

# NAMWA

## The Dutch system of Water Accounts

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# Structure

- Introduction to NAMWA
- Work on NAMWA in the Netherlands
- Results and indicators
- Future work



# **What is NAMWA?**

**System of National Accounts (SNA)**

**National Accounting Matrix including  
Environmental Accounts (NAMEA)**

**National Accounting Matrix including  
Water Accounts (NAMWA)**



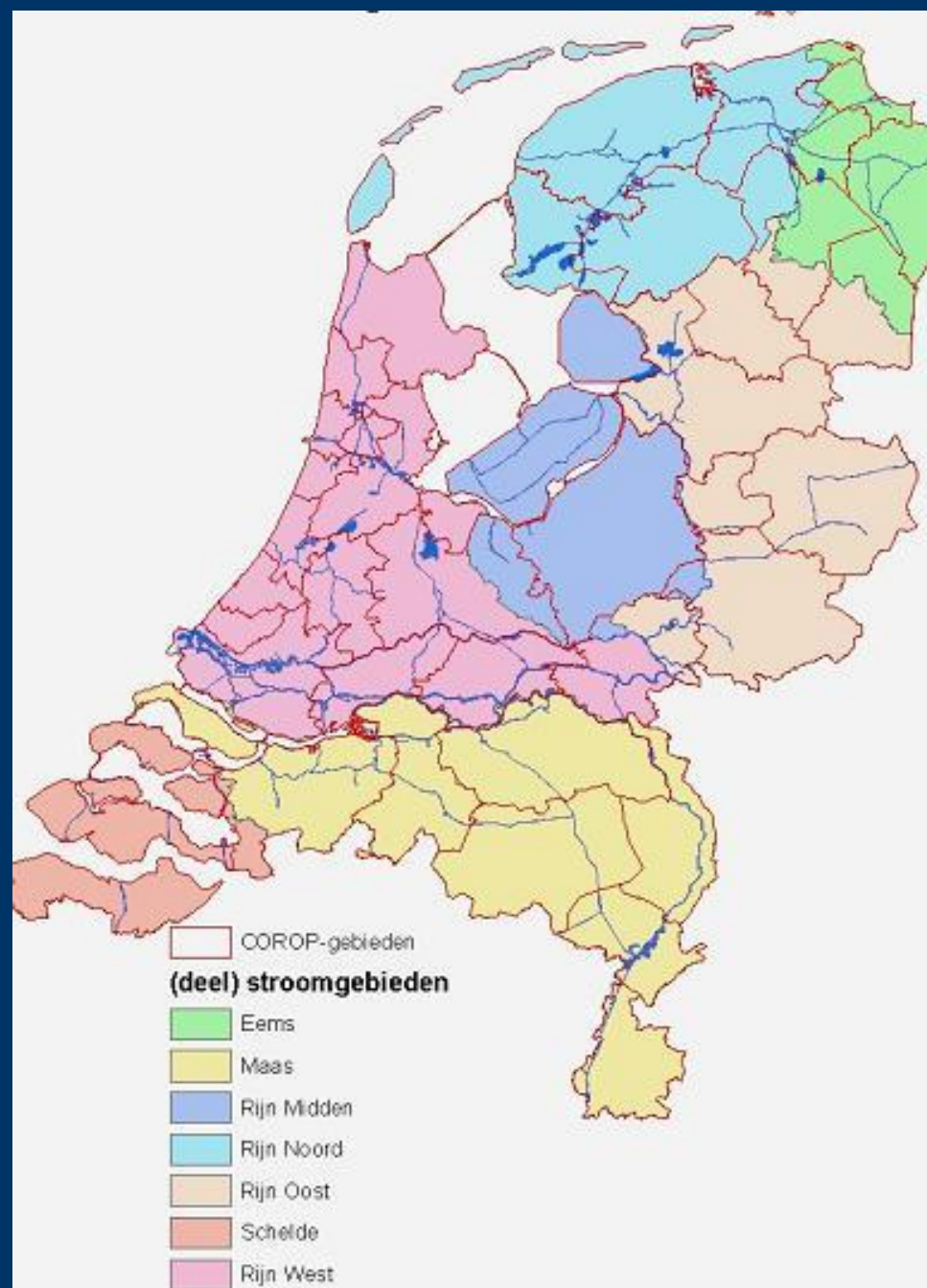
# **Work on NAMWA in the Netherlands**

- Based on an experimental NAMWA published in 1996**
- Collaboration between RIZA and Statistics Netherlands**
- 2002: Extension of original NAMWA**
- 2003: further extension: addition of more pollutants, more detail for river basins**



# Scale: National and River Basins







# Structure NAMWA

NAMWA exists of three parts:

1. **Economic accounts**, primarily based on the national accounts (euros)
2. **Emission accounts**, based on emission registration (kg)
3. **Water extraction and discharge account**, based on the water survey (m<sup>3</sup>)



# Economic parameters

- **National:** overview of the expenses (vertical) and receipts (horizontal) with specific attention to water (waterboards, sewage taxes etc.)
- **Regional:** production, use, value added, number of employees per industry



