

Swedish crisis management and Floods Directive

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Swedish Crisis Management system

- The Principle of responsibility
- The Principle of proximity
- The Principle of equality
- Geographical responsibility
- Aims to protect life and health, critical infrastructure and fundamental values from all types of hazards and risks through a comprehensive, risk-based, emergency preparedness programme including prevention, planning, preparedness, response, recovery and lessons learnt



Mandate for MSB

- The entire spectrum of threats and risks, from everyday accidents to major disasters
 Local, regional, national, EU and international
- Before, during, and after the occurrence of emergencies, disasters and accidents
- **Coordinating** across sector and jurisdictional boundaries and levels of responsibility
- The MSB will not take over the responsibility of primary stakeholders. Their missions include the responsibility to coordinate with others as needed



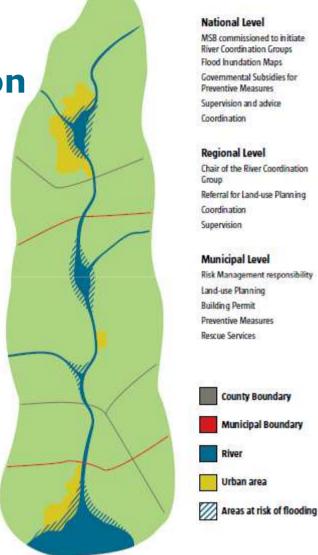
MSB's Preventive work with Natural Disasters

- General Stability Maps
- General Flood Inundation Maps
- Governmental Subsidies for preventive measures towards landslides and floodings
- Research and development
- Cooperation on national and international level, EU and UN
- Information, Education and Training
- River Coordination groups
- Database Natural Disasters Lessons Learned
- National Platform, established september 13th 2007
- Forest fire prognosis system
- Water level prognosis system
- Depots with demountable barriers
- EU Flood Directive implementation, MSB responsible organisation
- Climate Change Adaptation



Swedish River Co-ordination groups, since 1995

- Risk management lead from the local level
- Holistic approach at River Basin Level
- Many sectors and stakeholders as members
- County Administrative Board, chair





General Flood Inundation Maps

- Governmental commission
 for MSB since 1998
- Areas at risk of flooding
- ~10% of Swedish rivers prioritised
- Two discharges
 - 100-year flood
 - highest estimated flood
- Hydraulic model
- GIS-data and Report
- 78 rivers mapped
- Water level prognosis system at an ongoing flood

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EU Floods Directive 2007/60/EG



• Article 1

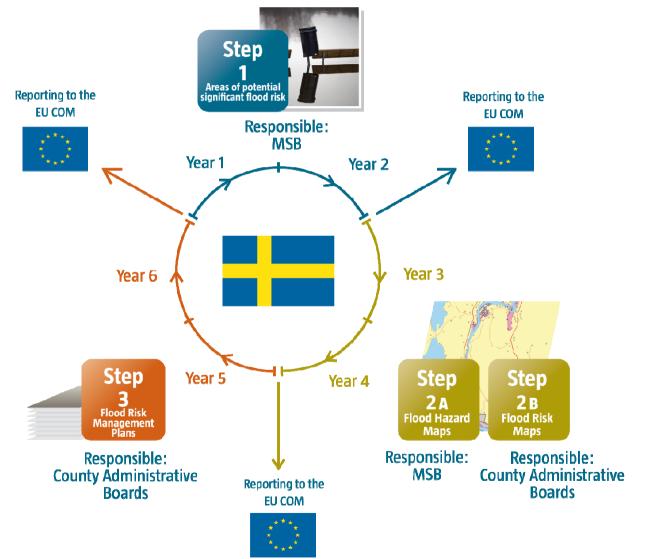
The purpose of this Directive is to establish a framework for the assessment and management of flood risks, aiming at the reduction of the adverse consequences for *human health, the environment, cultural heritage and economic activity* associated with floods in the Community.

