



Management practices to address stormwater pollution

1. Minimize exposure

Minimize the exposure of materials and activities to rain and snowmelt by locating them indoors or using proper containment measures.

2. Keep a tidy site

Maintain a clean and orderly facility by keeping exposed areas free of waste, garbage and floatable debris.

3. Manage runoff

Manage runoff by reducing the volume and rate at which it leaves your facility and preventing stormwater from coming into contact with pollutants on your site.

4. Erosion and sediment control

Prevent erosion and sedimentation by:

- installing stormwater collection areas to capture any contaminated runoff.
- covering exposed soils (including stockpiles) with an appropriate erosion control.

5. Prevent and prepare for spills

Prevent spills by mapping your site to identify those areas where spills might occur and implementing primary and secondary containment measures.

Prepare for spills by ensuring appropriate spill kit(s) are on site and easily accessible.

6. Inspection and maintenance

Prevent stormwater pollution by performing regular inspections, testing and preventative maintenance of equipment and following best management practices.

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