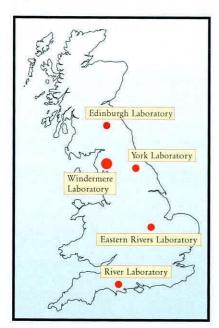
#### The Institute of Freshwater Ecology

The Institute of Freshwater Ecology (IFE) was formed in 1989 when the Natural Environment Research Council undertook the management of the staff and the laboratories of the Freshwater Biological Association (FBA) and, therefore, draws on more than 60 years experience into all aspects of strategic, freshwater research.

The IFE is a component Institute of the Centre for Ecology and Hydrology (see Appendix 2, for details) and as such, has the capability to adopt a truly multidisciplinary, scientific approach for the study of complex environmental problems. The Institute of Freshwater Ecology carries out research into freshwater. wetland and estuarine environments and offers a range of environmental services to an international user community, based upon a sound scientific knowledge of aquatic biology, ecology, chemistry and physics.

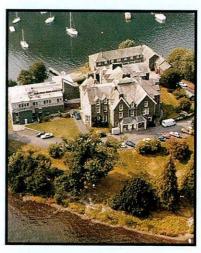


IFE Laboratories in the U.K.

The IFE operates from 5 laboratories located at strategic sites throughout Great Britain (the Windermere Laboratory in Cumbria, the River Laboratory in Dorset, the Eastern Rivers Laboratory in Cambridgeshire, the LOIS Laboratory in Yorkshire and the Edinburgh Laboratory in Midlothian) with its headquarters at the Windermere Laboratory. The staff compliment is 1021/2 posts of which 74 are directly engaged in scientific research and, at any one time, the laboratories also host over 30 visiting scientists, post-graduate students and temporary workers.

IFE scientists are active in national and international networks for environmental monitoring and research and many of the Institute's staff are visiting professors, readers and lecturers at UK Universities. Particularly strong links have been established between the IFE and Edinburgh, Lancaster, Liverpool, Birmingham, Brunel and Reading Universities. Staff hold key posts in appropriate scientific societies and serve on national and international committees and, through research collaboration and a network of contacts, are able to maintain their positions at the forefront of their respective fields.

The 'user community' of the IFE includes the NERC, Government Departments both in the UK and abroad, regulatory authorities, conservation bodies, private industry (including the water industry), the academic community and the general public, who are the ultimate end-users of research leading to wealth creation and improvement in the quality of life.



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#### Centre for Ecology and Hydrology

The Centre for Ecology and Hydrology (CEH) is a new grouping of Natural Environment Research Council (NERC) Institutes, created as part of recent restructuring in order to meet the aims of the 1993 White Paper "Realising our potential - a strategy for science engineering and technology" in which NERC was reaffirmed as the lead body for research, survey and training across the full breadth of environmental sciences. The CEH Director, Prof. W.B. Wilkinson has overall responsibility for the science programmes of the component Institutes and works closely with the Institute Directors within the framework of the CEH Management Board.

The Centre for Ecology and Hydrology is concerned with research into the land on which we live, its fresh waters and the living organisms which share the environment with us. It is a diverse and complex area of science covering a wide range of scales in space and time and with strong interactions with industry and commerce, economics, sociology and politics. The land and freshwater environment is threatened by natural hazards such as floods, drought or wind storms, man-made pollutants resulting from waste discharges and careless acts of man such as uncontrolled deforestation leading to climate change or loss of biodiversity.

- · CEH research is focused on obtaining an understanding of the physical, chemical and biological processes that govern the behaviour of both natural and anthropogenically perturbed land and freshwater systems.
- CEH operates on a national and international scale, working with

industry and governments in their promotion of environmental conservation and sustainable development. Research on land and freshwater environments requires a multidisciplinary scientific approach and the CEH has probably an

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unrivalled capability in this respect.

