

Water on Earth

If all of the water on Earth was equal to 10,000 ml*, you would find the following amounts in these locations:

- Oceans 9,720.0 ml
- Icecaps/Glaciers 200.0ml
- Groundwater 62.0ml
- Great Lakes 0.18ml = 4drops
- Freshwater Lakes 0.72ml = 14 drops
- Salt Lakes 0.8ml =16 drops
- Atmosphere 0.1ml = 2 drops
- All Rivers, Streams 0.01ml = dab it
- Unaccounted for 16.19ml

Only 3 percent of the Earth's water is freshwater and 1 percent of that is usable for humans

Answer the following questions after the demonstration.

1. Where is most of Earth's water stored?
2. What are some ways to care for the stored water?
3. What are some ways to care for the usable water?
4. Explain how water stewardship an example of the Core Democratic Value – Common Good.

