

Adaptation policy in Germany and multi-level governance

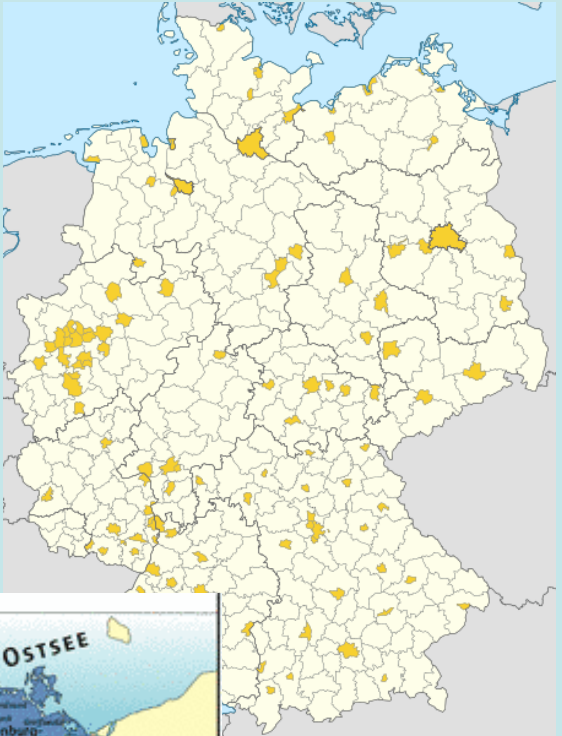
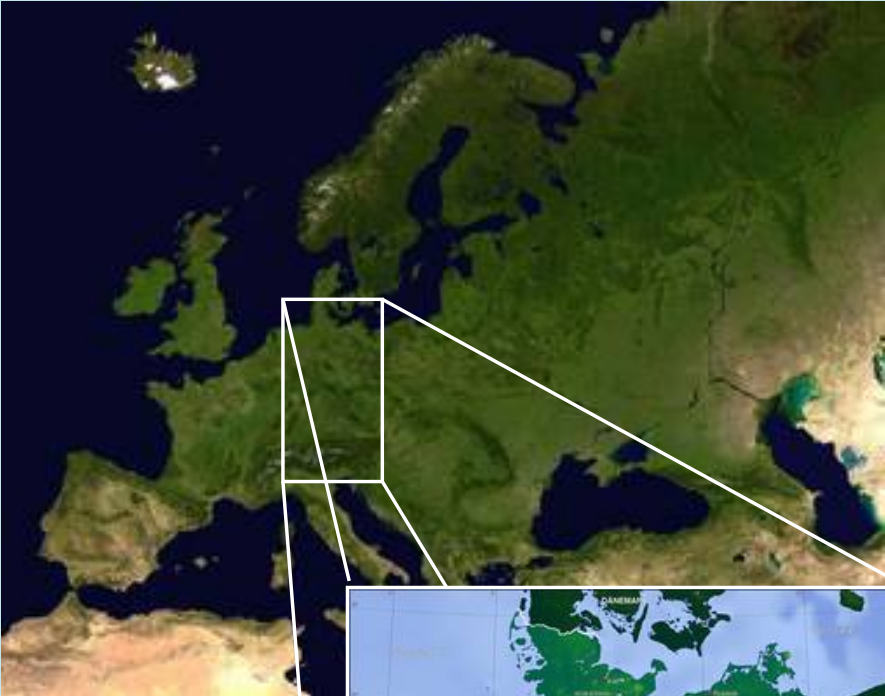
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Content

