How to Synergize the Adaptation and IWRM

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Reasons to synergize the two

- IWRM as a process is open to improvement
- Adaptation strengthen improvement
- No fix rule or blue print for IWRM

Various levels of IWRM Initiative

- Initiation stage
 - > Awareness and capacity building
 - > Networking
- Implementation stage
 - > Political will
 - > Institution set-up
 - > Financing
- Sustainable (maturing) stage
 - > Management tools in place
 - > Active stakeholders participation
 - > Bottom up planning and decision making process
 - > Integration of local knowledge

IWRM applicability to other sectors

- IWRM as a process of enabling stakeholders to address, plan and manage resources which are vital to their livelihood
- Thus IWRM is applicable to better
 management of other resources which
 basically are inclusive of Natural resources
 not limit to only water

Financing IWRM

- Financing is the key challenge to the success of IWRM
- The need to develop successful indicators
- Mechanism to balance financial incentive and self motivation

How to promote IWRM regionally

- Campaign to raise political awareness and commitment
- Promote and dissemination of lessons learned from successful IWRM cases
- Strengthen regional cooperation through exchanges of experiences

Climate Change and IWRM

- IWRM can enhance awareness of climate change and ready the adaptation to face the change
- Balance view on scientific results and exaggerated forecast

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