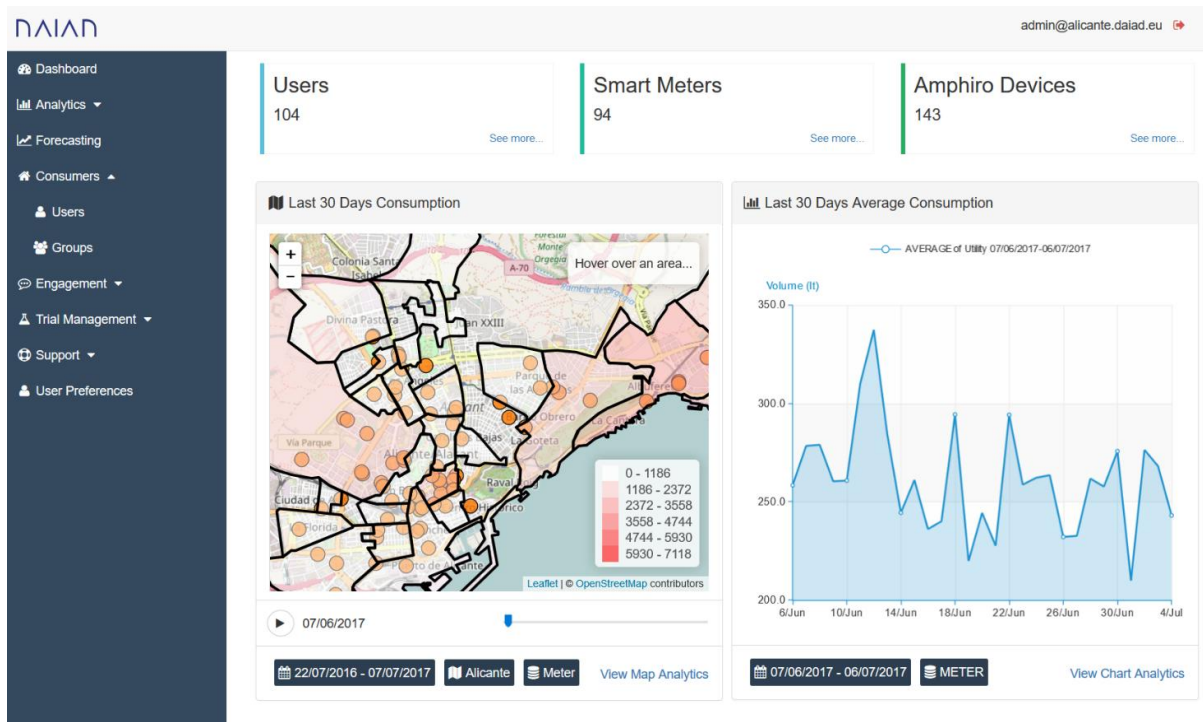


Execution of a training session regarding the joint monitoring system in terms of project entitled “WRESTLE”



KEDE (Central Union of Greek Municipalities) participates as main partner in the project entitled “Joint Water Resources management System for Long-term Efficiency” with acronym “WRESTLE”, which is a cooperation between Greece and Bulgaria. In the framework of the project a joint monitoring system has been designed in order to sustainably manage the available water resources in the cross-border area. On Friday, October 1st, a training session was conducted online organized by KEDE, regarding the use and management of the system. During the training the way in which the system functions was described by both water companies and the end users. The pilot innovative system operates since September 2021 and no problems have occurred so far. In addition, KEDE has designed the second leaflet of the project with respect to the description of the joint monitoring system.

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THE PROJECT

WRESTLE Project aims at the design and implementation of a Joint System in the Greek - Bulgarian cross-border area for the sustainable management of the water resources available. The Joint System will facilitate protection of water quality/quantity, ensure efficient use and will promote a "green behavior" to the public and all involved stakeholders.

JOINT MONITORING SYSTEM

The Joint Monitoring System consists of a water monitoring application, an e-payment application and a web portal. Water monitoring application allows automatic collection, storage, management and analysis of water consumption and quality data from a wireless network of smart meters. It also offers data analysis services in order to preserve water and enhance sustainability. E-payment application allows end-users to pay water bills by electronic means, ensuring transparency in transactions, improving the quality of service and contributing to cost recovery and pricing policy in accordance with the Water Framework Directive. Web portal is the main entry point for applications and services, offering secure access for all users and stakeholders. Among other things, it allows users to manage their profile, to be informed of their consumption, to make electronic payments, as well as to receive notifications and advice to improve their consumption.



PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATIONS

Several public events and awareness campaigns have been implemented in four different territories of the two European countries, Greece and Bulgaria.



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