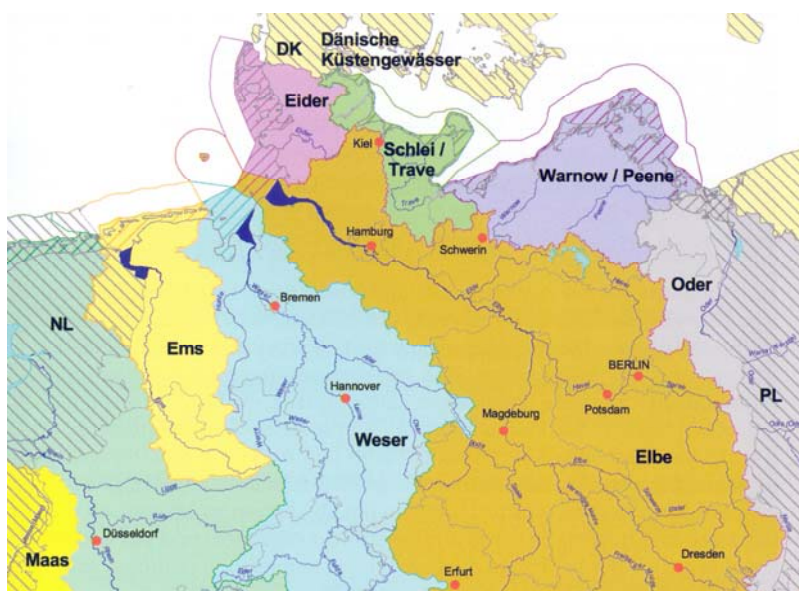


# Integrated ecological management plans for water Framework Directive and Natura 2000



The Water Framework Directive integrates the measures for improving the ecological quality status of the complete catchment area. Working groups in a transnational cooperation of administrations and NGOs analyse the state, develop concepts and propose measures to reach the goals of ecological quality improvement.

National administrations cooperate in the development of an integrated management plan to meet the aims of the Natura 2000 directive for the development of habitats for endangered species.



The plan has to take account for the interests of ecology, economy, traffic, sports and tourism at the river



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