

Review of the coordination mechanism at the basin, regional, national and international levels for River Basin Management Plan development and implementation

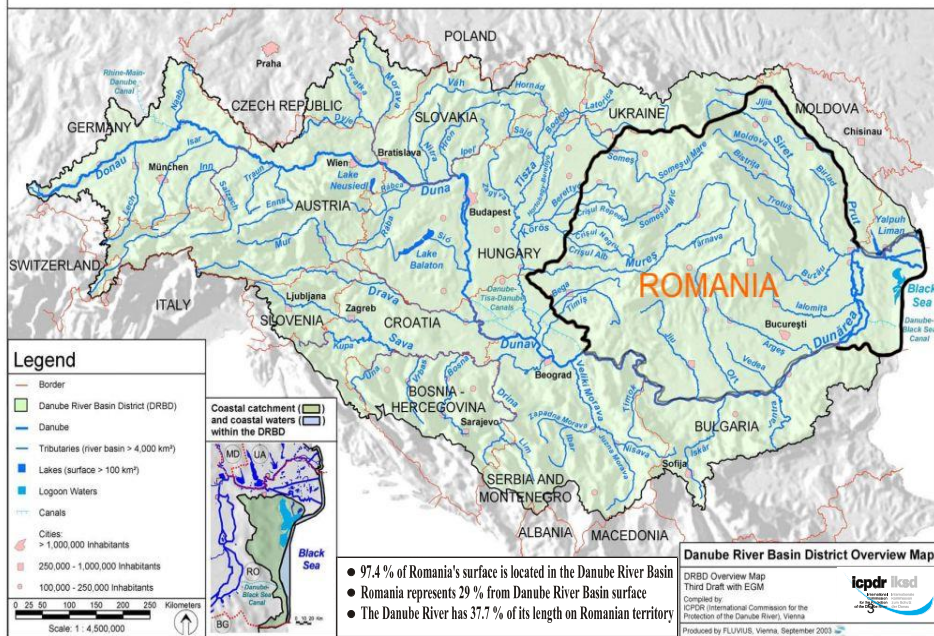
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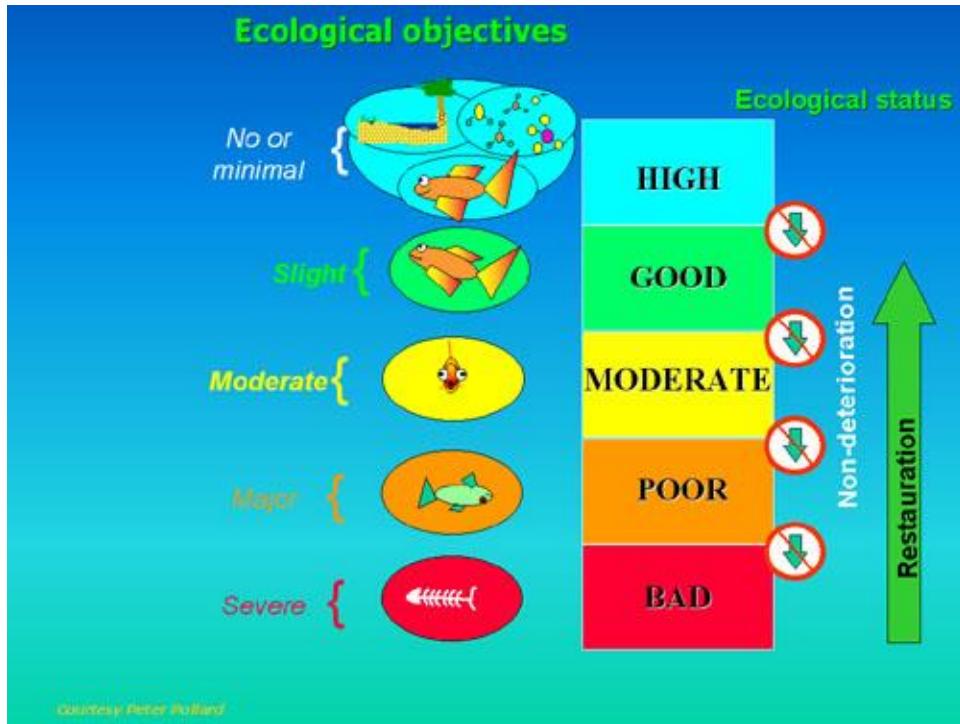
Coordination at national river basin

- Ensured at the level of the River Basin Administrations.
- Coordinated by the National Administration “Romanian Waters” at the national level
- Stakeholder involvement through the Basin Committee
- Taking into account the all water specific directives at the river basin level
- Taking into account the international river basin requirements
- Integrate the other policies (agriculture, transport, energy, etc.)

