

Draft First GwB Project Workshop Programme

“Global Water Balance Project Implementation and Technical Coordination”

Workshop Title: Project Progress, Technical Integration, Training and Reporting

Date: 16 October 2026

Venue: Expo Centre FLORA, Sea Garden, Burgas, Bulgaria

Time	Session and presentation
09:00–09:15	Registration and Welcome Coffee
09:15–09:30	Opening Session and Adoption of the Workshop Agenda
09:30–10:45	Session I – Project Management, Reporting and Budget
09:30–09:50	Overall project implementation status, activity progress and upcoming milestones
09:50–10:10	Technical and administrative reporting: partner responsibilities, supporting documents and deadlines
10:10–10:30	Financial reporting and budget implementation: expenditure status, eligibility and budget monitoring
10:30–10:45	Discussion, decisions and agreed follow-up actions
10:45–11:00	Coffee Break
11:00–12:30	Session II – Irrigation Modelling Activities
11:00–11:35	Surface Irrigation Spatiotemporal Simulation Modelling: methodology, progress, preliminary outputs and next steps
11:35–12:10	Irrigation-Related Agent-Based Modelling: conceptual framework, data requirements, progress and next steps
12:10–12:30	Model integration, data exchange, discussion and coordination decisions
12:30–13:30	Lunch Break
13:30–14:30	Session III – Major Irrigation Systems Survey
13:30–14:00	Survey methodology, implementation status and preliminary findings
14:00–14:20	Country-level progress, data quality, harmonisation and remaining fieldwork
14:20–14:30	Discussion, decisions and agreed follow-up actions
14:30–14:45	Coffee Break
14:45–16:15	Session IV – Training, Education Programme and Digital Platform
14:45–15:15	Formal Training Courses: agreed structure, content development, partner contributions and delivery schedule
15:15–15:40	Agent-Based Modelling Education Programme: educational videos, interactive learning components and implementation progress
15:40–16:00	GwB website and web-based educational platform: development status, content responsibilities and dissemination
16:00–16:15	Discussion, decisions and agreed follow-up actions
16:15–16:45	Workshop Conclusions, Action Plan, Responsibilities and Deadlines
16:45–17:00	Closing Session