

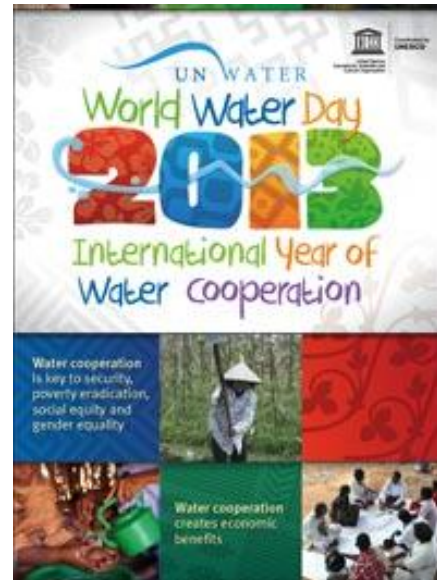
INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF WATER COOPERATION

IDEASS INNOVATIONS ON SUSTAINABLE WATER MANAGEMENT

The United Nations has declared 2013 as the [International Year of Water Cooperation](#) in order to raise awareness, both of the potential for increased cooperation, and of the challenges facing water management in light of the increase in demand for water access, allocation and services.

UN-Water has called upon UNESCO to lead this initiative because of the Organization's unique multidisciplinary approach which blends the natural and social sciences, education, culture and communication. The *International Year of Water Cooperation* website presents interesting initiatives in progress or in preparation in many countries and at the international level. In a specific section of this site is also possible to find some beautiful [material in 23 languages, to be used to advertise events in different countries.](#)

The International Year of Water Cooperation is also an opportunity to promote in the countries and internationally technologies and innovative methodologies presented in the IDEASS site by various and qualified actors, which allow to manage in a sustainable and participatory way this important resource of the planet.



IDEASS Innovations for sustainable water management

[Home Biofilters - Biological filters to remove greywater nutrients](#)

[Constructed wetlands, natural water purification systems](#)

[Filtron, ceramic filter for drinking water](#)

[SOLWA- Solar still for drinkable water production from polluted or salt waters](#)

[Ecological forest farms, for the environmental regeneration of river basins](#)

[Soil Bioengineering – slope and river bioengineering stabilization](#)

[Forested Infiltration Areas, to recharge aquifers](#)

[Buffer Strips, to improve water quality and the environment](#)

[Sustainable Community Management of La Caleta National Submarine Park](#)

[Drip irrigation system and genetic improvement to recover the cultivation of yautía](#)

[Ram pump. Water source without fuel](#)