## Development of a National Water Security Atlas to Support Sustainable Water Governance in Iran

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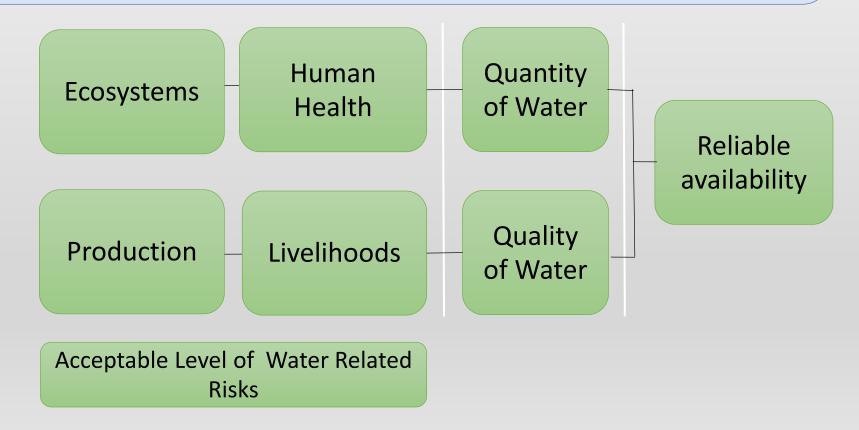


# Water Security and Water Security Indices





Water Security: The reliable availability of an acceptable quantity and quality of water for health, livelihoods and production, coupled with an acceptable level of water-related risks (Grey and Sadoff, 2007)

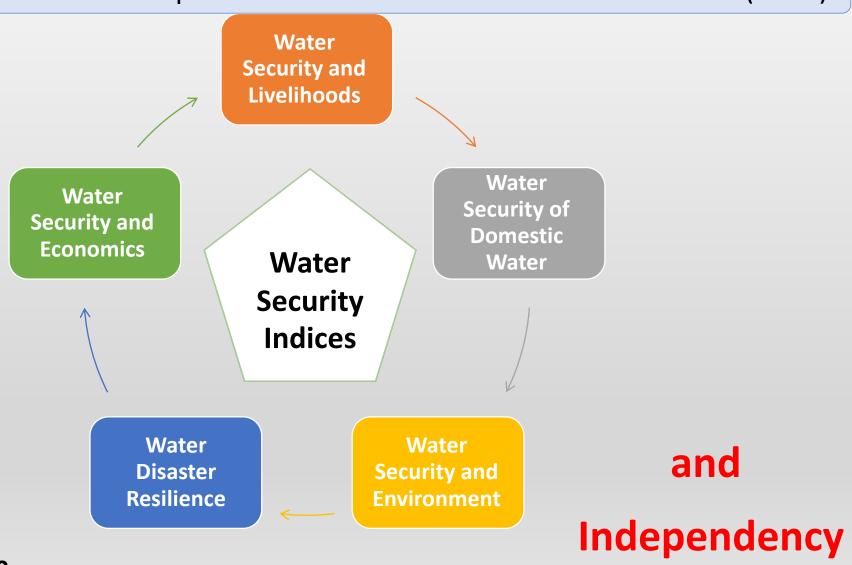




#### Water Security Indices



Asian Development Bank and Asian-Pacific Water Forum (2016)





### References for Water Security Indices

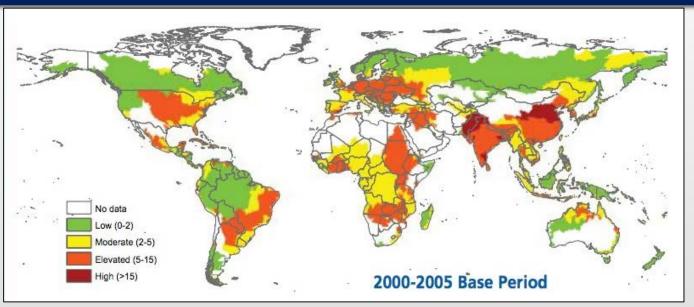


- GWP: Global Water Partnership
- GWI: Global Water Institute
- ADB: Asian Development Bank
- UN-Water
- Water Aid
- International Water Agency
- FAO
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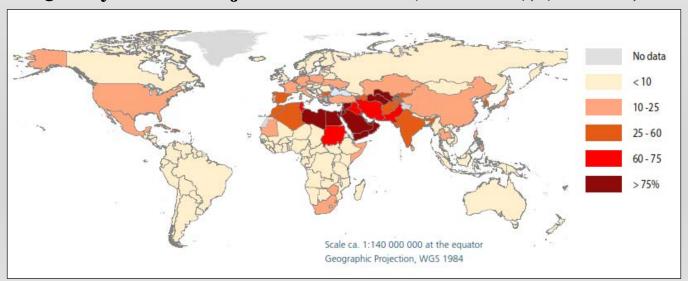