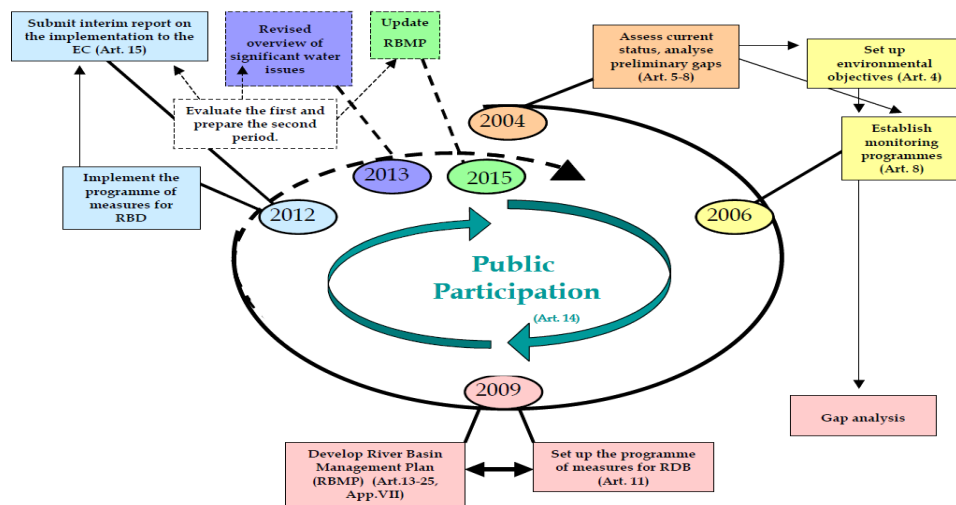
Danube River Basin District. Overview map

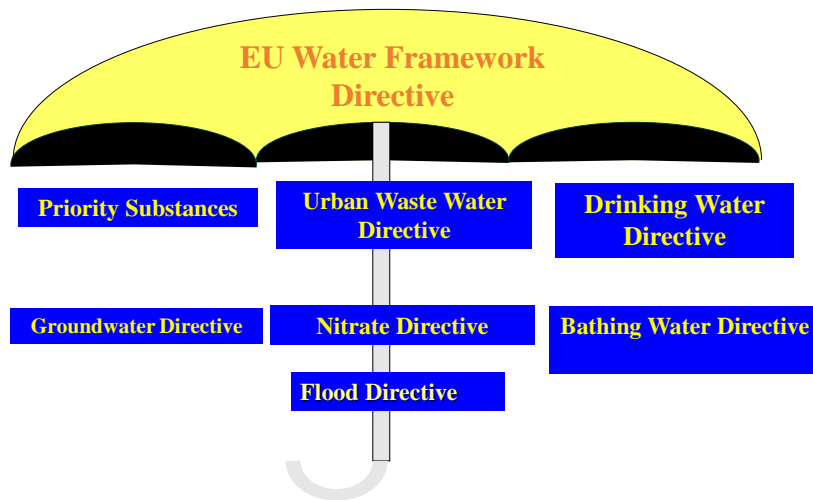


River basins /sub-units in Romania



WFD Planning Cycle





Coordination with other environmental directives

- Birds Directive
- Habitat Directive
- Environmental impact assessment/ Strategic environmental assessment
- Industrial Emission Directive (IED former IPPC)
- Plant Protection Directive

Coordination for PoM at the basin level









- **Basin Committees** – main units involved in this activity
- Stakeholders meetings;
- Informations on the web site;
- Extensive meetings to inform the public;
- Collecting opinions – questionnaires;
- Brochures and leaflets;



