

# Consultation Meeting : Integrated Drought Management

Will an IDM programme add value?  
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## GWP's VISION – a water secure world

- **Enough water for all** – for society, for economic development, and for ecosystems
- **Security** from droughts, floods, landslides, water-borne diseases and toxins – all the negative aspects of water
- Improved quality of life for the most vulnerable, especially **women and children**
- Through an **integrated approach** – holistic, working with stakeholders from all sectors

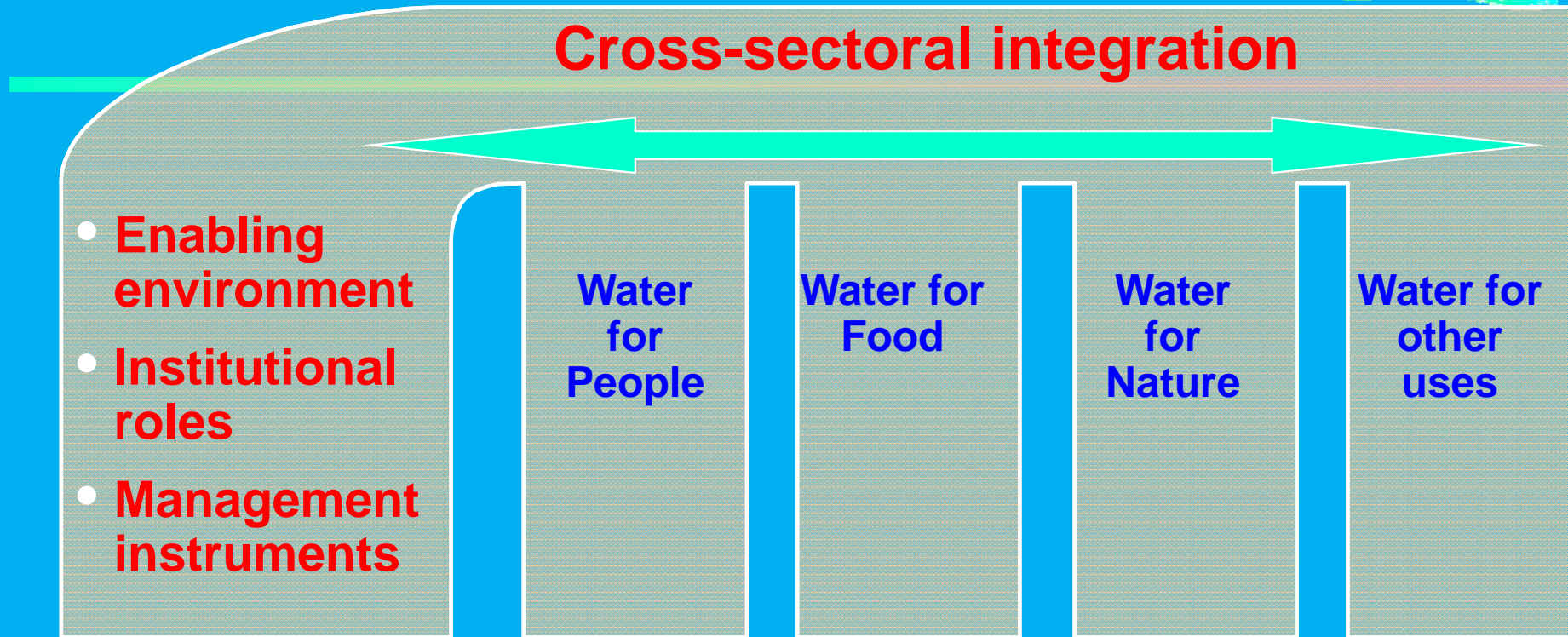
# Working Towards A Water-Secure World



**13 Regional Water Partnerships**  
**77 Country Water Partnerships**  
**2,339 Partner Organizations in 153 countries**