#### **Examples of Atlases of Water Security**





Water Quality Risk in Major Water Basins (2000-2005), (WWDR, 2016)



Renewable Water Withdrawal (WWDR, 2016)





#### Challenges

(and how to deal with them)



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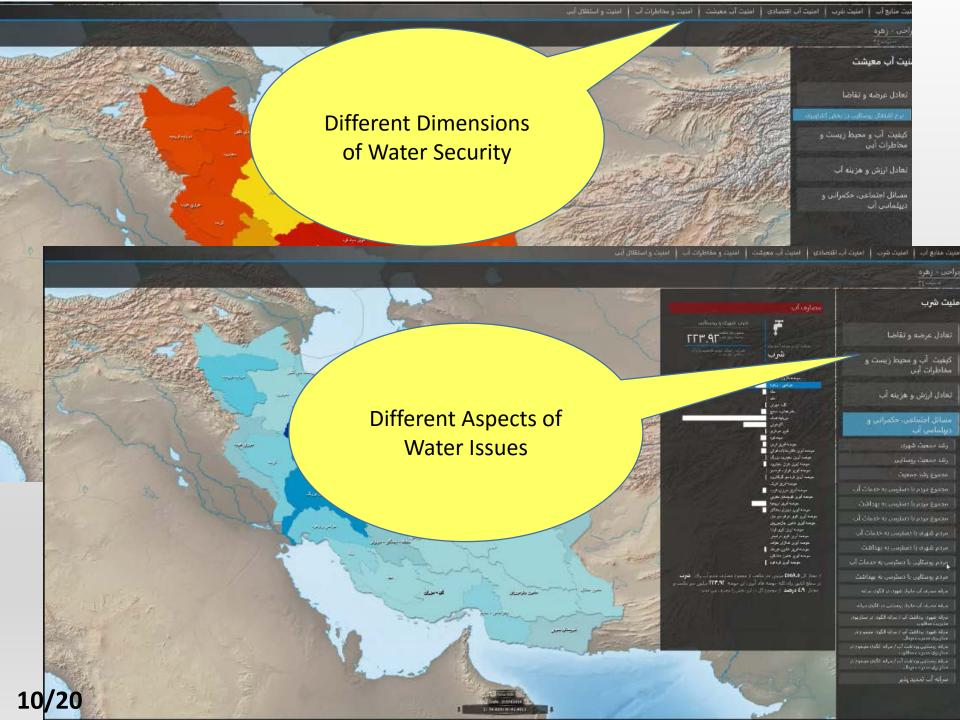
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Water Security of Domestic Water				
Water Security and Environment				
Water Disaster Resilience				
Water Security and Economics				
Water Security and Livelihoods				
Independency				

