

# INTERNATIONAL WATERS RESULTS NOTES

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# SERBIA DANUBE RIVER ENTERPRISE POLLUTION REDUCTION PROJECT

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- 1. 105 medium and large livestock farms received planning and investment support for farm manure and nutrient management, which minimizes nutrient leakage to water bodies.
- 2. Seven agricultural high schools received manure storage facilities and handling equipment, nutrient management plans, teacher training, and a customized Code of Good Agricultural Practices, exposing at least 2,000 students in each graduating class to theoretical and practical training in proper farm manure and nutrient management.
- 3. 186 agricultural advisors trained in farm nutrient management.

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# **PROJECT OBJECTIVE**

The global environment objective of the project is to reduce nutrient flows into water bodies connected to the Danube River from selected Republic of Serbia enterprises.

### **RESULTS: PROCESS**

INDICATOR#1 Status of development of a Code of Good Agricultural Practices (CGAP) [Target: CGAP adopted by adopted by the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Water Management(MAFWM)] CGAP finalized, adopted by MAFWM, and widely distributed to farmers, agricultural advisors and agricultural schools.

INDICATOR#2 Number of agricultural advisors trained in farm nutrient management. (80) 186 agricultural advisors trained in farm nutrient management.

### **RESULTS: STRESS REDUCTION**

INDICATOR#1 Number of farms in target areas that have built manure platforms and/or slurry tanks. (60). (SRI) 105 farms have proper manure storage facilities that allow leakage minimizing farm nutrient management.

INDICATOR#2 Beneficiary farms implementing nutrient reduction plans properly two years after being awarded the sub-grant (65%)

69% of the beneficiary farms implemented all aspects of their nutrient management plans.

# **RESULTS: WATER RESOURCE AND ENVIRONMENTAL STATUS**

INDICATOR#1 Level of decrease of nitrogen (pollution) flows from participating enterprises into water bodies connected with the Danube River (20%)

At least 44% of pre-project nitrogen leakage from beneficiary farms is avoided.

INDICATOR#2 Level of decrease of phosphorus (pollution) flows from participating enterprises into water bodies connected with the Danube River (20%)

100% of pre-project phosphorus leakage from beneficiary farms is avoided.

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