



# Water

## Sector Value Proposition

The waste water/water treatment industry is one of the ECITB's eight core sectors and we currently have sixty five registered establishments engaged in the industry across the United Kingdom.

Our companies help install, maintain and decommission wastewater/water treatment machinery for water companies like Southern Water and Severn Trent Water.

Like most sectors the water industry is facing a number of key industrial challenges including the setting of an ambitious target of NetZero carbon emissions by 2030. The ECITB is currently developing its plan for Net Zero including the identification and planning of the skills necessary to support decarbonisation across industry.

The UK 2050 Water Innovation strategy has collaboration at its core in order to develop 'a shared innovation culture which improves customer experience'.

The ECITB is well placed to help facilitate collaborative working practices by sharing the experiences of those operating in the oil & gas sector and their successful implementation of the ECITB's innovative project collaboration toolkit.

## Collaboration

*'Because industry can achieve more by working together'*

- 'What is collaboration' webinars delivered through our partnership with Kingsfield Academy
- Encouraging the use of the ECITB's Project Collaboration Toolkit
- Developing and delivering collaborative champion training
- The creation of a National Waste/Water Treatment Industry focus group
- Sharing of sectoral intelligence across the Waste/Water Treatment industry

## Succession Planning

*'Training tomorrow's leaders today'*

- Grant funding for succession planning training

## Local Provision

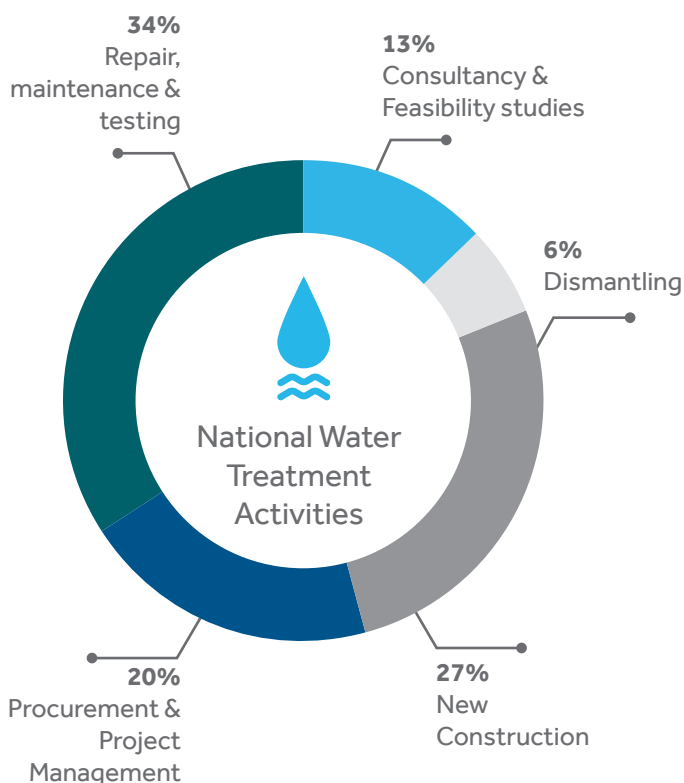
*'Training where and when you need it'*

- Developing 'good to go' training modules that reduce provider course development time.
- Delivery of a scholarship programme that feeds in to the final year of craft/technician apprenticeship programmes.
- Inter sector course sharing to help develop and deliver viable cohorts.
- Strengthened regional engagement

## Diversity & Inclusion

*'Widening sector participation'*

- Inclusion Diversity Equality Action task group
- Case study development and sharing
- Sectoral promotion & sharing of best practice
- D&I integration to ECITB technical training standards



## Interested to find out more?

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