PCP WISE

Closing and Next Steps – From Webstival to PCP Calls & Final Matchmaking Push

PCP-WISE Webstival – Webinar 6

28 April 2025 – 15:00-16:30

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Agenda

15:00 – 15:10	**Welcome & Objectives** by Mélissa Campagno, G.A.C. Group, Impact Maximisation Work Package Leader
15:10 – 15:20	**Highlights & Key Takeaways from the PCP WISE Webstival** by Sofiane Bari, G.A.C. Group
15:20 – 15:45	**Back to the Challenge: Real-Word Use Cases Driving PCP WISE** by Hans Van Leeuwen, STOWA
15:45 – 16:00	**Preparing for the PCP Call: Timeline, Requirements & Tips for Bidders** by Joost Buntsma, hWh
16:00 – 16:15	**Joining as a Supplier, Replicator, Follower: What's in it for You?** by Melissa Campagno, Mélissa Campagno, G.A.C. Group, Impact Maximisation Work Package Leader
16:15 – 16.30	**Q&A & Next Steps** By Melissa Campagno, Mélissa Campagno, G.A.C. Group, Impact Maximisation Work Package Leader
16:30	**Closing and Thank You**

Welcome & Objectives of the Closing Session

Mélissa Campagno, G.A.C. Group, Impact Maximisation Work Package Leader

15:00 – 15:10

PCP WISE Webstivals Review

Webinar 1 - PCP WISE Explained & Matchmaking launch

April 7, 10h-11h30

Webinar 2 - The PCP Process – From Call to Contract & Suppliers matchmaking

April 9, 10h-11h30

Webinar 3 – EU Project Synergies – Lightning Talks from Fellow Initiatives & Matchmaking for Cross-Project Collaboration

April 17, 15h-16h30

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Webinar 4 - Scaling Water Innovation – The Private Sector & Venture Capital Perspective

April 22, 10h-11h30

Webinar 5 - Climate Resilience & Water Innovation – The Role of EO & digital technology

April 23, 10h-11h30

Webinar 6 – Closing and Next Steps – From Webstival to PCP Calls & Final Matchmaking Push

April 28, 15h-16h30

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Objectives of this session

- **Reflect on key moments and insights** from the PCP WISE Webstival
- Reconnect **with the real-world challenges** driving innovation in Earth Observation
- **Share practical guidance** to prepare for the **upcoming PCP Call**
- Highlight collaboration opportunities for **suppliers, replicators, and followers**
- **Provide clarity on next steps** and how to stay involved in the PCP WISE ecosystem

Highlights & Key Takeaways from the PCP WISE Webstival

Sofiane Bari, G.A.C. Group

15:10 – 15:20

The Webstival in Numbers

🌊 Webinar 1 | PCP WISE Explained & Matchmaking Launch

👉 7 April 2025 | 10:00–11:30 (Paris Time)
🔢 87 participants vs 74 registrants

📜 Webinar 2 | The PCP Process – From Call to Contract

👉 9 April 2025 | 10:00–11:30 (Paris Time)
🔢 66 participants vs 59 registrants

🤝 Webinar 3 | EU Project Synergies & Cross-Project Collaboration

👉 17 April 2025 | 10:00–11:45 (Paris Time)
🔢 53 participants vs 52 registrants

🚀 Webinar 4 | Scaling Water Innovation – The Private Sector & VC Perspective

👉 22 April 2025 | 10:00–11:30 (Paris Time)
🔢 27 participants vs 21 registrants

🌍 Webinar 5 | EO & Digital Innovation for Climate Resilience

👉 23 April 2025 | 10:00–11:30 (Paris Time)
🔢 39 participants vs 27 registrants

🎯 Webinar 6 | Closing & Next Steps

👉 28 April 2025 | 15:00–16:30 (Paris Time)
24 registrants

The Webstival in Numbers

- 🎥 **6 webinars** throughout April 2025
- 👥 **272 participants** (for the first 5 webinars)
- 🌐 **Wide audience** including climate services providers, public buyers, innovation procurement practitioners, sustainability and climate adaptation professionals, EO data experts, etc.
- 💬 **Dozens of questions** asked by participants and answered live by PCP WISE experts
- ⏱️ **10+ hours of content** available on YouTube
- 📈 **+40% Community Platform members** since the start of the Webstival

PCP WISE Webstival – Key Messages & Insights

- **Strategic Value of PCP:** Pre-Commercial Procurement (PCP) drives transformative solutions for Europe's environmental challenges, supporting R&D and stimulating innovation in SMEs and startups.
- **Climate Resilience through Technology:** Earth Observation (EO), digital tools, and nature-based solutions are critical for addressing water stress, floods, and droughts.
- **Collaboration Across Projects:** The Webstival fostered synergies between EU-funded initiatives, highlighting opportunities for joint pilots, shared modeling platforms, and open-source data and tools.
- **Private Sector Engagement:** Private investment (VC) is a strong lever for scaling water innovations from pilots to real-world impact.
- **Localised Solutions:** Innovations must be tailored to local needs, combining technology with community co-creation and regional adaptation strategies.

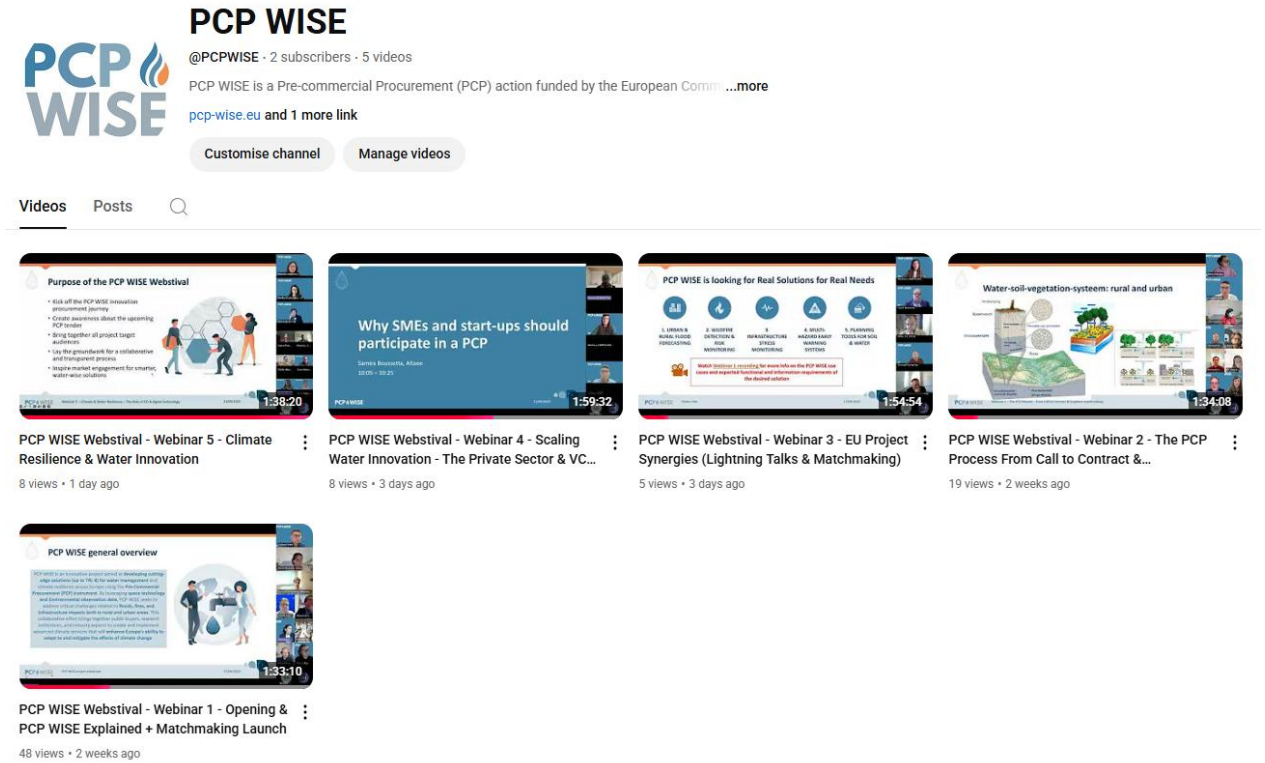
Matchmaking Highlights & Future Collaboration

- **Matchmaking Platform:** The PCP WISE Community Platform facilitates consortia formation and aligns proposals with buyers' needs.
- **Upcoming Events:**
  - OMC Info Day (28 May)
  - Online OMC Session (3 June)
  - Hybrid OMC Session at EXPANDEO, Brussels (12 June)
- **Collaboration Pathways:**
  - Joint pilots and shared modelling platforms.
  - Replication of solutions through PCP processes.
  - Engagement with climate tech startups, public agencies, and municipalities.
- **Private-Public Synergy:** Close collaboration between public buyers and private investors is key to turning innovative prototypes into scalable solutions.

Takeaways & Call to Action

- **Key Takeaways:**
  - PCP is a powerful tool for driving innovation in water management.
  - EO and digital technologies are essential for climate adaptation.
  - Cross-project collaboration amplifies impact.
  - Private investment is critical for scaling innovations.
- **Call to Action:**
  - Participate in the PCP WISE Community Platform and matchmaking activities.
  - Engage in upcoming OMC events and dialogue with buyers.
  - Explore collaboration opportunities with EU-funded initiatives.
  - Contact us at info-PCP-Wise@group-gac.com for more information.

Missed the Webstival?