The CEH component institutes:

- Institute of Hydrology (IH)
- Institute of Terrestrial Ecology
- Institute of Virology and Environmental Microbiology (IVEM)

cover the full range of terrestrial and freshwater sciences and have a worldwide standing.

- The research experience and skills of 700 staff, unique facilities, specialist equipment and extensive data holdings can be drawn on to provide a holistic approach to most land and freshwater environmental issues.
- · CEH has outreach to other members of the NERC family, the wide scientific community, industry and commerce. Its research contributes to: Environmental Policy **UK** Industry European Framework Sustainable Development Global Science

Recent examples of CEH research areas include: Acidification of soils and fresh waters Flood forecasting and management Environmental impact assessment, monitoring and restoration Hydropower potential

Protection of biodiversity Gene transfer and environmental risk Automated water quality monitoring Resource assessment (water, forestry) Crop protection Climate predictions Land-ocean interactions

The CEH undertakes a wide variety of research work at national, international and global scales. The work is commissioned by industry, public bodies, regulatory authorities and governments. CEH research contributes directly to economic well being and quality of life. This capability is underpinned through the provision of strategic science, funded by the NERC.



Professor W B Wilkinson Director

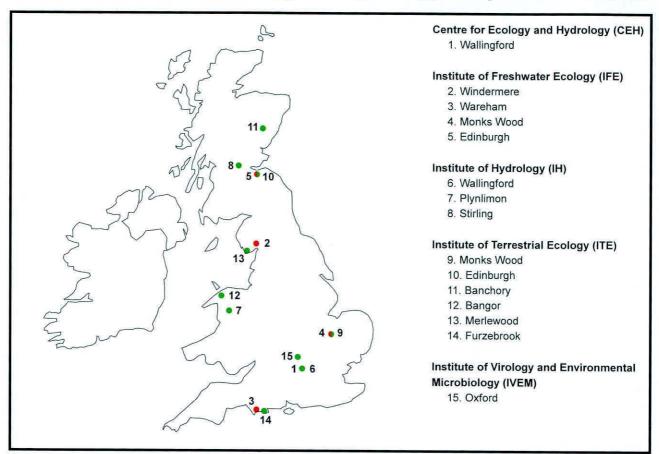
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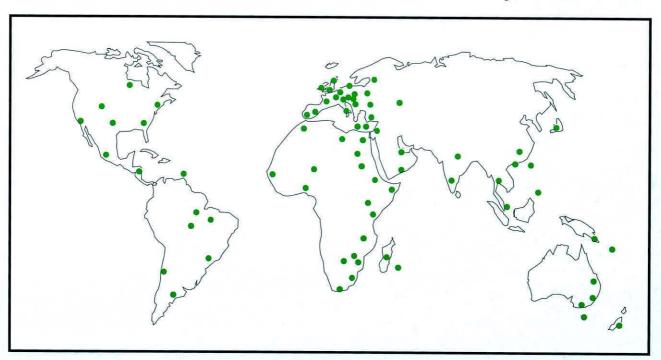
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### The NERC Centre for Ecology and Hydrology component institutes



### Locations of recent research contracts undertaken by CEH institutes



#### The Freshwater Biological Association

The Freshwater Biological
Association is an independent
organisation, a registered Charity and
a Company Limited by Guarantee,
which conducts research into all
aspects of freshwater science and
technology.

The FBA was founded in 1929 and has a long history of achievements in freshwater science. Many national and international awards and honours have been bestowed upon the Association and its senior staff in recognition of the quality and importance of their scientific achievements.

Membership is open to individuals and organisations that wish to support the Association. Members receive copies of the Association's Freshwater Forum, and may obtain other publications at a discount; they may also visit the Laboratories, and use the Library by agreement with the Director.

