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Combining forces in the Delta

Over 50% of the global population live and work in a delta. Delta areas are attractive because of their strategic location close to the sea and waterways. The ground is fertile and rich in minerals and raw materials. But delta areas are also vulnerable. Soft soil subsides, the sea level is rising, river levels are unpredictable and pressure on space and the environment is on the increase.

Integrated approach

Deltares has an integrated approach to the development of innovative solutions that make living and working in deltas safe, clean and sustainable.

Four renowned Dutch knowledge institutes have combined their strengths in Deltares: WL | Delft Hydraulics, GeoDelft, a part of TNO Subsurface and Groundwater Built Environment and Geosciences, and parts of Rijkswaterstaat, RIKZ, RIZA and DWW. Deltares is a unique combination of 800 experts with vision, expertise and experience in the field of delta technology. An international authority in the area of water and the subsurface. With an area of operations that includes deltas, coastal areas, river basins and other low-lying areas throughout the world.

Our aim is a safe, clean and sustainable delta.

Enabling Delta Life