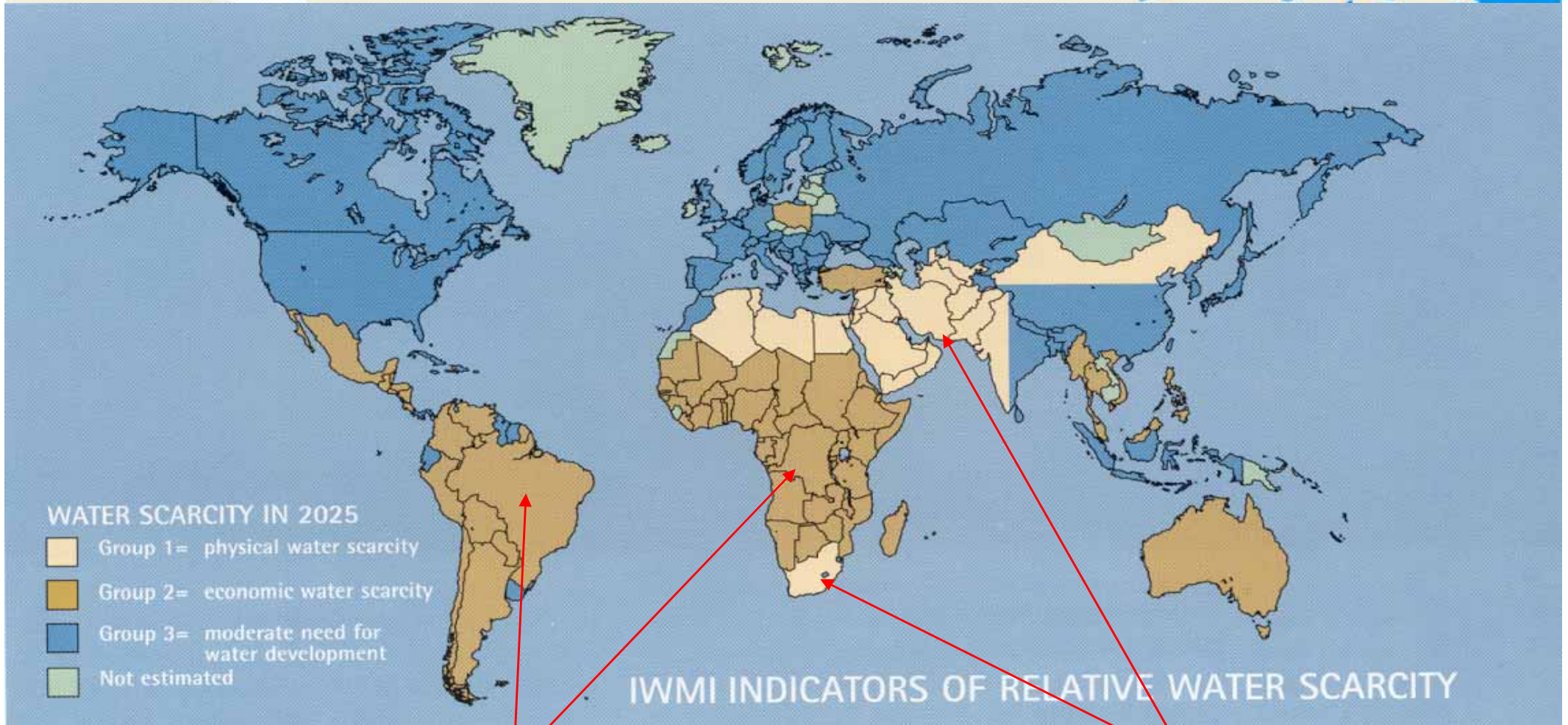
# Integrated Water Resources Management (IWRM)



