

Integrated Drought Management for Central and Eastern Europe

*IDMP Virtual Exchange
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Drought is managed as a crisis situation, by implementing emergency procedures and urgent measures.

There is a better way ...



IDMP CEE starts

Task Force established

2012

Over 40 organizations from CEE join initiative



Inception report to collect regional interest and needs

Over 30 national dialogues (2013-2015)

Guidelines for Preparation of the Drought Management Plans

Increased capacity of the key actors to implement the process of preparing a DMP

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Slovak National Drought Action Plan

Web-based tool for drought monitoring & early warning across Danube Region

www.droughtwatch.eu

2017

DriDanube project starts



2018

Danube Drought Conference

How to Communicate Drought in a changing climate? (Guide)

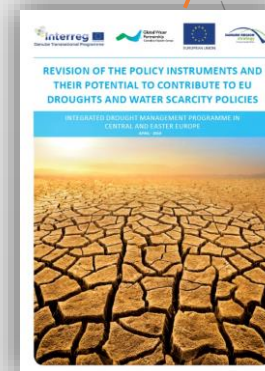
Drought included in RBMP 2021 Update for Danube river

ICPDR identified drought as an additional Significant Water Management Issue

2020

Danube Drought Strategy

Training on Integrated Drought management for Drin basin countries



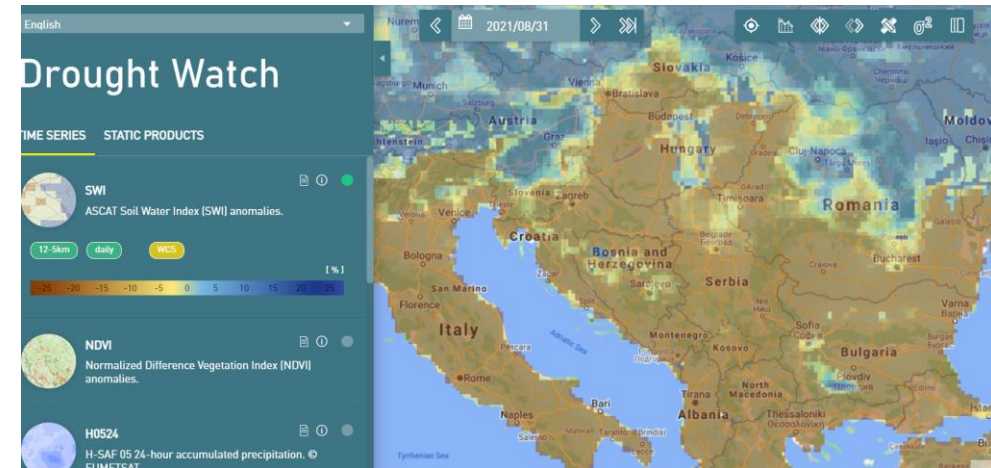
**Be prepared
Know the risks
Take action**



Activity 3 - Decision support for drought *Cooperation with DMCSEE*

Objectives:

- To upgrade regional web-base information platform (**Drought Watch**) with country data (Albania, Kosovo, North Macedonia)
- To support countries in early drought detection and provide information for decision support.



www.droughtwatch.eu

Activity includes:

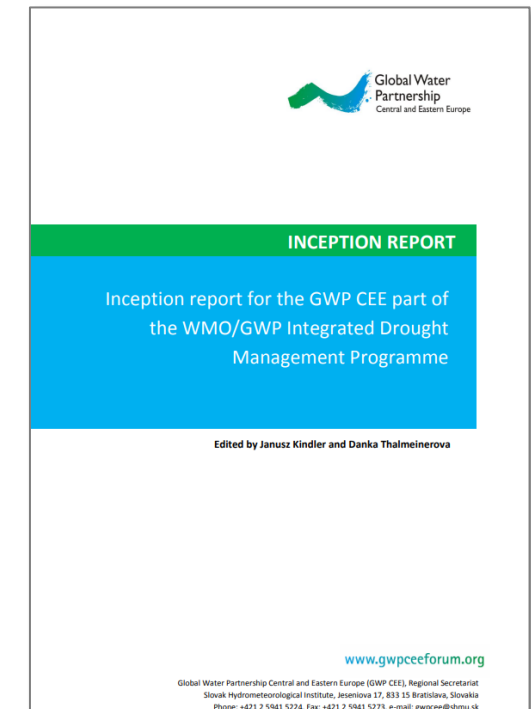
- a) Cooperation with DMCSEE and Drin basin countries Albania, Kosovo, North Macedonia
- b) IT consultancy to upgrade the platform
- c) Support to countries in preparation of drought monitoring data and risk assessment data
- d) Build capacities in the countries (regional training + national visits/trainings)

Activity 1 - Knowledge & Capacity building products, science, and dissemination

Cooperation with GWP CACENA

Objective:

- to review the current status of drought management in CACENA region
- To prepare concept and steps for establishment of the IDMP in the region
- To exchange between GWP CACENA and GWP CEE experts/partners



WORKSHOP Announcement

20-21 September 2021

Online

[Registration link](#)

Objectives:

- to raise awareness about the relevance, past and potential future impacts of water scarcity and droughts in the Danube region
- to provide a forum for a technical exchange on good practice approaches
- to allow for taking stock on challenges and potential support needs for future action



BEYOND SCARCITY WATER SCARCITY AND DROUGHT RISK MANAGEMENT IN THE DANUBE REGION

The background of the slide is a photograph of dry, cracked earth. A single, dried, brown leaf lies on the ground in the lower right quadrant. The lighting is bright, creating strong shadows and highlighting the texture of the soil.

**Thank you
for your attention**

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