



CDP WATER

Take advantage of DFGE's expertise when participating in CDP programs - from greenhouse gases to supply chain and water programs.

An important sustainability reporting on the rise

In 2010 CDP started to invite companies to report on water-related risks and opportunities, according the growing expectations by investors, civil society and NGOs for transparency and quantitative measurement of progress. The goal is to catalyse action on corporate water stewardship to safeguard water resources and address the global water crisis.

Since 1999, DFGE has been working as a carbon footprint and ecology expert for small and medium-sized companies as well as for Fortune 500 corporations. DFGE is a CDP silver climate change consultancy partner.

We help companies participate in the CDP programs – from climate change to water, from investor to supply chain requests. Depending on your company's needs and goals of CDP participation, we provide the following dedicated service packages for the CDP Water Program:

- Starter
- Complete
- Services

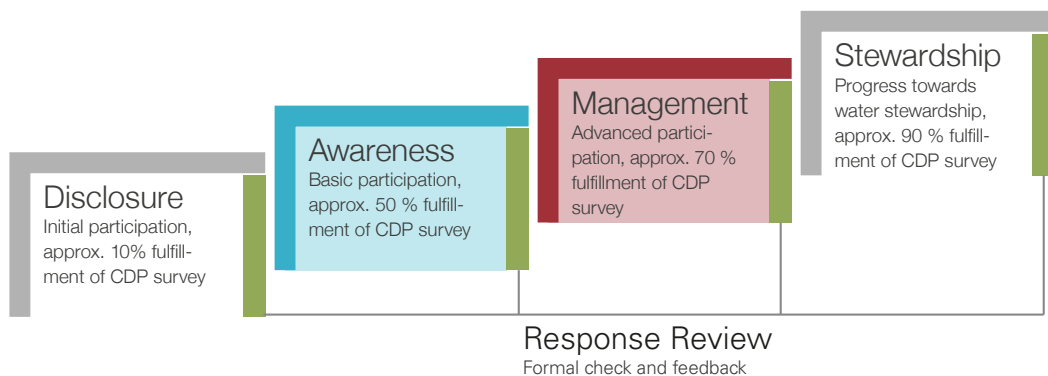


Illustration of water stewardship scoring levels by CDP
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Are you actually not yet prepared for the CDP's invitation to the Water Program?
Do you lack the capacities and know-how for this sustainability reporting?

OUR SERVICES



Professional

- Risk assessment and workshop
- Targeted collection of data reflecting current practices
- Questions / Answers on the "awareness" level



Enterprise

- Gap analysis and workshop focusing on the main gaps
- Data collection targeting gaps, improvement and updates
- Completion of the questionnaire based on Management level
- Water Footprint / Water Management



Services

- Consult: Gap analysis and Workshops
- Validation of your responses with our Check before final submission to CDP
- Tailor-made consulting services
- Webinars

YOUR ADVANTAGES

■ **STARTER:** We've put together a service package of basic support including the preparation of your responses at "Awareness" level. We determine your company's relative exposure to water risks and impacts and calculate your water withdrawal at site. By this we address questions like where your production is facing issues of water scarcity or how your tier-one suppliers are affected by water resources. The UN water category "Basic" serves as a benchmark in this process.

■ **COMPLETE:** Our water management package supports your company with answers to the CDP questionnaire at "Management" level. We consult you in policy development, governance and target setting as well as in identifying your stakeholder interests and external engagement. Our services include detection of water consumption, water withdrawal by source type and in your value chain. Here, the UN category, in this case "Advanced", is supported as a benchmark as well.

- Being an official CDP Silver Climate Change Consultancy Partner, we know the methodology of CDP
- Save time and effort and make use of our expertise
- We have been supporting well-known CDP participants and helping them to improve their answers for a better CDP performance for many years now

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