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IWRM (Integrated Water Resources Management) has been at the core of IOWater activities for 20 years. The French experience developed about [Water Agencies](#) and Basin Committees, was initially used as a basis for disseminating this know-how. The [European Water Framework Directive](#) (WFD - 2000) confirmed the relevance of this approach, the principles of which are applied far beyond European borders.

Implementation of IWRM requires defining : a [suitable institutional and legal arrangement](#) (regulation, administrative organization, and partnership agreements), management and action plans are developed with a participatory approach, specific financing, control / monitoring of the environments, harmonized information systems and sharing of information and data management, ...

IOWater and its experts are involved on [different geographical scales](#) (national and international river basins, sub-basins, basin-islands, ...) to propose solutions adapted to the most diverse institutional contexts, on all continents, especially in transboundary areas.

IOWater is also taking care of the Permanent Technical Secretariat of [INBO](#) (International Network of Basin Organizations), which was established in 1994 to promote IWRM in river basins through exchange of experience among its members. INBO currently has [188 member organizations](#) from 68 countries.