The FBA provides a range of services including the following:

- Library Services.
- a) Current Awareness Service. A monthly publication listing recent articles, reports and books covering all aspects of freshwater science is available from the Library and Information Service for an annual subscription.
- The British List of Hydrobiological Papers is published regularly, listing papers on British fresh waters, arranged geographically.
- A Document Delivery Service supplies photocopies of articles and papers from the extensive range held in the library.
- d) Literature Searches and an information service are provided by the library staff.
- Maintenance of International Archives.

The FBA is responsible for several valuable collections in addition to those held in the library. These include the Fritsch Collection of Algal Illustrations, preserved specimens in a museum collection of animals and plants and unique long-term environmental data sets.

- Publication Programme.
   In addition to the journal
   Freshwater Forum, the FBA is responsible for:
- A series of Scientific Publications including many keys which permit identification of freshwater biota to species level.
- b) Occasional Publications which include unique data sets.
- Special Publications including the proceedings of Symposia, which are international in scope.
- Meetings Programme.
   The FBA organises an Annual Scientific Meeting on a topical theme as well as other national and international meetings, mostly in conjunction with organisations of similar interests.
- Educational Courses/Exhibitions.
   The FBA has held a range of general and specialist courses in freshwater biology. It is envisaged that future courses/workshops will be tailored to meet specific demands and to stimulate wider interest and involvement in aquatic science.
  - The FBA conducts its activities in collaboration with:
- The Institute of Freshwater Ecology (IFE) and the Natural Environment Research Council.
- Universities and other educational establishments.
- Charitable Foundations and other Non-Governmental Organisations.
- The private sector, particularly

- the water industry.
- Research Councils, Government Departments, Agencies and International Organisations.

The Association's core objectives are:

- To support a programme of research of the highest quality by attracting good scientists as staff, research fellows, students and visitors and providing them with opportunities and training to develop their interests.
- To promote freshwater science by all means available, including education and provision of a membership organisation in which those committed to the subject can share common interests.
- To provide sound, independent scientific opinion on matters relating to fresh waters and their conservation to governments, organisations and individuals.
- To maintain and develop its membership services.

