



# Restoring natural sponges in the Ardennes



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- Ardennes: the 'roof' of Belgium: up to 700 m height
- German-speaking part;
- precipitation 1400 mm/y

Whatever water reaches the soil and does not evaporate will end up ... near Maastricht

Come on, Antje, drink a bit faster, it's still raining in the Ardennes

Already ... of AMICE project?

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Somewhere near Maastricht ...

AMICE pilot in the Ardennes: restoring natural hydrology; 'keep the water where it falls' and release it slowly afterwards will not only help the cows downstream ...