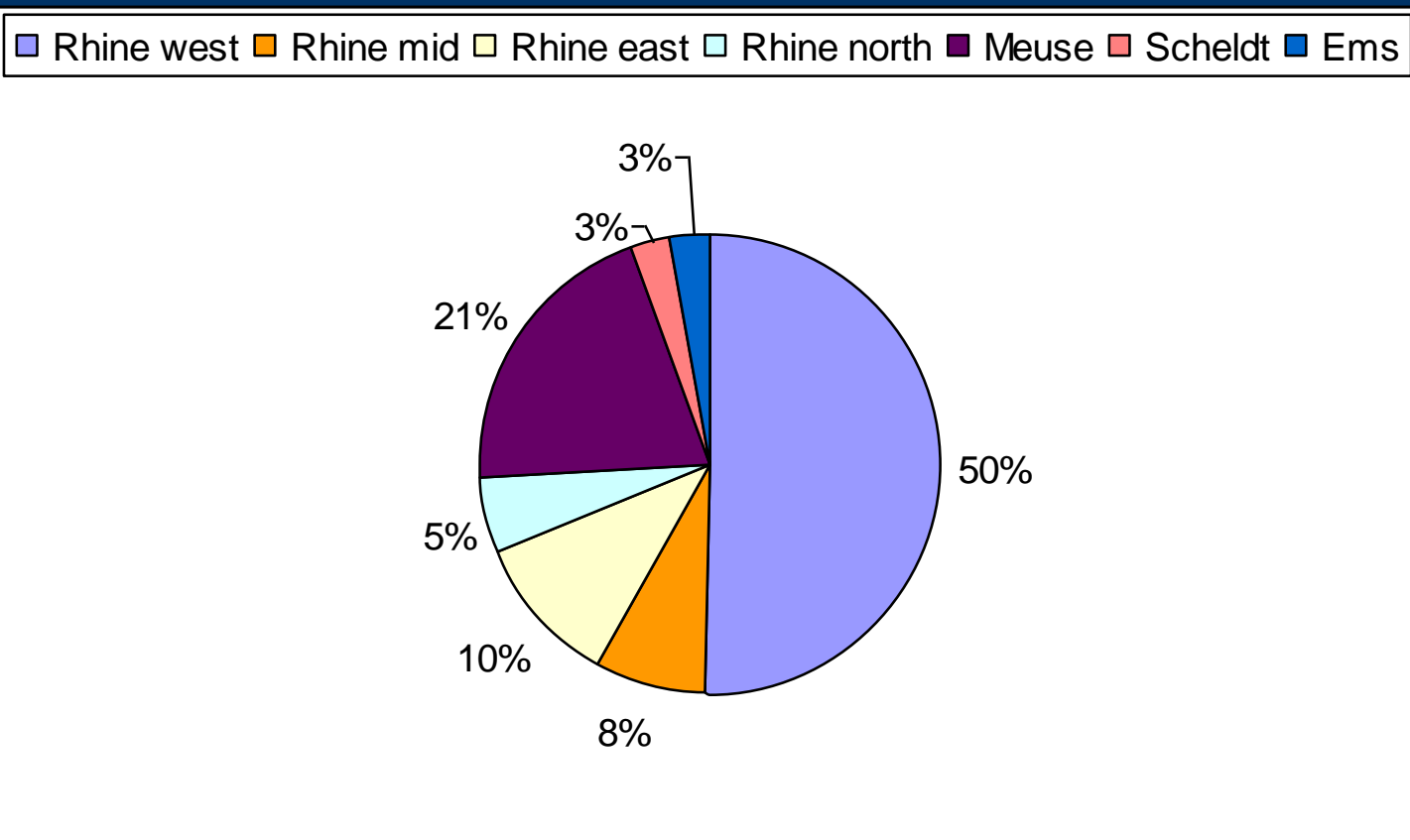


# NAMWA : the matrix

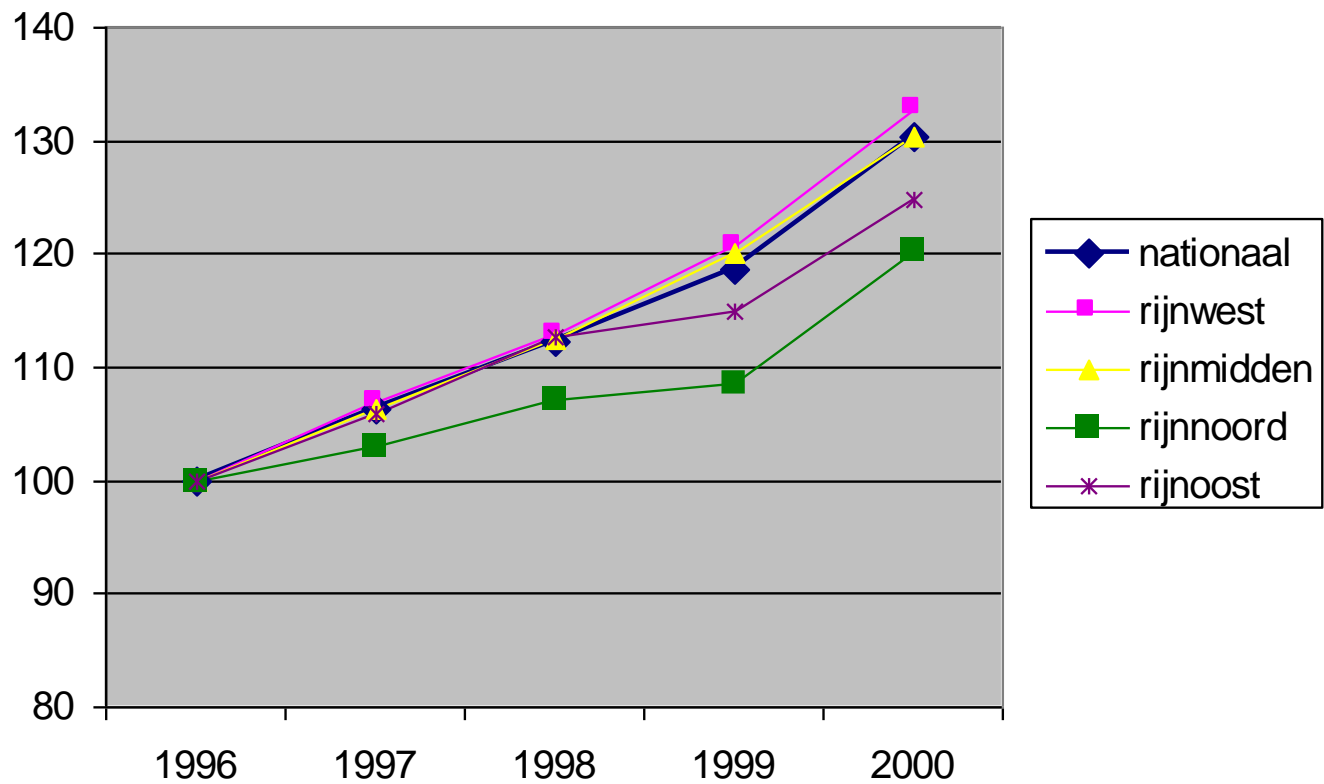
Account nr	1-10	11	12	13	14
<b>1-10</b>	NAM (economic); mln Euros				
<b>11</b>	Water balance; mln m <sup>3</sup>				
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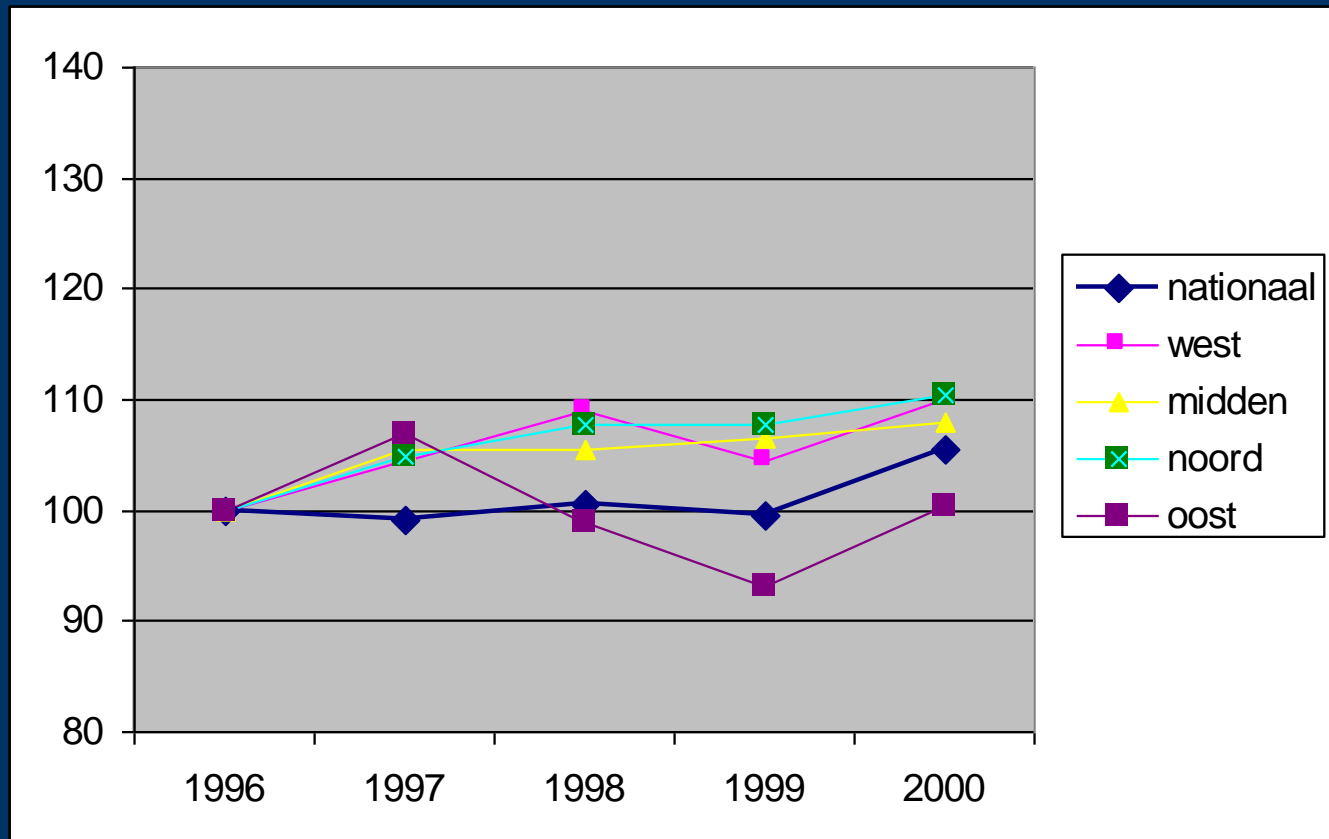
# Distribution of economic value added generated in the various river basins in the Netherlands



# Economic production 1996-2000



# Economic production 1996-2000: agriculture



# Emission accounts

- National en regional emission registration
- overview of the production and absorption of emissions by the industries
- 78 substances: o.a. P, N, heavy metals, pesticides etc.



# Origin of pollutants

	P	N	Heavy metals					Waste water
<b>Consumers</b>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
<b>Producers</b>								
–Agriculture	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
–Fisheries	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
–Mining	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
–etc	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Input from abroad	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
<b>Total</b>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x



