



Impact of iCASP

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To improve is to change; to be perfect is to change often.

Winston Churchill

Changes

- valuing the environment
- how not who manages it
- iCASP's role and impact

why do I care?





iCASP impact

- Meetings with iCASP 'partners'
 - highlight successes
 - learn from experiences and
 - identify future opportunities
- wealth of work which is going on



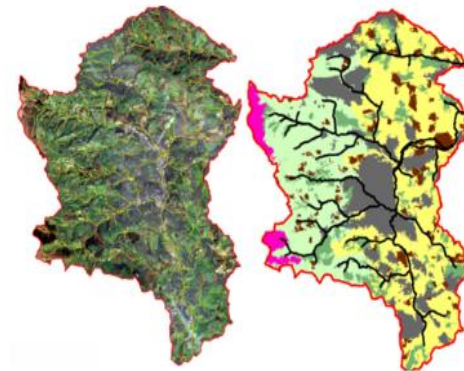
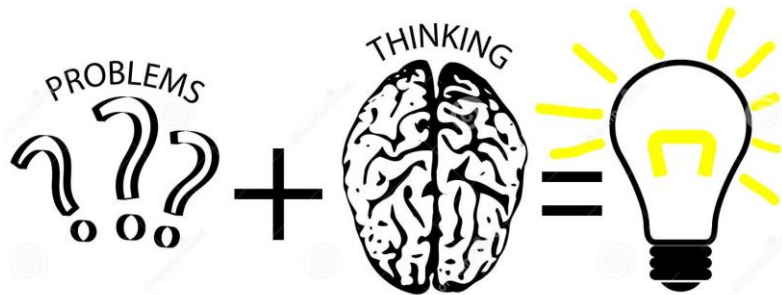
iCASP impact – why it works

- PEOPLE – it's about getting on
- KNOWLEDGE – well respected, info & networks
- APPLICATION – end user needs and focus



Building trust and relationships

- Listening to issues and problems
- Helping to solve them
- Adapting knowledge to a user friendly version/toolkit
- Being neutral



Don Catchment GIS Methods Report

Examples:

- The Skell
- Hidden Heritage streams in the Don
- WY Flood Innovation Project
- Surface Water Flooding projects
- NFM community of Practice
- Communicating Flood Risk in Kirklees
- Soil carbon code
- Urban infrastructure management in Leeds (SUIM)
- Green Blue Space tools
- Slope stability in Calderdale's flood action plan
- Peatland management impacts and burning review



- System Based Urban Infrastructure Management
- Yorkshire Regional Flood and Coastal Committee
- Local Authorities and schedule 3
- Natural Flood Management Community of Practice
- WY FLIP
- Carbon and peatlands code



Key Success Measures

- **Value Creation** – generating £50 million of benefits for Yorkshire
- **Science-user engagement** – creating a network of catchment management experts
- **Policy formation and implementation** – informing policies/strategies that relate to catchment management
- **Practical benefits** – producing materials that help environmental science to be used



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