



EUROPE: TRANSBOUNDARY WATER BASIN AGREEMENTS

The following map displays the extent of water basins covered by transboundary water basin cooperation agreements in the Europe region. A high level indicates that over 90% of transboundary water basins are included in such agreements, whereas a low level suggests less than 90% of transboundary water basins are included.

In Europe, there is a discernible pattern of alternating high and low levels of water basins covered by transboundary cooperation agreements. The western part of the region, including the island of Ireland and Spain, the central stretch of the region from Germany and Italy to Romania and Bulgaria, and the northwestern portion encompassing Estonia, Sweden, and Finland, all exhibit high levels of water basin coverage by cooperation agreements. Conversely, the remaining areas, such as sections of the northwest involving the United Kingdom, France, and Norway, as well as parts of the central region covering the western Balkans, Ukraine, and Belarus to the east, demonstrate low levels of water basin coverage by agreements. Data is unavailable for island of Iceland to the northwest of the region or in the eastern portion of the region comprising Russia.

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