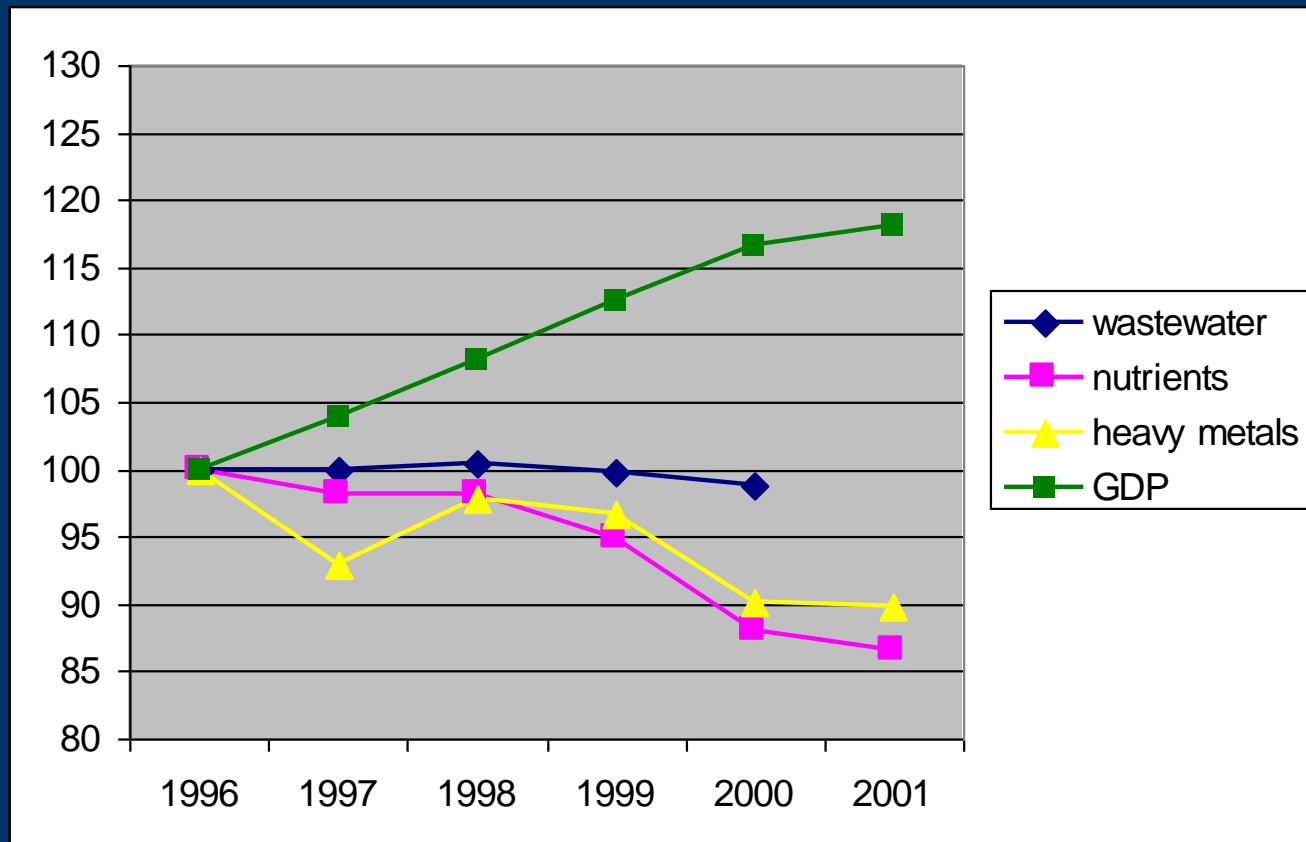
# Destination of pollutants

	P	N	Heavy metals					Waste water
<b>Absorption</b>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Export abroad	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
<b>Env. indicators</b>								
–eutrophication	x	x						
–Waste water								x
–Heavy metals			x	x	x	x	x	
<b>Total</b>	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x

