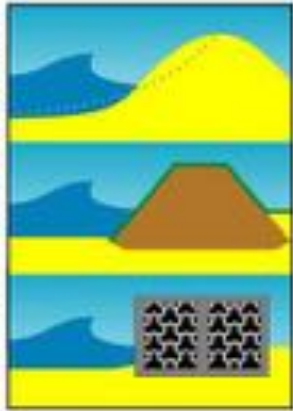
**Although these six layers are separately defined, which in itself is very useful, clearly the six layers are strongly interrelated and partly overlapping each other.**

**In the spatial planning process with regard to the separate and interrelated layers, special attention must be given to the composition of the underground layer and thereby in general to the third dimension.**

# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



**For Sustainable Use of Inland Waterways in their specific regions, it is necessary to take into account all possible functions in all their intricate relationships.**



**SAFETY** with regard to:

- flooding (including effects: sea level & river level rise)
- drought
- coastal erosion
- land subsidence
- salt water intrusion
- natural disasters
- human activities



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**ENVIRONMENT (IN GENERAL)**

environmental compartments:

- air
- water
- land



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**NATURE**

- micro-organisms, flora, fauna (incl. people)
- eco-systems
- nature conservation
- nature development
- bio-diversity
- bio-diversification



**LANDSCAPE**

- landscape conservation
- landscape development

**SEASCAPE**



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**WATER RESOURCES MANAGEMENT**

- water quantity
- water quality
- groundwater
- surface water
- dune infiltrated water
- (desalinated) sea-water
- sewer systems
- waste water purification



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**ENERGY**

- natural gas, oil, coal, etc.
- biomass (wood, etc.); organic wastes
- nuclear energy
- solar-, wind-, water-, geo-energy
- combined cycle, isolation, etc.

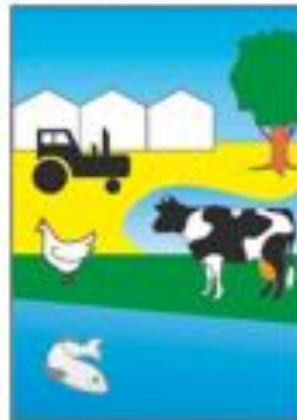


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**AGRICULTURE**  
horticulture, forestry,  
cattle & poultry breeding

**FISHERY**

**AQUACULTURE**



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**MINING / EXTRACTION & STORAGE**

in / on

Land / Sea-bed / Sea / Air



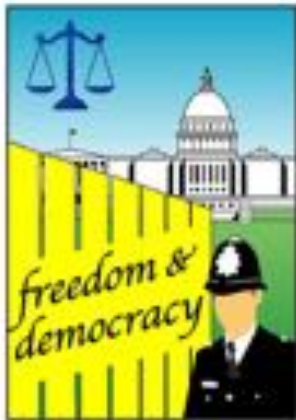
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	<p><b>BUILDING SITES FOR LIVING &amp; WORKING</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- houses &amp; apartments + facilities</li> <li>- industries &amp; offices + facilities</li> <li>- urban development</li> </ul>		<p><b>RECREATION &amp; TOURISM</b></p>
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<p><b>TRANSFER / DISTRIBUTION CENTRES &amp; RELATED ACTIVITIES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- seaport</li> <li>- riverport,</li> <li>- lake port</li> <li>- airport,</li> <li>- landport</li> </ul>		<p><b>INFRASTRUCTURE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- roads</li> <li>- railroads</li> <li>- waterways</li> <li>- underground systems</li> <li>- airplanes</li> <li>- electronic highway</li> </ul>	
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	<p><b>TRANSPORT MODULES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- bicycle, motor-car, bus, tram, train, maglev (magnetic levitation train),</li> <li>- metro</li> <li>- ship,</li> <li>- container</li> <li>- airplane, rocket, satellite</li> </ul>		<p><b>INFORMATION COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY</b></p> <p>DATA ACQUISITION DATA STORAGE DATA TRANSMISSION DATA PROCESSING</p>
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<p><b>ENVIRONMENT (IN PARTICULAR)</b></p> <p>Air- / Water- / Soil-quality by improvement of conversion processes and by end of pipe purification</p>		<p><b>ENVIRONMENT (IN PARTICULAR)</b></p> <p>solid waste reduction by improvement of conversion processes and by environmental friendly collection - transport - storage - processing - recycling - usage</p>	
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GOVERNMENTAL INSTITUTIONS  
 NON-GOVERNMENTAL INSTITUTIONS  
 CITIZEN GROUPS  
 INDIVIDUAL CITIZENS  
 PEOPLE'S PARTICIPATION  
 LAW - JUSTICE - ORDER



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HEALTH & WELFARE  
 SPORT / PLAYGROUND  
 HISTORY & CULTURE  
 RELIGION  
 PHILOSOPHY OF LIFE  
 VALUES / STANDARDS  
 SOCIOSPHERE

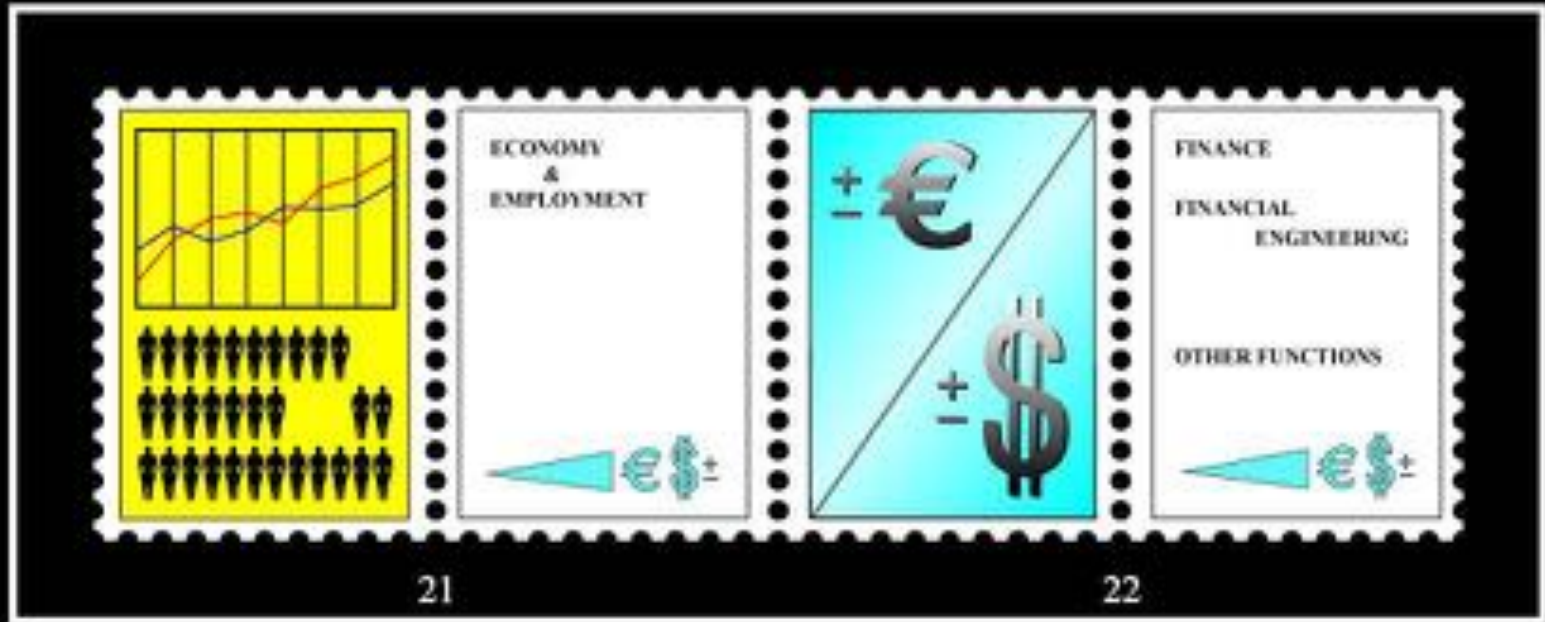


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## **The great challenge of the 21st century**

**Introduction and implementation of methods that simultaneously  
Strengthen the Economy and Improve the Environment  
to achieve Sustainability.**

European  
Inland  
Waterways



## **SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS**

• **Considering the various themes we have to take into account the differences and similarities between the regions.**

**Differences with regard to:**

- 1) Type & capacity of the waterways: river, lake or canal**
- 2) Functions & use of the waterway**
- 3) Direct connection with the sea or not**
- 4) Terrain conditions (high/lowland, type of soil, nature reserve areas)**
- 5) Water level differences along the length of a canal or river  
(a.o. number of sluices, ship elevators, aqueducts)**
- 6) Domination of urbanised or rural territory**
- 7) Population density and visitor potential**
- 8) Climate with regard to yearly & seasonal temperature, rainfall, drought**

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## **SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS**

- **Considering the various themes we have to take into account the differences and similarities between the regions.**

**Similarities with regard to:**

- 1) Necessity of improving environment, nature, landscape**
- 2) Necessity of water management (quantity & quality)**
- 3) Necessity of mitigating measures with regard to negative effects of climate change**
- 4) Necessity of socio-economic development**
- 5) Necessity of nautical safety and ensuring overall safety**
- 6) Necessity of safeguarding / restoring & using heritage values**



# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

**UK WALES (British Waterways)**

**UK NORTHERN IRELAND  
(Waterways Ireland)**

**REPUBLIC OF IRELAND (Waterways  
Ireland & South Tipperary County  
Council)**

**THE NETHERLANDS (SRN/VRW)**

**FRANCE (French Waterways)**

**NORWAY (Telemark County Council)**

**SWEDEN (County Adm. Board of  
Värmland)**

**FINLAND (Savonlinna Region)**

**ITALY (Navigli Lombardi)**

**ITALY (Province of Ferrara)**

**SPAIN (Ass. Riverside Towns of the  
Castilla Channel)**

**LATVIA (Vidzeme Planning Region)**

**POLAND (Municipality of Brzeg Dolny)**

**HUNGARY (Municipality of  
Dunaujvaros / Central Dir. of Water &  
Environment)**

**SERBIA (Vode Vojvodine Executive  
Council)**

**UK WALES**  
**British Waterways**



**Montgomery Canal**

**Monmouthshire & Brecon Canal**

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# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

## Montgomery Canal



# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



## Falkirk Wheel





## REPUBLIC OF IRELAND

**Waterways Ireland**

**South Tipperary County Council**

**Royal Canal & Grand Canal  
with connection from Dublin to  
Shannon-Erne Waterway and  
via Barrow River / Canal  
to Waterford.**

**River Suir from Tipperary to  
Waterford**

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## UK NORTHERN IRELAND

**Waterways Ireland**

**Ulster Canal from  
Lough Neagh to  
Shannon-Erne Waterway**



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# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

**Ulster Canal**



**River Suir 184 km 3<sup>rd</sup> longest river**



**Royal Canal Dublin**



**Heritage Boats on the Grand Canal, Dublin**



The Cutts, Lower Bann





**Dromineer, Shannon Navigation**



Rowing on the Bann



Kayaking in Carrick-on-Shannon

## World Pike Fishing Competition





North Sea



## NETHERLANDS

Dutch Recreational Waterways (SRN)

Association Region Water (VRW)

Rhine-Schie Canal with adjacent waterways

Randstad Waterway System



**Ministry of  
Infrastructure &  
Environment**

**Map of Water System  
of Randstad Holland**

**Basic Grid**

-  Pumping station
-  Obstacle
-  Sluice



# Ministry of Infrastructure & Environment

## Map of Water System of Randstad Holland

### Water Levels & Sluices & Pumping Stations

-  Pumping station
-  Obstacle
-  Sluice



**Ministry of  
Infrastructure &  
Environment**

**Map of Water System  
of Randstad Holland**

**Recreation**

**Yachting Harbours  
in Waterway System**





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**Map of Water System  
of Randstad Holland**