**Integration of sectoral interests is the key**

**Coordination, Integration (vertical/ horizontal, decentralisation, stakeholder participation**

# Water Scarcity in the World (2025 scenario)



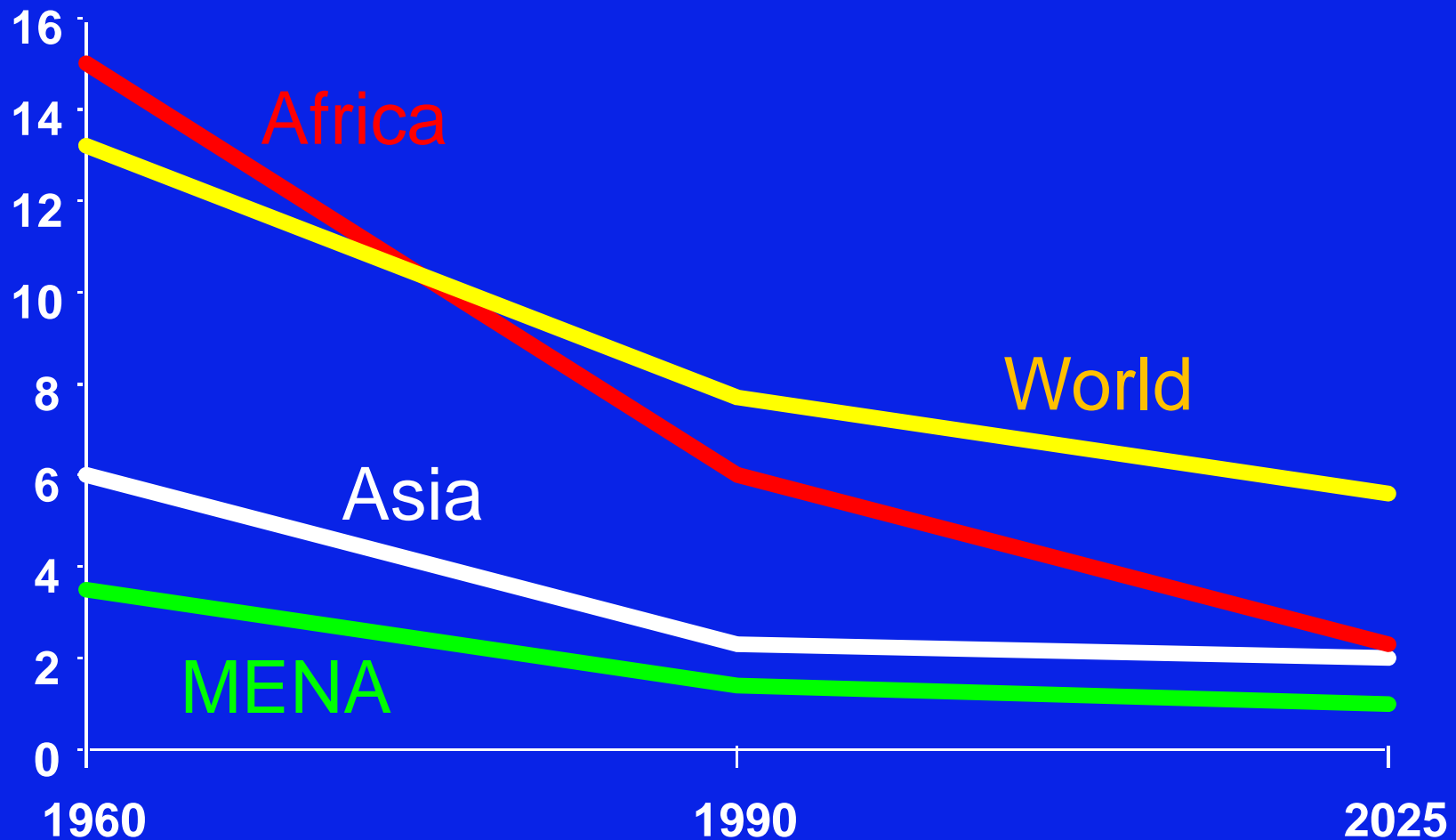
“economic” water scarcity: water development can meet increased demand

