

Implementation of International frameworks

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Outline of presentation





SEEA-W Australian Adoption

- Water accounts framework
- Physical water supply and use tables
- Hybrid accounts (partial)
- Stock Account (partial)



SEEA-Water

- Economy and environment
- Stocks and flows
- Monetary and physical
- Pollution
- Water quality





Standard physical water supply & use tables – SEEA-W

Physical use table

Physical units

		Industries (by ISIC categories)					olds	the			
		1-3	5-33, 41-43	35	36	37	38,39, 45-99	Total	Househ	Rest of world	Total
	1. Total abstraction (=1.a+1.b=1.i+1.ii)										
From the	1.a. Abstraction for own use										
	1.b. Abstraction for distribution										
	1.i. From water resources:										
	1.i.1 Surface water										
environment	1.i.2 Groundwater										
	1.i.3 Soil water										
	1.ii. From other sources										
	1.ii.1 Collection of precipitation										
	1.ii.2 Abstraction from the sea										
Within the economy	2. Use of water received from other economic units										
3. Total use of	water (=1 + 2)										

Physical supply table

Physical units Households Industries (by ISIC categories) Rest of the world Total 5-33. 38,39. 1-3 41-43 35 36 37 45-99 Total 4. Supply of water to other economic units of which: Within the economy 4.a. Reused water 4.b. Wastewater to sewerage 5. Total returns (=5.a+5.b) 5.a. To water resources 5.a.1. Surface water To the environment 5.a.2. Groundwater 5.a.3. Soil water 5.b. To other sources (e.g. sea water) 6. Total supply of water (=4+5) 7. Consumption (=3-6)

Note: Grev cells indicate zero entries by definition

Standard Hybrid water use table – SEEA-W



	Interme	diate const	unption of	Actual final consumption											
		3	35					Households					ion		ice
	5-33 1-3 41-4	s, 3 Total	<i>of which</i> : Hydro	36	37	38,39, 45-99	Total industry	Final consumption expenditures	Social transfers in kind from Government and NPISHs	Total	Government	Total	Capital format	Exports	Total uses at purchaser's pr
 Total intermediate consumption and use (Billions currency units) of which: 	72.9 419.	4 9.9	1.1	1.1	1.7	157.8	664.0	321.4	131.4	452.8	53.6	506.41	146.0	403.0	1719.4
1.a Natural water (CPC 1800)	0.2 0.	3 0.02	0.0	0.0		0.2	0.8	0.6	0.4	1.0	-	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.8
1.b Sewerage services (CPC 941)	0.4 2.	4 0.1	0.0	0.03		1.0	3.9	2.4	2.4	4.9	-	4.9		0.0	8.8
3. Total use of water (Millions cubic metres)	159.1 200.	2 408.1	300.0	428.7	527.2	53.4	1776.7	-		250.3	1	250.3		0.0	2027.0
3.a (U1) Total Abstraction	108.4 114.	5 404.2	300.0	428.7	100.1	2.3	1158.2			10.8		10.8			1169.0
of which: 3.a.1- Abstraction for own use	108.4 114.	6 404.2	300.0	23.0	100.1	2.3	752.6			10.8		10.8			763.4
3.b - Use of water received from other economic units	50.7 85.	7 3.9	- (0.0	427.1	51.1	618.5			239.5	1	239.5		0.0	858.0

Note: Grey cells indicate zero entries by definition.



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Standard Stock Account table – SEEA-W

Physical units

		EA.131 Su	rface water	r			
	EA.1311			EA.1314			
	Artificial	EA.1312	EA.1313	Snow, Ice	EA.132	EA.133	
	Reservoirs	Lakes	Rivers	and Glaciers	Groundwater	Soil water	Total
1. Opening Stocks							
Increases in stocks		•			•		
2. Returns							
3. Precipitation							
4. Inflows							
4.a. From upstream territories							
4.b. From other resources in the territory							
Decreases in stocks							
5. Abstraction							
6. Evaporation/Actual evapotranspiration							
7. Outflows							
7.a To downstream territories							
7.b To the sea							
7.c To other resources in the territory							·
8. Other changes in volume							
9. Closing Stocks							

Note: Grey cells indicate non relevant or zero entries by definition.





- Current Australian adoption
 - Physical Supply and Use tables (Chapter 3)
 - Flow locations and volumes most important water issues
 - Volumes presented at sub-industry level (e.g. Ag, Min, Man)
 - In-stream and regulated discharge added to structure
 - Hybrid and Economic Accounts (Chapter 5)
 - Monetary figures follow SEEA-W guidelines
 - Hybrid tables tailored to ABS needs, not SEEA-W's
 - Valuation of Water Resources (Chapter 8)
 - Skirmish report released early 2011
 - Gross operating surplus basis valuation





- Current Australian adoption cont.
 - Water Emissions Account (Chapter 4)
 - Not a pressing issue as water scarcity
 - Dependent on availability of resources
 - Water Asset Accounts (Chapter 6)
 - Compiled by the Bureau of Meteorology
 - Scientific organisation well suited for collection
 - Water Quality Accounts (Chapter 7)
 - Not a pressing issue as water scarcity
 - Dependent on availability resources





- Current Australian adoption cont.
 - Physical Supply and Use Tables (returns to the environment)
 - Water discharges by purpose
 - Distributed water use by the environment
 - Currently unmeasurable (i.e. Ag run-offs)
 - Physical Supply and Use Tables (split between Water Supply and Sewerage industry)
 - Currently unable to split





Water supply by industry

- Survey vehicle Water Supply and Sewerage Services
- Sample @ 400 Water service providers
- Data item (volumes reported by state)
- 5 What was the volume of water extracted from each source between 1 July 2008 and 30 June 2009?