**Inventory of Plans**

-  **Policy Plan**
-  **Missing Links**
-  **Stimulating  
Measures**



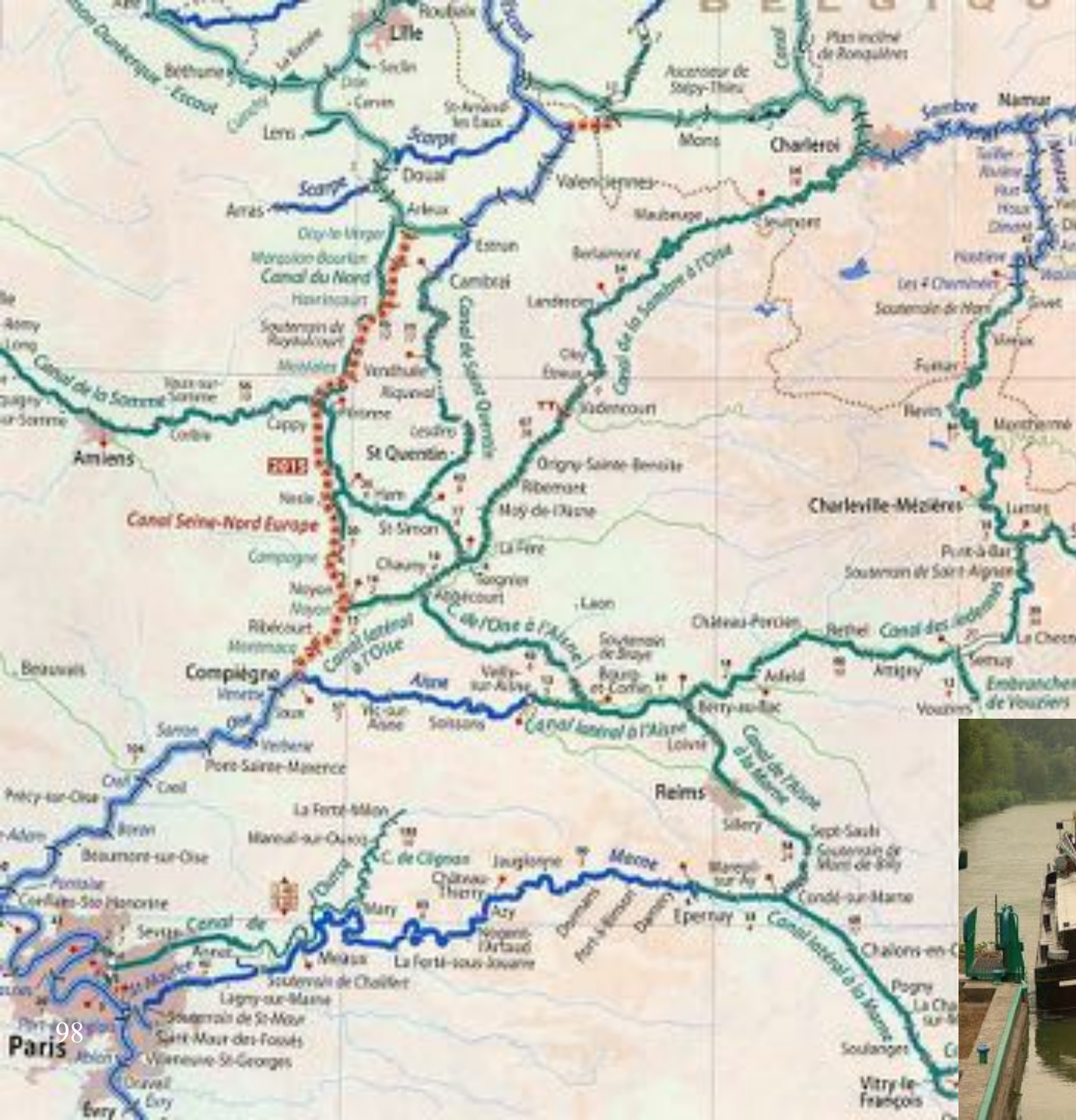
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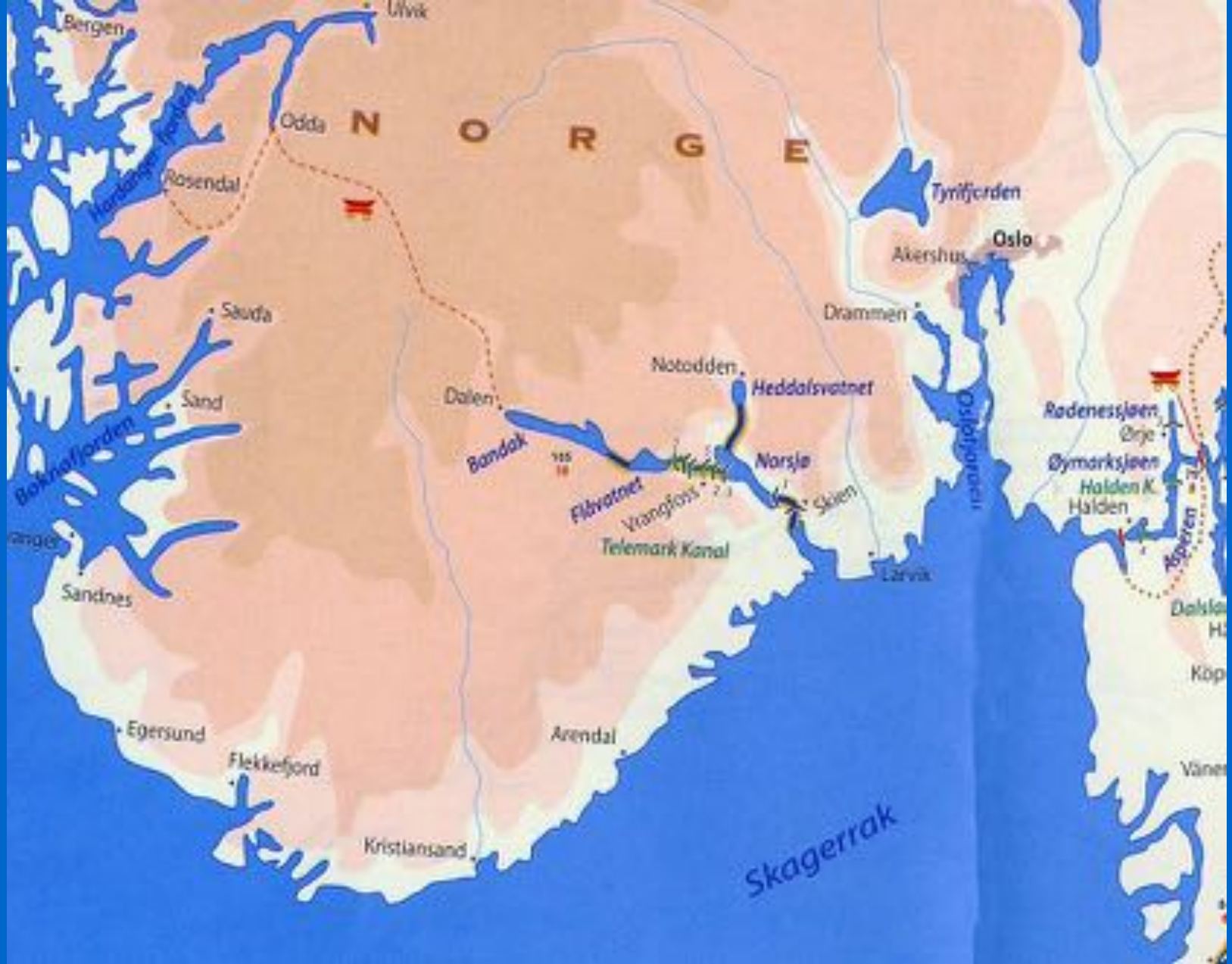
## (French Waterways)

### Sambre

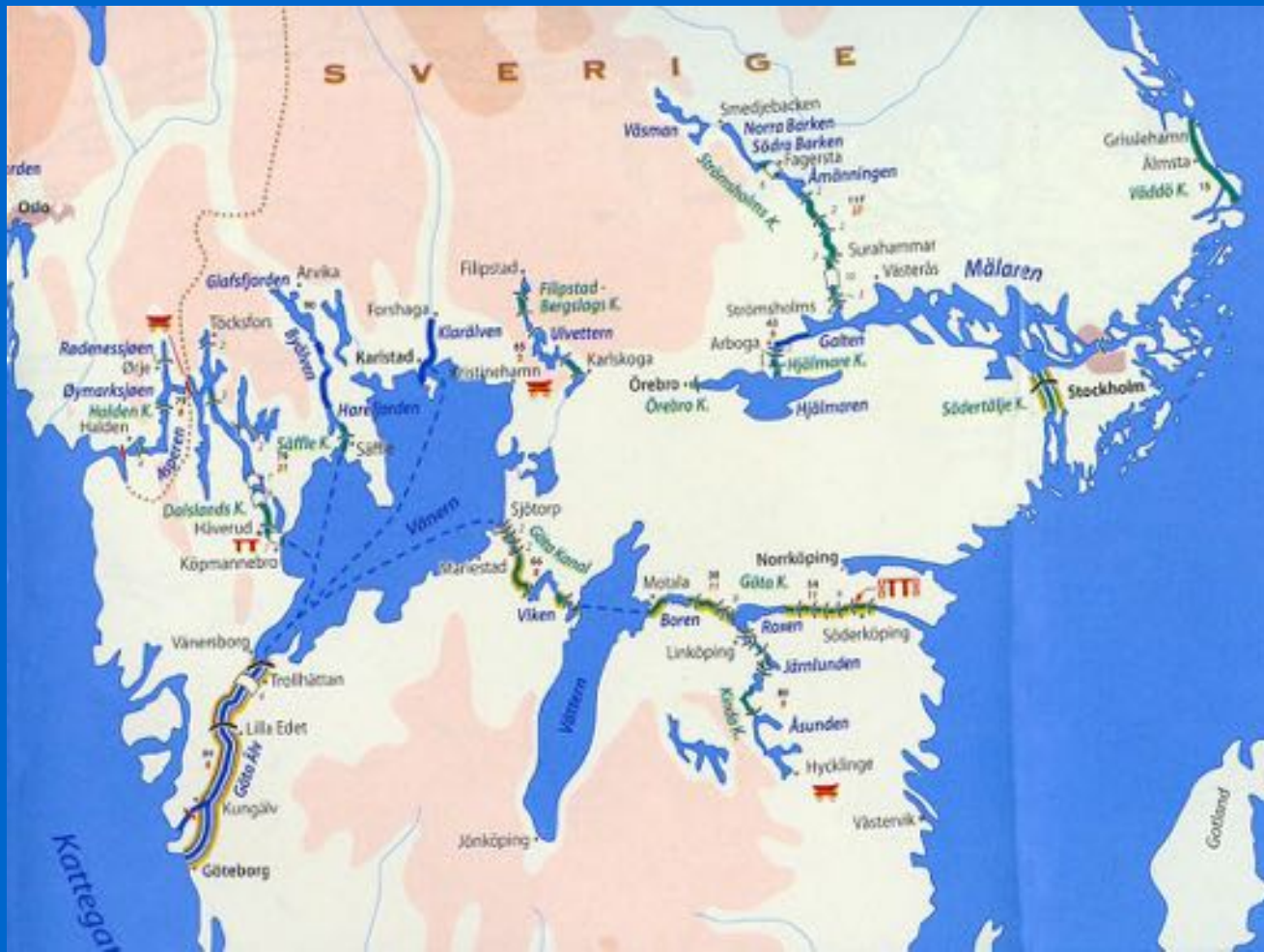
### Canal de la Sambre à l'Oise.

### Noyon - Ribemont - Vadencourt -Maubeuge - Charleroi









**SWEDEN (Värmland)**

**Göta Älv –**

**Trollhättan Kanal –**

**Vänern – Klarälven**

**Göta Kanal –**

**Vättern Kanal –**

**Göta Kanal**

**Waterway between**

**Kattegat & Baltic Sea**





Vänern

Göta Kanal





## FINLAND

(Savonlinna Region)

Saimaa River system

Saimaa Canal

Mäntyharju Canal



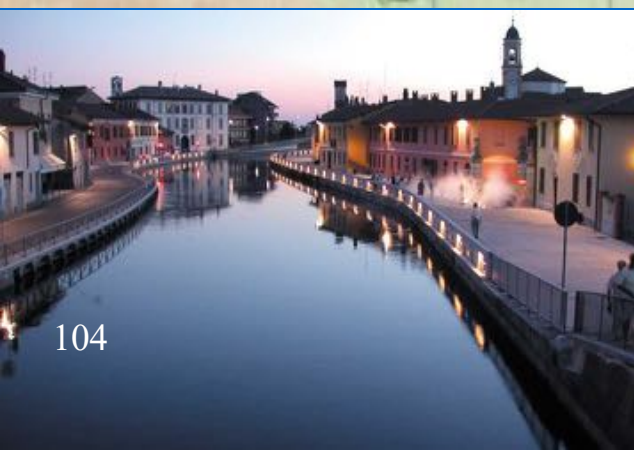
## ITALY

**Navigli  
Lombardi  
s.c.a.r.l.**

**Milano  
Province**

**Lombardi  
Region:**

**canal system  
250 km  
in an area of  
1,800 km<sup>2</sup>**



**Lombardi Canals /  
da Vinci Canals  
between  
Milano – Lago Maggiore  
Lago di Como  
Ticino River – Po River –  
Adda River**









Po River system



## Region Castilla y León (SIRGA)

**Association of Riverside Towns along Canal de Castilla**

**Canal de Castilla (207 km) from Palencia to Valladolid with connection towards Duero River, from Palencia to Medina de Rioseco, from Palencia to Alar del Rey.**

## SPAIN

**Computerised system within restored building for water control catchment area Duero River**



## SPAIN

**(Association of Riverside Towns  
along Castille Channel, Region  
Castille et León)**

**Canal de Castille (207 km) from  
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connection towards Duero River,  
from Palencia to Medina de  
Rioseco, from Palencia to Allar del  
Rey.**







**LATVIA - Vidzeme Planning Region**

235,000 inhabitants; 15,257 km<sup>2</sup>

4 rivers: Gauja, Salaca, Pededze, Aiviekste.

3 lakes: Aluksne, Burtnieks, Lubans.

- Aeration with oxygen of rivers & canals by placing stones in the water
- Removal of excess beaver dams
- Removal overgrowth by trees and bushes of river banks
- River bank maintenance
- Eco-education and volunteer participation