**absolute** or physical water scarcity

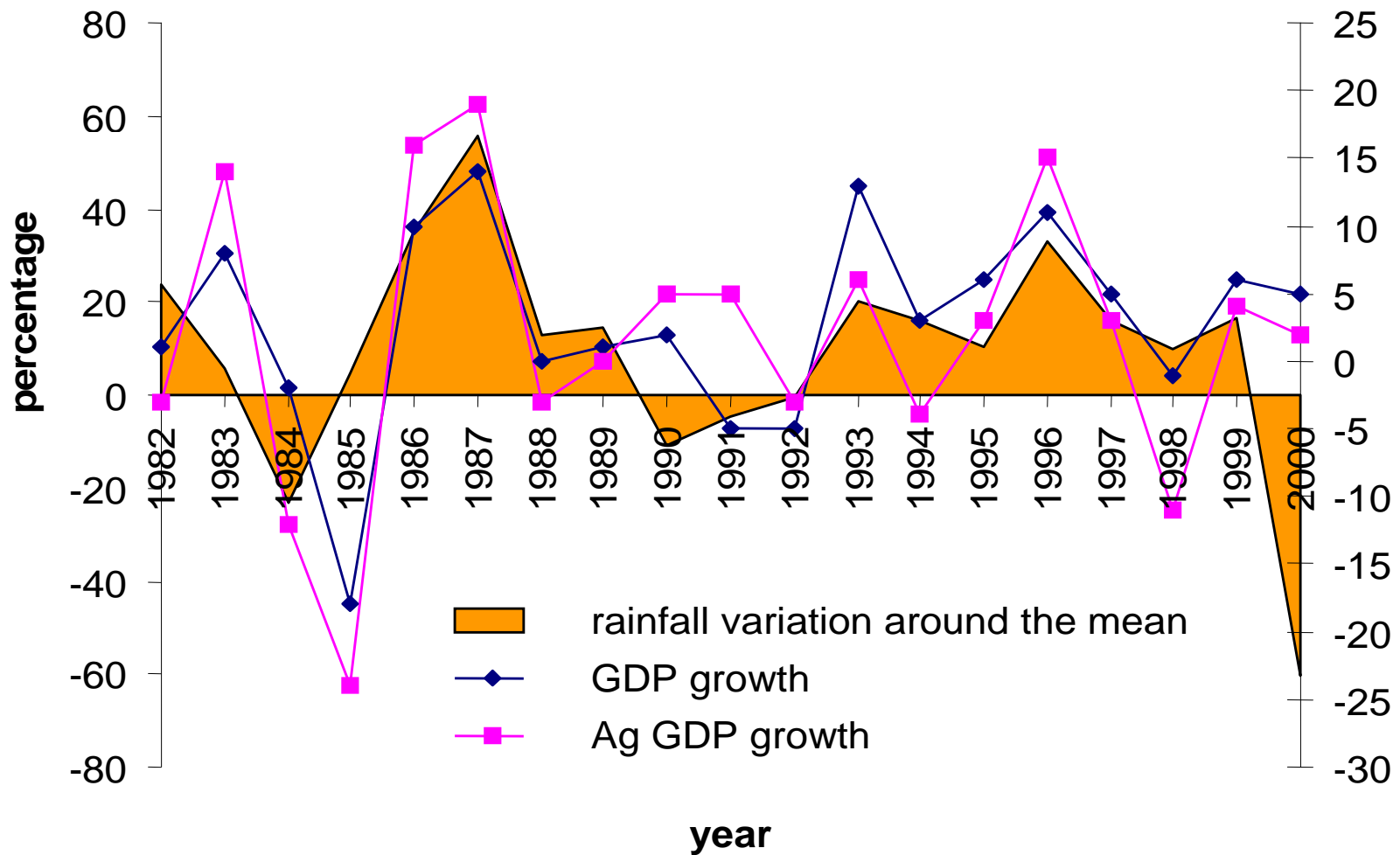


***Regional per capita availability of water is declining :***

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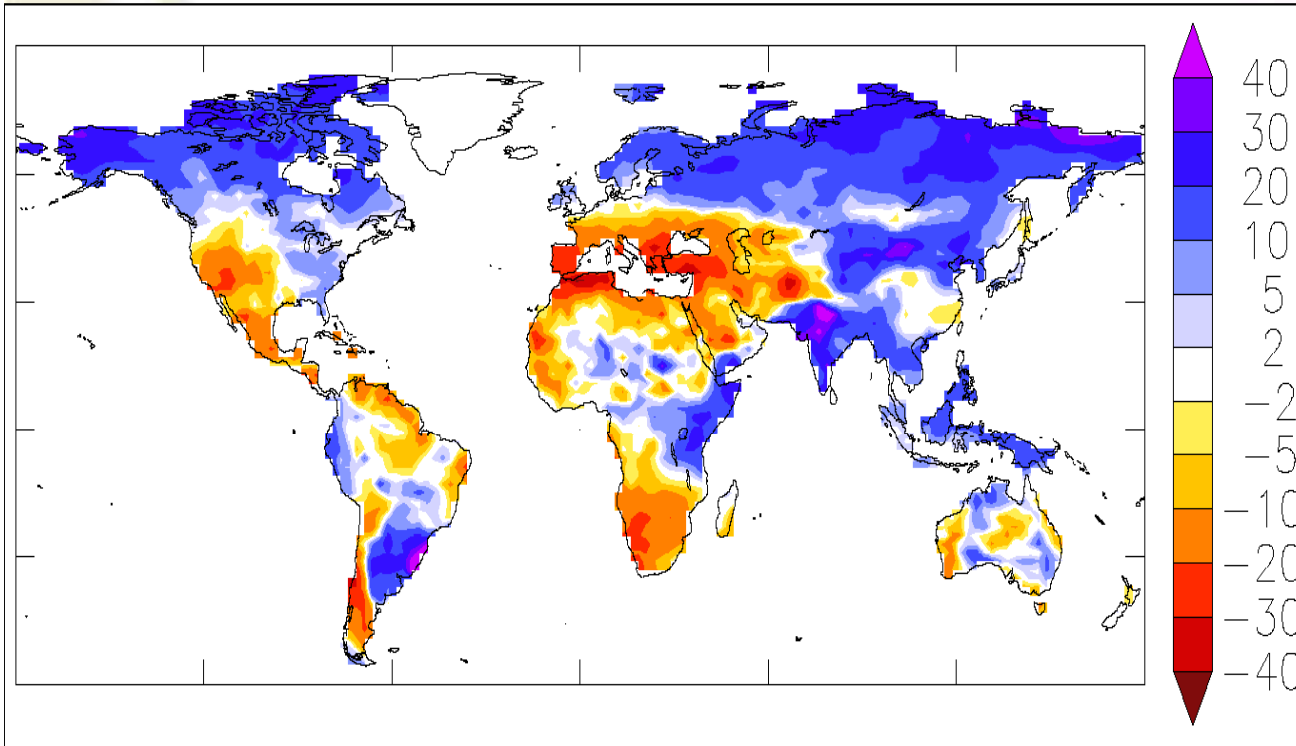
# Ethiopia: Rainfall, GDP and Agricultural GDP



