Water and sewerage companies Environmental Performance Assessment 2019



Water and sewerage companies	Total pollution incidents per 10,000km¹ (actual)	Serious pollution incidents per 10,000km¹(actual)	Discharge permit compliance % (failing sites)	Self-reported pollution incidents (%)	NEP ² scheme delivery (%)	Security of supply index (SoSI)	Overall performance star rating (out of 4)
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Anglian Water	35 (266)	1.6 (12)	98.6 (12)	71	100	99	$\star\star \star \Leftrightarrow \Leftrightarrow$
Northumbrian Water³	15 (4 <mark>6)</mark>	0.7 (2)	96.6 (6)	80	100	100	$\star\star \star \diamondsuit \diamondsuit$
Severn Trent Water	<mark>26</mark> (243)	0.3 (3)	99.6 (3)	78	99.2	100	***
Southern Water	110 (430)	1.8 (7)	98.8 (4)	87	90.0	100	$\bigstar \stackrel{\wedge}{\wedge} \stackrel{\wedge}{\wedge} \stackrel{\wedge}{\wedge}$
South West Water	105 (180)	0.6 (1)	98.7 (4)	76	97.4	100	$\star\star$
Thames Water	<mark>30</mark> (325)	1.4 (15)	99.7 (1)	78	99.3	100	★★★☆
United Utilities Water	28 (205)	0 (0)	98.5 (6)	90	99.7	100	★★★☆
Wessex Water	<mark>22 (76)</mark>	0.3 (1)	98.5 (5)	85	100	100	****
Yorkshire Water	35 (181)	1.3 (7)	97.5 (8)	73	99.2	100	★★★ ☆
Sector Average (England) 37 (1952)	0.9 (48)	98.7 (49)	80	98.4	99.9	
Dŵr Cymru Welsh Water	26 <mark>(94)</mark>	0 (0)	98.2 (11)	73	100	100	★★★☆
Red Significantly worse than target Amber Slightly worse than target Green Better than target R A G Red, amber, green thresh						oer, green thresholds	

Note: These results are drawn, in part, from information submitted by the companies and may change as a result of subsequent audits and checking

¹ of sewer length ² National Environment Programme ³Northumbrian Water had 6 discharge permit compliance metric failures. Three of these were due to sample shortfalls associated with laboratory analysis not meeting quality control standards and are not associated with any known environmental impact Source: Environment Agency & Natural Resources Wales

Water and sewerage companies sector in England



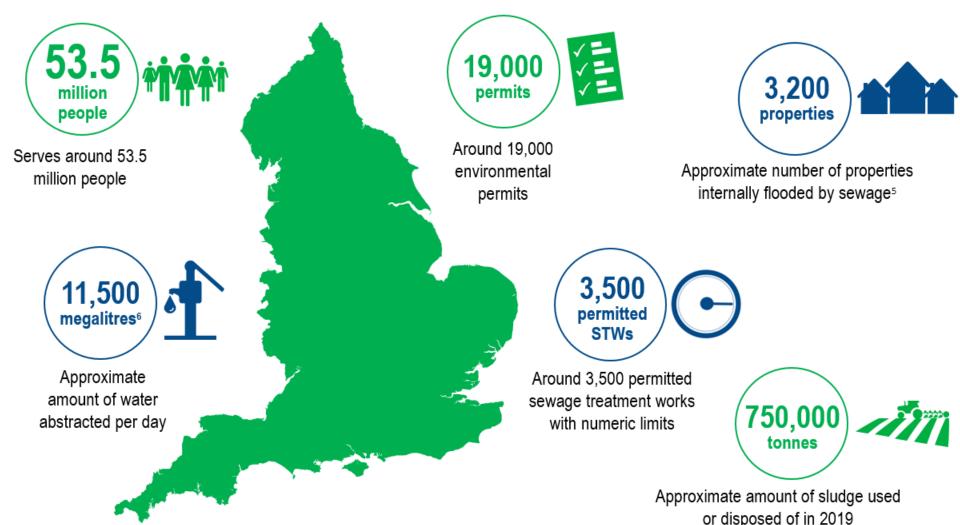
Main facts



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Leakage as a percent of all water abstracted is 20%⁵



⁵ Between April 2018 and March 2019

Full published report for more information: https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/water-and-sewerage-companies-in-england-environmental-performance-report-2019

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Source:

⁶ Megalitre equal to a million litres