- Revision of each step every 6th year
- Cooperation and coordination with Finland and Norway, cross border
- MSB competent authority, responsible and reporting to the EU



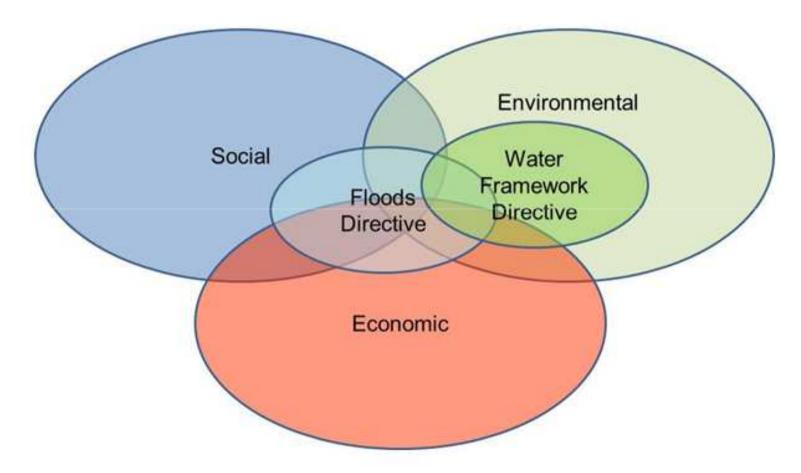
EU directive increases Sweden's ability for dealing with floods

Floods Directive Process





Resource document FD - WFD



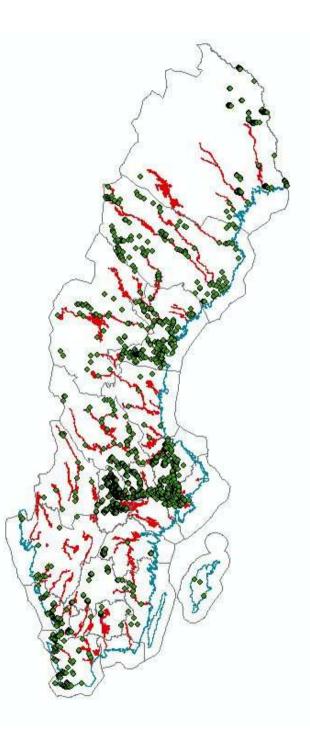
(Source: Adapted from Evers and Nyberg, 2013)

Figure 1.3 Aspects of sustainability addressed by the FD and WFD and their overlapping areas