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- 👥 Register to the PCP WISE Community Platform
- 🌐 Visit the PCP WISE Website

Back to the Challenge: Real-World Use Cases Driving PCP WISE

By Hans Van Leeuwen, STOWA

15:20 – 15:45

Climate change challenges

The overarching challenge is to control & manage our

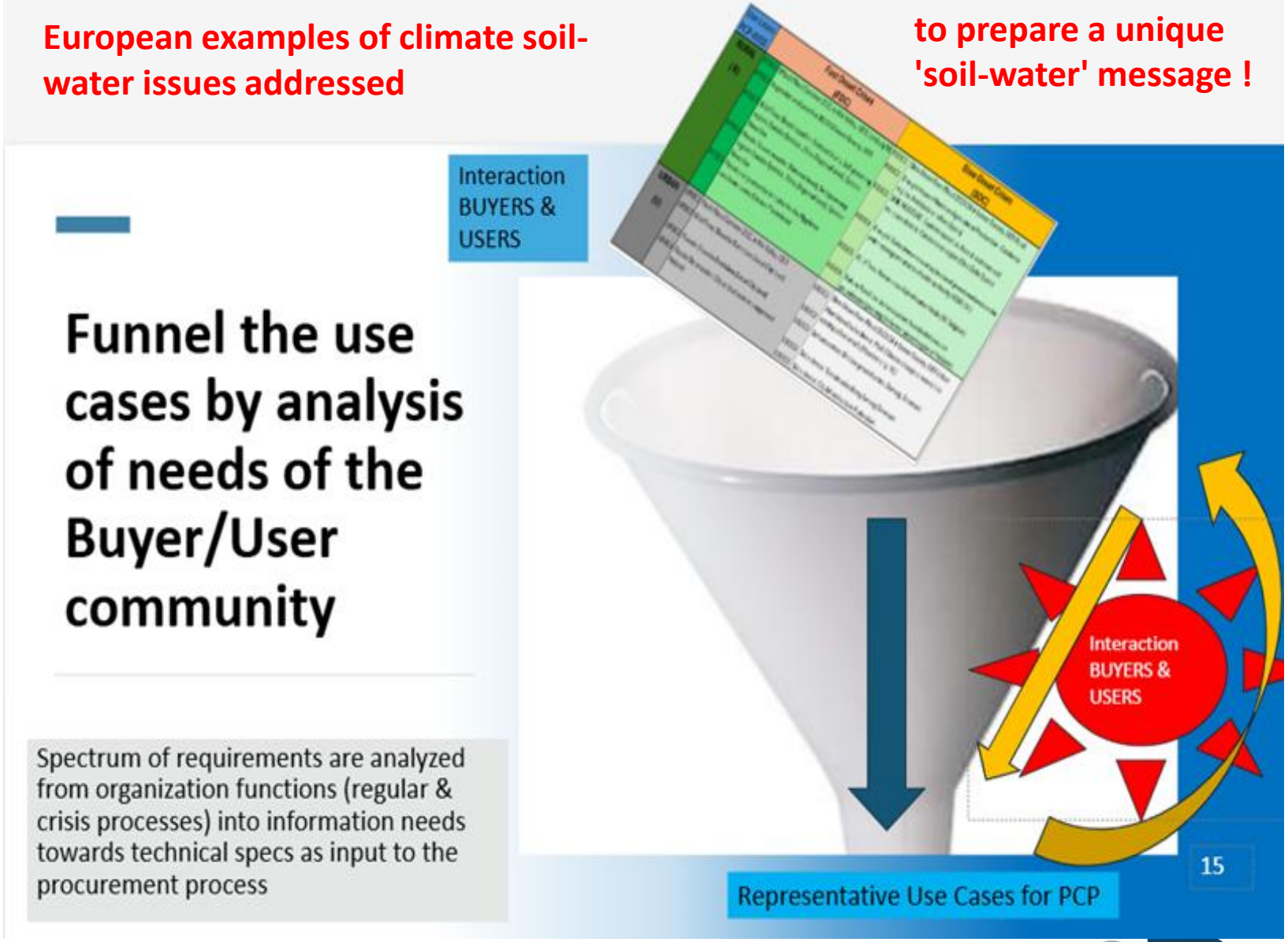
'soil-water-vegetation-atmosphere' system

to prevent extremes & improve water distribution

Monitoring climate challenges in Europe by developing Earth observation based 'Soil-Water' information services enabling better local urban & rural hydrological management

European examples of climate soil-water issues addressed

to prepare a unique 'soil-water' message !

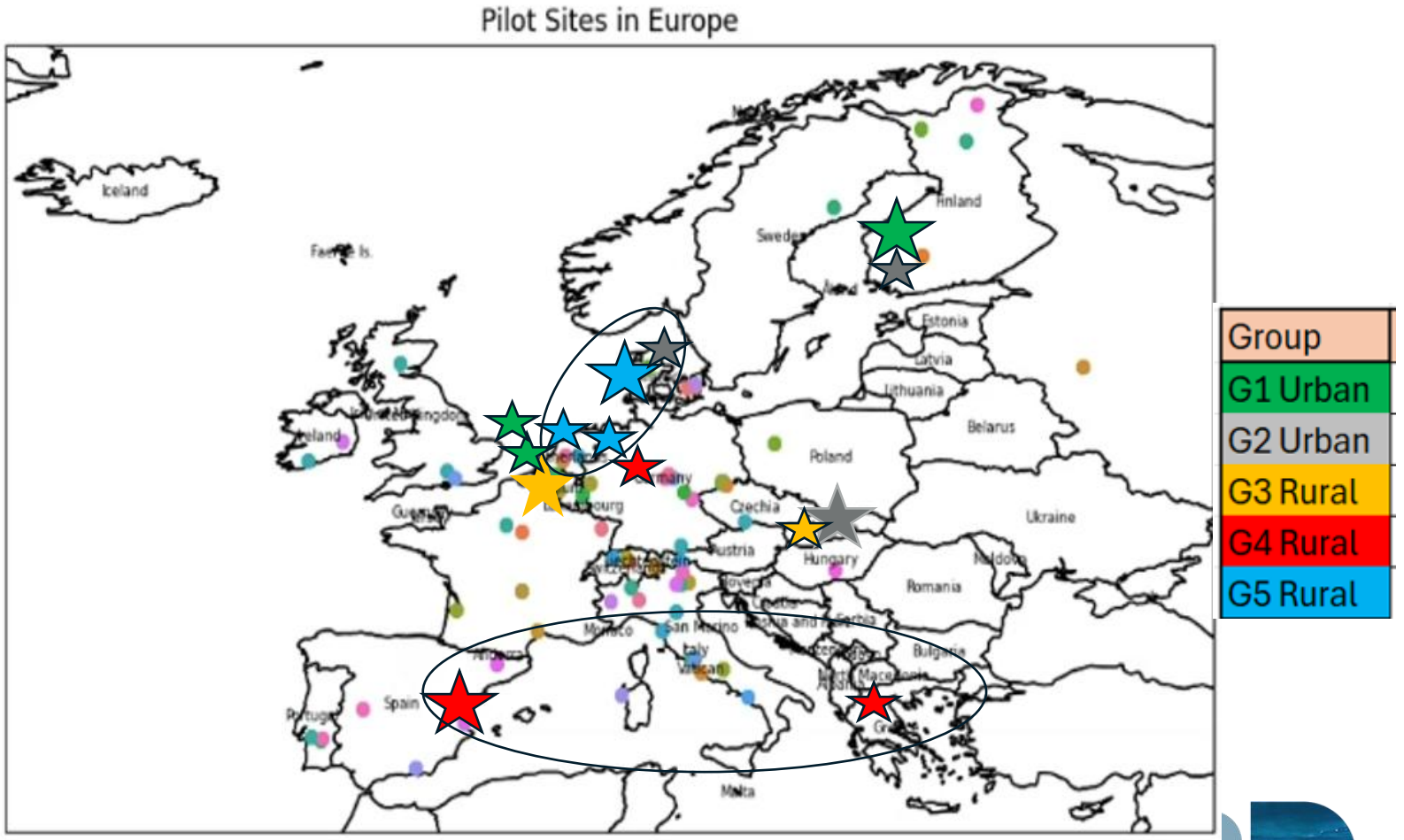


Urban and Rural usecases (Flood & Drought) 5 groepen

Urban		Rural	
G1: Helsinki (2)	F & D	**G3: Kalmthout Belgium/NL (1)**	**D**
Rotterdam (1)	F	SK:BB,SNV (Slovakia)	F & D
Haarlem (NL) (1)	F & D	**G4: Catalunya, Spain (1)**	**D**
G2: SK:BA Slovakia(1)	D	Central Macedonia, Greece (1)	F & D
Helsinki (2)	D (F)	Lower Saxony, Germany (2)	**F & D**
Lemvig, (Dk) (1)	D	**G5: Lemvig Area (living Lab, Dk)**	**D**
		HDSR subsidence (NL) (1)	D
		Lower Saxony, Germany (2)	D

BUYER/user sites & European Groups & WISE coverage

Group-Lead site: Local & Regional scale (red) Insitu (buyers, international)
Group Partners site (Green): No validation but extended area monitoring by market service