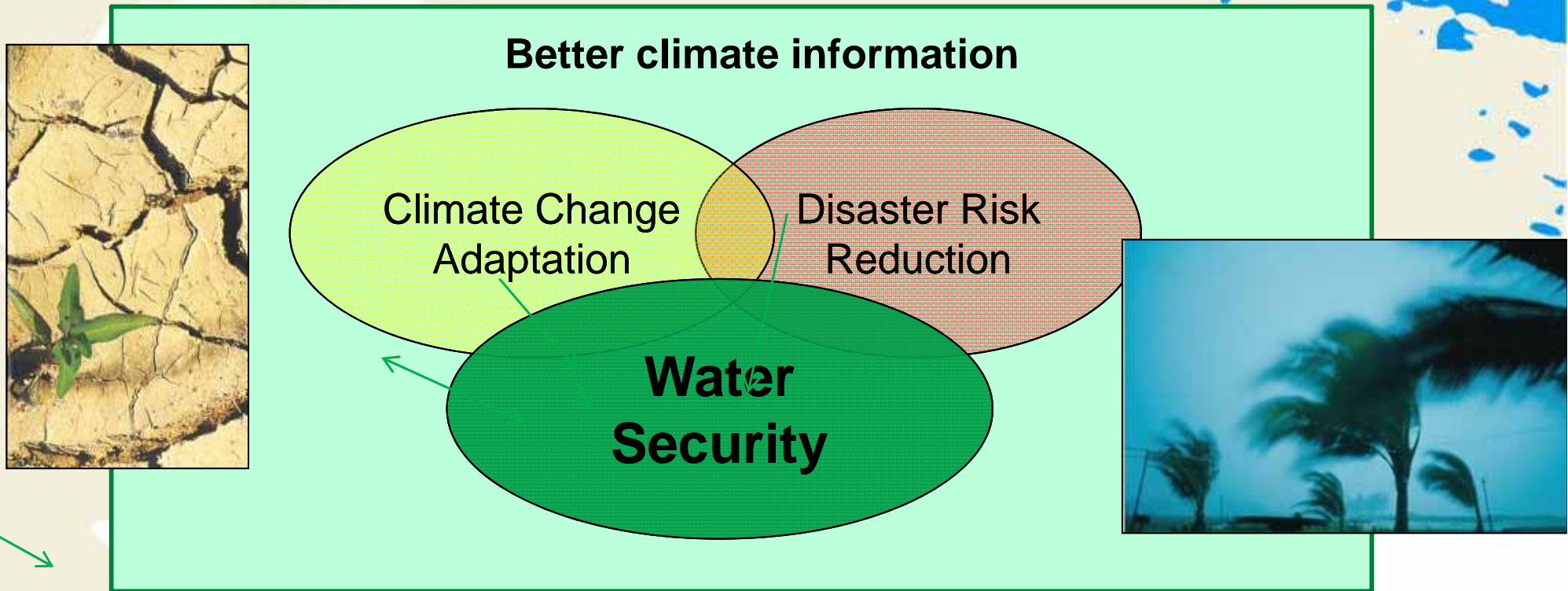
World Bank

# Implications of climate change for water and agriculture

Run off variation (1960-90 / 2070-90)



# GWP strategy for climate change adaptation : Building resilience through water security



GWP's role :

- **Reaching out** to the climate community and the disaster management community
- **Linking** water security with these agendas at national level, regional level, global level
- **Stressing** that better water management is the key to climate adaptation

# So will a new programme on Integrated Drought Management add value?

**It is stakeholders' perspectives that count :**

- Regional perspectives
- Country perspectives
- Knowledge partners
- Financial partners
- Political stakeholders (eg. Africa Water Week – African Ministerial Council on Water)

**Any new programme would need to be :**

- Demand-driven
- Responsive
- Adding value for all stakeholders