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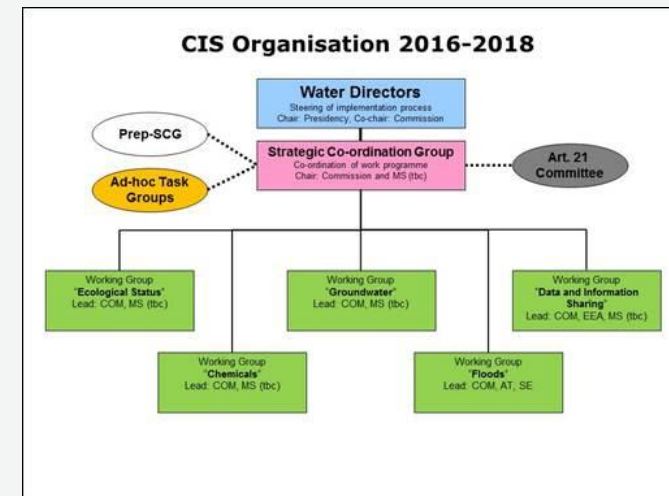
CIS WG F WORKSHOP ON
LESSONS LEARNT DURING THE 1ST CYCLE
OF IMPLEMENTING THE EU-FLOODS DIRECTIVE

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COMMON IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGY - CIS

- The implementation of the Water Framework Directive raises a number of shared technical challenges for the Member States, the Commission, the Candidate and EEA Countries as well as stakeholders and NGOs.
- In order to address the challenges in a co-operative and coordinated way, the Member States, Norway and the Commission agreed on a Common Implementation Strategy (CIS)
- The results of this work, for instance [guidance documents](#), [key events](#) and additional [resource documents](#) are available on CIRCABC.
- In addition, the [Directive 2007/60/EC on the assessment and management of flood risks](#) is closely coordinated with the Water Framework Directive. The Common Implementation Strategy therefore also supports the implementation of the Floods Directive, through Working group F on Floods.



CIRCABC

- The results of the CIS work, for instance [guidance documents](#), [minutes of meetings](#), [workshop reports](#), [key events](#) and additional [resource documents](#) are available on CIRCABC.
- For WG F documents:
- <https://circabc.europa.eu>
 - Browse categories
 - Environment
 - WFD CIRCA: „Implementing the Water Framework Directive and the Floods Directive“
 - Library
 - H - Floods Action Programme
 - b – WG F on floods

WORKSHOP

- Generally there are workshops back-to-back with the WG F meetings
- WG F 19: lessons learnt
- Comprehensive Questionnaire drafted by organising committee
- 37 pages, 135 questions, additional sub-questions
- Feedback by 27 MSs, commitment by missing MS
- Draft Report available prior to the Workshop for preparation and focused discussion
- 2 day workshop including plenary sessions and break out sessions



WORKSHOP AGENDA

- Key note
- International River Basins
- Preliminary flood risk assessment
- Flood hazard and risk maps
- Flood risk management plans
- Links to other Directives
- Reporting
- Plenary Discussion on lessons learnt

WORKSHOP PRELIMINARY CONCLUSIONS

Most of our decisions are based on experiences made in the past

An anticipatory approach would foster a more comprehensive risk management (socio-economic development, climate change, etc.)

- Preliminary flood risk assessment
 - Significance and how to assess it (multi-criterial, thresholds, expert judgement, political)
 - Types of floods
 - Consideration of human intervention and climate change
- Flood hazard and risk maps
 - Communication
 - Perceiveability
 - Different maps for different target groups
- Flood risk management plans
 - Setting objectives (strategic or operational) and defining priorities
 - How to evaluate indirect, intangible effects

NEXT STEPS IN THE FRAME OF WG F

- Work program 2016 – 2018
- Lessons learnt might have an impact on the priority setting for Workshops
- Next WS will be on Pluvial Floods
- Possible near future WS
 - How to consider Climate Change appropriately
 - How to communicate in a way the raise awareness sustainably
- Report on the WG F Workshop will be shared with the group as soon as it is available

THANKS FOR YOUR KIND ATTENTION.

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