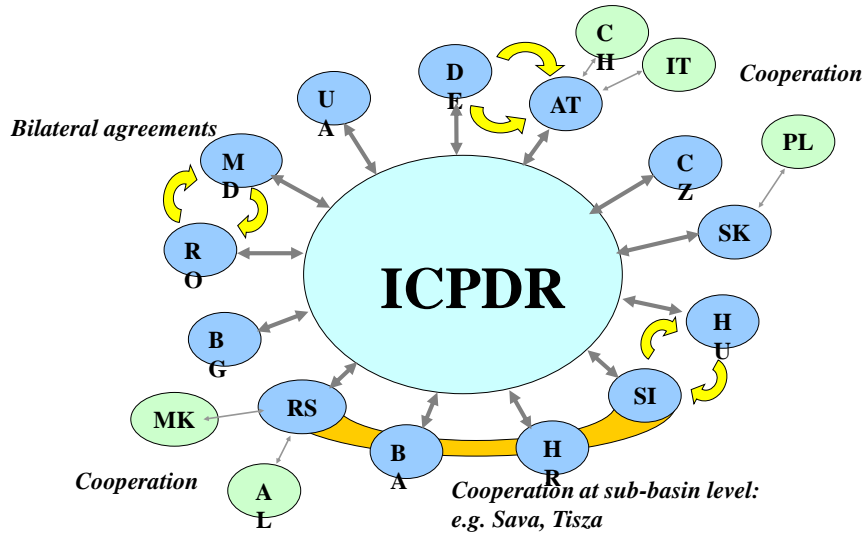
Coordination at the national level

- Ensured by the Ministry of Environment, Water and Forests
- Implemented by the National Administration “Romanian Waters”
- Integrating all aspects of water management (quantity/quality, surface/underground waters), water protection/water use/ flood and drought control
- Coordination ensured at the level of Interministerial Water Committee
- Integrating all requirements deriving from the ICPDR, bilateral and EU level
- Integrating the obligation related to Marine Strategy Framework Directive

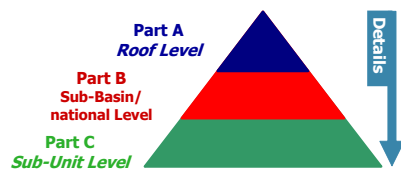
Coordination of the WFD and MSFD

WFD (2000) Water Law 107/1996 s.a.		MSFD (2008) GO no 71/2010, Law 6/2011	
River Basin Management Plans (1 st cycle in 2009) 		National marine strategy	
6 year reporting cycle		6 year reporting cycle	
Analysis of the characteristics of the RBD, pressures and impacts and economic analysis of water use 2004, 2013 (and each 6 years thereafter) 		Initial assessment (characteristics, pressures/impact, socio-economic analysis), determination of GEnS, environmental targets 2012 (and each 6 years thereafter) 	
Monitoring 2006 		Monitoring 2014 (“Technical and administrative support for the joint implementation of the MSFD in Bulgaria and Romania”)	
Measures 2009/2012  2015 (and each 6 years thereafter)		Measures 2015/2016 (and each 6 years thereafter)	
GS/GP + prevent deterioration + progressive reduction and phasing out of PS/PHS 2015  work continuously done		GEnS 2020	

