



Computation of long-term annual renewable water resources (RWR) by country (in km³/year, average)

Algeria

Internal RWR		
Precipitation (mm/year)	[1]	89
Area of the country (1000 ha)	[2]	238 174
Precipitation (km ³ /year)	[3]	212 =([1]/1000000)x([2]x10)
Surface water: produced internally	[4]	9.76
Groundwater: produced internally	[5]	1.487
Overlap between surface water and groundwater	[6]	0 (a)
Total internal renewable water resources	[7]	11.25 =([4]+[5]-[6])
External RWR		
	Total	Accounted
<u>Surface water</u>		
Surface water entering the country	0.39 (b)	
Inflow not submitted to treaties		[8] 0.39
Inflow submitted to treaties		0
Inflow secured through treaties		[9] 0
Flow in border rivers	0	[10] 0
Accounted inflow		[11] 0.39 =([8]+[9]+[10])
Surface water leaving the country	0.32	
Outflow not submitted to treaties		0.32
Outflow submitted to treaties		0
Outflow secured through treaties		[12] 0
Total external renewable surface water		[13] 0.39 =([11]-[12])
<u>Groundwater</u>		
Groundwater entering the country	0.03	[14] 0.03
Groundwater leaving the country	0.1	0.1
Total external renewable water resources		[15] 0.42 =([13]+[14])
Total RWR		
Surface water	[16]	10.15 =([4]+[13])
Groundwater	[17]	1.517 =([5]+[14])
Overlap between surface water and groundwater	[6]	0 (a)
Total renewable water resources	[18]	11.67 =([16]+[17]-[6])
Dependency ratio (%)	[19]	3.599 =100*([11]+[14])/([11]+[14]+[7])

Metadata:

(a) Overlap estimation: from hypothesis of Algerian experts on the low flow of water courses; only a very small percentage of groundwater flows into the sea; the surface water is mostly flood water and does not feed the groundwater.
(b) Inflow from Tunisia 0.16 and from Morocco 0.23.