

# German Water Partnership

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Partnership



# Facts and Figures

**150 years** of water supply and sewage disposal

**100% connection** rate

**24/7** water **supply** without unintended interruptions

**100 l** per capita and year **water use**

**<7%** water **loss**

**2.9 Bn. € investments** in water sector (2018)

# Facts and Figures

**100 Bn. € investments** since 1990

**1.1 Bn. € exports** in 2019 (+6.8%) → #1 in Europe

**28 Bn. €** sustainable water management **market size** ...

... **11%** global **market share**

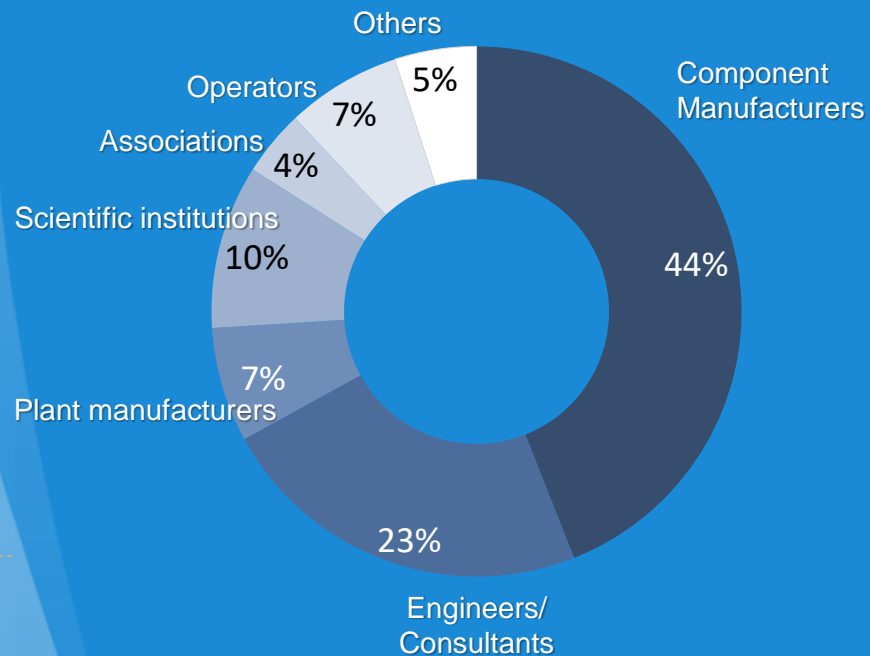
... **12%** projected **growth** rate through 2025



**Around 350 members** cover the broad spectrum of German business, science and research.



## Member structure in detail:



75 % are small and middle-sized companies.

# Structure

- **Working Groups**

Topic-related working groups like Industrial Water Management, Operation & Education, Agricultural Irrigation, Water 4.0, Water & Energy, Innovation & Science Cooperation



- **Regional Sections**

15 regional sections focusing on best practice exchange and project development



- **Joint Representation**

Congresses, conferences, networking events, technical exchange programmes, delegation trips



# Regional Section Africa

- **Over 120 members**
- **Internal meetings on a regular basis**
- **Goals:**
  - Gather and share information on markets in Africa
  - Cultivate long term contacts, devise cooperation projects
  - Develop adapted solutions to local challenges
- **Past activities (extract):**
  - Participation at **trade-fairs** (e.g. AfWA International Congress & Exhibition Kampala/Uganda in 2020)
  - **GWP-Days** in the region (e.g. Zambia 2018)
  - Events within the **BMWi-Market Entry Programme** (BMWi-Markterschließungsprogramm für KMU)

# GAPWAS – German African Partnership on Water and Sanitation



## Objective

- Effectively **supporting** the **know-how transfer** in the water sector in Africa through AfWA

## Goals

- Improved **overall management**
- Enlarged sustainable **service portfolio** to meet the needs of AfWA members
- Sustainable and efficient **regional structures**
- Expanded **international cooperation**

## Characteristics

- Project duration: 11/2019 - 10/2022
- Project office: *Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire*
- Sponsored by:



**African Water Association**

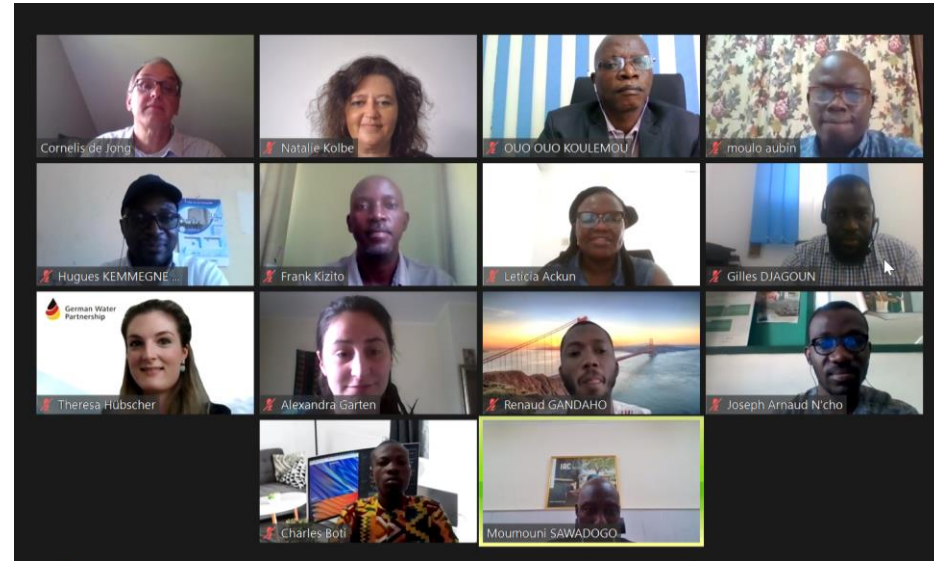


# GAPWAS – German African Partnership on Water and Sanitation



## Activities (extract)

- **Trainings** for AfWA members
- Setting up a members **benchmarking** database
- **Technical Exchanges** between AfWA and GWP members
- **Capacity building** for the AfWA headoffice staff
- Consultancies and support for **strategic planning**





# Upcoming Activities

- **Digital Business Trip to Tanzania and Uganda within the BMWi Market Development Programme (25-28 Oct. 2021)**  
→ [Registration is open until 23 July](#)
- **Joint conference with the BVMW on energy efficiency in the Senegalese water sector (28 Sept. 2021)**
- **Current Fact Finding Mission for PartnerAfrica project funded by BMZ: African Water and Sanitation Academy (AWASA) to be built up in Kampala, Uganda**
- **World Water Forum 2022 in Dakar, Senegal (TBD)**

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# Thank you for your attention!

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