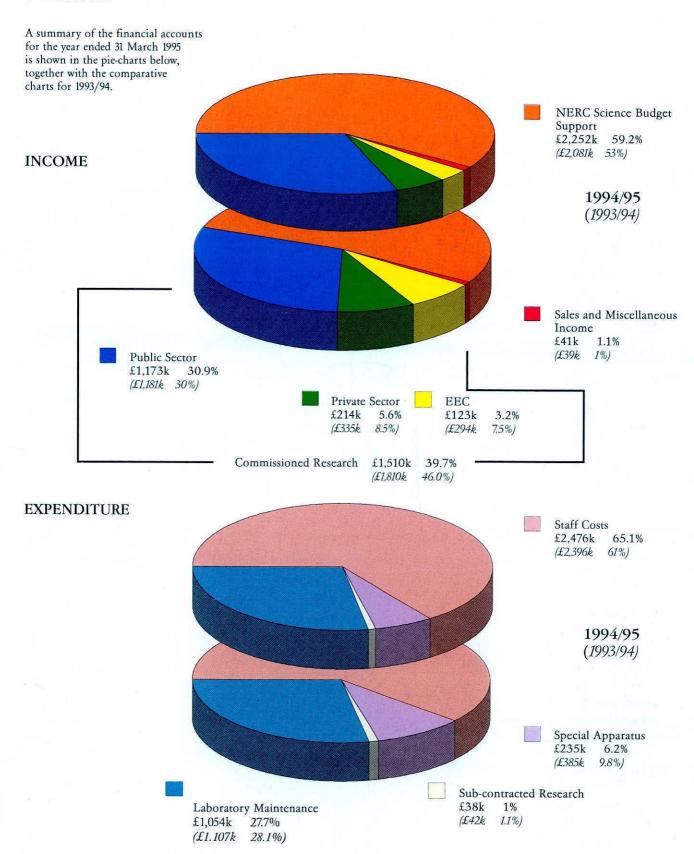
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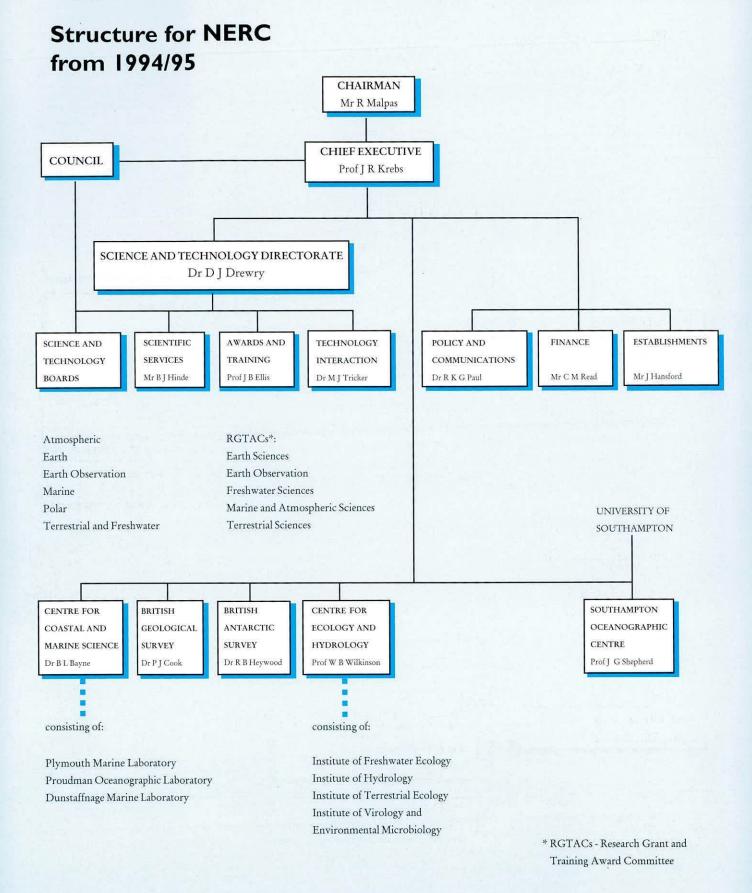
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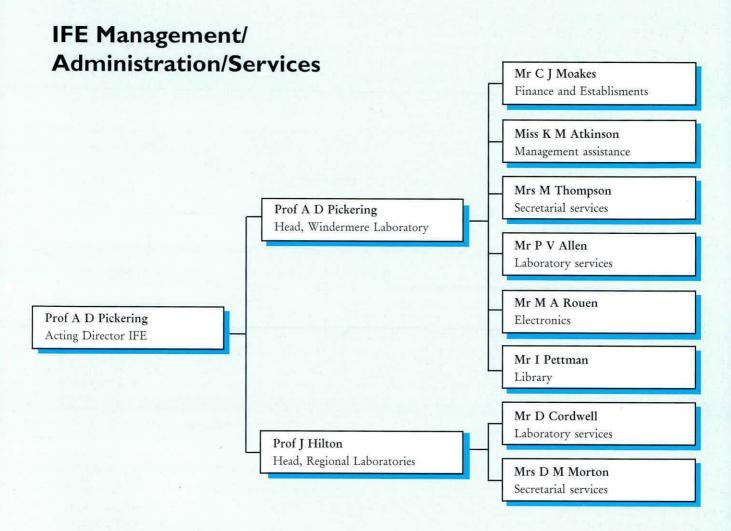
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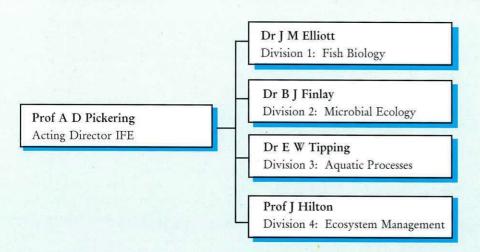
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