

The EU-China Cooperation on Water Project overall plan (2024-2027)

Section 1: General Information	
Summary	The “EU-China Cooperation on Water” Project is an initiative of the European Commission to advance the EU’s external policy on water security and contribute to enhanced effectiveness of implementing water-related SDGs in collaboration with China to address global challenges. It has the specific objective of promoting a mutually beneficial EU-China water policy dialogue in cooperation with EU Member States, by facilitating the China-Europe Water Platform (CEWP), operating since 2012 with three pillars of water policy dialogue, joint research and business exchange.
Proponent Name(s)	EU-China Cooperation on Water Project, European Commission, Ministry of Water Resources of China (Chinese Co-Secretariat of CEWP), Ministry of Environment and Climate Action of Portugal (European Co-Secretariat of CEWP)
Proponent Type	International Organizations and Civil Society Organizations
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Region	Asia Pacific

Section 2: Commitment	
Linkages to SDG 6	
Target	<p>The EU and China have a continuous dialogue on water since 2006, which is a cornerstone of their sustainable development and climate agendas, towards environmental and human well-being. Moreover, their expertise and commitment drive innovative solutions, policy frameworks, and technological advancements, contributing to shape the trajectory of water management worldwide.</p> <p>The EU-China Cooperation on Water project demonstrates cohesiveness and synergies between EU and Chinese partners in reaching the vision of global water security, focusing on the next steps for an enhanced EU-China cooperation on water at bilateral and multilateral levels.</p>
Linkages to other SDG	

Section 3: Actions and Outcomes to Achieve Targets
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Relevant Sub-Theme	Water Security and Prosperity, Water for Humans and Nature, Disaster Risk Reduction and Management, Governance, Cooperation and Hydro-diplomacy, Sustainable Water Finance, Knowledge and Innovation	
Actions and Outcomes	The project is jointly implemented by the EU and China. Through policy dialogue, joint research, personnel exchanges and visits, and pilot projects, we aim to deepen and solidify cooperation in the field of water resources between China and Europe.	
Implementation Period	Start Period	1/15/2024
	End Period	1/14/2027
Financial Commitment	The project is funded by the European Commission with 750,000 Euros(IDR 13.066.710.000)	