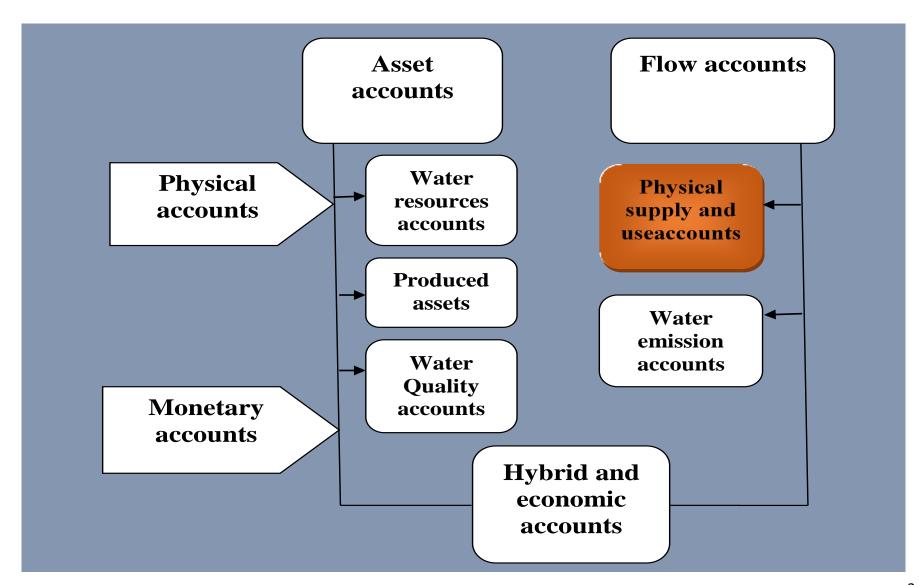


Water Accounts: From NC Accounts to policy decision making



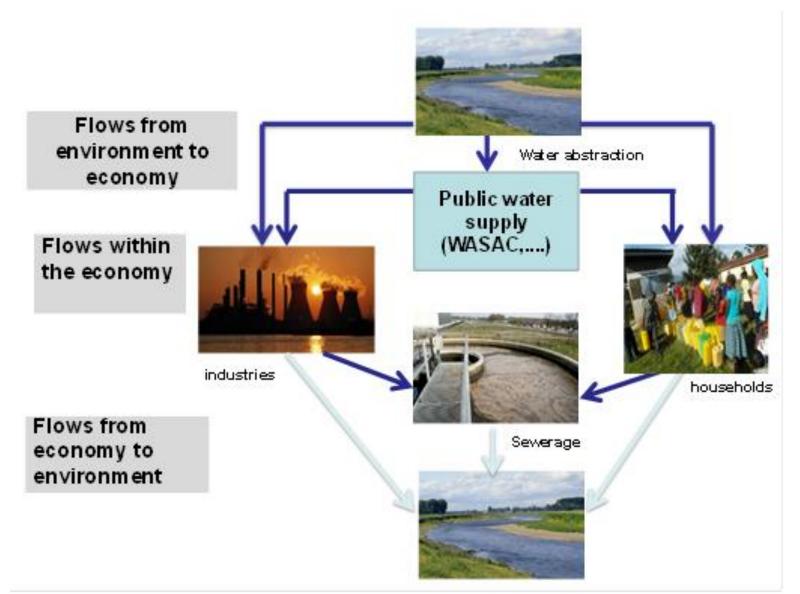
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Water Account findings

Analysis of water availability, sustainable withdrawals/abstraction and use efficiency

Proposed policy decisions/ interventions

- Development plans and budgets more focused on water efficiency improvements;
- Contribution to Rwanda's SDG 6.4 monitoring and reporting (WUE, Water Stress)
- New technologies and practices for water resources management should be thought about in time, to increase food security rather than using traditional methods (rain-fed)
- Improved mandates and coordination for managing cross sector water allocation needs.



Water Account findings

Water revenue, values, competition and pricing policies

Proposed policy decisions/ interventions

- Support and advance discussion of water utility cost recovery needs (WASAC, RURA); financing for investment (MINECOFIN, MININFRA, FONERWA)
- Improved policies on water pricing, cost recovery; resources for watershed and water resource management



Water Account findings

Systemic data coordination needs

Proposed policy decisions/ interventions

- Support policy decisions related to information data sharing, innovations, protocols between ministries and agencies;
- Promotion of better quality, integrated data for cross sector decision making



Water Account findings

Capacity Building, skills and Partnership

<u>Proposed policy decisions/</u> <u>interventions</u>

- upgrading and focusing discussion of water challenges and solutions;
- Increased stakeholders (e.g. development partners, CSOs, PS) attention and funding to water sector issues.



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Thank you!