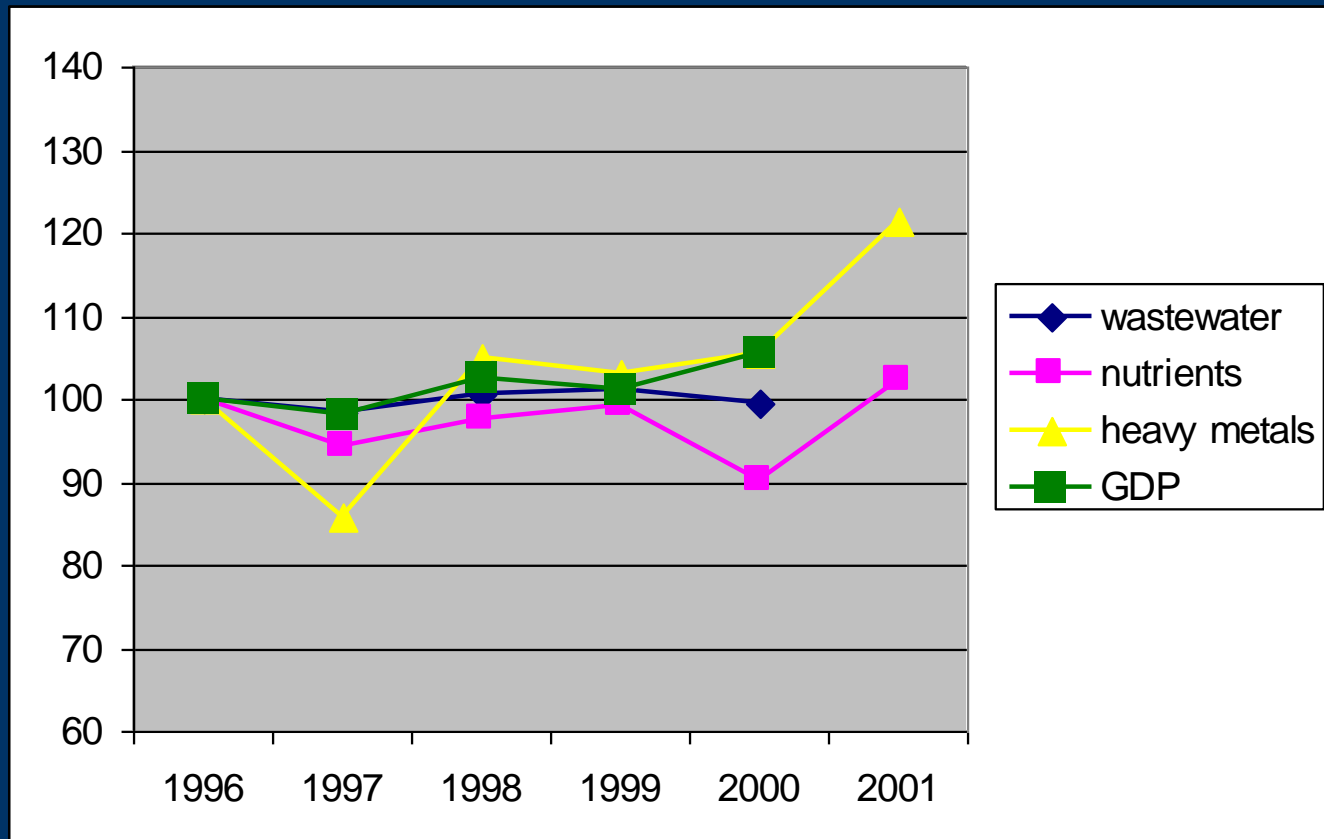




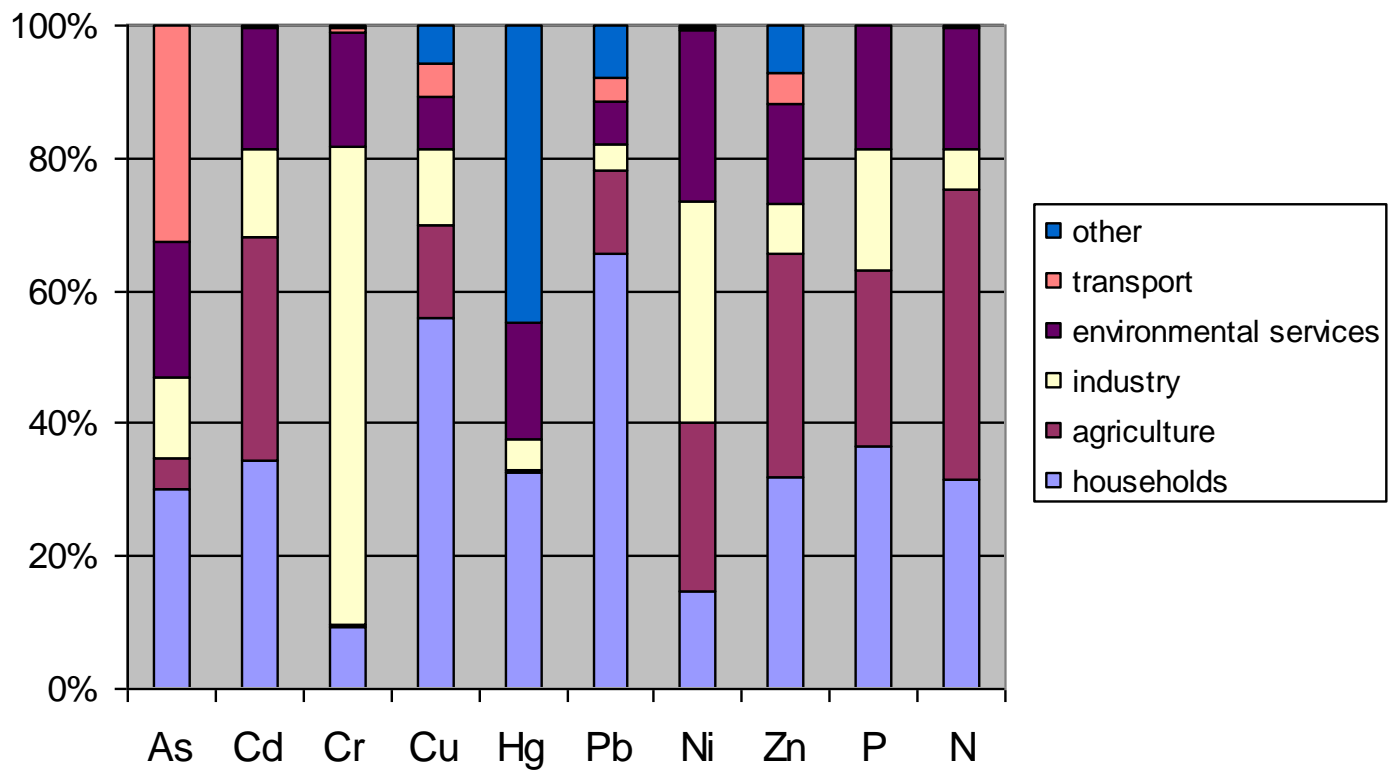
# GDP and environmental indicators: national