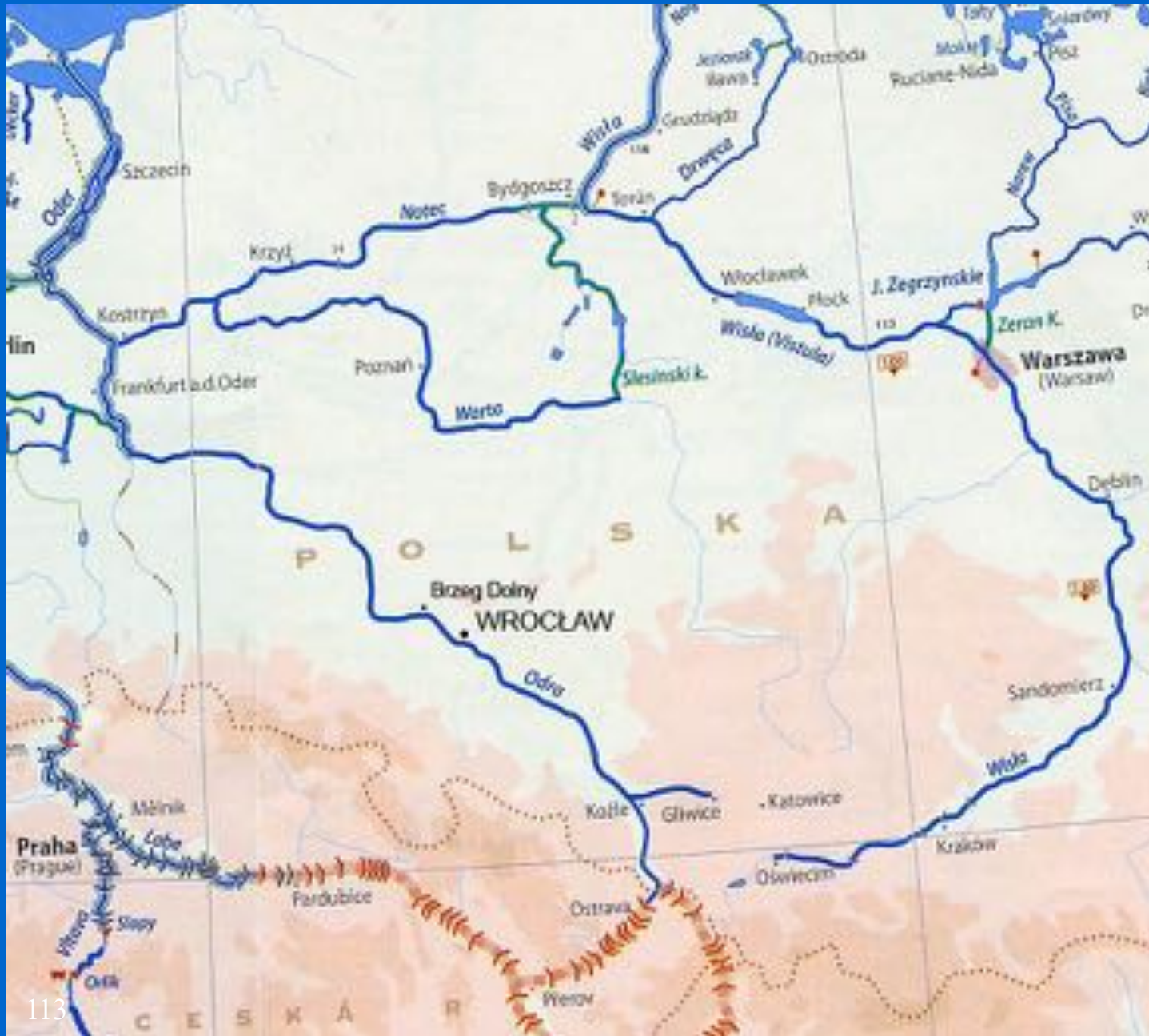
POLSKA

Brzeg Dolny

Municipality

Odra River

From Kozle to  
Brzeg Dolny  
the first 186 km  
is canalised

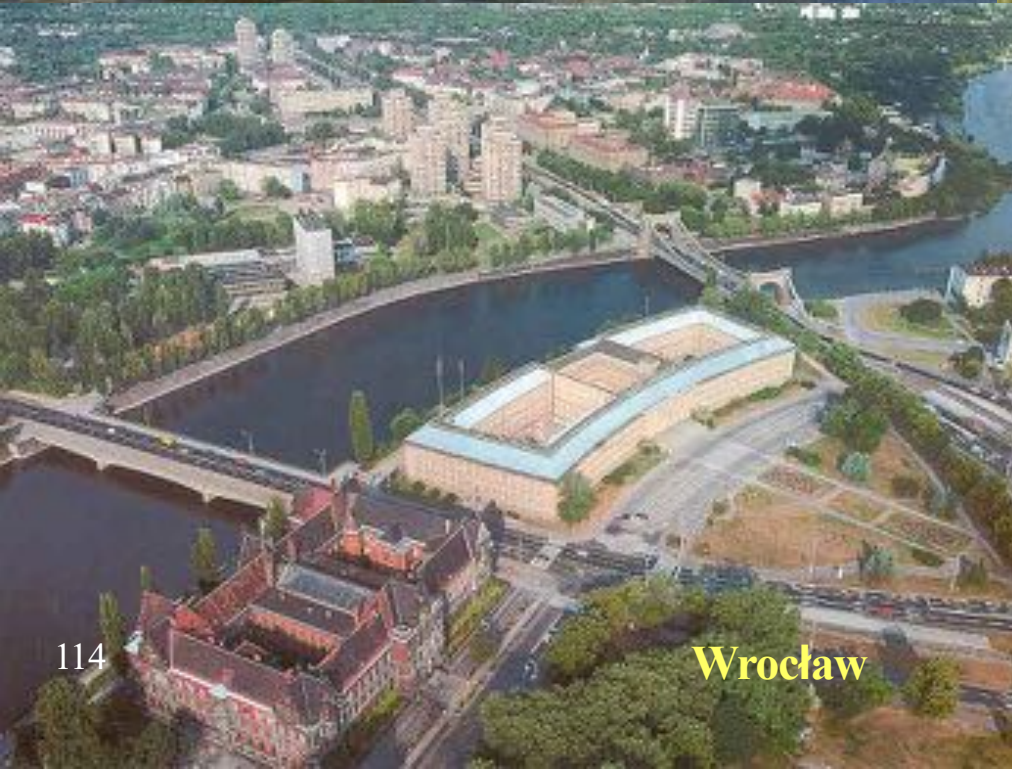




**Brzeg Dolny**



**Brzeg Dolny**



**Wrocław**



**Kozle**





## HUNGARY

**Dunaujvaros  
Municipality /  
Central Directorate  
Water & Environment**

**Hungary:  
10 million inhabitants  
Dunaujvaros:  
60,000 inhabitants  
Duna - Tisza - Balaton**

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**Dunaujvaros specific problems:**

- deterioration water quality caused by industry.

Therefore improvement of industrial conversion processes & waste water purification and implementation of laws, regulations & standards.

- instability / erosion löss wall.

Therefore necessity adequate löss wall protection.



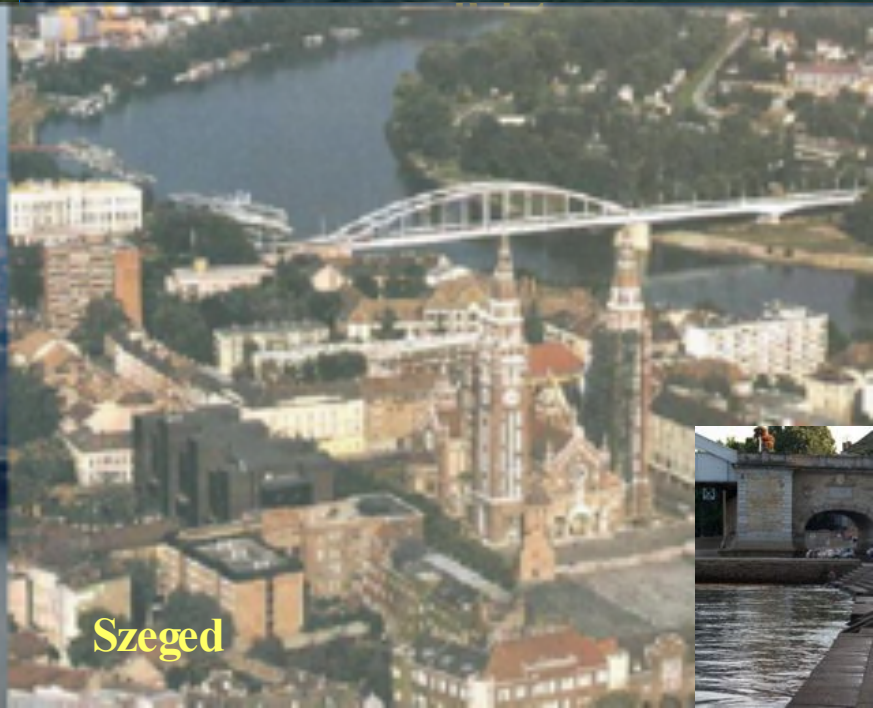
**Budapest**



**Balaton**



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**Dunaujvaros**



**Szeged**



**SERBIA**  
**Vode Vojvodine**  
**Executive Council**

**Canal system linked to Danube and Tisza.**



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## **SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS**

### **SINGAPORE**

**Transformation of rivers & canals  
into blue-green artiries**

**Kallang River Transformation**

### **INDONESIA**

**Jakarta land reclamation  
combined with Aquapuncture**

### **MEXICO**

**Mexico City back to the future  
through Aquapuncture**

### **COLOMBIA**

**Recuperación del Canal del Dique  
Revitalisación Rio Medellin,  
Rio Bogota, Rio Cauca & Rio Cali  
via Aquapuncture**

# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

SINGAPORE - Transformation of rivers & canals into blue-green arteries



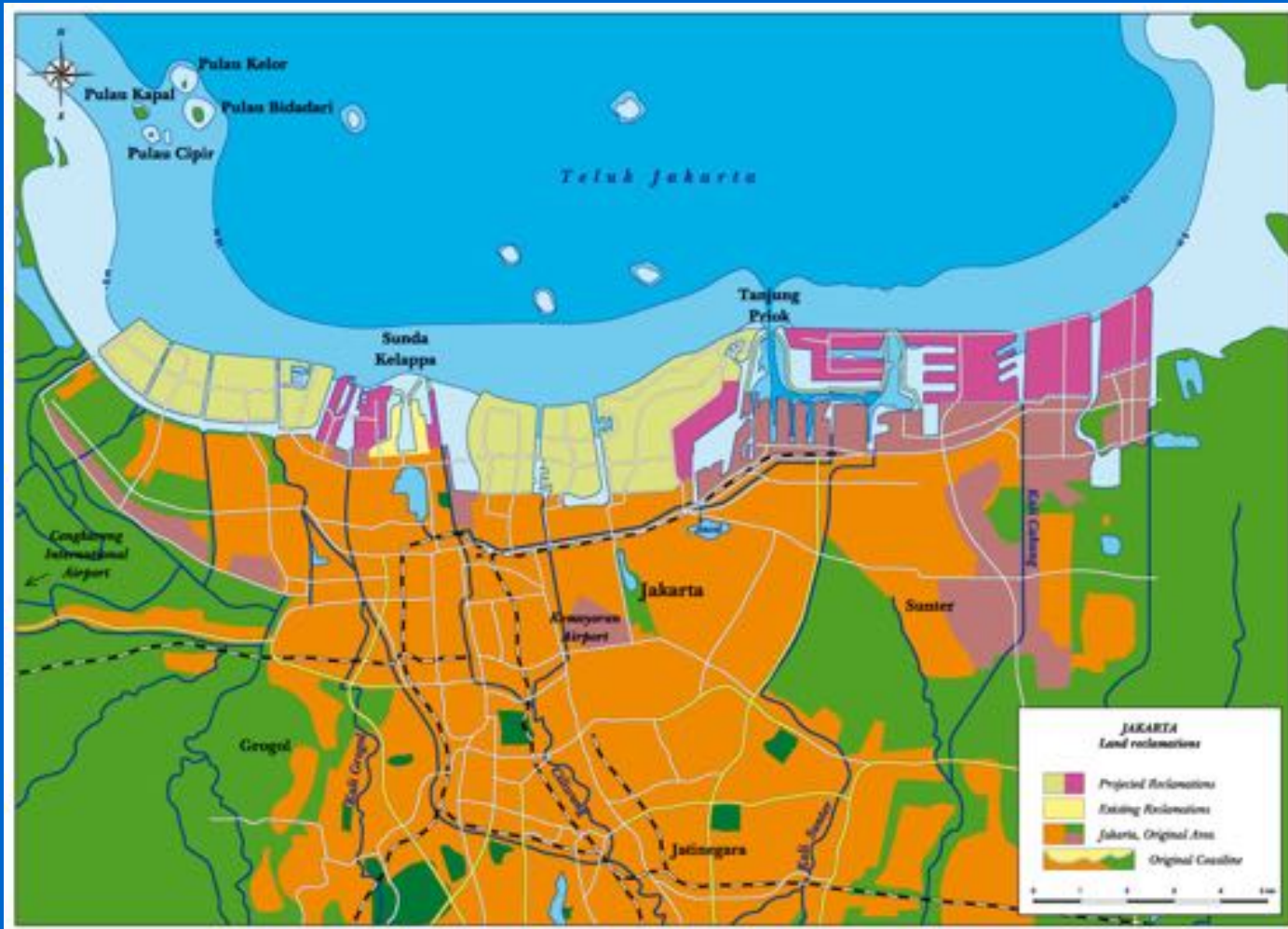


# SINGAPORE – Kallang River before and after transformation



# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

## INDONESIA - Jakarta land reclamation combined with Aquapuncture

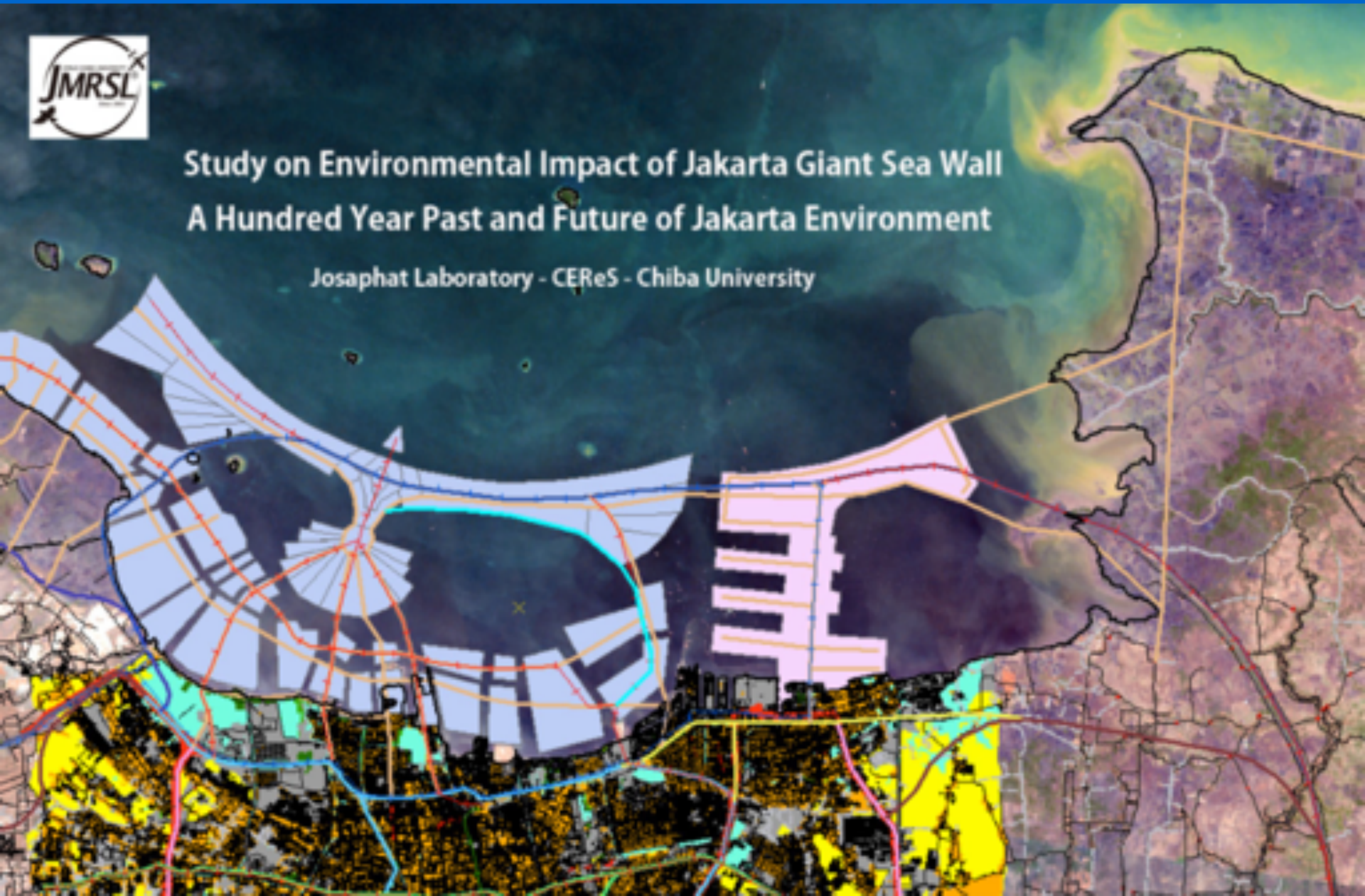


# INDONESIA - Jakarta land reclamation combined with Aquapuncture Land reclamation in Teluk Jakarta: Great Garuda + Extension Tanjung Priok