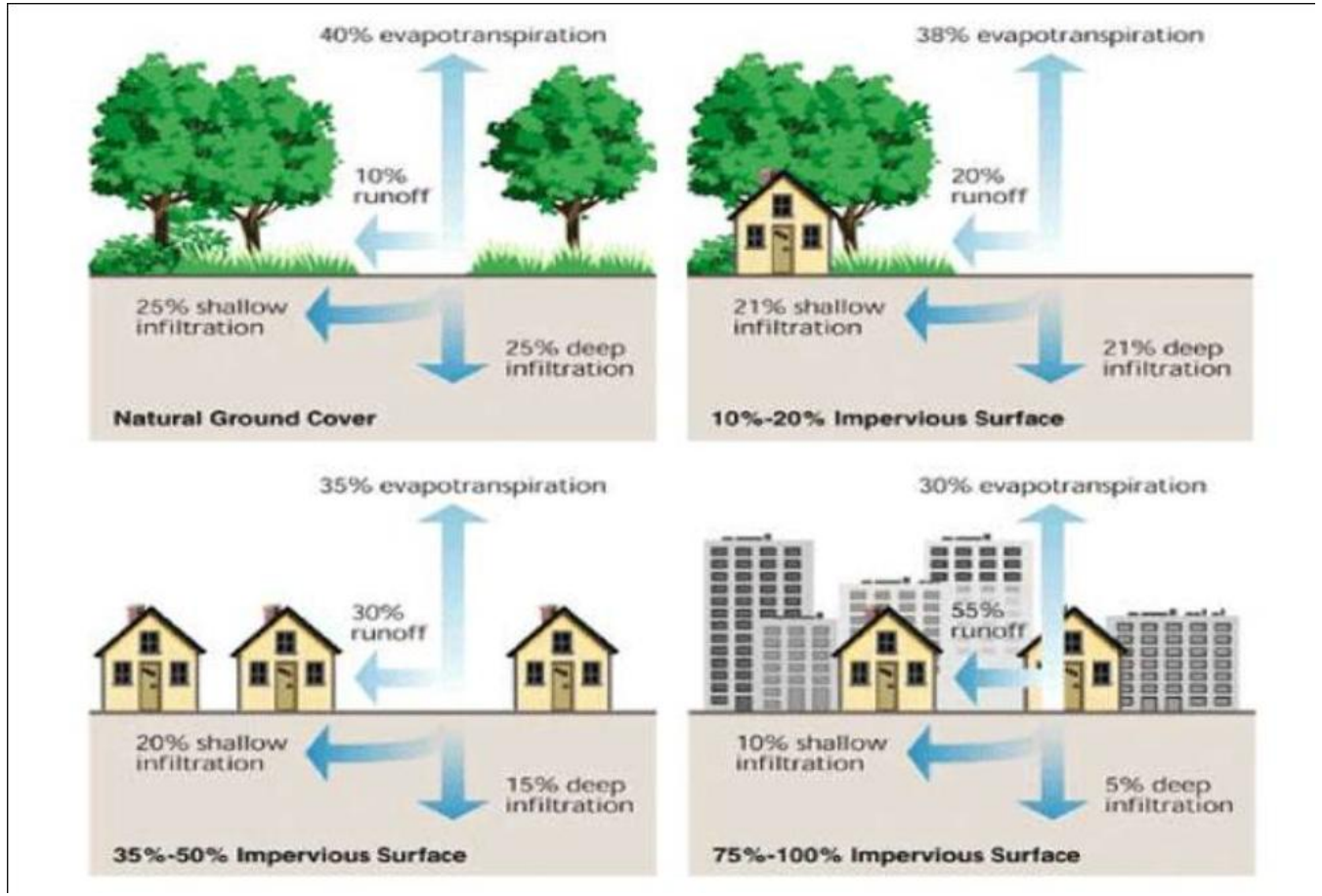
Urban water management vs Rural

To show the difference in urban area with natural area (*):

- Infiltration (shallow/deep)
- Evapotranspiration
- Runoff component

(*) Impervious surface (also in Copernicus) definition:

Impervious surfaces are mainly artificial structures—such as pavements (roads, sidewalks, driveways and parking lots, as well as industrial areas such as airports, ports and logistics and distribution centres, all of which use considerable paved areas) that are covered by water-resistant materials such as asphalt, concrete, brick, stone—and rooftops. Soils compacted by urban development are also highly impervious.



Group 1 Urban Drought (N-W EU)

G1 Urban	(F/)D	FvH	Rotterdam	Haarlem	USOC6	USOC5	USOC2

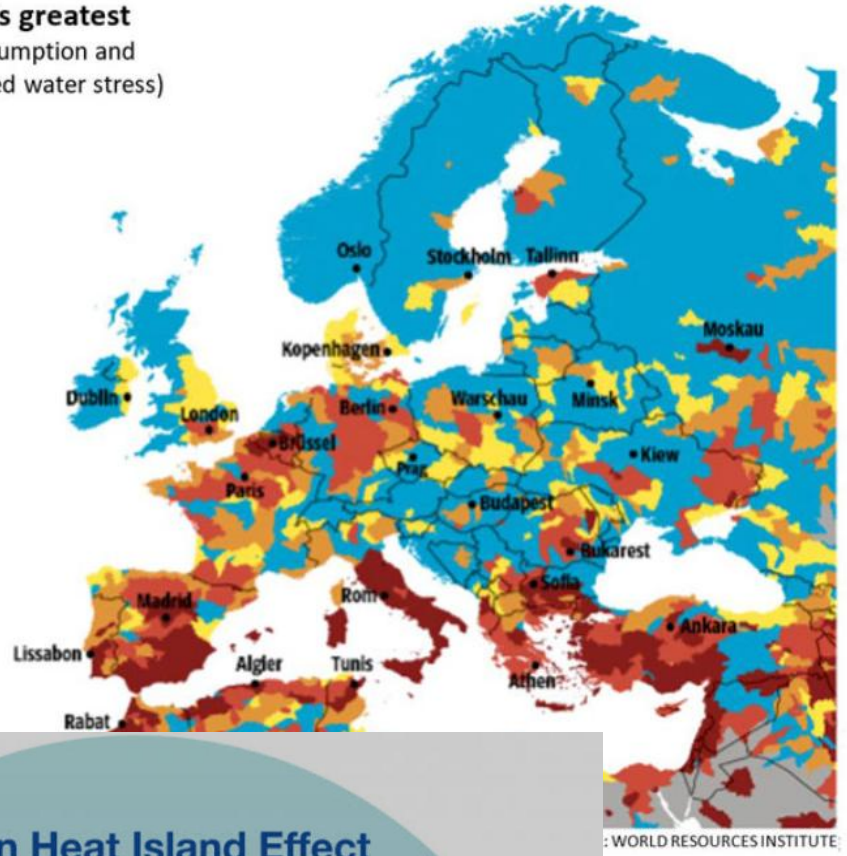
Group 1 is dealing with **Urban problems** in the local city context in terms of spatial waterdistribution in the city underground due to all kind of human and external (regional, climate) factors. The focus is on **dealing with the shortage of water** due to problems of (local) waterstorage, infiltration, evapotranspiration, etc. causing too low groundwater levels, **impacting infrastructure** by subsidence (streets, housing, critical infrastructure like utility sector, etc) or **living and green conditions** (heat islands, greenparks, openwater)

Urban Drought

Where the shortage is greatest

Ratio between water consumption and existing resources (so-called water stress)

- **Low stress level** less than 10%
- **Low to average** 10 to 20%
- **Average to high** 20 to 40%
- **Very high** 40 to 80%
- **Extremely high** more than 80%
- Water-scarce areas, low water consumption or no data



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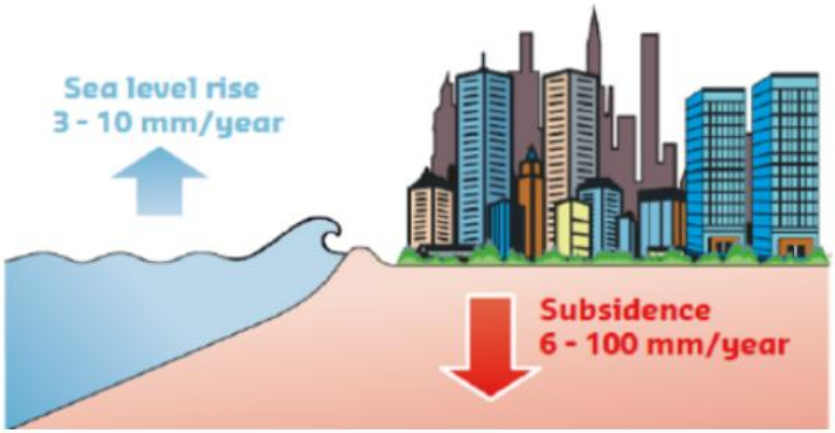
Climate change

- Accelerated sea level rise
- Extreme weather events

Socio-economic development

- Urbanization and population growth
- Increased water demand



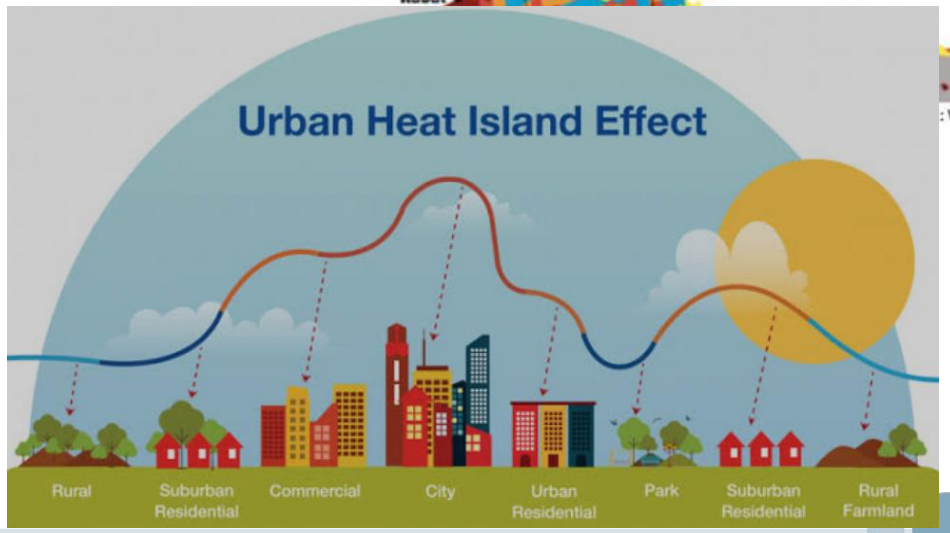
Impacts

- Increased flood risk
- Damage to buildings, infrastructure
- Disruption of water management

Causes

- Groundwater extraction
- Oil, gas, coal mining
- Tectonics

Drivers, processes and impacts of land subsidence in coastal cities. Land subsidence can exceed global absolute sea-level rise (SLR) with a factor 10.

