# Sustainable Water Management at BASF





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# BASF worldwide Sites





Status: End 2013

### **BASF Segments**





**Chemicals** 

Petrochemicals

Monomers

**Intermediates** 



Performance Products

Dispersions & Pigments

Care Chemicals

Nutrition & Health

Paper Chemicals

Performance Chemicals



Functional Materials & Solutions

Catalysts

Construction Chemicals

Coatings

Performance Materials



Agricultural Solutions

Crop Protection



Oil & Gas

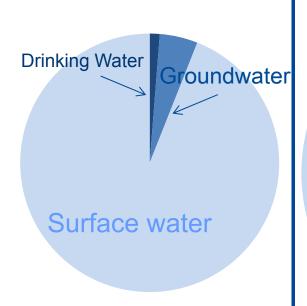
Oil & Gas

### Water in the BASF Group in 2013



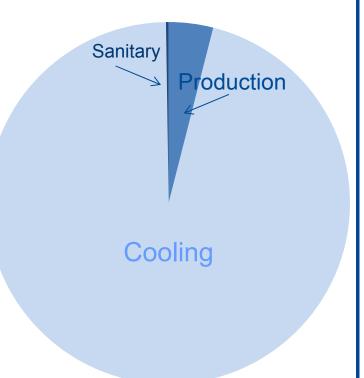
## **Supply**

1,781 Mio m³/year



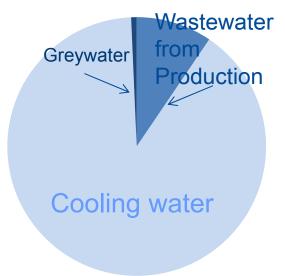
### Use

5,724 Mio m³/year



## **Discharge**

1,775 Mio m³/year



### Overview of our goals



#### **Environment**

(by 2020)

## **Energy and climate** protection

- Greenhouse gases -40% (specific)
- Energy efficiency +35%
- Reduce (specific) greenhouse gas emissions of transported gas

#### Water

- Drinking water -50 % for production
- Sustainable water 100 % management in water stress areas

#### **Emissions to air**

■ Air pollutants -70%

#### **Emissions to water**

- Organic substances -80%
- Nitrogen -80%
- Heavy metals -60%

#### Health

(each year)

#### **Health protection**

Health Performance Index comprises five criteria; Goal: score >0.9 (max. 1.0)

- Recognized occupational diseases
- Medical emergency planning
- First aid

- Preventive medicine
- Health promotion

## Safety and security

(by 2020)

#### **Occupational Safety**

Work-related accidents

-80 %

-10%

#### **Transportation safety**

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#### **Product safety**

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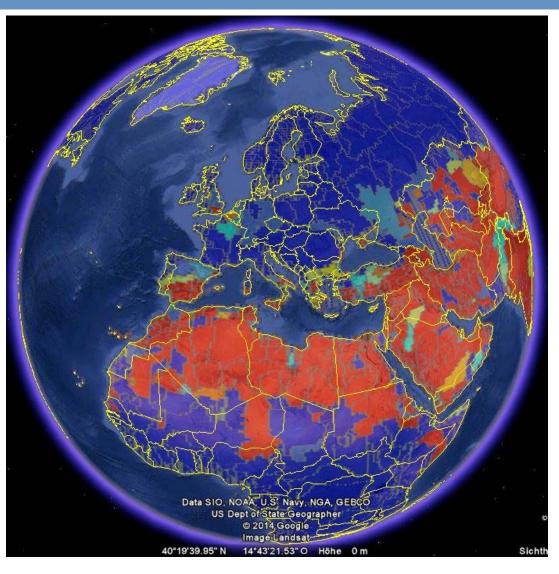
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### Water Stress Areas Worldwide





#### **Severe Water Stress:**

≥ 60% of available water are consumed by households, agriculture, and industry.

**Red** = Severe Water Stress

**Blue** = Low Water Stress

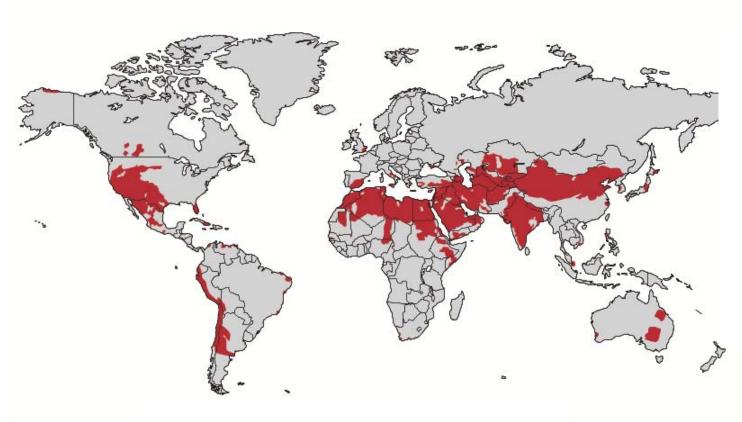
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Water Stress

Water Stress Areas (Pfister et al. 2009)

# BASF-Sites in Water Stress Areas Regional Overview





Severe water stress areas Adapted from: Pfister et. al., 2009

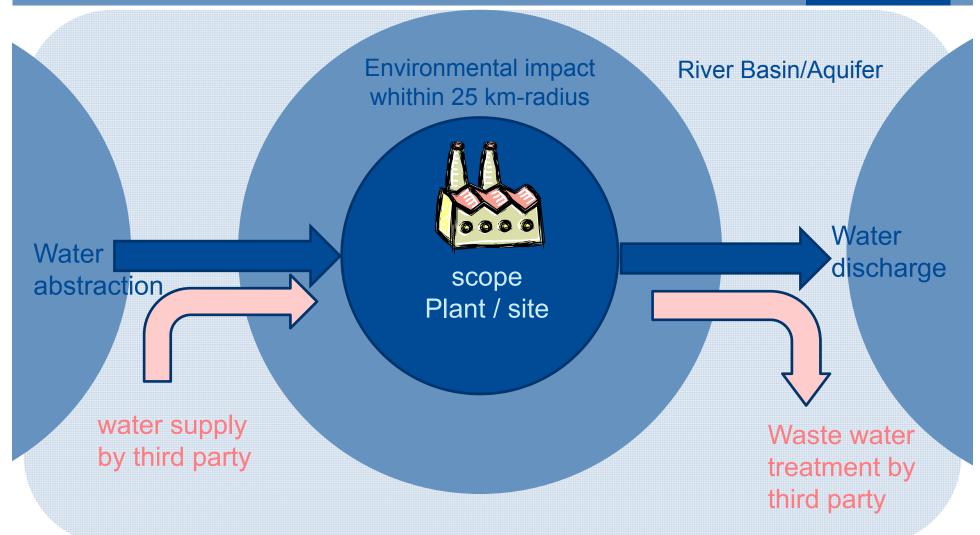
- 63 sites globally (22% of total BASF production sites) are located in water stress areas (Status 2013)
- Implementation of sustainable water management based on EWS-Standard



**STANDARD** 

## Sustainable Water Management Scope of Assessment





## Sustainable Water Management

#### **Benefits of EWS-Standard**



- Detailed tool for compiling water related information and understanding complexity of supply logistics
- Raises awareness around the resource water and related risks (Long term availability of water sources, status of water quality, HCV-areas)
- Provides a basis for advancing the water issue with stakeholders
- External certification as communication tool



BASF Tarragona in 2013

BASF Ludwigshafen in 2014