# GDP and environmental indicators : SCHELD



# Distribution emissions over the industries (2000)

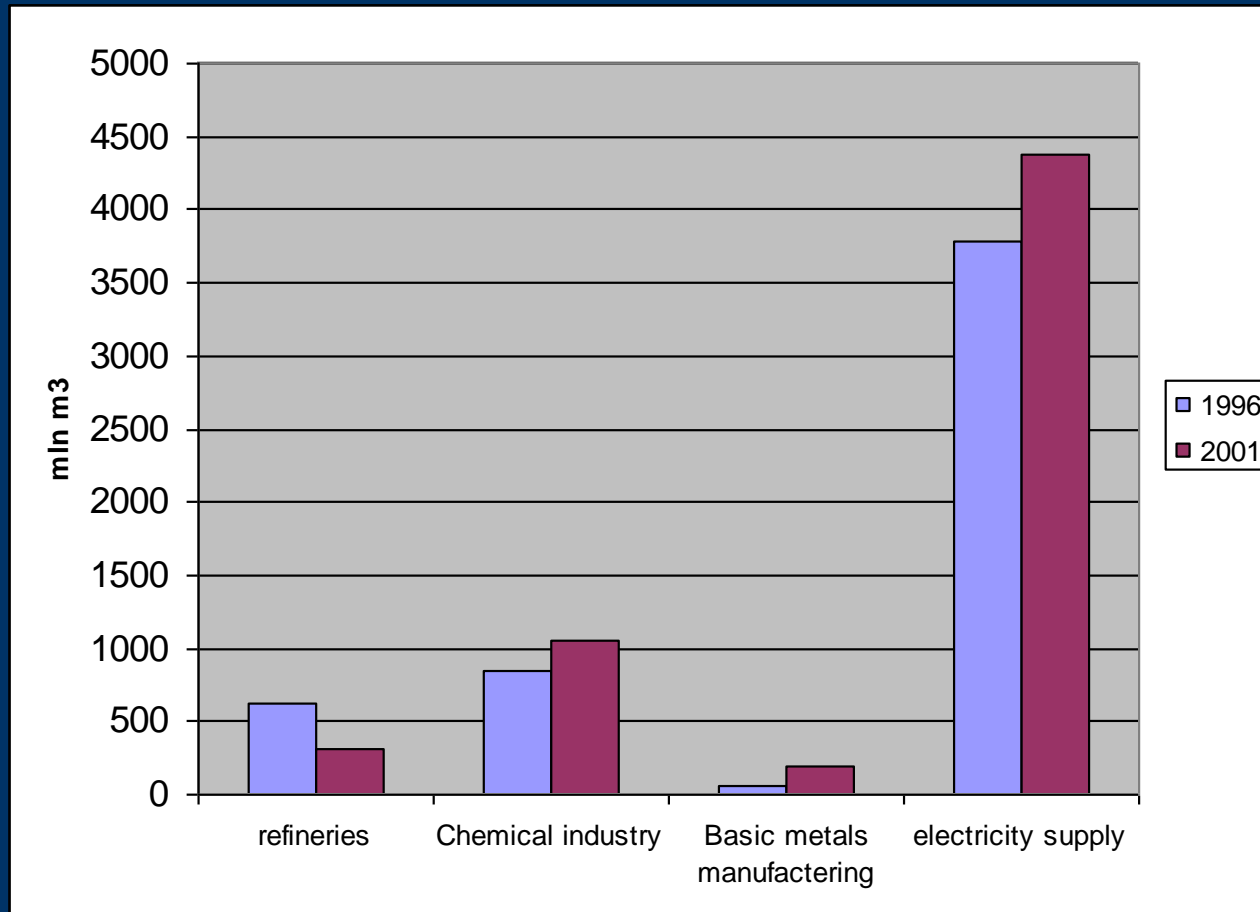


# Water accounts

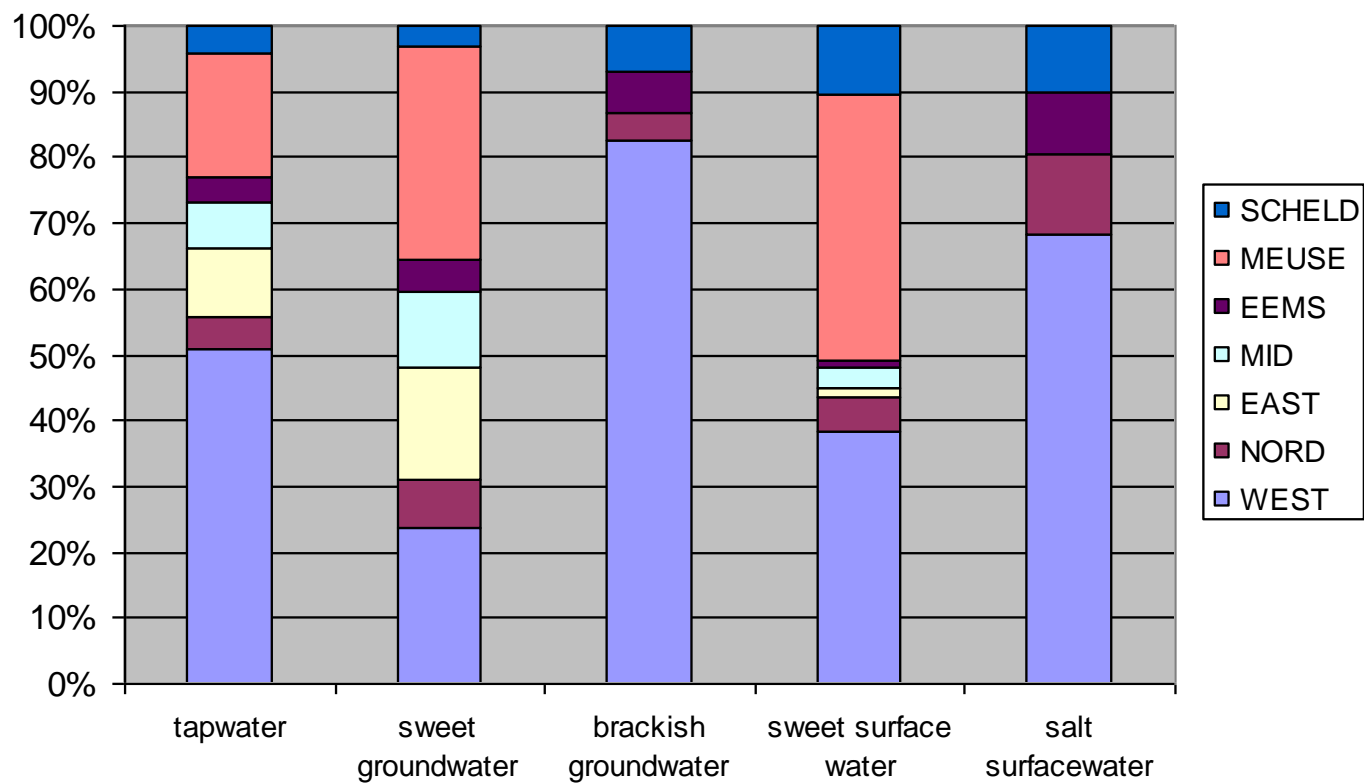
- **Water survey** from the CBS (national and regional)
- every 5 years
- production and use of **fresh water** (ground-, surface- en drinking water) per NACE