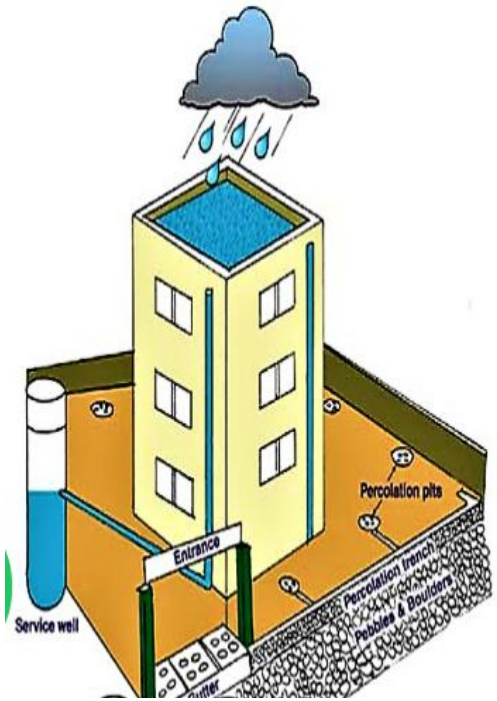


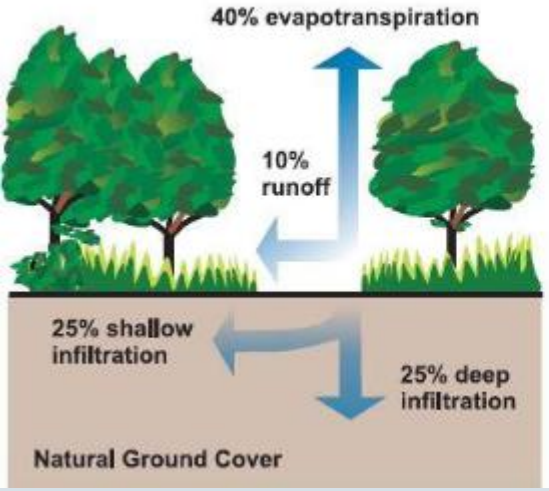
Group 2 Urban Waterexcess (E-N EU)

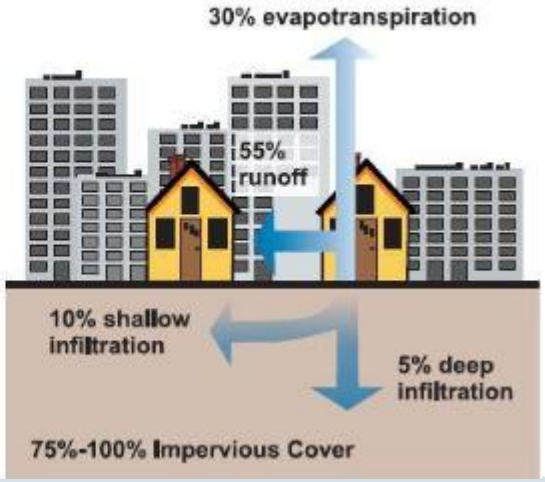
G2 Urban	F(/D)	SEA	FvH	Klimatorium	UFOC2_3	UFOC4	USOC3

Group 2 is dealing with **Urban problems** in the local city context in terms of spatial water distribution in the city underground due to all kind of human and external (seepage, sealevel rise, etc) factors. The focus is on **dealing with abundance of water** due to problems of (local) waterstorage, infiltration, etc. impacting infrastructure (streets, housing, critical infrastructure like utility sector). Mostly the context (riverbasin region) of the city has additional (in)direct impact on the basic city water conditions.

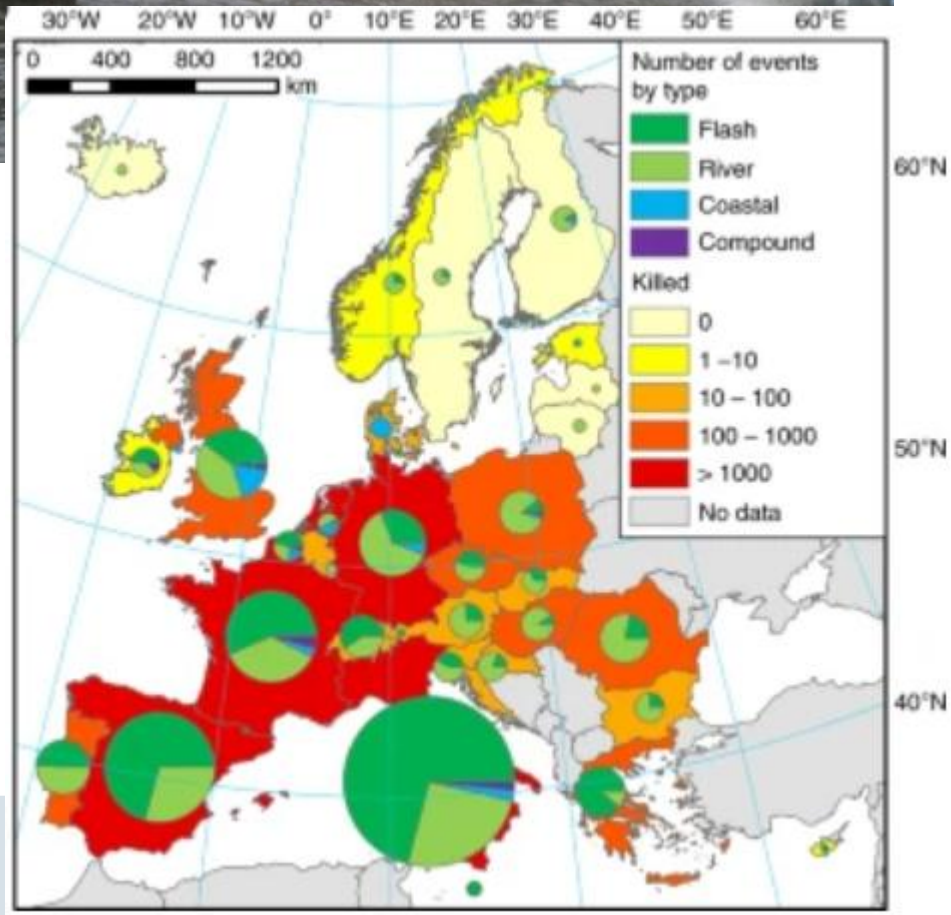
Urban Flooding







Total number of flood events and fatalities (unadjusted, reported values) between 1870 and 2016, by country. Source of data: HANZE database

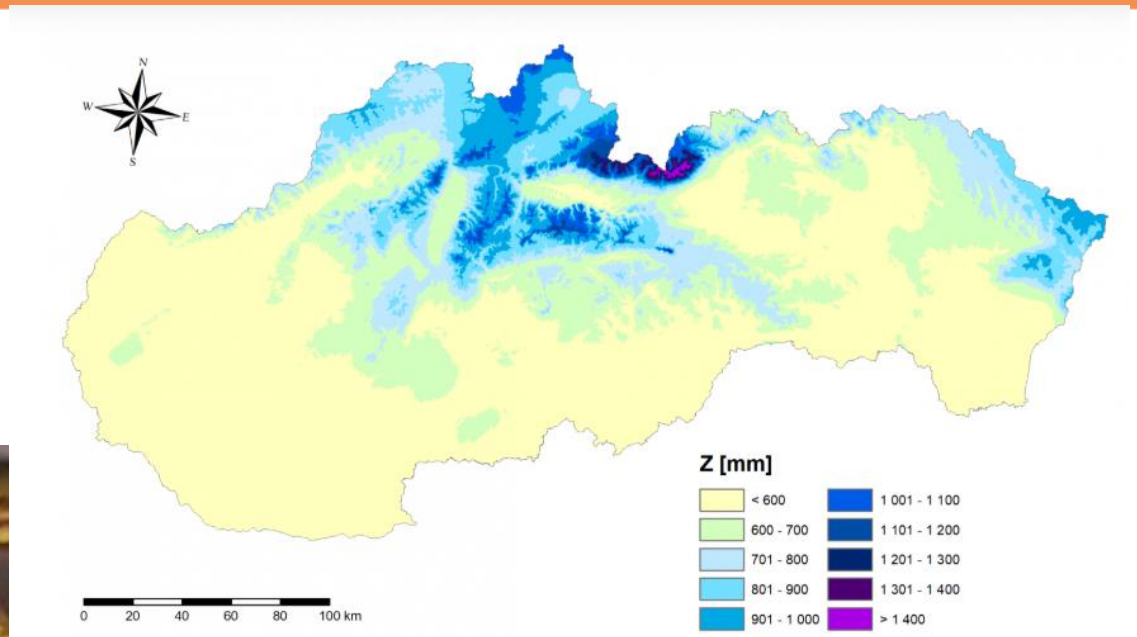


Group 3 Rural Drought (NW-E EU)

G3 Rural	D	KHH	SEA		RSOC5	RFOC3_4	

Group 3 is dealing **with rural** problems related to extremes in local climate variations (intensive rainfall) and **enduring drought** periods in the North/Middle European regions having impact on seasonal processes in agriculture/nature and excesses like wildfires and production losses or even failure. Here as opposed to South of Europe it is in general not structural lack of water availability (which differs over the years) but more a **distribution problem** of water