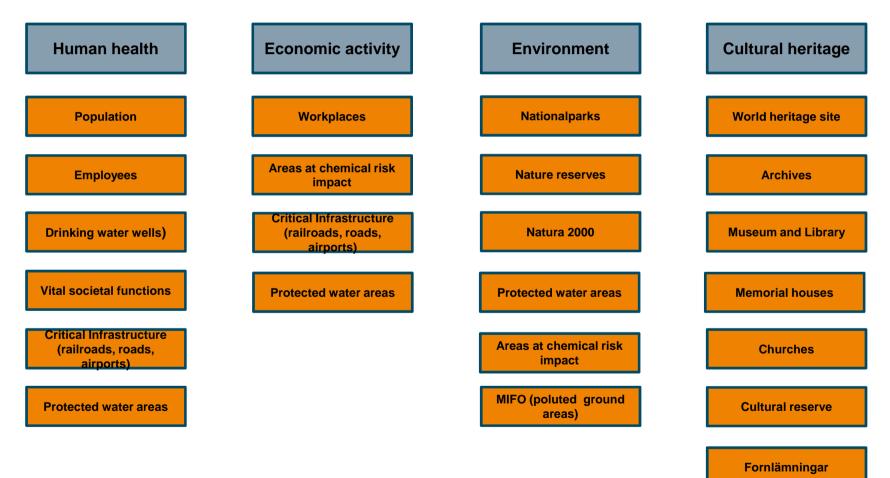
Flooded areas 1901-2010, 190 floods

Second Inundation maps





Analysed data per objective



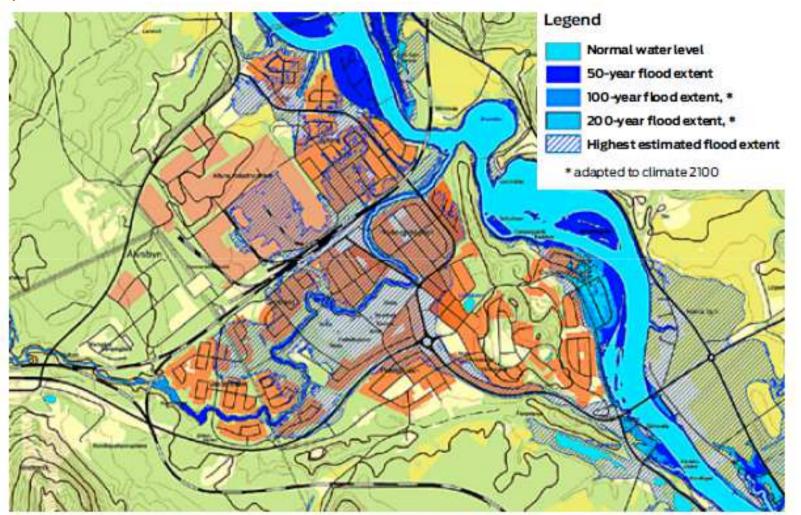




Results

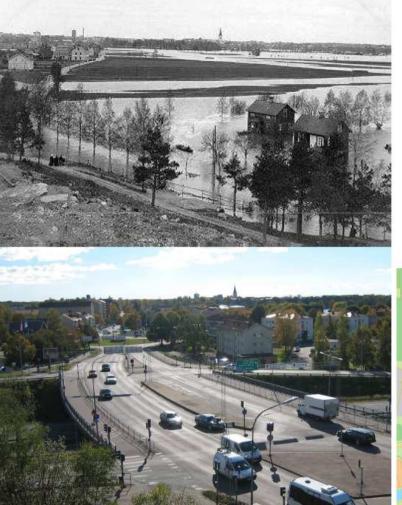
- 18 areas of potential significant flood risk
- Reported to EU-COM
- New detailed flood inundation maps





A detailed Flood Hazard Map for one of the 18 areas identified in Sweden with potential significant flood risk. The map is produced with a 2D hydraulic model for 4 different discharges and the new very accurate digital elevation model (resolution 2x2m) for Sweden.

Swedish Civil Contingencies Agency CC and change in land-use



Same place – new consequences

Veiw from Rudsberget
 1916 och 2007



By courtesy City of Karlstad



Floods an integrated part of:

Risk and Vulnerability Analyses



Risk and vulnerability analyses



National Strategy for protecting vital societal functions

och beredskar

A functioning society

in a changing world

The MSB's report on a unified national strategy

for the protection of vital societal function





Integrating risk managment into the EIA process

- Revised 2012
- <u>www.msb.se</u>

Denna publikation är en revidering och uppdatering av boken Olycksrisker och MKB som Räddningsverket gav ut 2001. Den största förändringen inom MKB området sedan 2001 är införandet av miljöbedömningar för planer och program, enligt 11-18 §§ miljöbalken, vilket har beaktats i denna uppdatering.

Här ges en beskrivning av MSB:s syn på hur olycksrisker bör hanteras i miljökonsekvensbeskrivningar, men utgör inga allmänna råd.

Olycksrisker och MKB

Att integrera risk- och säkerhetsfrågor i MKB-processen



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UNISDR:s Making Cities Resilientkampanj

Förebilder (6): Karlstad, Kristianstad, Göteborg, Jönköping, Malmö, Arvika Deltagande (1): Jokkmokk





Svenska städer har bildat sitt eget MCR-nätverk.



Kristianstad skyddar ekosystemet, en av UNISDR:s 10 punkter för resilienta städer.





Utbyten, utmärkelse, utvärdering



Utbyten inom Europa UK, Österrike, Tjeckien, Italien, Holland







Utmärkelse Sasakawapris, Karlstad och MSB Borgmästare från Amadora, Portugal med Peter Kullgren, Karlstads kommunstyrelse under Global Platform DRR

By participating in the campaign the city has an opportunity to: 1. Profile their disaster risk reduction work 2. Enhance knowledge and exchange experiences 3. Improve Disaster Risk Reduction at the local level





Lessons Learnt from Australia

• <u>www.msb.se</u>

• Sandy

OBSERVATÖRSRAPPORT

Hanteringen av de omfattande naturkatastroferna i Queensland 2011







MSB can support with resources at extra ordinary events

• If regional resources are not sufficient





Barriers

- 5 km of barriers
- Support staff initially







High capacity pumps

- 3 high capacity pumps, 20 m³/min
- Support staff