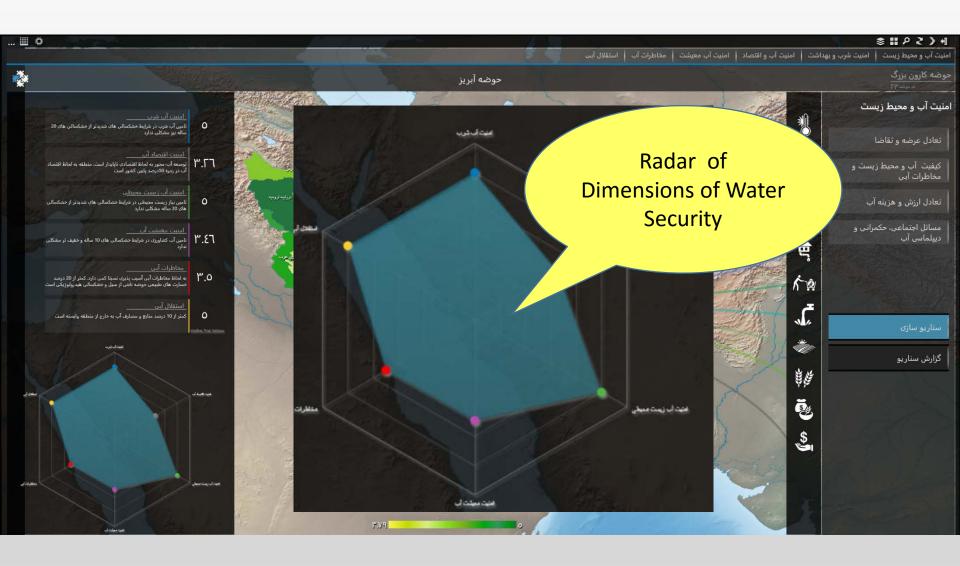


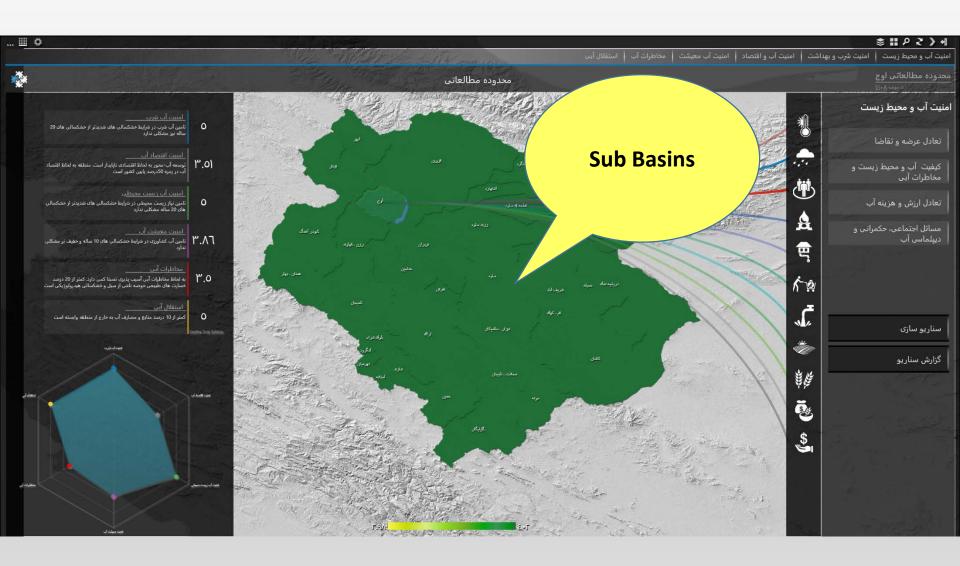
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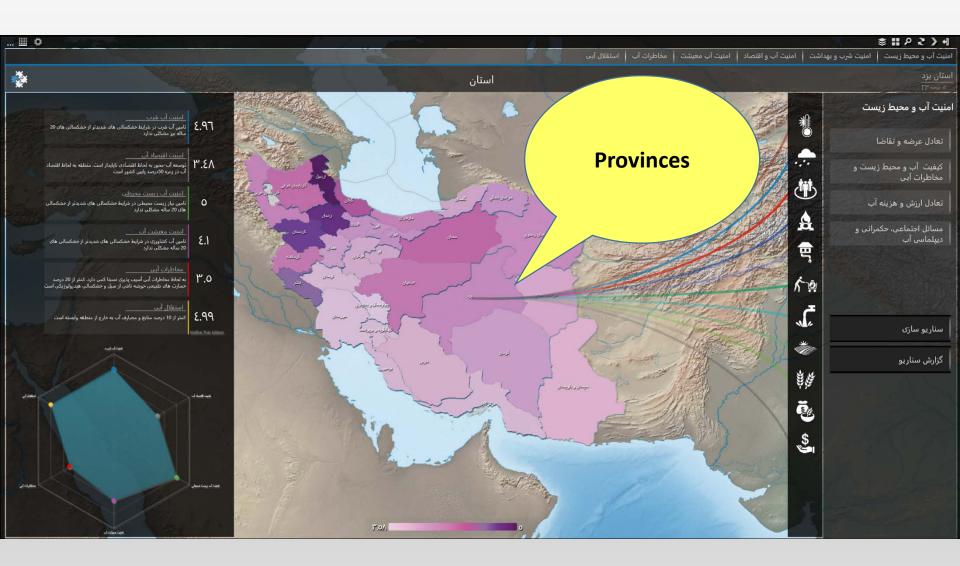
		Supply and Demand	Economic Value and Cost of Water	Governance and Social Issues	Disasters
	Water Security of Domestic Water	Urban Water Balance	Cost of Supplying Urban Water	Per Capita Use of Urban Water	Safety of Urban Water Supply Infrastructures
	Water Security and Environment	Environmental Water Balance			
	Water Disaster Resilience	Safety of Water Supply Infrastructures			
	Water Security and Economics	Agro-Industrial Water Balance			
	Water Security and Livelihoods	Traditional Agriculture Water Balance			
	Independency	Control on Water Supply			







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#### 2. What Does an Index Really Mean? ...





