

The World's Water: The Biennial Report on Freshwater Resources | 2004 | Peter H. Gleick | 9781559638128 | Island Press, 2004

The World's Water 2006-2007: The Biennial Report on Freshwater Resources. By Peter H. Gleick, Gary H. Wolff and Heather Cooley. Ratings: Produced biennially, The World's Water provides a timely examination of the key issues surrounding freshwater resources and their use. Each new volume identifies and explains the most significant current trends worldwide, and offers the best data available on a variety of water-related topics. The 2006-2007 volume features overview chapters on Keywords: water management, water quality, fracking, desalination, virtual water, water conflict, green jobs, the Dead Sea, Syria, corporate water use. Island Press would like to thank the New Mexico Water Initiative, a project of the Hanuman Foundation, for generously supporting the production of this book. Contents. Foreword by Ismail Serageldin xi. The World's Water 1998-1999: The Biennial Report on Freshwater Resources 405. The World's Water 2000-2001: The Biennial Report on Freshwater Resources 408. The World's Water 2002-2003: The Biennial Report on Freshwater Resources 411. The World's Water 2004-2005: The Biennial Report on Freshwater Resources 414. Providing an overview of the current global water crisis, this book considers the political, economic, scientific, and technological issues related to it. Also included are brief reports on the search for water in space, water-related conflict, and related issues. Includes bibliographical references and index. Pacific Island developing country water resources and climate change / by William C.G. Burns -- Managing across boundaries : the case of the Colorado River Delta / by Michael Cohen -- The World Commission on Dams report : what next? / by Katherine Kao Cushing. Access-restricted-item. true. Produced biennially, The World's Water is the most comprehensive and up-to-date source of information and analysis on freshwater. The World's Water Volume 7. The Biennial Report on Freshwater Resources. by Peter H. Gleick, Lucy Allen, Juliet Christian-Smith, Michael J. Cohen, Heather Cooley, Matthew Heberger. series The World's Water. Buy the eBook. Price: Not in United States? Choose your country's store to see books available for purchase. Choose Store. Add to cart. Saline water represents the majority of water resources in terms of quantity with around 97.5 % of the total water present on Earth. the salinity of seawater varying from one location to another, from around 21 g/L in the North Sea to 40-45 g/L in the Arabian Gulf and Red Sea, and even up to 300 g/L as in the Dead Sea (Gleick, 2006). Supply-induced scarcity relates to the disparity between the actual quantity of water available within a region and the rate at which these resources are depleted (Cooley, 2009). Supply induced scarcity can occur as a result of droughts, overdrawn of underground aquifers, restricted flow from an international river, or from excess pollutants that make available water unusable.