

What will be the demands from society for hydrology?

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- ✎ We have to start research in both ways of based on societal problems and “hydrological problems.”
 - Deficits in food production.
 - Provide information on meteorological forecast.
 - Level of critical region can be identified by global assessment.
- **Water related problems cannot be solved only by hydrologists.**
 - **What will be the role of hydrology in 2020?**
- **Both way to find problem to be solved**
 - **Social needs**
 - **What hydrological science can offer**
- **International policy issues and local people’s needs should be separately considered.**
 - **Both global perspectives and community needs**
 - **Community level water resources management**
- **Provide reliable hydro-meteorological prediction information will help.**
- **Read “World Water Development Report”**
 - **UN (23) WWAP deals hydrology, demands, management, etc., everything. Don’t be only in the box of hydrology.**
 - **Millennium goals on water are important, but all the other goals are also related to water.**
 - **Case in Nigeria. Problem in accessing water. Climate change/variation impacts. 20l/d/p.**