## Study on Environmental Impact of Jakarta Giant Sea Wall A Hundred Year Past and Future of Jakarta Environment

Josaphat Laboratory - CEReS - Chiba University









# LOCATION OF 11 RIVERS & 2 DRAINAGE CANALS IN PANTURA ZONE OF JAKARTA

Necessity of upgrading waterway system through Aquapuncture



## PETA LOKASI 13 SUNGAI DI KAWASAN PANTURA JAKARTA

### KETERANGAN :

- |                     |                         |                  |                   |
|---------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| 1. KALI KAMAL       | 5. KALI DURI LEDENG     | 9. KALI ANCOL    | 13. KALI BLENCONG |
| 2. KALI TUNJUNGAN   | 6. KALI OPAK            | 10. KALI LAGOA   |                   |
| 3. CENGKARENG DRAIN | 7. KALI ANAK CILIWUNG I | 11. KALI SUNTER  |                   |
| 4. KALI MUARA ANGRE | 8. KALI CILIWUNG/MARINA | 12. CAKUNG DRAIN |                   |

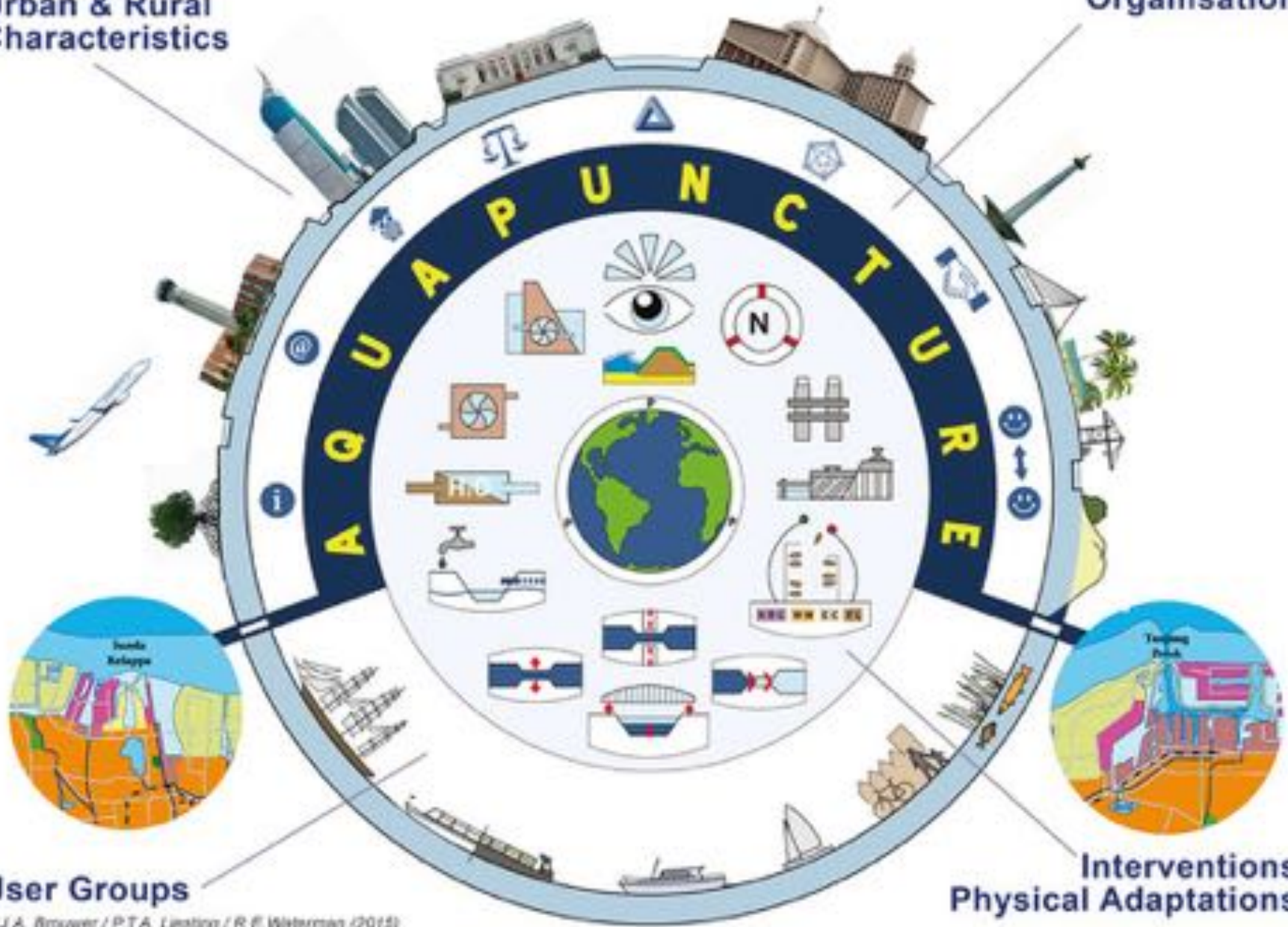


BADAN PELAKSANA REKLAMASI  
PANTAUUTARA JAKARTA  
JALAN MARGARETHA DEVELOPMENT



Urban & Rural Characteristics

Organisation



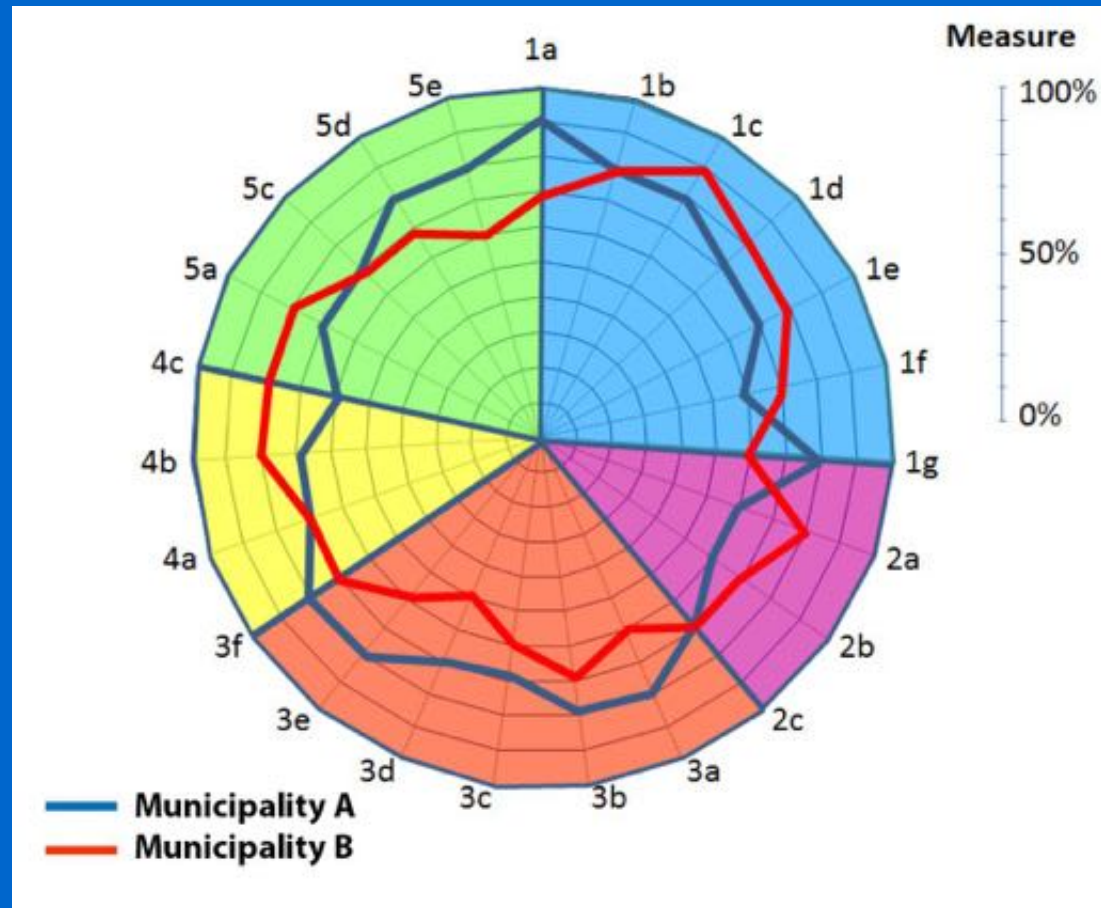
User Groups

Interventions  
Physical Adaptations



Values	Objectives
1. <b>Water quantity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Ensure flood protection</li> <li>b) Surface water &amp; ground water regulation</li> <li>c) Drainage, irrigation for agriculture &amp; aquaculture</li> <li>d) Drinking water supply</li> <li>e) Cooling water</li> <li>f) Process water</li> <li>g) Water flow, thermal, osmotic energy</li> </ul>
2. <b>Water quality</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Improvement of water quality for environment</li> <li>b) Improvement of water quality for nature</li> <li>c) Improvement of water quality for health</li> </ul>
3. <b>Navigability</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Commercial transport of persons</li> <li>b) Commercial transport of goods</li> <li>c) Tourism and recreation</li> <li>d) Special events on/at water</li> <li>e) Water related sports</li> <li>f) Waterway classification &amp; connectivity</li> </ul>
4. <b>Water front revenues</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Increased liveability</li> <li>b) Economic activities</li> <li>c) Increased value of property</li> </ul>
5. <b>Spatial quality revenues</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Improved urban &amp; rural environment</li> <li>b) Preservation &amp; restoration of cultural heritage</li> <li>c) Attractive residential &amp; business areas</li> <li>d) Leisure parks, sustainable industrial parks</li> <li>e) Overall sustainability, also with regard to climate &amp; climate change</li> </ul>

## Aquapuncture - Shared Value: Societal Costs & Benefits Measurement Model



# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

**MEXICO - Mexico City back to the future through Aquapuncture  
Aztec period > Tenochtitlan > Mexico City**



# Xochimilco – Chinampas – World Heritage Site



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# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

## COLOMBIA - Recuperación del Canal del Dique



Length 120 km, from Cartagena to Rio Magdalena & Calamar

Recuperation complete with dikes, new locks & marsh improvements

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and the waterfronts for economy, employment, environment, nature & landscape



# Revitalisation Rio Medellin, Rio Bogota, Rio Cauca & Rio Cali via Aquapuncture

## Rio Magdalena



**Rio Magdalena –  
Length 1540 km**

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# Rio Bogotá



The relation between Bogotá and the Rio Bogotá should be improved through AGUAPUNTURA<sup>©</sup>

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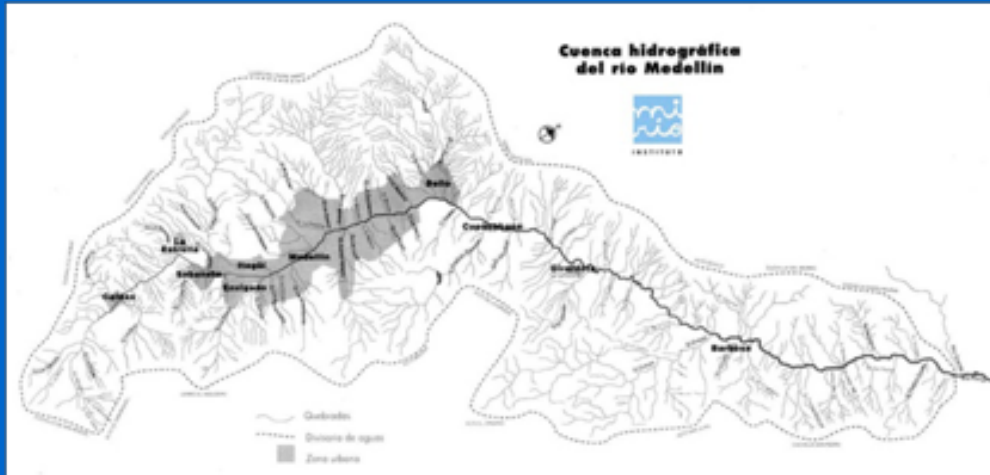
Bogotá

7.3 million inhabitants





# Rio Medellin



Medellin - 2.2 million inhabitants

Rio Medellin - Length 100 km  
(60 km Medellin & 40 km Porce)

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# Rio Cauca



Rio Cauca –  
Length 965 km

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# Rio Cali



**Santiago de Cali –  
2.0 million inhabitants**

**Rio Cali**

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## Network Recreational Waterways

4714 km in various navigational classes

1005 fixed bridges

1107 open bridges

258 ship locks

1100 marinas with 178,000 berths  
40,000 berths outside marinas

## Employment Water Recreation

30,000 jobs


€ 4 billion total revenue

400,000 pleasure boats

2,000,000 water sport participants

€ 75 spending per boat per day

# Recreational Navigation Classification



DESIGNATION	OPEN BOAT	CABIN CRUISER	MOTOR YACHT	SAILING BOAT	MOTOR BARGE
CLASS	RA	RB	RC	RD	I
MAX. LENGTH (M)	5.5	9.5	15.0	15.0	38.5
MAX. BEAM (M)	2.0	3.0	4.0	4.0	5.05
DRAUGHT (M)	0.5	1.0	1.5	2.0	1.8 – 2.2
MIN. HEIGHT UNDER BRIDGES (M)	2.0	3.25	4.0	30.0	4.0

# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS

Rhine-Schie Canal with adjacent waters in use for:

- Commercial craft for shipment of bulk cargo (raw materials, industrial & domestic wastes, finished products)
- Passenger cruises for visiting old Dutch cities: Leiden, Gouda, Schiedam, Delft, Vlaardingen, Alphen a/d Rijn en Katwijk
- Water buses & Water taxis
- Yachts of all sizes; heritage ships
- Water related sports: rowing, canoeing, rafting, fishing/angling, sailing
- Special events like floating flower shows, naval parade of historical vessels, concerts on

Water – City - Land



Katwijk  
Leiden  
Voorschoten  
L'dam-Voorburg  
Den Haag  
Rijswijk  
Delft  
Westland  
Midden-Delfland  
Vlaardingen  
Schiedam  
Overschie  
Delfshaven  
Rotterdam

Region South-Holland

# Association Region Water (VRW)

Water – City - Land

Promotes the sustainable use of the waterway system with attractive waterfronts for tourism, recreation & sport.

