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**6 Clean water and sanitation**

My targets are 6.3 and 6.4 . These are the following and my goals are 6.3.1, 6.3.2, 6.4.1 and 6.4.2 .

* 6.3
* By 2030, improve water quality by reducing pollution, eliminating dumping and minimizing release of hazardous chemicals and materials, halving the proportion of untreated wastewater and substantially increasing recycling and safe reuse globally.
* 6.3.1
* Proportion of wastewater safely treated
* 6.3.2
* Proportion of bodies of water with good ambient water quality
* 6.4
* By 2030, substantially increase water-use efficiency across all sectors and ensure sustainable withdrawals and supply of freshwater to address water scarcity and substantially reduce the number of people suffering from water scarcity
* 6.4.1
* Change in water-use efficiency over time
* 6.4.2
* Level of water stress: freshwater withdrawal as a proportion of available freshwater resources

In Aruba we already are monitoring the water around us. There are different points where samples are taking to monitor how clean our water is and what is in the water. From the researching from the department that is in charge of monitoring this, they said that our water is very clean in most parts. The parts that are not really clean are where the sewage goes and that is a logical reason. But we have the cleanest water/ocean than around the world. Which is a huge benefit for us here in Aruba.

The targets and goals are important to Aruba because that way we can improve our water to be better or if something happens we can monitor it so it would not affect us. And it is something that will only cause improvement to ourselves and the world. Also so we can safely proportion the wastewater and change the water-use efficiency over time. We are lucky that our water is still the best water around the world but now we need to maintain it.

This relate to the waste management of Aruba because our dumb is right by the sea. And close from WEB where the seawater is made to freshwater that we drink and shower. They would need to monitor the dumb closely so that no chemicals and materials are dumb in the water. This can contaminate our water very quickly and easily. Also for the waste-water it needs to be controlled so for when it goes to the sea it would not contaminate it or be dangerous for the sea life. All of this is really important not only for Aruba but for the tourists that comes here. You would not like for them to be sick because the water of Aruba is contaminated, when it could have been prevented.

As I mention it already there are samples collected from different points in Aruba on the south side mostly. From these sample they collect their data to investigate the water quality. The department that is in charge of this is the Directie Natuur & Milieu. I went to this link <http://sdgaruba.com/sdgs/> but I could not find the data of the water here. I do not know where I could find it, but I do know that there is data about it here in Aruba. Which is very good so we would know what the standard here in Aruba is for the future. I also went to this link <http://www.dnmaruba.org/index.php/documents> here they do talk a little about the water quality and other subjects but I could not find the data.