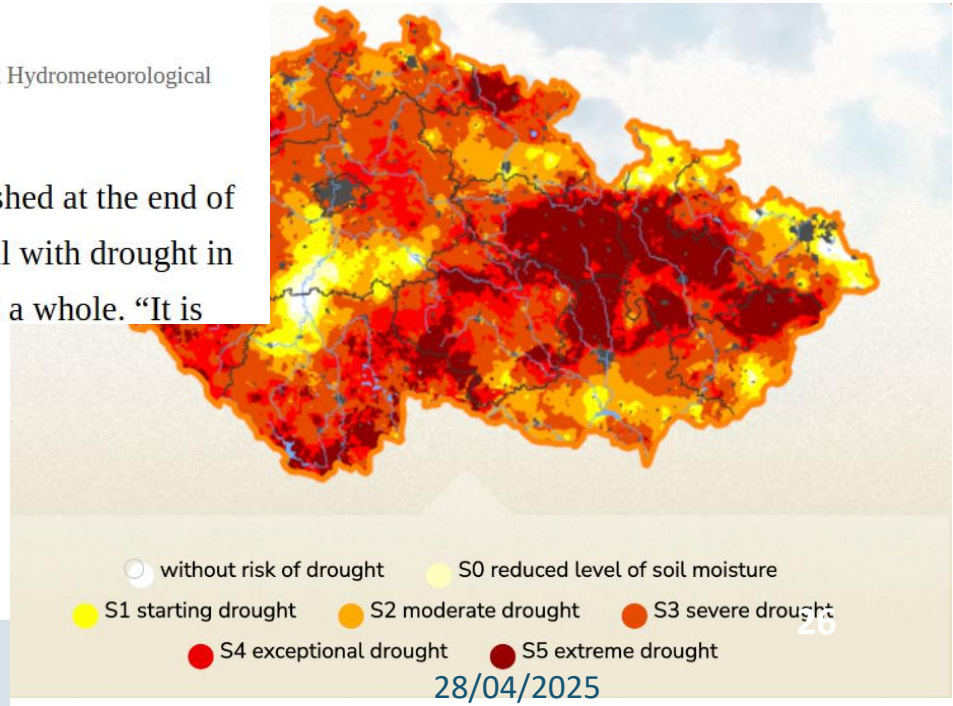
Rural Drought (Center of Europe)



Annual total atmospheric precipitation [mm] in Slovakia in 2022. Source: Slovak Hydrometeorological Institute (SHMÚ)

In spite of this, a report by the Supreme Audit Office published at the end of 2021 found that Slovakia is not sufficiently prepared to deal with drought in order to eliminate threats to the environment and society as a whole. “It is

Water distribution problems



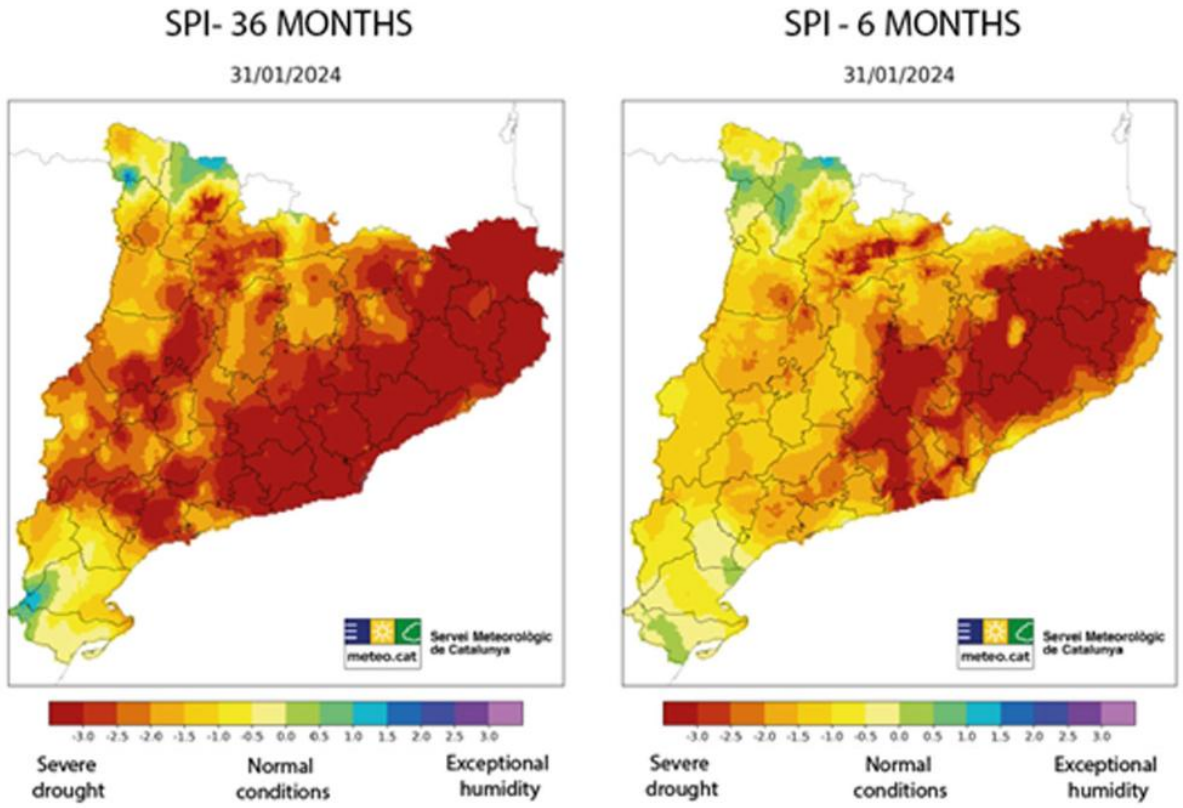
All degrees of drought strength and their spatial representation within the Czech Republic during week 28 of 2023. Graph: Intersucho

Group 4 Rural Drought/Flooding (S-EU)

G4 Rural	D/F	ICGC/IEEC	MCE	THW	RSOC2_3	RFOC5	RSOC1

Group 4 is dealing with **rural** problems related to extremes in local climate variations (intensive rainfall) and enduring (structural/over the years) **drought periods** in the Southern European regions having impact on seasonal processes in **agriculture/nature and excesses like wildfires and production losses** or even failure

Rural Drought in South Europe



The SPI indicator shows the anomalies (deviations from the long-term mean) of the observed total precipitation, for any given location and accumulation period of interest. The magnitude of the anomaly is a measure of the severity of a wet (positive anomaly) or dry (negative anomaly) event.

The map on the right illustrates the SPI over a 6-month interval for Catalonia up to January 31, highlighting the low soil moisture levels attributed to drought conditions.

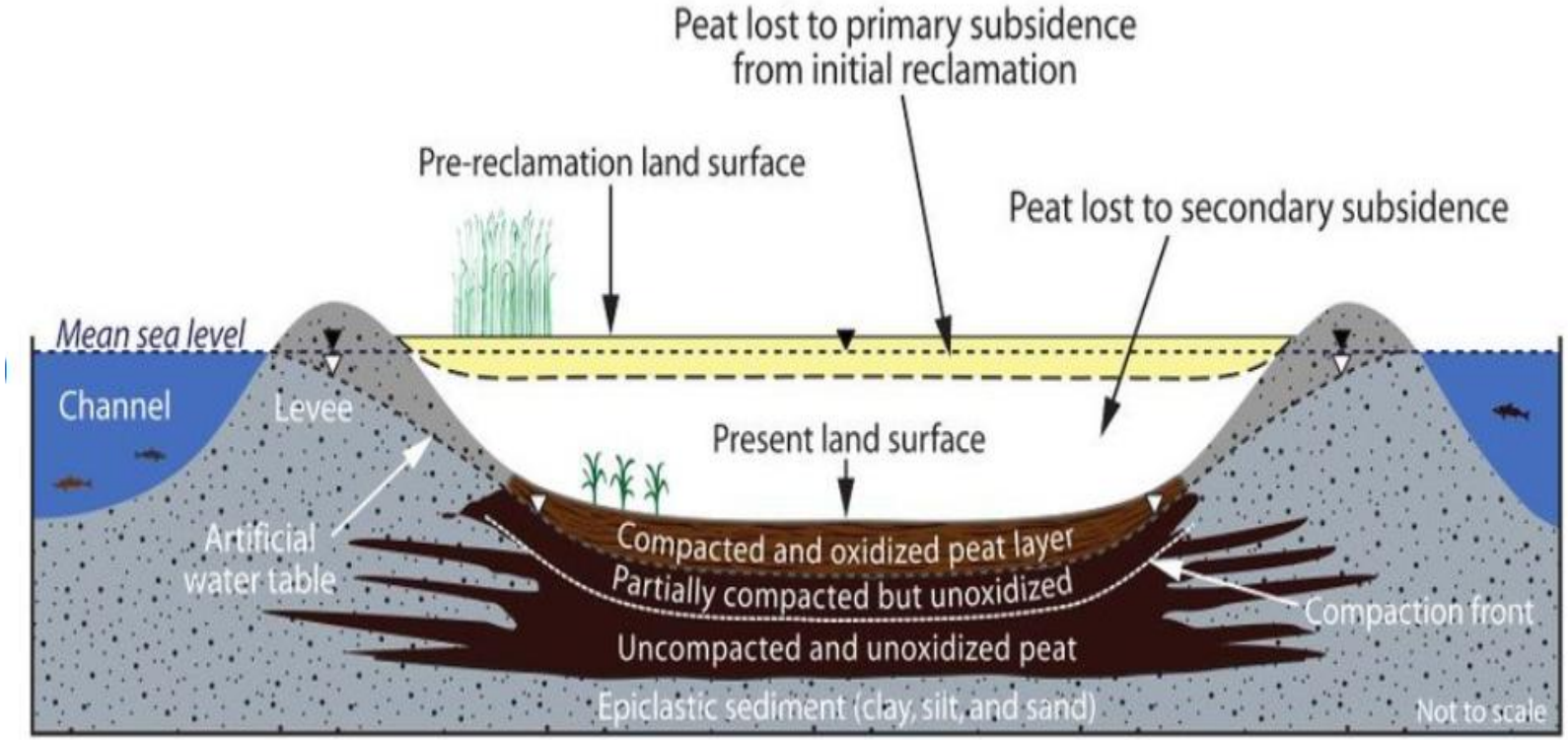
On the left, the SPI is depicted over a 36-month period (three years), offering insights into the diminished water levels in aquifers, reservoirs, and rivers due to decreased rainfall.
Source: Meteorological Service of Catalonia