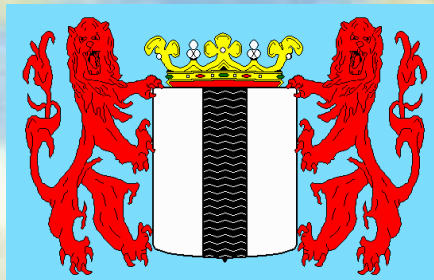
Participants in this association: 13 Cities & 2 Water Boards with representation from Chamber of Commerce, hotel / restaurant / café-sector, leisure parks, water sport sector, fishing, canoeing, rowing, sailing, motor boating.

Close cooperation with Dutch Recreational Waterways Foundation (SRN), Province South-Holland & Local Harbour Masters (safe guarding nautical safety).

Taking into account laws and regulations on the various governmental levels.

Region South-Holland

# RELATIE DELFT - WATER

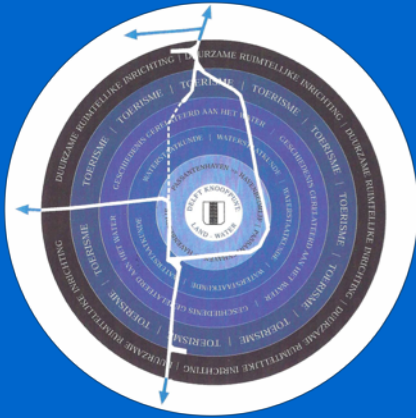


**Dr. Ir. Ronald E. Waterman**









## HISTORIE DELFT – WATER

‘Delven’ – Delfshaven, Oude Delft, Delft VOC-stad, Hoogheemraadschap Delfland, Zeehelden (Piet Hein, Maarten HPZ Tromp), Hugo de Groot (zeerecht),

Antonie van Leeuwenhoek (ontdekker micro-organismen in water), Vermeer (Gezicht op Delft),

Cultuurhistorie Delftse grachtenpanden, Watergerelateerde bedrijvigheid (bierbrouwerijen, leerlooierijen, VOC-handelshuizen, Armamentarium) Beroepsvaart (jaagpad, groente- en fruit, afval, mest, stro, turf, zand, grind, kolen, melk, vee, melasse, trek- en pakschuit), NGSF - Gist Brocades - DSM

Geschiedenis van de techniek (Watercentrum: waterkwantiteit & -kwaliteit, oppervlaktewater, grondwater, drinkwater, afvalwater, waterzuivering, natte infrastructuur, waterbouw) Roeiverenigingen (DDS, LAGA, PROTEUS-ERETES)

## WATERSTAATKUNDE

Deltares, TU Delft CiTG, UNESCO-IHE-Water Education Institute, TNO, Rijkswaterstaat Geo-Info., Hoogheemraadschap Delfland

## DUURZAME RUIMTELIJKE STEDELIJKE INRICHTING

TOERISME & RECREATIE



**Sustainable  
whispering route**

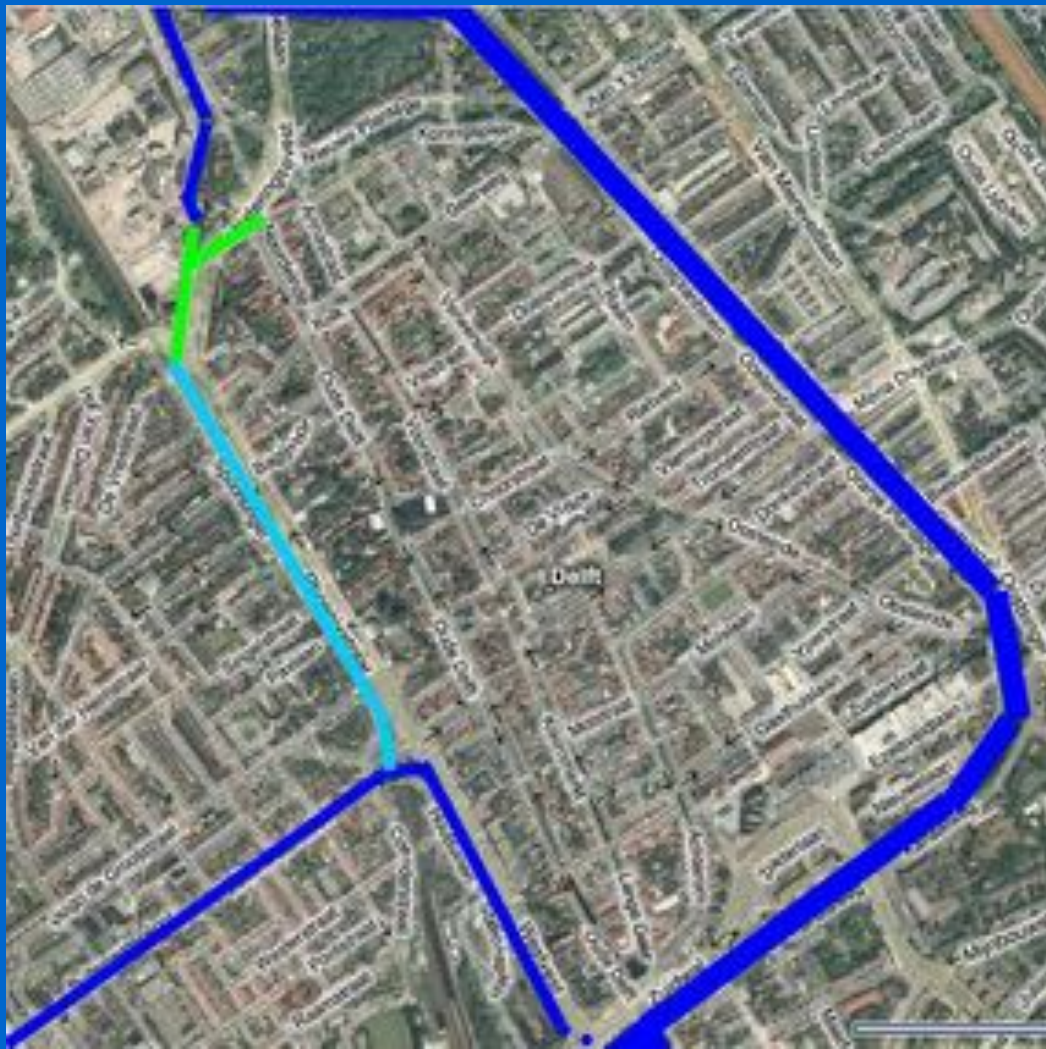
**Duurzame fluisteroute  
in de historische  
binnenstad**

**Met speciale smalle,  
elektrisch aangedreven  
vaartuigen met een beperkt  
aantal zorgvuldig gekozen  
aanmeerplaatsen**

*Good plans have their roots in the past and  
are pointing towards the future*

*Goede plannen wortelen in het verleden en  
wijzen naar de toekomst*





**Canal Cruise  
Rondvaarboten**

**&**

**Sustainable  
whispering route**

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# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



**"Als het Water weer gaat stromen,  
krijgt Gouda zijn ziel terug"**



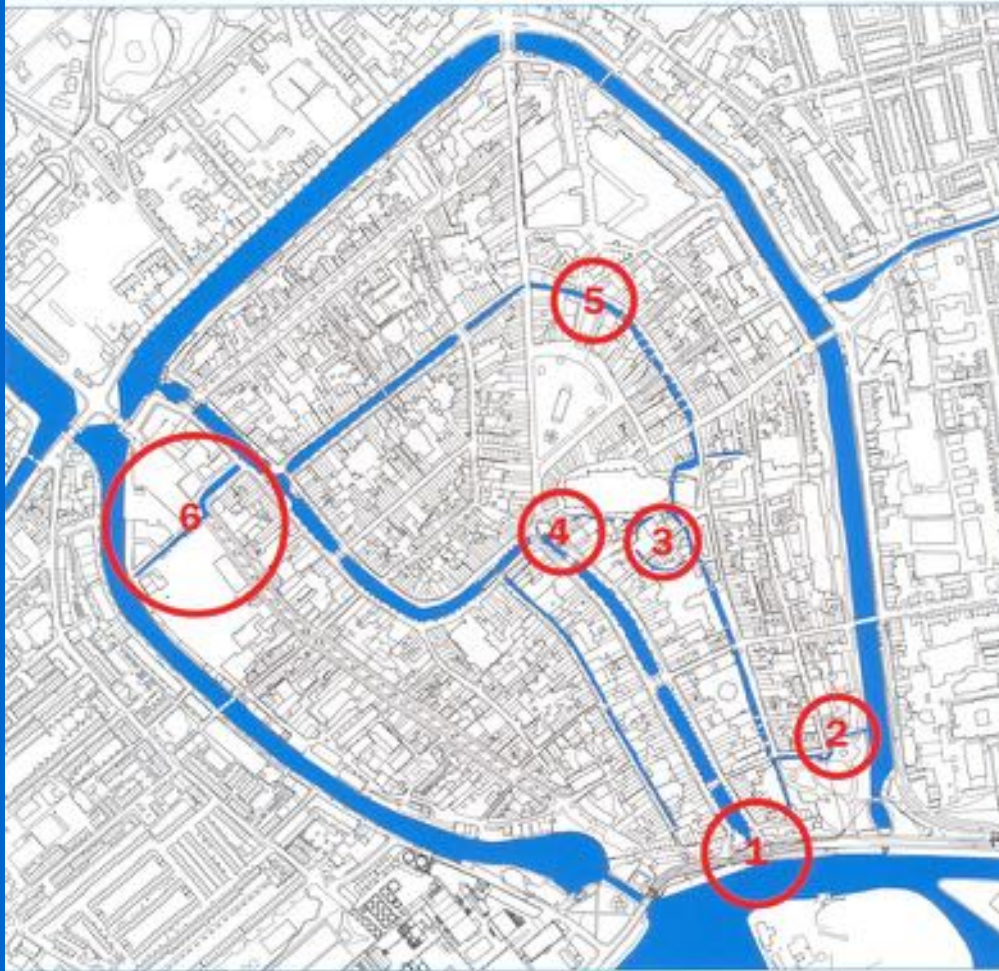
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## SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



**Gouda met waterverbindingen – vroeger en nu**

# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



**Knelpunten oplossen via  
Aquapunctuur**

- a) Sluis & sluiscapaciteit
- b) Brughoogte
- c) Baggerdiepte
- d) Overige maatregelen

## **KNELPUNTEN**

- 1 Havensluis
- 2 Vijverstraat
- 3 De Motte
- 4 Donkere Sluis / de Onderdoorgang
- 5 Achter de Waag
- 6 Nonnenwater / Verlorenkost

**Waterfrontontwikkeling -  
Accent op cultuurhistorie**



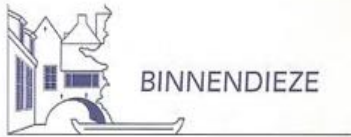
# SUSTAINABLE USE OF INLAND WATERWAYS



**Gouda als Waterstad  
in Zuid-Hollands en  
Europees perspectief**



# Binnen-Dieze & Maximakanaal



Aftakking Zuid-Willemsvaart

## Association Region Water (VRW)



- **Improving Canal conditions for navigation referring to depths, widths, canal bank conditions and slope. Loading / unloading platforms, container terminals**
- **Height under bridges, ship lock adaptation, bridge and lock servicing, maintenance dredging**
- **River canalization, river / canal / training works with regard to critical sections**
- **Provision for safe mooring, berths, marina's, yachting harbours together with adequate facilities. These facilities are: drinking water supply, pumping stations for delivery of domestic wastes and bilge water, sewer systems, toilets, showers, electrical current supply, sign posting**
- **Ensuring navigational safety for all users of the waterway, with special attention for interaction between commercial craft and recreational vessels**

## Association Region Water (VRW)



- **Development of Waterfronts with attractive boulevards with green elements, real estate developments, sufficient hotel – restaurant – café capacity, museums, shops & water related companies.**
- **Towing paths, footpaths, bicycle tracks, parking space, loading/unloading platforms along the waterways and eco zones.**
- **Promotion, restoration and maintenance of cultural heritage values and of region specific products & services.**
- **Conservation and development of landscapes along the waterway in between the towns.**
- **Introduction of cruises with music and catering aboard.**
- **Introduction of special boating events such as floating flower shows, concerts on water, naval parade of historical vessels, regattas, rowing competitions, revival of historical journeys on the waterway, water taxis linking historical sites.**



