

The State of Wastewater Emissions Abatement in Europe

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What sorts of emissions?

- Wastes → reusable resources
 - treated water (REWATER)
 - by-products
 - Pollutants
- CO₂ (energy for transport + treatment)
- wasted resources (leakage, inefficiency, residuals, end of life materials)









What sorts of wastewaters – water related wastes

- municipal wastewater
- industrial wastewaters
- surface runoffs







Why do we reduce wastewater emission?

- legislative background (WFD-UWWD 271/91)
- emotional considerations
- rational considerations
- financial considerations







How do we reduce wastewater emission?

- basic treatment
- nutrient removal
- micropollutants removal
- aerobic-anaerobic technologies





Who is paying for?

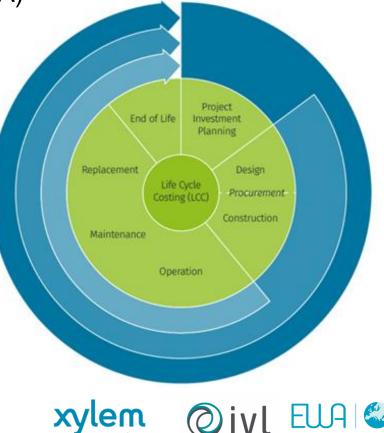
- polluter pays principle
- full cost recovery
- monetisation of environmental resources costs
- definition of cost recovery





How to improve water management?

- Life cycle costing (LCC) Life cycle assessment (LCA)
- Dynamic cost comparison (DCC) Cost benefit analyses (CBA)
- Improved Asset management based on LCC-DCC



Thank you for your kind attention!

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