

IWAS AGUA DF Integrated Water Resource Management Concept for the Federal District

Final Workshop

Water Resources Data Bank

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Water Resources characteristics, Quantity and Quality, vary in space and time Data Bank: Time series on a geographic base

Water quality data

Water quantity data





Use of the data:

Monitoring (immediate actions)

Planning (future actions)

Information is useless when dissociated from the context it is originated





What factors influence water quantity and quality?

Data Bank should include the context in which water resources data are generated





Context includes factors that hardly change:

Landscape features of the river basin

(topography, geology.....)

Hydraulic features of water resources

(extension, slope, geometry, river reservoir network)





And factors that constantly change:

Climate

(temperature, precipitation, wind.....)

Land Use

(agriculture, mining, urbanization)





Water Resources Data Bank should include: On a geographical basis:







Modelling the relationship between the context in which water resources are generated and the verified effect in water quantity and quality is necessary to understand the data on water quality and quantity





Water Resources Data Bank should be a platform to facilitate the modelling

In-build models for main parameters











Water resource models determine the information that is necessary, and the way it should be stored

The structuration of a water resources data bank requires the knowledge of the models to be used





Caesb/UnB choices:

River Basin Management: SWAT & SWMM

Reservoir management: CE – QUAL W2 & SALMO

IWRM: WEAP





AGUA-DF has used and produced a lot of information

Now its time to integrate it!





Challenges:

• Complexity







Challenges:

• GIS, IT, Models integration, communication protocols, users interface....





Challenges:

Cooperation & participation

"A GIS system cannot be successful without the right people involved"

"Sharing knowledge does not mean that one should capitulate on the possession of knowledge, but to enjoy and share it with colleagues"





Caesb and UnB are looking for partners for this assignment!

Thank you

