

RIVER POLLUTION

Group 5



Various organisations have raised their concerns

- AU
- EU
- SDGs
- WHO
- World Bank

catastrophic consequences for future generations

approximately 3.5 billion people in 2025 will face water shortage issues. mainly due to water pollution

Water pollution killing more children than AIDS or even wars

Effects damaging not only to individual species but also the natural biological community

Water Systems Approach Policy

An integrated approach to policy making
Incorporates the creative power of human actions and aims, while still looking for deeper structures that influence and constitute societies and their patterns for development



A significant number water resources are contaminated.
There is a need to address this for Food Security purposes, Health and Energy Implications

Why now??

We losing resources i.e. a lot of energy needed to clean water, we generating new risks, a source of conflicts, impact on health issues etc.

Research Evidence

There is need to consider all spheres of society; economics, social, environmental, cultural, historical, institutional and legal. Concerns from various institutions are largely centered on economics and environment. However, history, culture and institutions are equally significant.



Policy Makers
(Workshops, Meetings, Negotiations, etc.)