## Association Region Water (VRW)

- Linkage of the inland waterway with the North Sea
- Katwijk on Sea with special design of a yachting harbour linked through portage or sluice/shiplock with Old Rhine River and Rhine Schie Canal.
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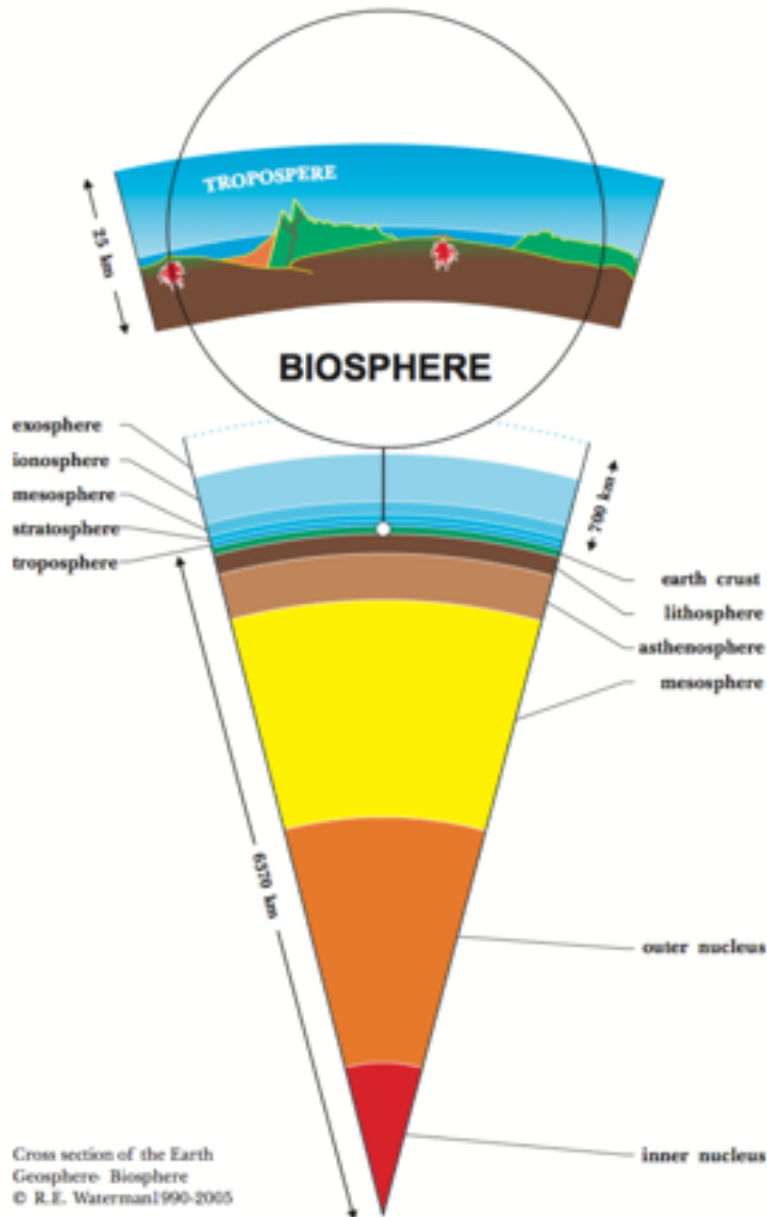
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# Environment

Apart from space travel all human activities take place in a thin shell around the earth: the geosphere - biosphere – sociosphere system

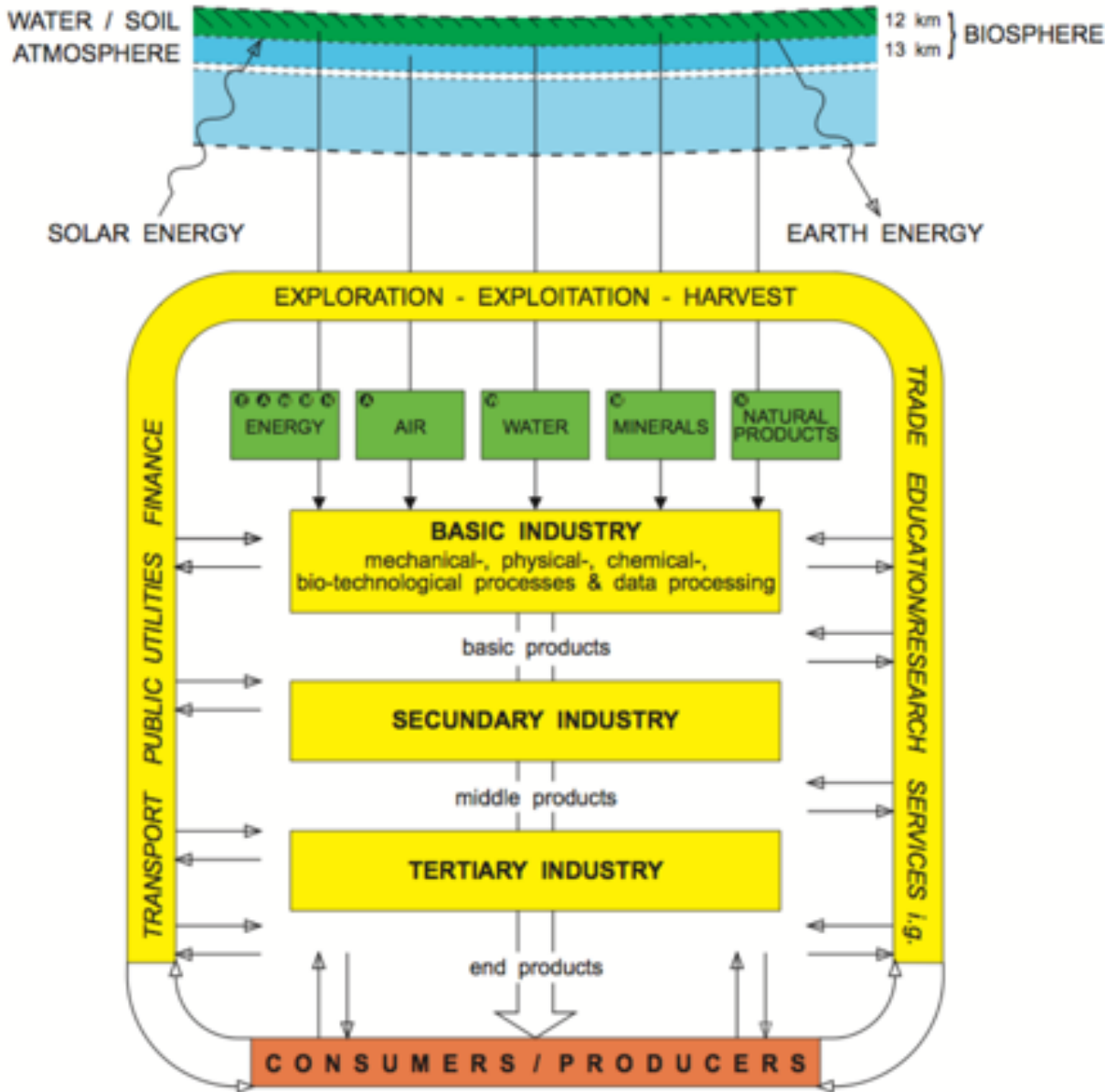
There we find the environmental compartments Air – Water – Soil and all the material expressions of human activities



Cross section of the Earth  
Geosphere- Biosphere  
© R.E. Waterman/1990-2005

# EARTH

Earth radius: circa 6370 km  
Total surface area / land + water:  $510 \cdot 10^6 \text{ km}^2$   
Environmental compartments: AIR/WATER/SOIL  
Micro-organisms - Flora - Fauna incl. people



## Environment

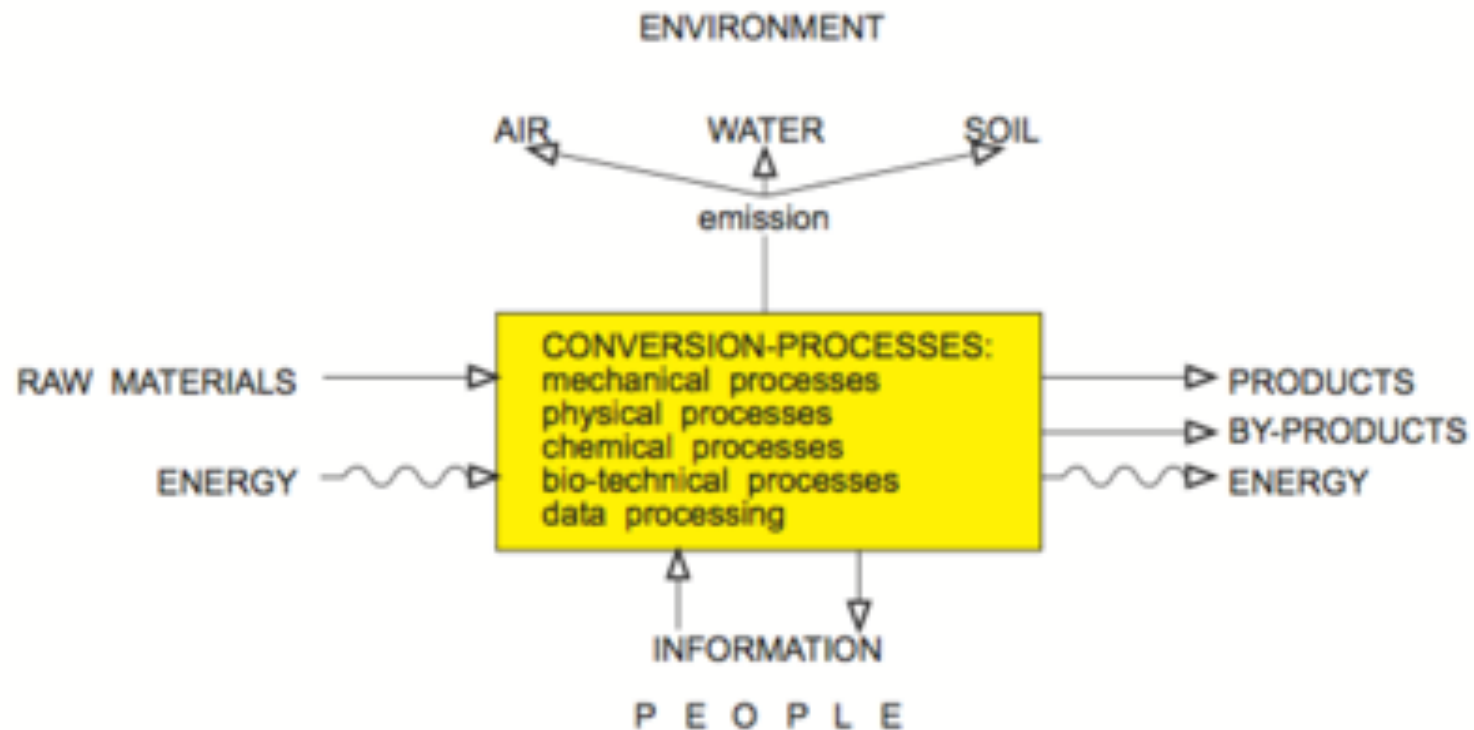
**MANKIND** extracts from / in the geosphere raw materials and energy

