Term	Acronym	Vocabulary	Vocabulary Type	Preferred Term		
National Non-Point	NNPSPP		Abbreviation and			
Source Pollution Program			Acronym List			
Non-Point Source		Biocriteria Glossary	Glossary and Key Word	d		
Pollution			List			
Definition: Pollution that occurs when rainfall, snowmelt, or irrigation runs over land or through the ground, picks up pollutants, and deposits them into rivers, lakes, and coastal waters or introduces them into ground water.						
Non-Point Source		Aquatic Biodiversity	Glossary and Key Word	d		
Pollution		Glossary	List			
		vmelt, or irrigation runs over s or introduces them into gro	•	nd, picks up pollutants, and		
Nonpoint Source		Economic Benefits of	Glossary and Key Word	d		
Pollution		Runoff Controls Glossary	y List			
· ·	•	owmelt moving over and throot meet the legal definition o	•	·		
Nonpoint Source		Web Taxonomy-	Taxonomy			
Pollution		Environmental Media				
		Topics				
rainwater, runoff from agri	icultural lands, industrial	n not associated with a disti sites, parking lots, and timbe point Source Pollution: Pollut	er operations, as well as e	scaping gases from pipes		

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characteristics: are diffuse, do not have a single point of origin, or are generally carried off the land by stormwater runoff. (TX NRCC

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Local Gov Guide) Nonp	ooint Source Pollution: Pollu	ution sources that are diffuse	, without a single identifiabl	e point of origin, including		
runoff from agriculture, forestry, and construction sites. (Contaminated Sediment Glossary) Nonpoint Sources: 1: Diffuse pollution						
sources (i.e., without a single point of origin or not introduced into a receiving stream from a specific outlet). The pollutants are						
generally carried off the land by storm water. Common non-point sources are agriculture, forestry, urban, mining, construction, dams,						
channels, land disposa	l, saltwater intrusion, and c	ity streets. (TofE)				
Nonpoint Source		Impaired Waters and	Glossary and Key Word			
Pollution		Total Maximum Daily	List			
		Loads Glossary				
Definition: Pollution tha	Definition: Pollution that is not released through pipes but rather originates from multiple sources over a relatively large area.					
Nonpoint sources can be divided into source activities related either to land or water use including failing septic tanks, improper						
animal-keeping practice	animal-keeping practices, forestry practices, and urban and rural runoff.					
Nonpoint source polluti	on	Total Maximum Daily	Glossary and Key Word			
		Loads (303d) Glossary	List			
Definition: Pollution tha	t is not released through pi	pes but rather originates fror	n multiple sources over a re	elatively large area.		
Nonpoint sources can be divided into source activities related either to land or water use including failing septic tanks, improper						
animal-keeping practices, forestry practices, and urban and rural runoff.						
Nonpoint Source		AgSTAR Handbook	Glossary and Key Word			
Pollution		Glossary	List			
Definition: Pollution resulting from intermittent discharges of pollutants from diffuse sources and is in transit over land before entering						
a water body.						
Nonpoint Source		How's My Waterway	Glossary and Key Word			
Pollution		Glossary	List			

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Search String: point source pollution (Contains) Include Acronyms: true

Include Terms: true

Only Return Terms With Definitions:true

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Definition: Nonpoint	Source pollution is a p	pollution source without a single point	of origin or specific	outlet. NPS pollution generally		
results from land runoff, precipitation, atmospheric deposition, drainage, seepage or hydrologic modification. NPS pollution, unlike						
pollution from industrial and sewage treatment plants, comes from many diffuse sources. NPS pollution is caused by rainfall or						
snowmelt moving over and through the ground. As the runoff moves, it picks up and carries away natural and human-made						
pollutants, finally dep	pollutants, finally depositing them into lakes, rivers, wetlands, coastal waters and ground waters.					
Nonpoint Source		Contaminated Sediments	Glossary and Key	Word		
Pollution		Glossary &Acronyms	List			
Definition: Pollution sources that are diffuse, without a single identifiable point of origin, including runoff from agriculture, forestry, and						
construction sites.						
Nonpoint Source		DWMAPS Glossary	Glossary and Key	Word		
Pollution			List			
Definition: Pollution t	hat is not released thr	ough pipes but rather originates from	multiple sources ov	ver a relatively large area.		
Nonpoint sources ca	Nonpoint sources can be divided into source activities related either to land or water use including failing septic tanks, improper					
animal-keeping prac	tices, forestry practice	s, and urban and rural runoff.				
Nonpoint Source	NSP		Abbreviation and			
Pollution			Acronym List			
Point Source Pollution	on	AgSTAR Handbook	Glossary and Key	Word		
		Glossary	List			
Definition: Pollution entering a water body from a discrete conveyance such as a pipe or ditch.						
Point source pollution	 n	Total Maximum Daily	Glossary and Key	Word		
		Loads (303d) Glossary	List			
Definition: Pollutant loads discharged at a specific location from pipes, outfalls, and conveyance channels from either municipal						

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wastewater treatment plants or industrial waste treatment facilities. Point sources can also include pollutant loads contributed by					
tributaries to the main receiving water stream or river.					
Point Source Pollution	Impaired Waters and	Glossary and Key Word			
	Total Maximum Daily	List			
	Loads Glossary				
Definition: Pollutant loads discharged at a specific location from pipes, outfalls, and conveyance channels from either municipal					
wastewater treatment plants or industrial waste treatment facilities. Point sources can also include pollutant loads contributed by					
tributaries to the main receiving water stream or river.					
Point Source Pollution	Contaminated Sediments	,			
	Glossary &Acronyms	List			
Definition: Point source pollution refers to the pollution that comes from a specific, identifiable source, such as a pipe or channel.					
Point Source Pollution (or	DWMAPS Glossary	Glossary and Key Word			
Point Source Discharge)		List			
Definition: Pollutant loads discharged at a specific location from pipes, outfalls, and conveyance channels from either municipal					
wastewater treatment plants or industrial waste treatment facilities. Point sources can also include pollutant loads contributed by					
tributaries to the main receiving water stream or river.					
Nonpoint Source	EPA EV-Outcomes-	Taxonomy			
Pollution	Environmental Impacts				
Definition: Pollution source without a single point of origin or specific outlet. [How's My Waterway Glossary]					
Point Source Pollution	EPA EV-Outcomes-	Taxonomy			
	Environmental Impacts				
Definition: Pollution entering a water body from a discrete conveyance such as a pipe or ditch. [AgSTAR Handbook Glossary]					

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