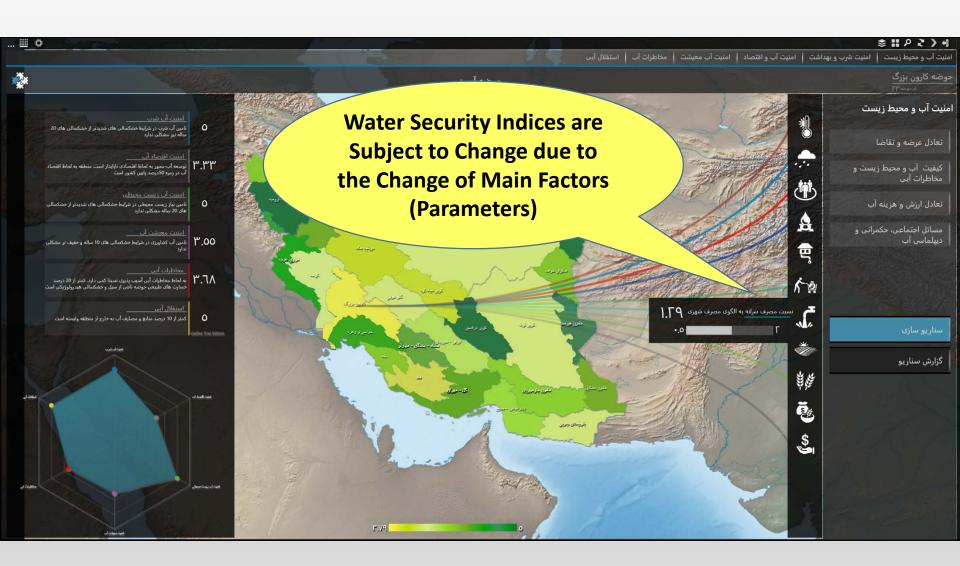
- 1: Significant Problems Exist in Supplying Domestic Water at the Current State
- 2:Significant Problems Exist in Supplying Domestic Water In a 5-year Drought
- 3:Significant Problems Exist in Supplying Domestic Water In a 10-year Drought
  - 4: No Problem in Supplying Domestic Water in less than 20-year Drought

5:No Problem in Supplying Domestic Water even in the Case of a 50-year Drought

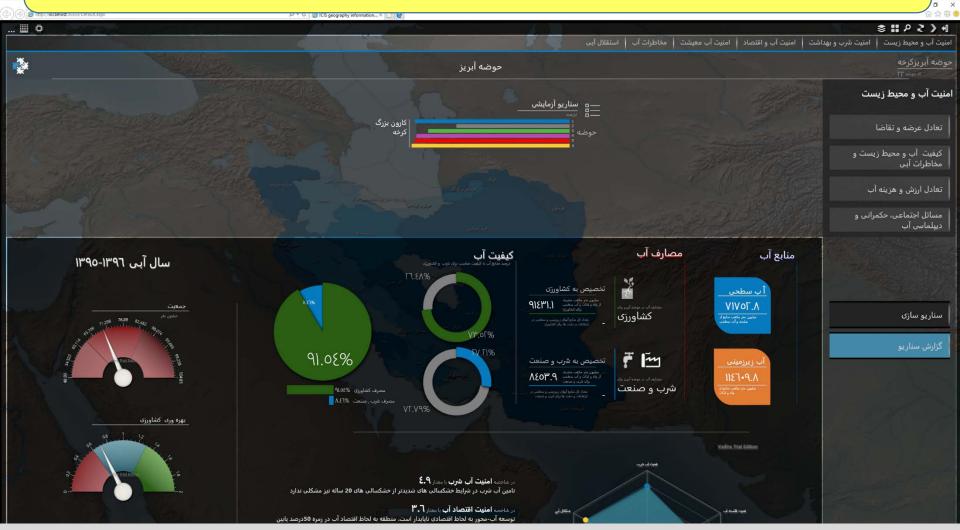


#### 3. Static indices ...





## Parameters could be Changed in Different Basins and Saved as a Scenario









Agricultural Water Productivity

**Economic Value of Water** 

Livelihood-Dependent Agriculture

Irrigation Development

Percent of Water Reuse **Precipitation** 

**Air Temperature** 

**Population** 

Agricultural Development

Per Capita Urban Water Use





#### Demonstration





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