Every human being is at the same time

**PRODUCER & CONSUMER**

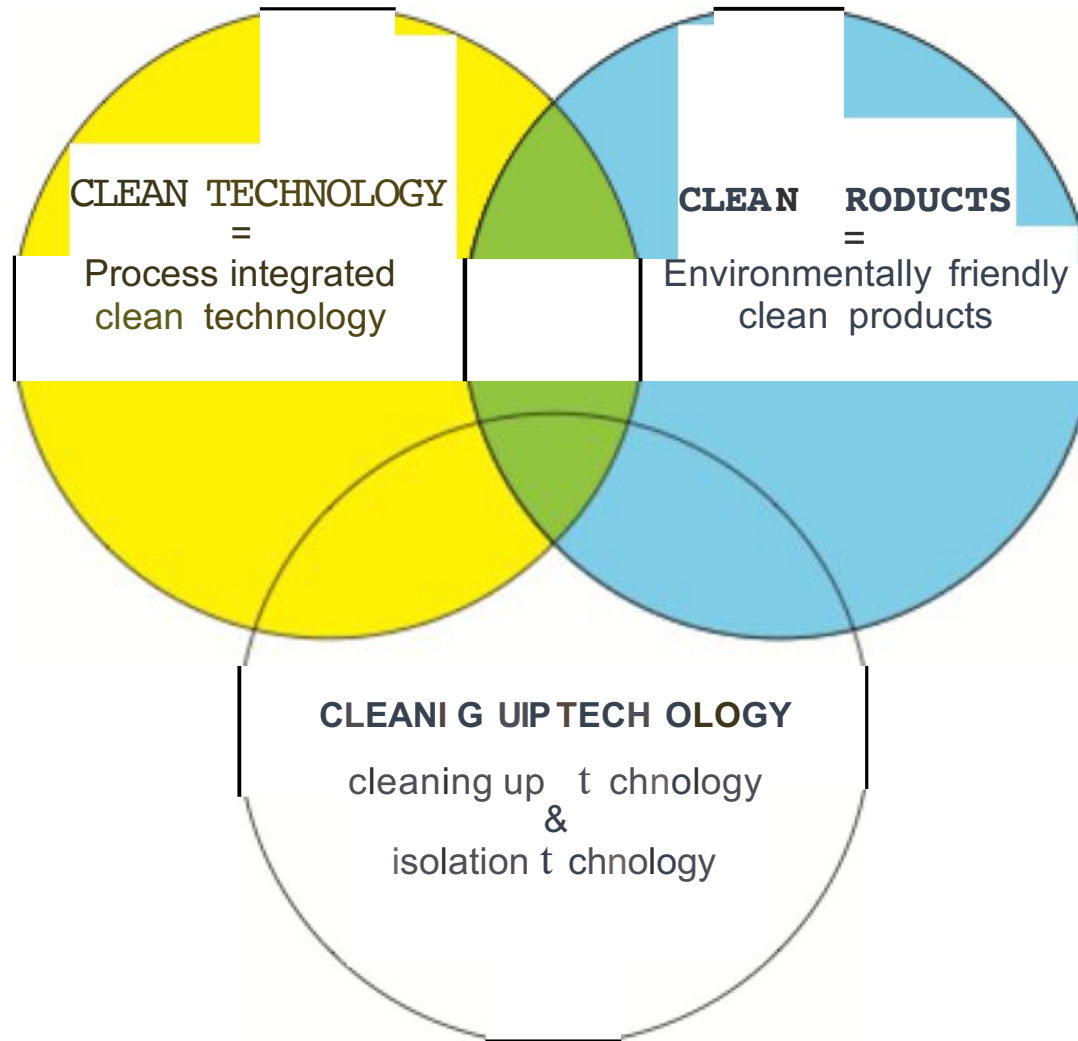


## Process innovations take place in the environment and are initiated, developed and managed by people



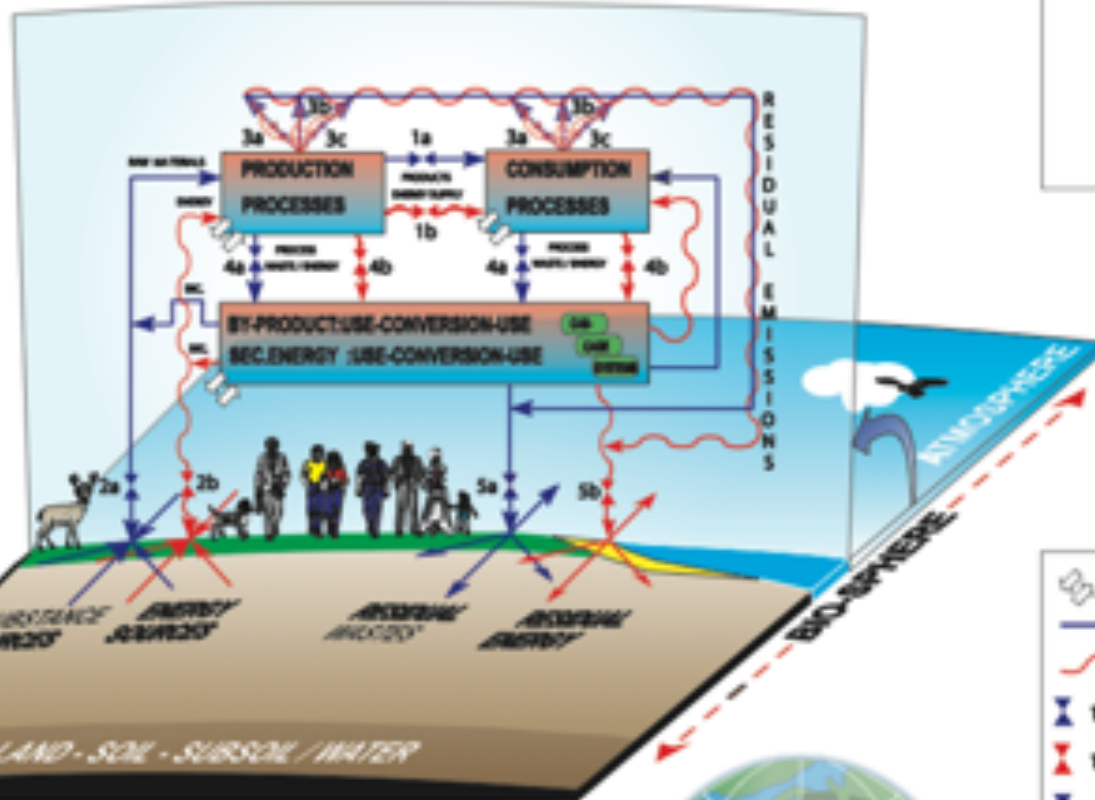
The great challenge of the 21<sup>st</sup> century is to develop and implement conversion processes in such a way that at the same time the economy is strengthened and the environment improved

# Environmental Technology



Triple - C approach

# TOWARDS A (CLOSED) MASS / ENERGY - CYCLE IN A SUSTAINABLE SOCIETY (in which up- and downgrading occurs)



- The conversion processes take place in the environment. They are often initiated, developed and managed by people.
- Those processes should be developed whereby with less raw materials and less energy, valuable products can be produced at a higher yield, with less hazardous emissions to air/water/soil.
- In so far by-products are produced, these should be transformed into environmentally friendly products. If this is not feasible these by-products should be safely stored in order to protect the environment.
- Space- and time-factors should also be taken into account

## BIO-SPHERE :

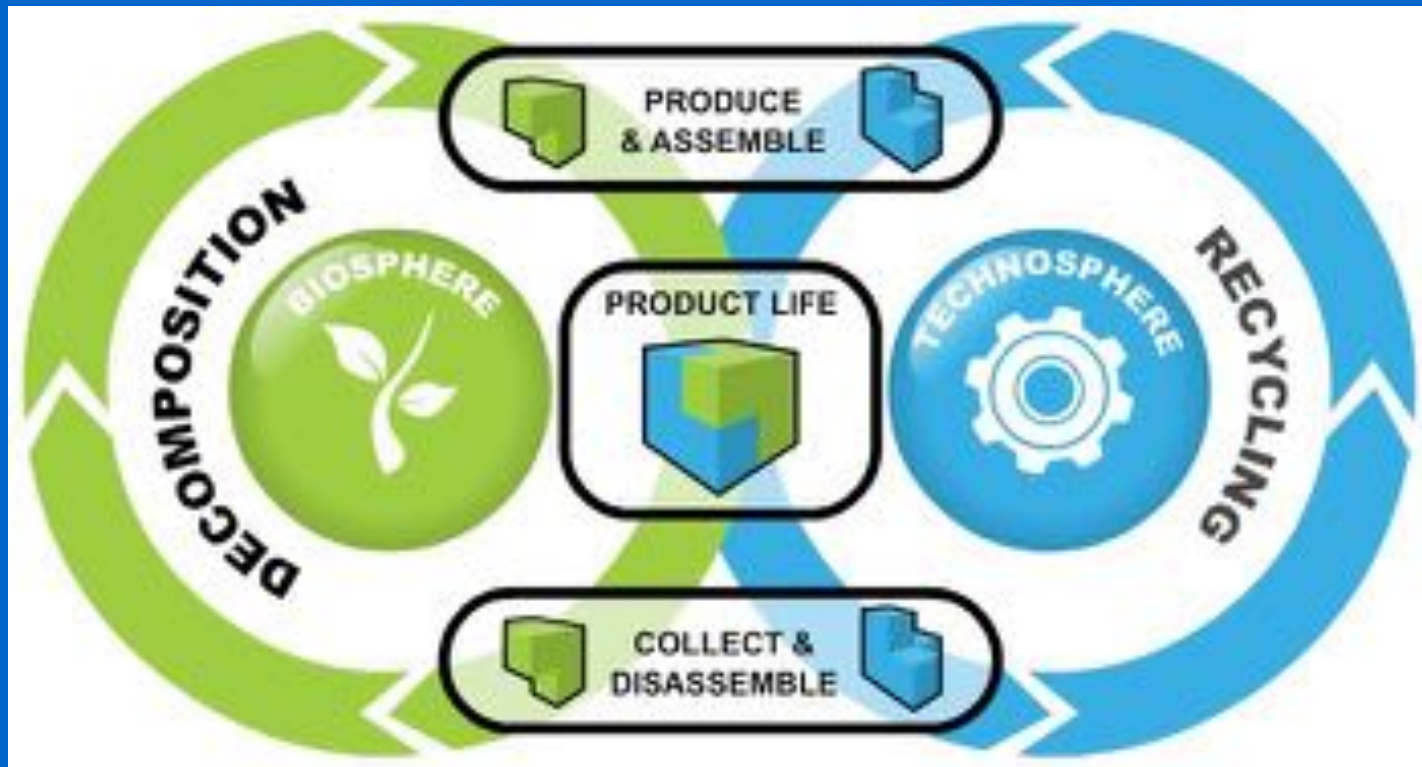
- ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITMENTS, AIR - WATER - SOIL
- MICRO-ORGANISMS, FLORA, FAUNA (CIVIL, PEOPLE)
- ECO - SYSTEMS
- ALL MATERIAL EXPRESSIONS OF HUMAN ACTIVITIES
- MASS SOURCES } TIL EXPLORATIONS, EXPLOITATION, MINING, CULTIVATION, HARVEST, ETC.
- ENERGY SOURCES }
- RENEGAL WASTE } DISPOSAL / DEGRADATION & DETERIORATION
- RENEGAL ENERGY }

ENVIRONMENTAL FOOT IMPRINT (IN HA)  
= FUNCTION (POPULATION, LIFESTYLE, TECHNOLOGY)



# CIRCULAR ECONOMY

C2C



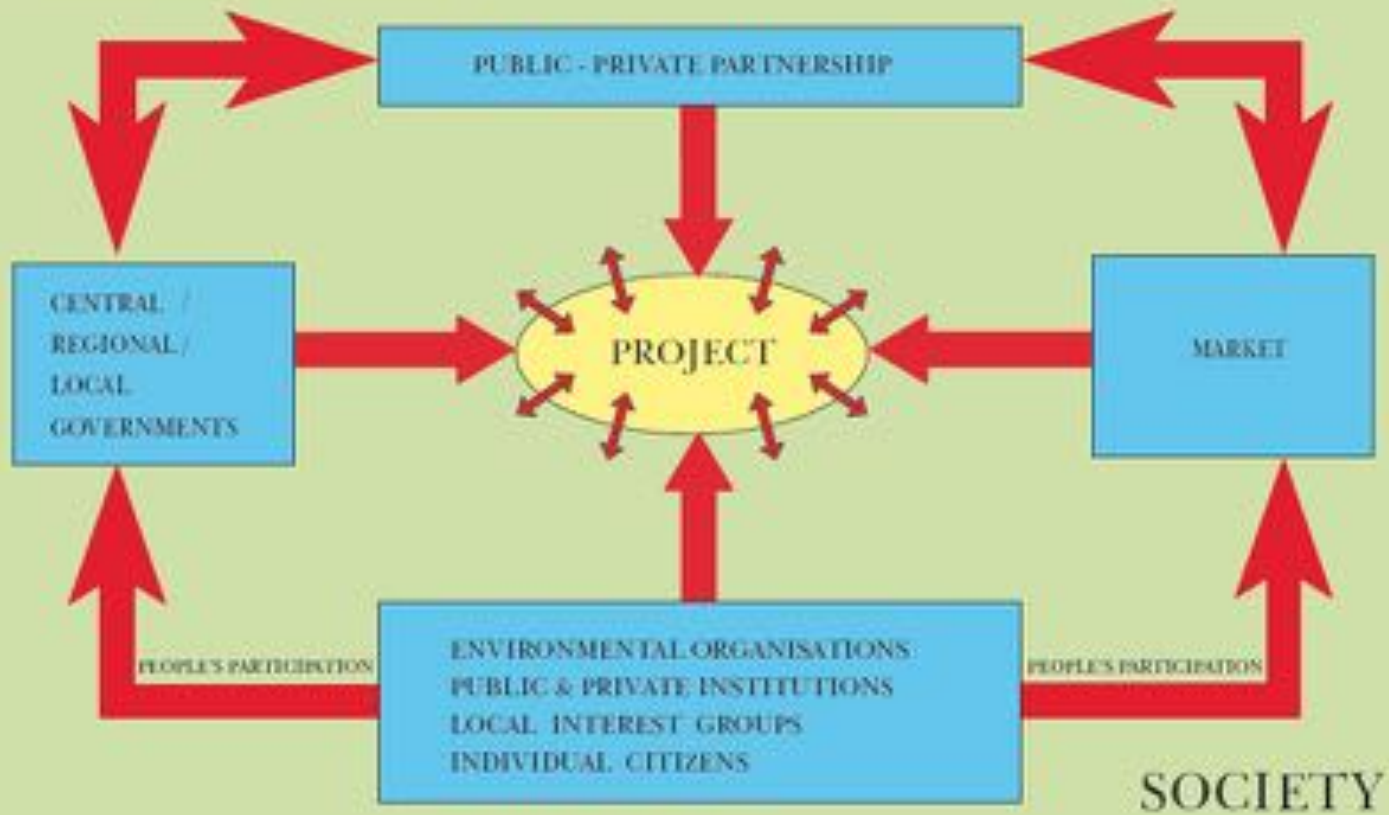
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# INTERACTIVE PLAN DEVELOPMENT



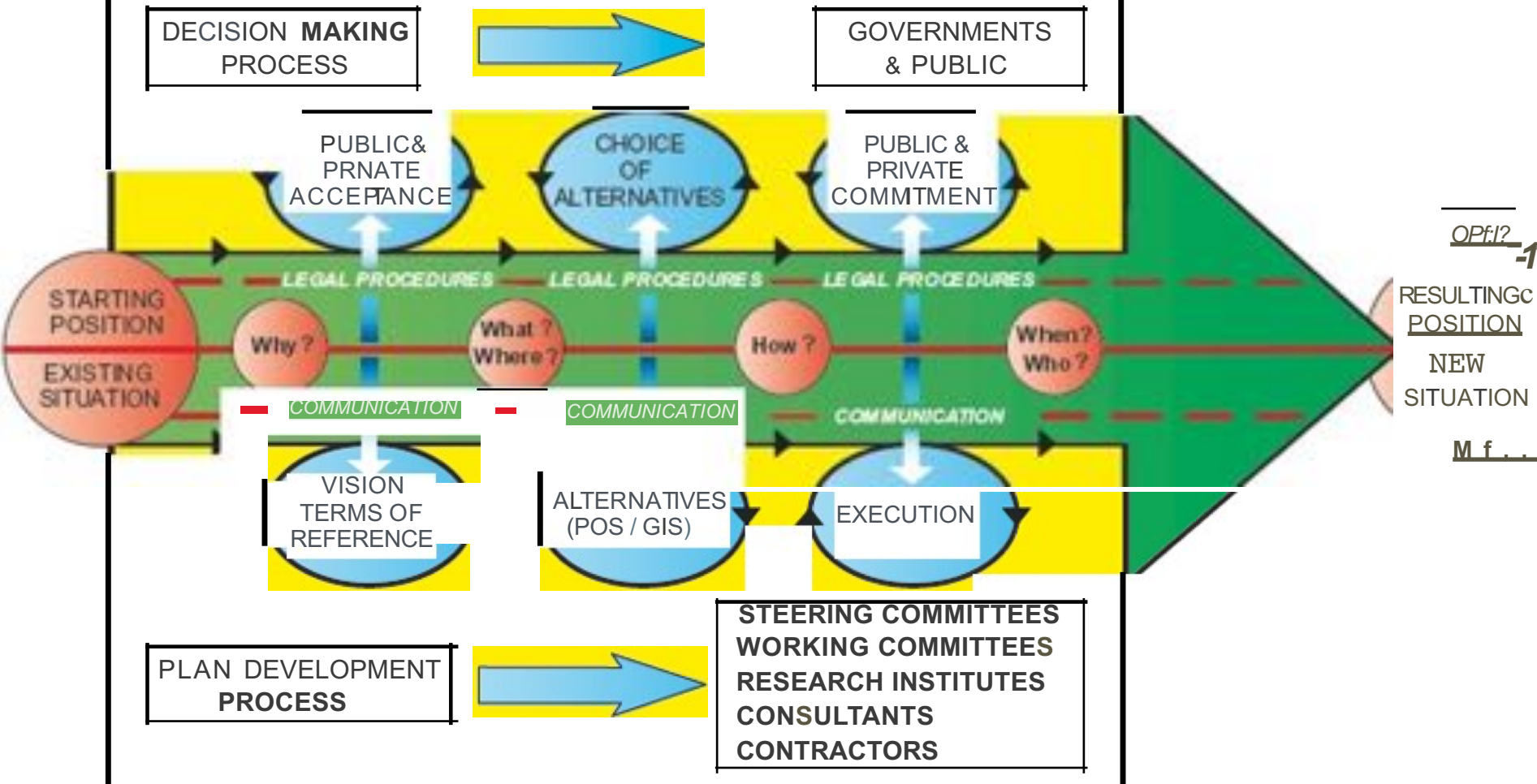
**Plan Development in the past**

# ENVIRONMENT



A project - including its plan development - is situated and takes place in the environment and is initiated, propagated, criticised and executed by people. The project influences the environment and is influenced by the environment.