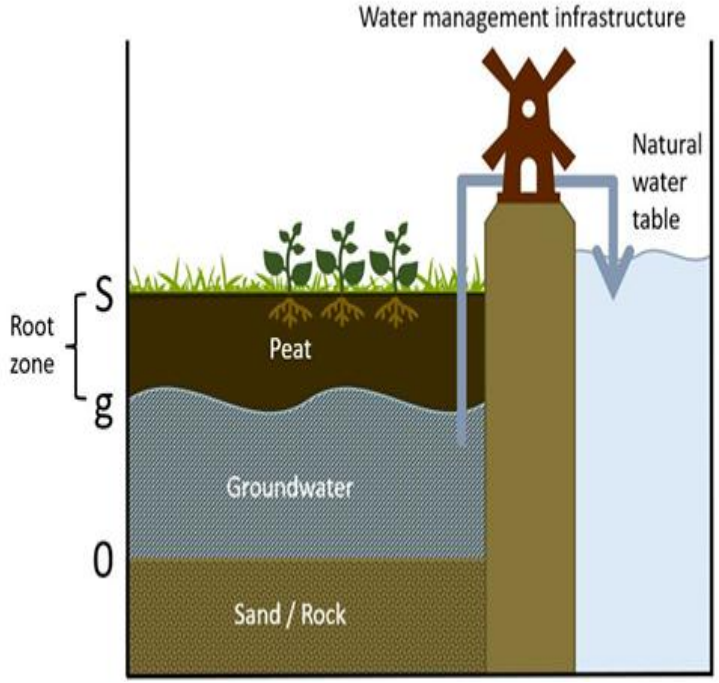
Group 5 Rural Drought/FLooding (N-EU)

G5 Rural	D/F	Klimatorium	HDSR	THW	RSOC4	USOC4	RFOC2

- Group 5 is dealing with **rural** problems due to extremes in low and high (or so-called shallow) groundwater conditions resulting in all kinds of problems for the **land use, city council infrastructures, utility sector**. A common issue is that due to **subsidence** and uprise of the soil surface during the season (high fluctuations in height difference, hysteresis) and over the years/decades (structural lowering of soil surface). These (extreme) soil moisture conditions in particularly peat (combined with clay/sand) profiles can cause **organic oxidation processes and even underground peat fires**!

Drought in Northern Europe (subsidence example)





Functional Requirements analysis (General)

- **Urban Regular**: Management/measures: water, infra, green, heat, energy, etc
- **Urban Crisis:** Risk reduction/measures, Risk priorities/crisishandling
- **Urban Climate:** Evaluation/measures (LT), adjustment/hindsight, scenario/forecast

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Information Requirements analysis (General)

- **Urban Regular:** Soil matrix/groundwater conditions (monitor), short term forecast, specific apps on subsidence, heat islands (evapotranspiration), park/green monitor, waterstorage
- **Urban Crisis:** spatial (weighted) riskmapping (sector limits)
- **Urban Climate**: Historical Trends, input to long term forecast/scenarios
- **Rural Regular:** Soil matrix/groundwater conditions (monitor), short term forecast, specific apps on agriculture, nature
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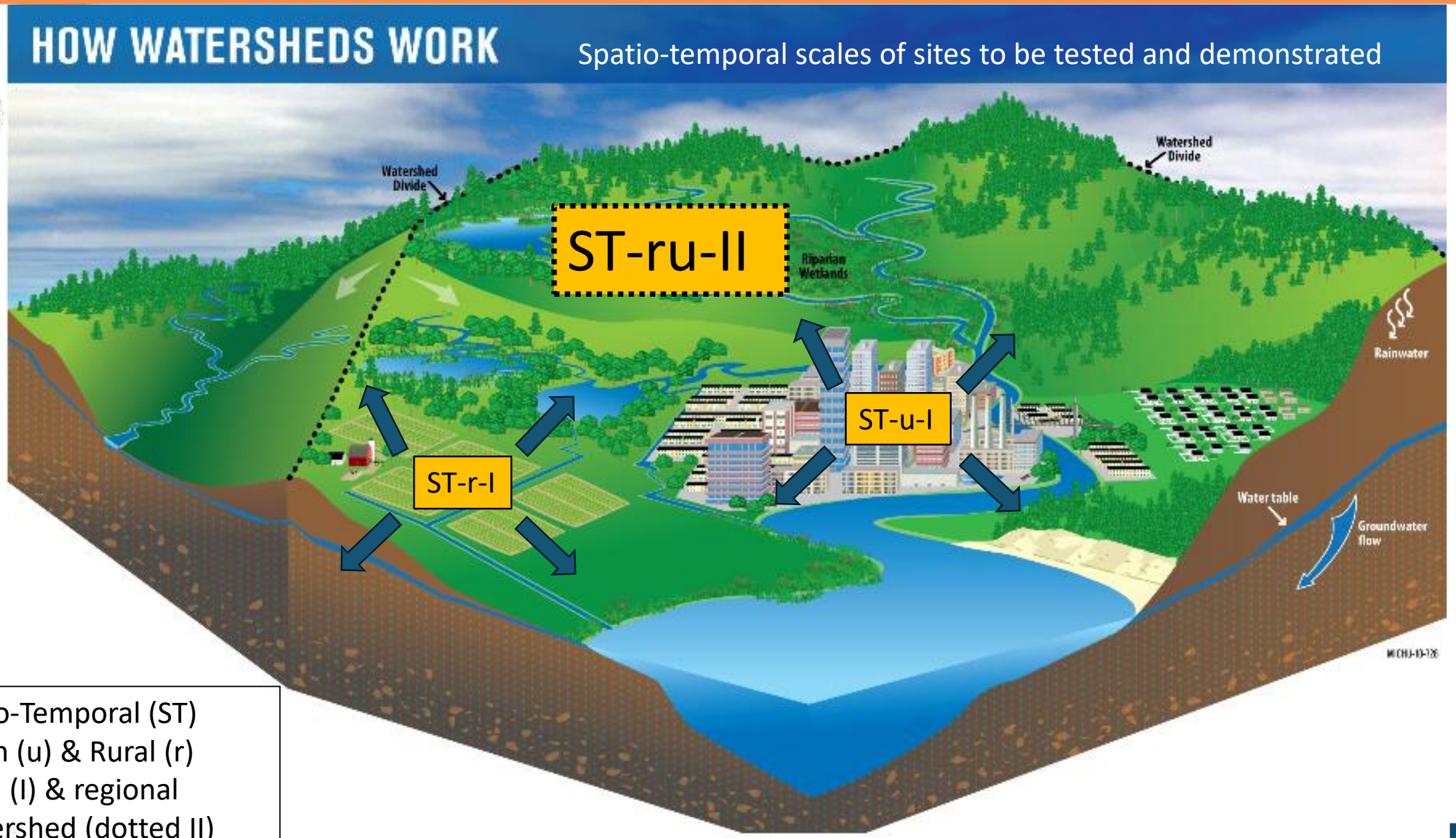
HOW WATERSHEDS WORK

Spatio-temporal scales of sites to be tested and demonstrated



Spatio-Temporal (ST)
Urban (u) & Rural (r)
Local (I) & regional /watershed (dotted II)

After general requirement analysis: Problem (spatio-temporal) scales in groups to be demonstrated by WISE Services

Spatial Scale:

- **Lead testsite** representing the problem area/issues per group (**local scale = Scale I detail 1m to 10m or best available detail**)
- Context of the **Lead testsite** with (in)direct impact on the problem area (watershed/regional scale = **Scale II, detail 100m**)
- **Groups/all partners** with their problem area in watershed region (**Scale II, detail 100m**) non-validated

Temporal Scale:

- **Lead testsite** (scale I): **Within season** process (daily) monitoring of water balance (ST- period and 3 day forecast)
- **Lead testsite** (scale II): **Historical trend** (20 years, daily) and **climate scenario based forecast** for next 20 years (LT – period)
- **Groups/all partner** testsite (scale II): **Within season** process (daily) monitoring of water balance (ST- period and 3 day forecast), non-validated (LT-period).

Interoperability Market solutions & User Reception

1. Interoperable between suppliers & users within the Project PCP-WISE:

In order to create a bridge between the supply & demand we need to have an intermediate hydrological representation and representative generalisation of the soil-water-vegetation conditions of our local region/management area

2. Interoperability in the validation process, where local hydrological insights (of sites of users) can be compared to market solutions (WISE)

3. Interoperability between users & stakeholders (in challenges) within the PCP-WISE project within the same riverbasin or across (admin management or country) borders

4. Creating/developing a common future water taxonomy on European scale, linking to Copernicus (e.g. EU-HYDRO)

Market solutions internal SWV system model

Model Boundary Conditions (River basin level, EFAS)

COPERNICUS Input

Required scale and water taxonmy

2

1

3 Hydrologisch modelleren

Local model

MODFLOW

LISFLOOD

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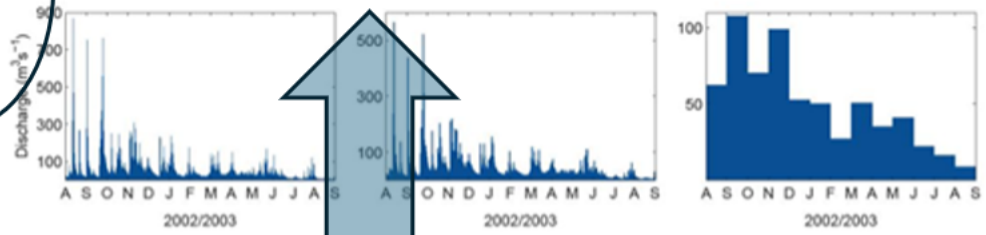
Model Uniformity and intermediate scale to improve Water taxonomy

Ruimtelijke resolutie

100m



Spatial Scale and model functions in PCP-WISE cross border

Market RS model/AI based solutions transformation to central SWV system (use MODFLOW interoperabillity

4

Testing/ Benchmarking

2

Tijdsresolutie

5

Scaling test with market solution in local use case towards uniform water taxonomy

1 Validation/evaluation/plausibility

3

STEMMUS-SCOPE & RS

Local User (model) reality

Uniform presentation e.g IMOD Suite (nested user model in MODFLOW)