- » **Actors & main drivers of adaptation policy in Germany**
- » **Adaptation indicator system**
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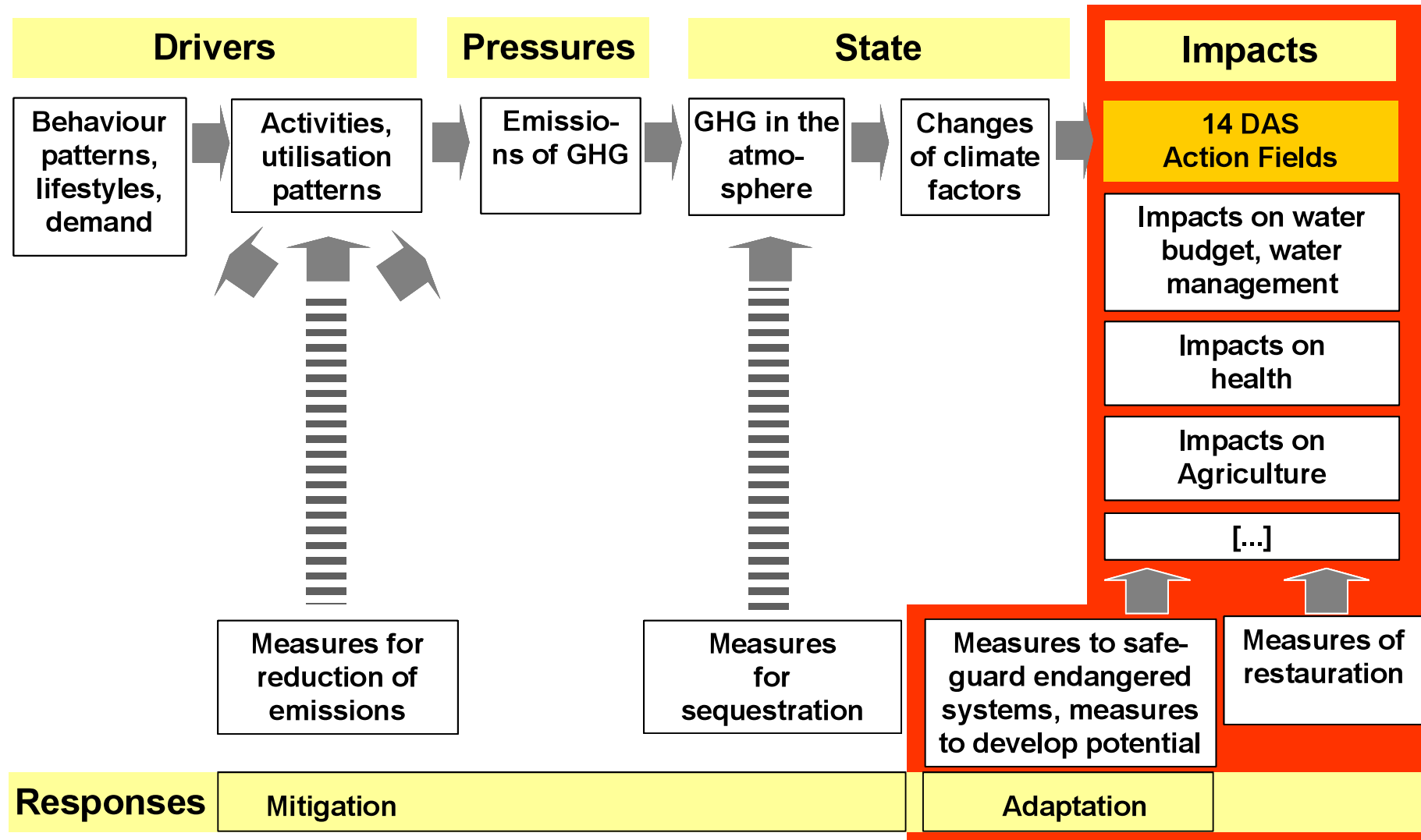
Administrative structure Germany



governance structure

- » **predominantly guided by governmental actors**
- » **precondition: information & communication**

approach indicator system



Source: Schönthaler et al. 2010

example - climate change adaptation indicator

- » 14 Action Fields

- » Action Field: Water Regime, Water Management, Coastal & Marine Protection

- » Indication Field: Sea Level and Sea currents

- » Sub-themes: Sea Level Rise; Changes in Sea Current Conditions and Tide Dynamics

- » Indicators: Sea Level Rise; Changes in the Frequency of Storm Tides

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Conclusions

» challenges

- 1. concretion of adaptation goals**
- 2. appropriate governance structure - establish**
- 3. Definition of response indicators - progress of adaptation policy**

Many thanks !

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