# INTERACTIVE PLAN DEVELOPMENT



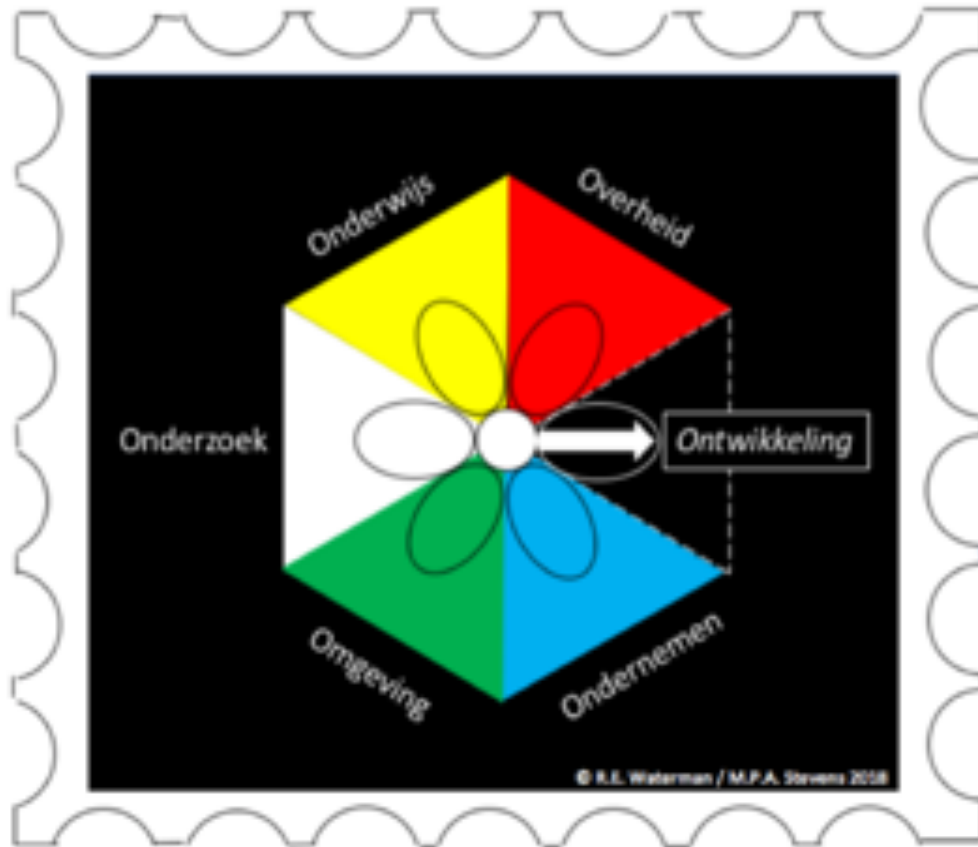
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RESULTING POSITION  
NEW SITUATION  
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$$P_R = F(Q \times A)$$

Probability or Realisation =  
Function of Quality & Acceptance

- The interactive plan development must be:
- in accordance with legal procedures & standards;
  - fully equipped for vice-versa communication;
  - **feasible from a financial - economical - social - cultural - environmental point of view;**
  - **striving for sustainability.**

## 5 O's Stakeholderstapijt



Stakeholderstapijt leidend tot;

integrale,  
multifunctionele,  
circulaire,  
duurzame en  
bio-gebaseerde

*ontwikkelingen.*



# INTERACTIVE PLAN DEVELOPMENT

## Vision

*Vision plays a crucial and essential role from start to finish in any interactive plan development process.*

*Without vision neither an excellent plan design, nor its development can be achieved.*

*Every plan development is or should be based on a well-founded vision.*

*Ideally, this vision, placed in time and space, should be based on knowledge, insight, sensory perception, analytical skill, sound rational reasoning and intuition, inspiration and creativity.*

1.1 *"Creative Thinking – Thoughtful Acting."*  
Motto Royal Dutch Institute of Engineers

1.2 *"A Living Nation is Building its Future."*  
Dr. Ir. C. Lely (1854 – 1929), the Netherlands

1.3 *"Luctor et Emergo."* (*"I struggle and emerge"*)  
Motto Province of Zeeland, the Netherlands

# INTERACTIVE PLAN DEVELOPMENT

## Vision

2.1 *"Nature is a brilliant source of inspiration and an excellent teacher for the development of well-designed plans."*

R.E. Waterman

2.2 *"Well-designed plans have their roots in the past and are pointing to the future."*

R.E. Waterman

2.3 *"The great challenge in this era is to develop methods that simultaneously improve the environment and strengthen the economy"*

R.E. Waterman

2.4 *"The most valuable resource available to us is our brain. Therefore let us together use these brains for the benefit of the environment, the economy and our fellow human beings."*

R.E. Waterman

2.5 *"Sharing knowledge is multiplying knowledge."*

Anonymous

2.6 *"Think Long-Term – Act Short-Term."*

P.J.A. van Hessen

3.1 *"If you will, it is no fairy-tale."*

Th. Herzl (1860-1904),  
"Altneuland" (1899-1902)

3.2 *"Who doesn't believe in dreams, is not a realist."*

D. Ben Goerion (1886-1973)

3.3 *"Dream great dreams and take practical steps to turn them into reality."*

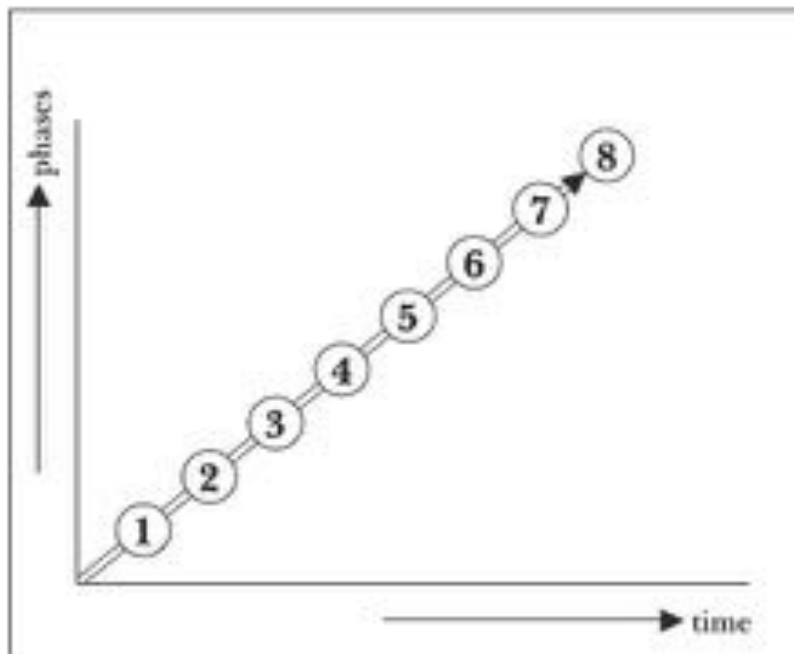
Henrietta Szold (1860-1945)

3.4 *"Dreams are not to soothe us asleep, but to shake us awake."*

R. Magritte (1898-1967), 1929

# INTERACTIVE PLAN DEVELOPMENT

## 1. PLAN DEVELOPMENT & EXECUTION



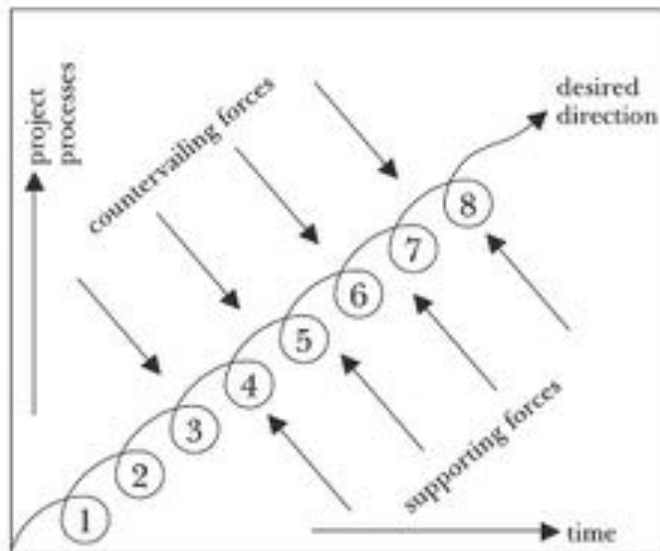
In the development and execution of a plan many phases can be distinguished. All other interacting processes, although of extreme importance, have been left out.

1. Existing situation.
2. Vision for a future situation.
3. Conceptual plan based on acquired data, trends, careful analysis and additional research.
4. From conceptual plan towards a number of concrete plans.
5. Fine tuning and final choice of selected plan.
6. Execution of chosen plan.
7. Wished for resulting situation.
8. Operation and maintenance of executed plan.

**Additional Instruments**

# INTERACTIVE PLAN DEVELOPMENT

## 2. SERIES OF CYCLIC PROCESSES IN "FORCES FIELD"



- Mapping of Field Forces
- Field Force Analysis
- Weighing forces for and against a project

Weighing factor =  $f$  (availability & power to influence change)

## 3. SWOT ANALYSIS



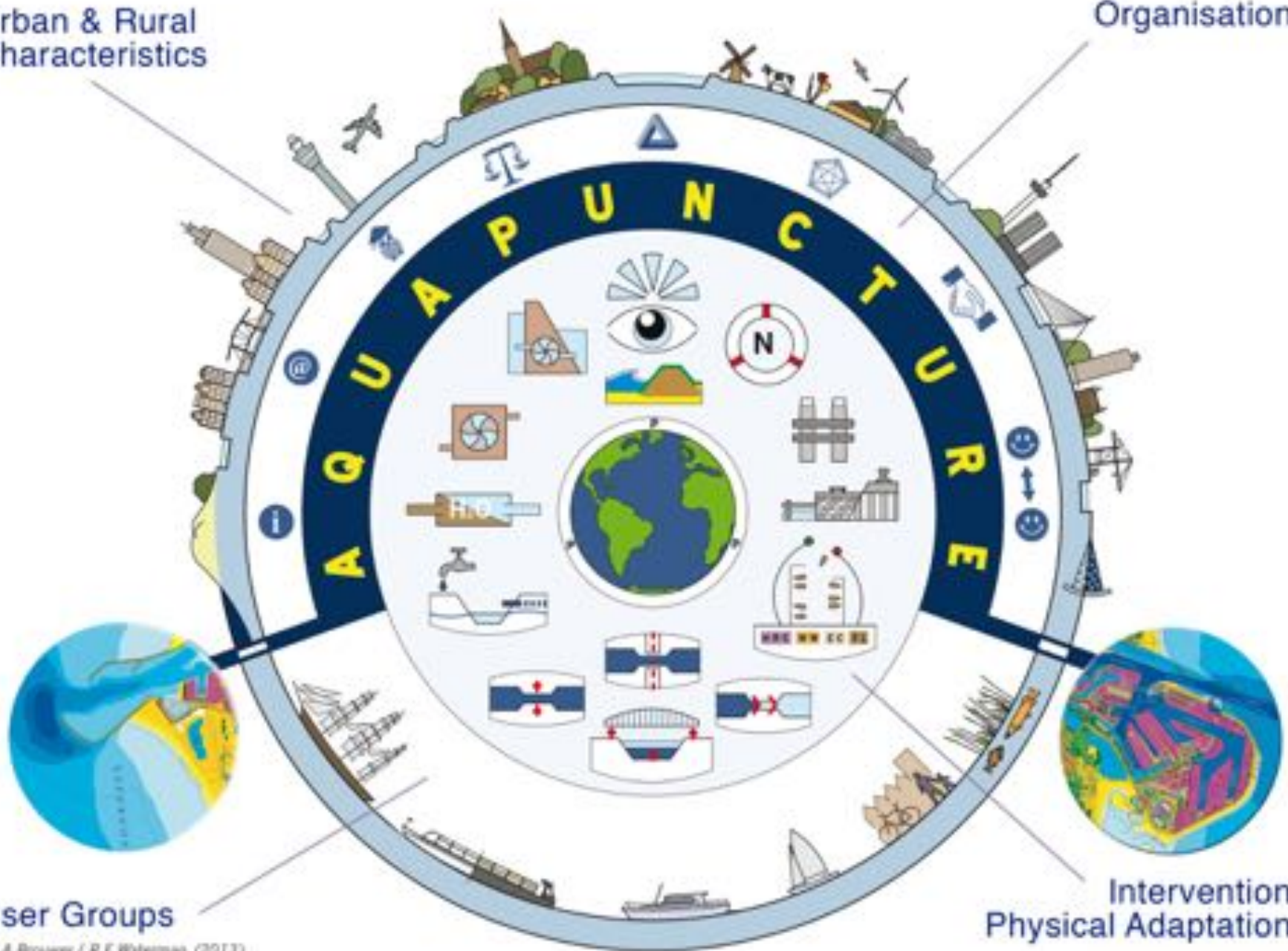
## 4. MULTI-CRITERIA ANALYSIS

Multi-criteria Analysis which weighs factors for comparative model research, whereby each relevant function from a to z is weighed qualitatively and quantitatively. This is an additional instrument to compare and evaluate a series of plans.

## Additional Instruments

Urban & Rural  
Characteristics

Organisation



User Groups

Interventions  
Physical Adaptations