

Color the Water on Earth

Most water on Earth is **salt water** in the ocean (97%). Only 3% is **freshwater**. Of that freshwater, more than half is found frozen in **glaciers** and **ice caps**. About a third of freshwater soaks into the ground as **groundwater**. The rest flows on the surface as **surface water**. Most surface water is found in **lakes**. Some is found in wetlands, such as **swamps** and a small amount is in **rivers**.