	 Excluding Reuse water (report in Part 4) Water obtained from other water suppliers (include in Questions 2 and 3) 	
a) Inland surface water		Volume
Including Dams Lakes and rivers 	Excluding Sea or ground water 	(Megalitres)
b) Ground water		
 Including Saline ground water for desalination Ground water extracted as a result of 'Aquifer Storage and Recovery' 	 Excluding Inland surface water or sea water Dams lakes and rivers 	, ,
c) Sea water for desalination		
<i>Including</i>Water extracted from estuaries	Excluding Inland surface water or sea water Dams lakes and rivers 	





Reporting units – supply side data quality issues

- Making sense of supply relationships
- Making sense of customer relationships
- Metering issues drainage and stormwater
- Unit level water balance
- Unit coverage (administrative data)
- Reporting water losses





SEEA-W Applying standard statistical processes

- Revise the section standard statistical cycle
- Weights applied and estimates produced by survey management area
- Unit record file and suite of estimates supplied to Environmental Accounts team
- Significance based editing strategy Internal and time series coherence tested
- Output at industry and sub-industry level for National, State/Territory level and regional areas (i.e. NRM)





Water use by industry

- Survey vehicle Energy Water and Environment Survey (EWES)
- Sample @14,000 excludes micro, non-employing units
- Data item (volumes reported by state)

2 Please identify the volume (in Kilolitres, kL) and source of water intake by this business during the reporting period – (continued)

(b) Self sourced water

Definition

- Self sourced water is water extracted directly from the environment for use.
- Mine dewatering is the process used to remove excess runoff and groundwater seepage into mines.
- Produced formation water is the naturally occurring water that exists within oil and gas reservoirs.
- Water used from groundwater includes mine dewatering, produced formation water, pit dewatering and water from bores, springs, wells etc.
- (i) No self sourced water intake by this business

Go to Question 3

(ii) State breakdown of self sourced water



Groundwater (from produced formation water, mine dewatering, bores, springs and wells etc.) Kilolitres (kL)





Institutional arrangements

- Administrative arrangements
- Scope and coverage
- Data substitution (complete units)
- Data substitution (partial units)





Common problems – Supply side

Measurement (i.e. not metered)

- Problem
 - Water supplied to remote properties
 - Stormwater, drainage water
 - Discharges to the environment
 - Self-extracted water
- Solution
 - Imputation strategy using specific models, substitution, donor units and water balances

Reporting errors

- Problem
 - Allocations versus actual deliveries
 - Bulk received versus self-extracted
 - Own-use versus supplied to customers
 - Kilolitres versus Megalitres
- Solution
 - Data editing strategy





Common problems – Supply side

Partial or non-responses

- Problem
 - No meter no data
 - Environmental manager versus Financial manager
 - System failure to provide data (i.e. ABNs. Industry split)
- Solution
 - Imputation strategy using specific models, substitution, donor units key ratios and water balances

Australian Bureau of Statistics The information on this form will be used to complile a water account for Australia which shows the physical flows of water from the environment through the economy. In preparing the water account, environmental accounting principles are applied to the information provided. In particular, the information provided will be used in two theoretical water balance equations — distributed water and recycled (reuse) water — where the source and supply side of the equations should theoretically balance (that is, equal zero). You may find it helpful to transcribe your responses to the questions throughout the form into the balance equations given below. There are spaces for you to provide comments relating to imbalances in the water balance equations.

1. Distributed water balance equation	Question:	2. Reuse water balance equation	Question:	
Distributed water sources:		Recycled (reuse) water sources:		
Water received from other water suppliers		(a) Recycled (reuse water) received from other water suppliers	Q. 24	
(a) Water received	Q. 10	(b) Wastewater/sewage collected	Q. 26a	
Self extracted water:		(c) Other wastewater collected	Q. 26b	
(b) Inland surface water	Q. 12a	(d) Stormwater collected	Q. 26c	
(c) Groundwater	Q. 12b	(e) Drainage water collected	Q. 26d	
(d) Sea water for desalination	Q. 12c			
(e) Other sources	Q. 12d			
(f) Total distributed water sourced (sum of (a) to (e))		(f) Total recycled (reuse) water sourced (sum of (a) to (e))		
Distributed water supply:		Recycled (reuse) water supply:		
(g) Supplied to other water suppliers	Q. 14	(g) Supplied to other water suppliers	Q. 30a	
(h) Supplied to domestic or residential customers	Q. 16a	(h) Supplied to domestic or residential customers	Q. 30b	
(i) Supplied to non-residential customers	Q. 16b	(i) Supplied to non-residential customers	Q. 30c	
(j) Used by own organisation	Q. 18	(j) Used by own organisation	Q. 32	
(k) Supplied for environmental flows	Q. 22e	(k) Supplied for environmental flows	Q. 22e	
(I) Water losses	Q. 36d	(I) Wastewater/drainage discharged to the enviornment	Q. 34d	
(m) Total distributed water supplied (sum of (g) to (I))		(n) Total recycled (reuse) water supplied (sum of (g) to (m))		
(n) Distributed water balance ((f) minus (m))		(n) Distributed water balance ((f) minus (n))		
(o) Comments on distributed water balance for this organisation.		(o) Comments on recycled (reuse) water balance for this organisation.		



Issues encountered but not clearly specified in SEEA-W

- Non-reservoir storage
 - Water extracted for groundwater replenishment or storage purposes (i.e. aquifer recharge)
 - Classification (?)
- Dam spill-overs
 - Spilled-over water from dams yet not used
 - Classification discharge water, environmental flows, instream use
- Specific environmental flows
 - Rules based /environmental provisions
- ABS resolution



Thank you – Questions?