

BASELINE INFORMATION SOURCES FOR WATER

Webpage	Direct link
Water general	
SCOTLAND	
Draft River Basin Management Plans – Scotland	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/river_basin_planning.aspx
SEPA webpage water issues	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water.aspx
Scotland's Environmental and Rural Services (SEARS)	http://www.sears.scotland.gov.uk/Default.aspx
Scottish Environment Protection Agency Water Framework Directive	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/water_publications.aspx
Significant Water Management Issues	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/water_publications.aspx
Bathing water reports	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/water_publications.aspx
River level data	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/river_levels/river_level_data.aspx
The Water Environment (Controlled Activities)(Scotland) Regulations 2005 - A Practical Guide	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/water_publications.aspx
Freshwater fisheries	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/freshwater_fisheries.aspx
Nitrates monitoring	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/protected_areas/nitrates_monitoring.aspx
Sustainable Urban Drainage Systems (SUDS)	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/water_publications.aspx
NORTHERN IRELAND	
Abstraction Dataset for all complete activities up to May 2008	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/may_abstraction_dataset.pdf
Draft River Basin Management Plans – Northern Ireland	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/water/wfd/river_basin_planning.htm
Freshwater Fish Compliance Maps for 2004 to 2007	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/ffd-maps2004-2007.pdf
Guidance Booklet for Northern Ireland Farmers on the Requirement of the Nitrates Action Programme (Northern Ireland)	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/dard-nitratesguidance.pdf
Guidance on The Water Supply (Water Quality) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2007	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/water_supply_water_quality_regulations_northern_ireland_guidance_document.pdf
Identified Bathing Waters	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/bw07webmap.pdf
Northern Ireland Aquatic Monitoring Strategy 2006 – 2007 and Water Framework Directive Monitoring Plans	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/ams-report.pdf
Northern Ireland Environment Agency	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/water.htm
Objectives and Outputs for targeted catchments (pollution)	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/tar_cat_objectives_jh.pdf

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prevention/investigation)	
Proposals for Additional Nitrate Protection Zones	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/consultationpaper4april2003.pdf
Waste Water Treatment Works Compliance	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/wwtw_compliance_ws.pdf
UK	
Centre for Ecology & Hydrology	www.ceh.ac.uk
Defra webpage Water Issues	http://www.defra.gov.uk/environment/quality/water/index.htm
Environment Agency- Chemical Standards Database	http://87.84.223.229/ChemicalStandards/Home.aspx
UK National Marine Monitoring Programme (NMMP).	http://www.cefas.co.uk/data/marine-monitoring/national-marine-monitoring-programme-(nmmp).aspx
UK Technical Advisory Group on the Water Framework Directive	www.wfduk.org
EU and WORLDWIDE	
European Commission: Water	http://ec.europa.eu/environment/water/index_en.htm
OSPAR Quality Status Report 2000 for the North-East Atlantic	http://www.ospar.org/content/content.asp?menu=00650830000000 000000 000000
Water quality	
SCOTLAND	
Scottish Environment Protection Agency	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water.aspx
Bathing waters results	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/bathing_waters/results.aspx
Waterbody Classification (in RBMP)	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/river_basin_planning.aspx
Waterbody Classification (interactive GIS)	http://gis.sepa.org.uk/rbmp/MapView.aspx
Scottish Pollutant Release Inventory (SPRI)	http://www.sepa.org.uk/air/process_industry_regulation/pollutant_release_inventory.aspx
Water Environment Classification Report (2007)	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/monitoring_and_classification.aspx
Groundwater regimes	http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/water_regulation/regimes/groundwater.aspx
NORTHERN IRELAND	
Bathing Water Compliance - 2005	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/bathing_water_compliance_1993_to_2005.pdf
Bathing Water Compliance 2007	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/2007-bathingwater-compliance.pdf
Bathing Water Quality in Northern Ireland	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/bathingwaterleafletweb2005.pdf
Chemical classifications for 2003 to 2006 in Northern Ireland	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/gqa-chemicaltables2003to2006.pdf

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Drinking Water Quality in Northern Ireland 2007	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/drinking_water_quality_in_northern_ireland_2007.pdf
GQA chemical water quality for 2003 to 2006 in Northern Ireland	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/gqa-biol-maps2003-2006.pdf
Groundwater Monitoring Report for 2005	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/groundwater_2005_report.pdf
Northern Ireland Environment Agency	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/water/quality.htm
Results from regulatory monitoring requirements for Drinking Water Quality in Northern Ireland	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/drinking_water_quality_in_northern_ireland_in_2006.pdf
Tellus Project	http://www.detini.gov.uk/cgi-bin/get_builder_page?page=2817&site=5&parent=156
Water Pollution Incidents and Enforcement 2006 Report	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/niea-waterpollutionincidents-and-enforcement2006.pdf
State of the Environment Reports/ Trends	
Northern Ireland Environment Agency - State of the Environment report – Northern Ireland > Water	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/index/about-niea/state_of_the_environment/state_of_the_environment_report.htm
Scottish Environment Protection Agency - State of Scotland's Environment report	http://www.sepa.org.uk/scotlands_environment/data_and_reports/idoc.ashx?docid=e81a27d5-b0f7-48a5-81b8-b201419a7340&version=-1
Scottish Natural Heritage	http://www.snh.gov.uk/pubs/results.asp?Q=trends
General	
British Geological Survey	http://www.bgs.ac.uk/
Defra	www.defra.gov.uk
Department of Agriculture and Rural Development	www.dardni.gov.uk
Environment Agency	www.environment-agency.gov.uk
Environmental Protection Agency Ireland	www.epa.ie
European Commission Joint Research Centre	http://ec.europa.eu/dgs/jrc/index.cfm
Forestry Commission	www.forestry.gov.uk
Geological Survey of Northern Ireland	http://www.bgs.ac.uk/gsni/
Government of Ireland	www.gov.ie
Historic Scotland	www.historic-scotland.gov.uk
Local Authorities in Northern Ireland	http://www.direct.gov.uk/en/DI1/Directories/DevolvedAdministrations/DG_4003601
Natural Environment Research Council	http://www.nerc.ac.uk/
NetRegs	www.netregs.gov.uk
Northern Ireland Environment Agency	www.ni-environment.gov.uk

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Scottish Environment Protection Agency	www.sepa.org.uk
Scottish Natural Heritage	www.snh.org.uk
Scotland and Northern Ireland Forum for Environmental Research (SNIFFER)	www.sniffer.org.uk
Welsh Assembly Government (WAG)	www.wales.gov.uk
DCLG Strategic Environmental Assessment	http://www.communities.gov.uk/planningandbuilding/planning/sustainabilityenvironmental/strategicenvironmentalassessment/
European Commission - Environmental Assessment	http://ec.europa.eu/environment/archives/eia/home.htm
Northern Ireland Environment Agency Strategic Environmental Assessment	http://www.ni-environment.gov.uk/landscape/sea-natural.htm
Scottish Government Strategic Environmental Assessment	http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Topics/Environment/14587
Strategic Environmental Assessment Information Service Environmental Assessment	www.sea-info.net
United Nations Economic Commission for Europe Protocol on Strategic Environmental Assessment	http://www.unece.org/env/eia/sea_protocol.htm