ICPDR Coordination Mechanism



WFD coordination mechanisms

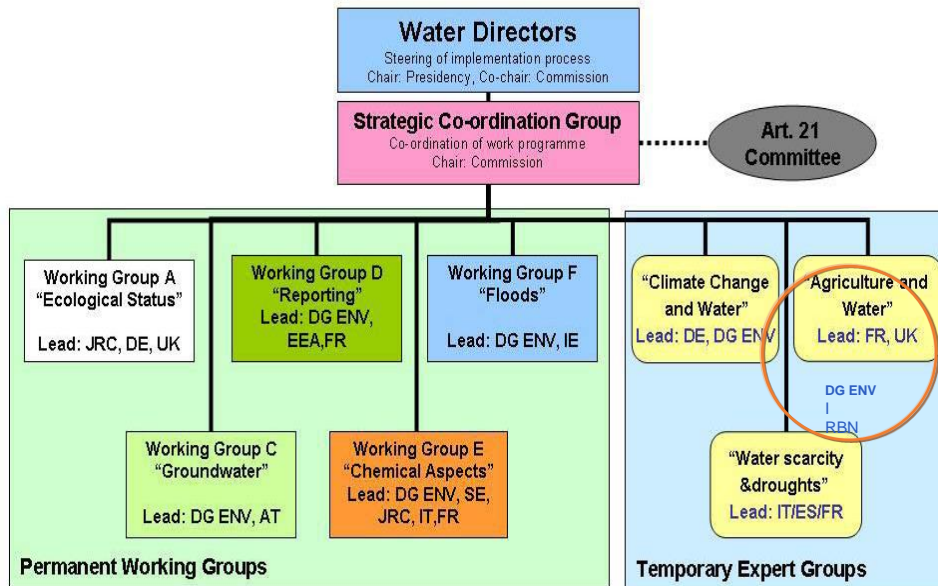


WFD River Basin Management Planning is based on three levels of coordination

- Part A** International, basin-wide level - the roof level (Danube)
- Part B** National level and/or the internationally coordinated sub-basin level for selected sub-basins (e.g. Sava and Tisza)
- Part C** Sub-unit level, defined as management units in the national territory.

The information increases in detail from **Part A** to **Parts B** and **C**.

CIS Organisation 2010-2012



Implementation of the Public Participation at the Danube River Basin level

- Coordinated by the River Basin Management and Public Participation Expert Groups within the ICPDR
- A Strategy for Public Participation for the Danube River Basin District and an Operational Plan have been developed
- ICPDR promoted a basin wide coordinated dissemination of information concerning Program of measures particularly on transboundary issues
- ICPDR organize regional stakeholder conference for consultation
- A questionnaire on the Program of measures have been developed and distributed

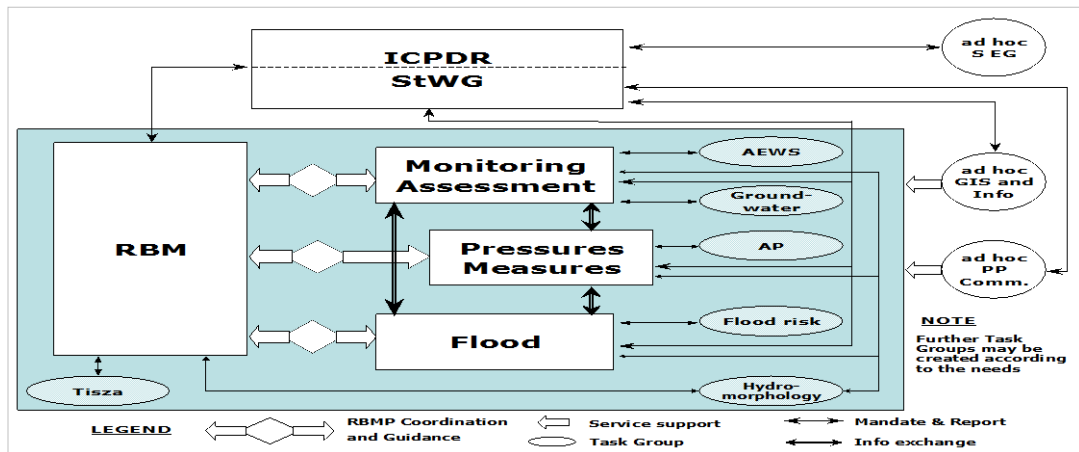
Coordination structure at the EU Level

- Directorate General Environment
- Water and Marine Director Meetings
- Common Implementation Strategy for Water Framework Directive
- Common Implementation Strategy for Marine Strategy Framework Directive
- Marine Strategy Coordination Group
- Coordination Group for Common Implementation of the Water Framework Directive

Informal Water and Marine Directors Meeting

- Take place two times per year –organized by EU presidency
- Have two separate meetings for Water Directors and Marine Directors and one joint session
- The coordination between the two directives as well as the coordination with other related directives or policies
- Common issues to be discussed and agreed are prepared by MSCG and SCG
- Future joint or coordinated activities are agreed during the meeting

Organizational Structure under the Danube River Protection Convention



Thank you for attention !