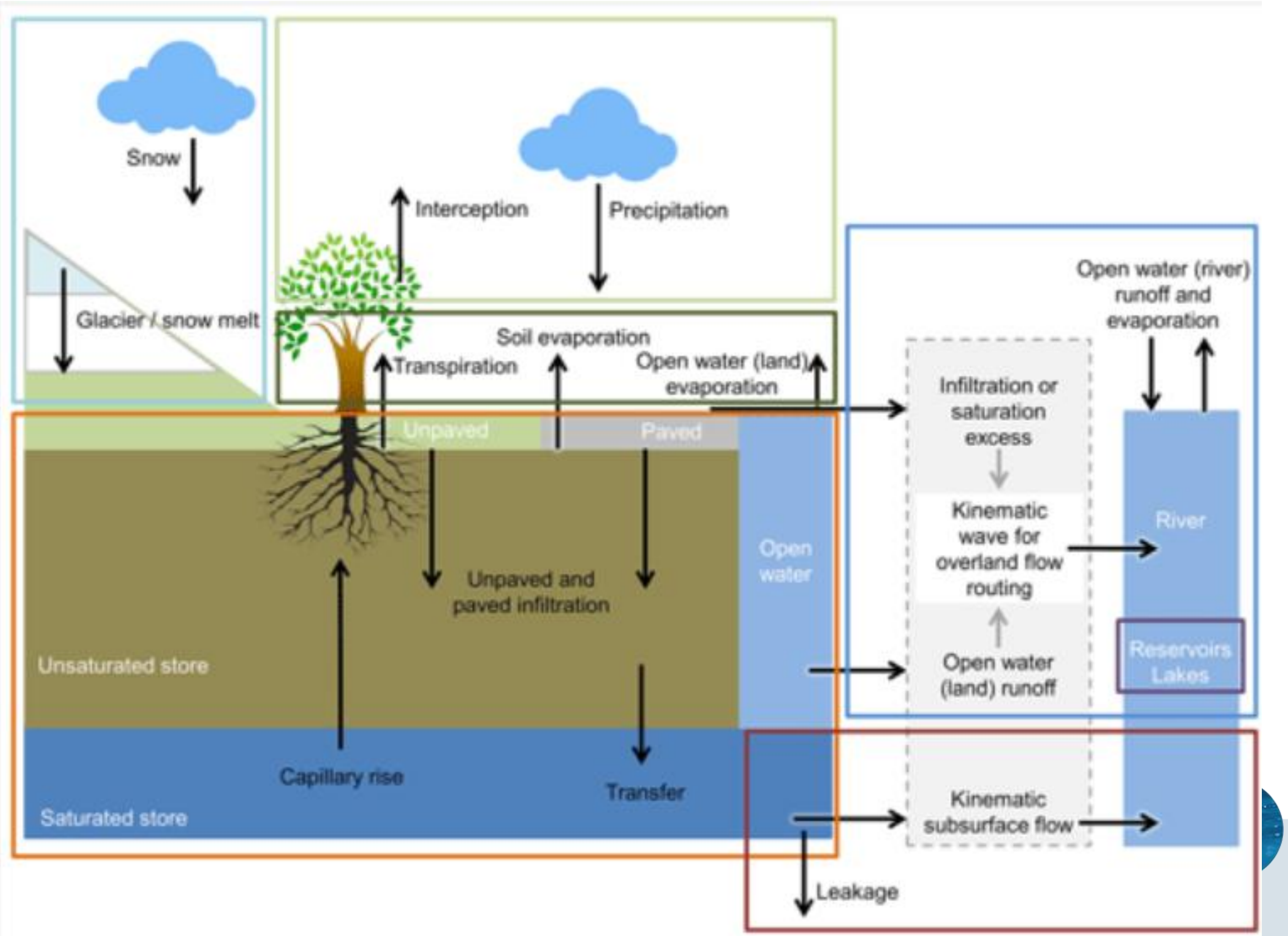
WFLOW_SBM enables MODFLOW hydr modeling

To the best knowledge of the PCP-WISE consortium, there is at the moment no better (and globally accepted) alternative then the MODFLOW model.

As such the BUYERS recommend/regards this model as standard (for evaluation & interoperability reasons) but still open for other suggestions (from the market or hydrology sector)

MODFLOW also published in Copernicus framework:

- see also https://gmd.copernicus.org/articles/17/3199/2024/
- https://www.deltares.nl/en/software-and-data/products/wflow-catchment-hydrology



wflow - Catchment Hydrology

Water managers need insight into the available water resources within their catchments in both the short and long-term, especially in the face of climate change. Whilst at the same time struggling with a lack of reliable data. wflow enables users to simulate all catchment hydrological processes even in data scarce environments. Thus empowering them with the information and knowledge about their water resources and climate risks, and leading to smarter planning.

wflow was developed to address several challenges that hydrological modellers face. This includes the need for complete source-to-sea hydrological analysis using gridded topography, soil, land use and climate data, to calculate all hydrological fluxes at any given point in the model at a given time step. As well as the need for easier model building by maximizing the use of open earth observation data.

wflow is also specifically designed to support the modelling of complex systems and problems by coupling it with other software such as:

- Delft-FEWS for flood forecasting
- D-Flow FM of the Delft3D FM Suite for river, sediment and flood modelling
- D-Emissions (DELWAQ) of the Delft3D FM Suite for emissions modelling
- MODFLOW 6 of the iMOD Suite for groundwater modelling
- RIBASIM for water allocation modelling

MODFLOW Functions essential for PCP-WISE

MODFLOW for PCP-WISE has the following functions:

1. **MODFLOW as interoperability tool between suppliers and customers (BUYERS/USERS) for describing groundwater and hydrology (soil-water) conditions)**
2. **MODFLOW as (obliged tender demand) wrapping paper for 'wrapping' the solutions of the providers (consortia) from their own technical modeling/AI/processing environment**
3. **MODFLOW (IMOD-suite) as comparison/analysis tool between LOCAL hydrology models and soil-water conditions (at USER test/measurement site) and solutions from suppliers**
4. **MODFLOW as presentation tool (dashboard)**
5. **MODFLOW as exchange tool between validation team and suppliers for evaluation with the STEMMUS-SCOPE.**

Why MODFLOW for PCP-WISE?

The reason we choose for MODFLOW is because

1. it is a **commonly/globally used hydrological model** and recommended by Deltares (world reknown institute on Hydrology)
2. it is an established **open source** software package.
3. It is **practical and operational** and relatively easy to use
4. There is currently (to our knowledge) **no suitable alternative** or central accepted comparable hydrology tool available in Europe (we have national individual tools at memberstate level)
5. There is a **Help Desk function**, where we need to make an internal proposition (for making internal budget available)

The WISE basic Solution Direction:

- Regular (daily) **Monitoring Soil-Water-Vegetation conditions** in general (core product)
- Production (daily) intelligence **on Risks** (as a consequence of too wet/dry) per **sector**

On top of that specific RS apps:

- Problem Specific user/sector problems with RS – based solutions
- Smart Processing and presentation of results (proces/model/AI related)

PCP-WISE general output?

- Operational Blue print (European) Procurement model
- Blue print new standardized info solutions for (local) watermanagement in Europe
- Cross border cooperation model (in riverbasins) with memberstate water management colleagues