# Use of salt surfacewater



# Use of water in 2001



# Results so far

- **National NAMWA** for 1996 t/m 2001
- **Regional NAMWA** for 1996 t/m 2000





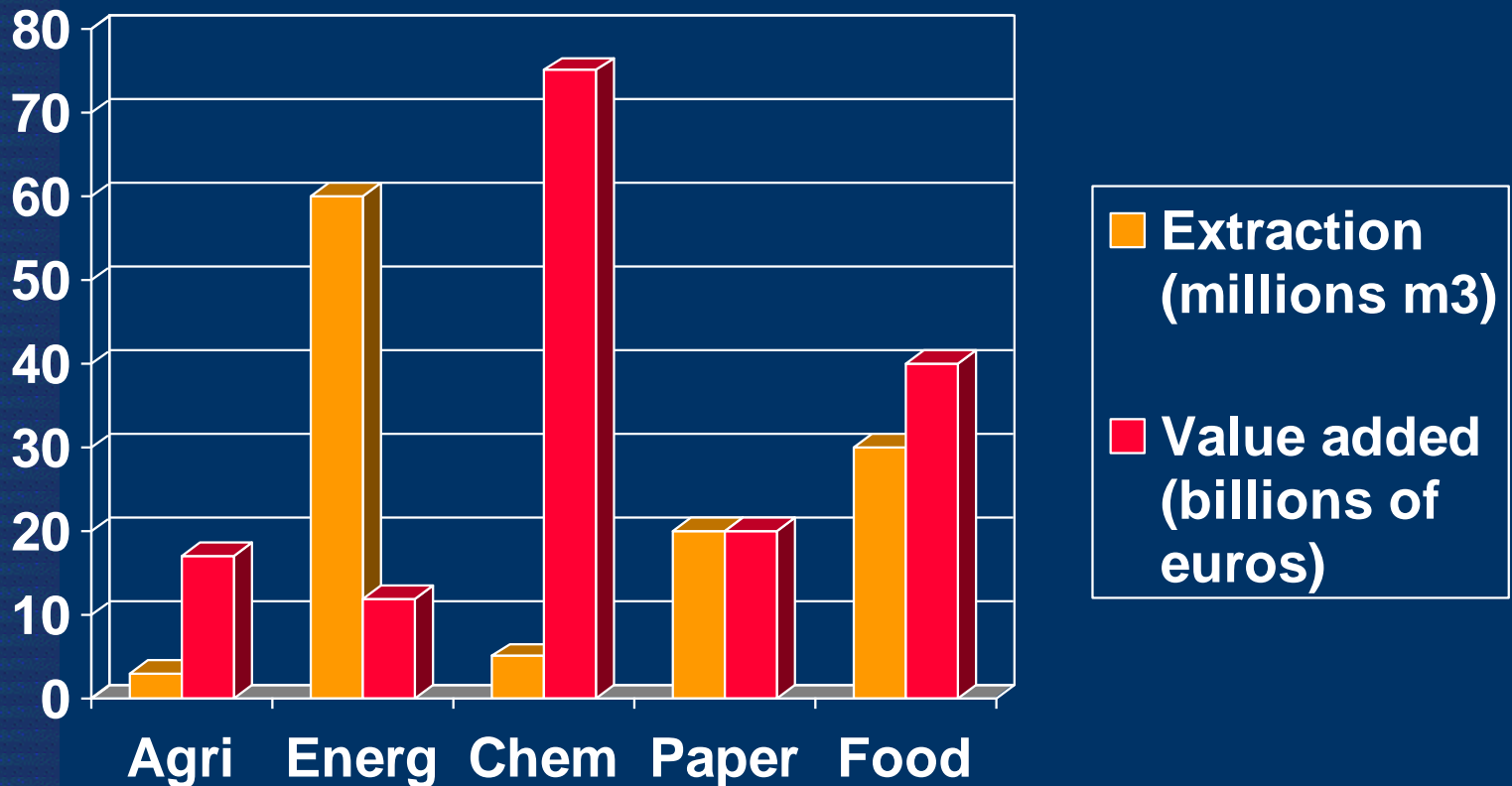
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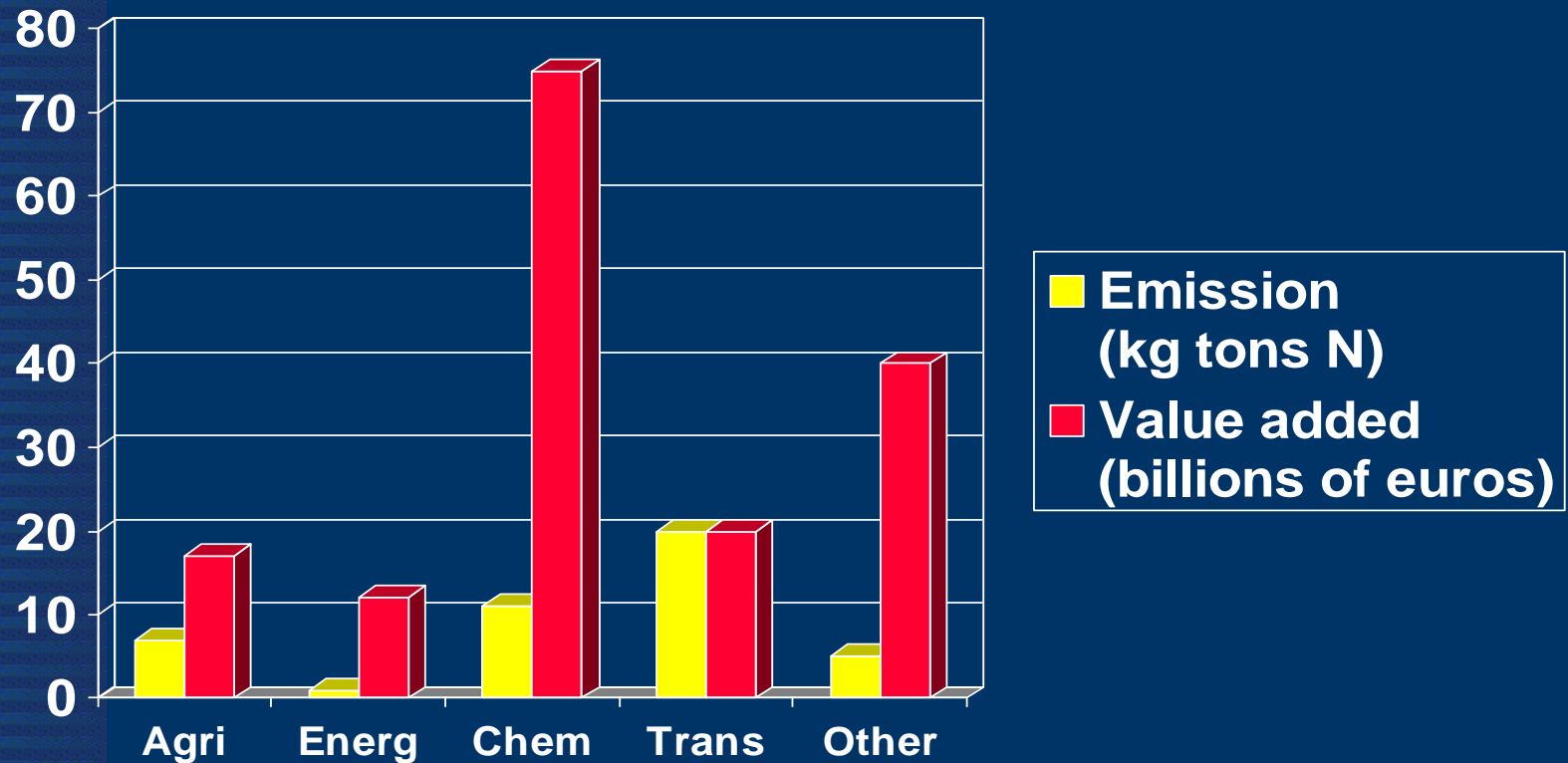
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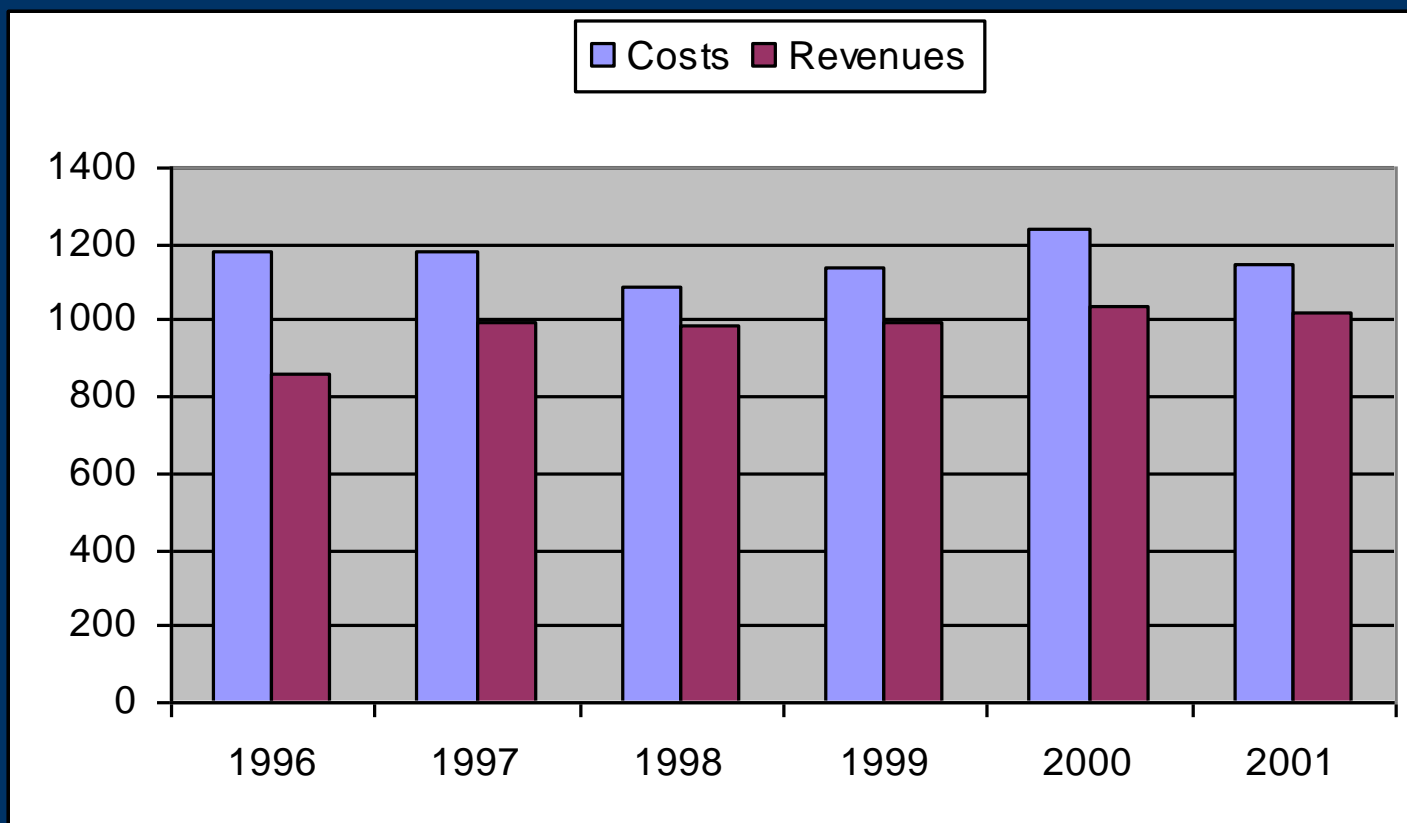
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## Cost recovery rates based on:

- Production costs water services
- Environmental taxes related to water



# ***Total costs and revenues of the water service wastewater treatment (in million euros)***



# Usefulness of NAMWA for WFD (1)

NAMWA provides a **consistent** integrated economic- environmental accounting framework which provides information about:

- Intensity of water use by branches of industry
- The physical flows of supply of water services
- Production costs of water services
- Environmental taxes related to water

**at National and River Basin level**



# Usefulness of NAMWA for WFD (2)

Hence NAMWA provides indicators about:

- Extent and relative significance of water services
- Extent and relative significance of water use
- Cost recovery
- Application of Polluter Pays Principle





# Future work

- NAMWA as a regular 'product' from 2002 onwards
- Calculate data for 1990-1995
- Waterbalance every year
- Composition of indicators
- Publication of the data (also on the internet)