Preparing for the PCP Call: Timeline, Requirements & Tips for Bidders

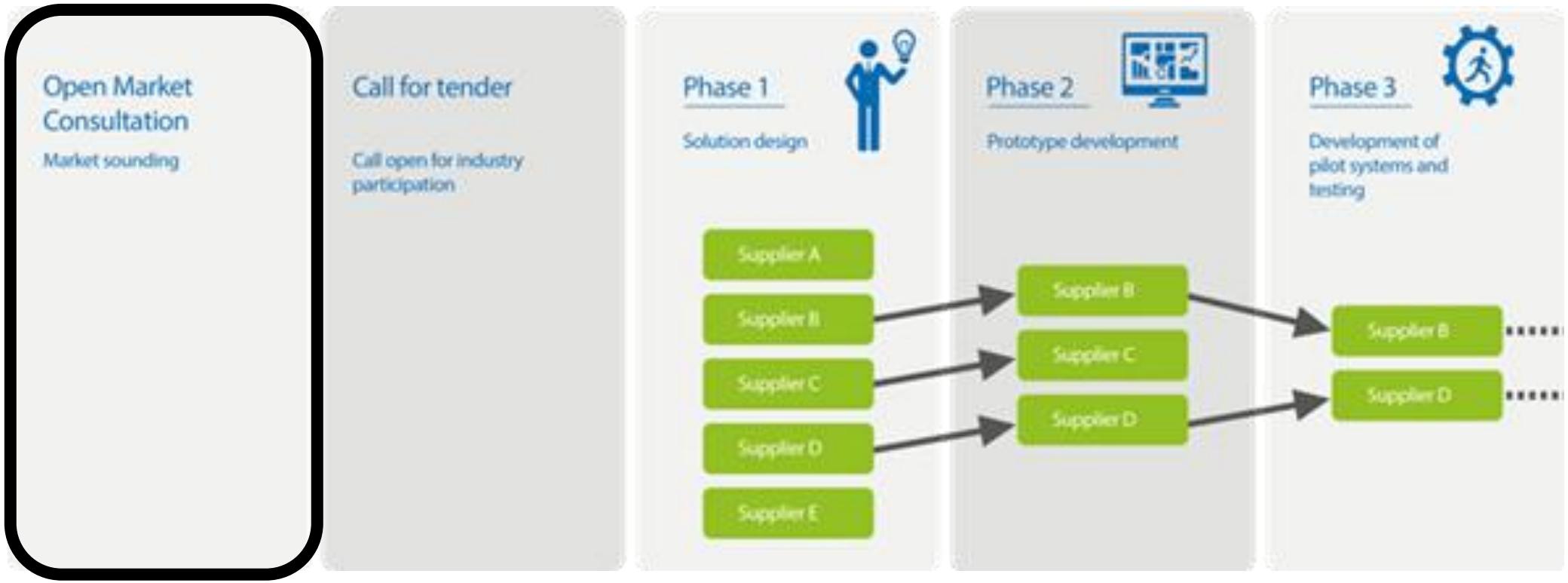
Joost Buntsma, hWh

15:45 – 16:00

Introduction

- Timeline
- Open Market Consultation
- Requirements
- Tips

Timeline



May 28
June 3 +12

Sept 5-Dec 2025

March-June 2026

July 2026-March 27

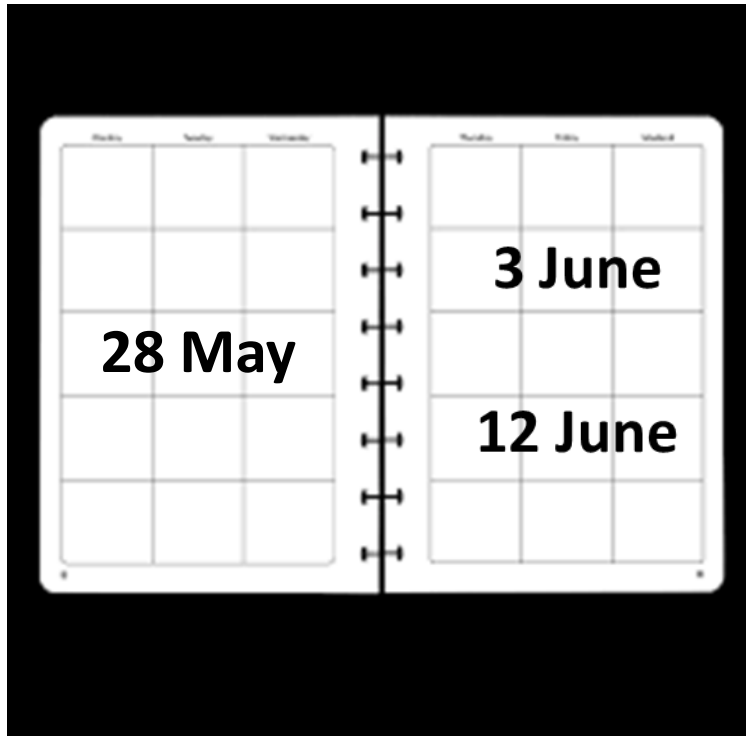
June-Dec. 2026

Budget

PCP Phase	No. Contractors	Budget per contractor	Total budget
Phase 1	5	300.000	1.500.000
Phase 2	3	2.400.000	7.200.000
Phase 3	2	1.532.669,4	3.065.338,8
		TOTAL	**11.809.088**

Timeline and important dates?

- **PIN and OMC-document, RFI**
  - Published on TED, website, e-Platform, EU-survey
- **Webstival**
  - 7th- 28th April, 6 webinars
- **OMC Info day**
  - 28th May
- **Open Market Consultation**
  - Webinar 3rd June
  - Hybrid event 12th June during Expandeo in Brussel
- **OMC report**
  - 15th July
- **Tender documents**
  - Publishing 5th September



Where to find the EU-survey / RFI and the OMC-doc

EU-survey / RFI

e-Platform

OMC-document

Purpose of the OMC Info Day, 28 May

Explain and feed back:

- What is the rational behind our idea? W-S-V-system as indicator / alarm for drought, flooding, wildfires, soil subsidence.
- Which components and data we expect to be included the tool?
- Which standards are obliged
- What do we expect you to deliver?
- What is the difference between rural and urban areas in this context?
- Which are the 5 use cases to be served?
- Is our idea technically feasable?

Purpose of the PCP WISE OMC, 3 and 12 June

- **Exchange of information** PCP WISE consortium and market, v.v.
- **Dialogue** with market entities on the feasability of the PCP WISE-objectives
  - Technical feasibility?
  - Realisation within the time frame? and
  - Within the proposed budget?

--> See the OMC-document and the EU-survey / RFI

- **Dialogue** with buyers group:
  - Questions and answers from market entities
  - PCP is a competition with level playing field
  - All given information will be public

--> See Q&A's website and e-platform, OMC document

Requirements:
WISE Consortia need to consist of multi-disciplinary skills

- Main contractor (large SME: civil engineering and management, upscaling ambitions)
- Hydrology (model) skills/services dedicated to sectors
- Meteorology (short extreme events, climate scenario modeling, spatio-temporal modeling)
- Crisis (Risk/impact) skills/experience dedicated to sectors
- Remote Sensing value-added skills/services dedicated to sectors
- ICT skills in operational information productions (upscaling) in back and front processing
- Legal & contracting skills (European standards, AI, IPR, etc)
- Research and innovation skills in the above disciplines

Tips

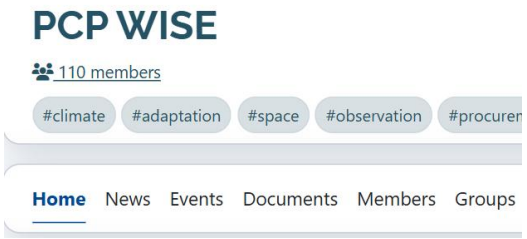
- PCP-WISE is innovation in **competition**
  - Hard work, together and put the right one forward: Dutch mixed team relay 4 x 400 meter: Olympic gold
- **Be prepared**:
  - Read the OMC-document
  - Attend the OMC Info day: May 28.
  - Attend the Open Market Consultation
    - June 3
    - June 12
  - Join the matchmaking platform
  - Start the exploration / formation of a consortium
    - Integrate Copernicus (data portfolio) and ESA&ECWMF strategies on hydrology
    - Strategic hydrological partner
- Think backwards from the **will to commercialize**
  - Prepare a business vision before you start

Joining as a Supplier, Replicator, Follower: What's in it for You

Melissa Campagno, G.A.C. Group

16:00 – 16:15

Who is the Community Platform for?



Join our Community Networking & Matchmaking platform

SUPPLIERS	REPLICATORS	FOLLOWERS
Climate services providers	Public buyers at national, regional, and local levels	Other EU-funded projects
Earth Observation (EO) data experts	Water authorities & Environmental agencies	Innovation Procurement Experts
		Sustainable community networks

What's in for all to join Community of Practice?

Join our Community Networking & Matchmaking platform

- **Stay updated**: Access timely information about key project milestones, activities, and important events (e.g. webinars, awareness-raising and capacity building workshops, etc).
- **'Schedule a meeting'** and **'Start a discussion'** functionalities available
- **Showcase your expertise & network**: As a supplier, create a profile to highlight your company, technologies, and solutions, while connecting with other innovators.
- **Participate in knowledge exchange**: Engage in online events focused on sharing best practices, capacity building, and innovation insights.
- **Receive regular project news and updates**: Stay informed through daily digests, event announcements, and concise educational resources.

What's in for Suppliers?

Join our Community Networking & Matchmaking platform

Matchmaking between PCP WISE Buyers and Suppliers

NB: Exchanges on the platform must adhere to the basic principles of public procurement – fair competition, equal treatment and non-discrimination, and transparency – as defined by the EU Public Procurement Directives.

Matchmaking between Suppliers themselves to facilitate the **formation of consortia for the upcoming PCP WISE Call for Tenders**

- Fill out the **Suppliers Request for Information (RFI)** to participate in matchmaking.
- Sign up to the **PCP WISE Community Platform** to find out about organisations' expertise and areas of interest interested in matchmaking and forming consortia
- Note that a consortium is not mandatory for the submission of a supplier bid/tender in response to the Call for Tenders : A single Supplier can also send an offer

What’s in for Replicators & Followers?

Calling for

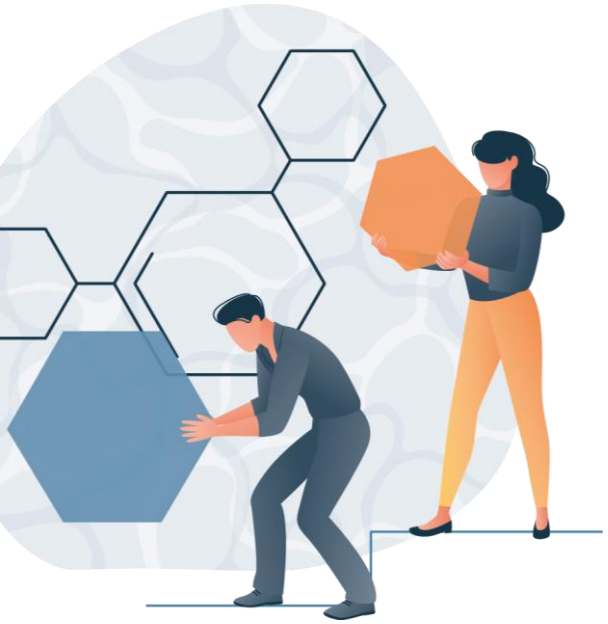
Join our Community Networking & Matchmaking platform

- **Replicators** (public authorities, buyers, water agencies external to the PCP WISE consortium) to share feedback on the Call for Tenders documents, PCP evaluation phases, to be involved in replicability and scalability activities

- **Followers** (support organisations, networks, associations, other programmes, projects and initiatives) supporting PCP WISE in terms of visibility, communication and dissemination efforts, but also share feedback on the PCP evaluation processes and documents produced

Q&A & Next Steps

Next Key Dates



Date	Event
May 28th, 2025	**OMC Infoday (Online Event)**
May 30th, 2025	Deadline to submit questions about the OMC through questions module e-Procurement platform.
June 3rd, 2025	**OMC Main Event 1 – Webinar (online event)**
June 12th 2025	**OMC Main Event 2 – EXPANDEO in Brussels (Belgium) (Hybrid event)**
June 13th, 2025	Publication of answers to questions about the PCP-WISE OMC through e-Procurement platform.
June 15th, 2025 – 23:59 (CET)	**Deadline for submission of the RFI** EU-Survey tool
July 15th, 2025	Publication of the OMC Report- End of the OMC period

Please take a few minutes to answer the Request for Information (RFI) questionnaire in the context of PCP WISE OMC

Your inputs are valuable!
Thank you ☺

Thank you very much!

More information:

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