

State		Louisiana
BMP Manual	BMP Manual Date	2000
	BMP Manual	www.ldaf.state.la.us
State BMP Regulation		Non-Regulatory
BMP Monitoring	BMP Monitoring	Yes
	Most Recent Monitoring:	2015
	Next Planned Monitoring:	2018
	Agency(s) Involved in Monitoring:	LA Dept of Ag & Forestry
When Sites are Monitored		After any recent sivicultural activity

State BMP Implementation Rate (%)	State BMP Implementation Rate (%)	95.75	
	Year	2015	
	SMZ:	97.63	
	Stream Crossings:	96.85	
	Permanent Roads:	98.14	
	Skid Trails/Temporary Roads:	95.01	
	Site Preparation:	97.6	
	Landings:	98.98	
	Wetlands:	96.83	
	Fireline Construction:	97.22	
	Mechanical Site Preparation:	None Reported	
	Chemical Site Preparation:	None Reported	
	Pesticide Applications:	None Reported	
	Fertilizer Applications:	None Reported	
	Prescribed Burning:	None Reported	
	Wildfire Suppression:	None Reported	
	Wildfire Rehabilitation:	None Reported	
	Public Lands:	None Reported	
	Agencies Involved in BMP Guideline and Policy Development	Timber Harvesting:	Forestry
		Forest Roads:	Forestry
Skid Trails:		Forestry	
Log Landings:		Forestry	
Stream Crossings:		Forestry	
SMZ's:		Forestry	
Wetlands:		Environmental	
Reforestation:		Forestry	
Mechanical Site Preparation:		Forestry	
Chemical Site Preparation:		Environmental	
Pesticide Applications:		Environmental	
Fertilizer Applications:		Environmental	
Prescribed Burning:		Forestry	
Wildfire Suppression:		Forestry	
Wildfire Rehabilitation:		Forestry	
Public Lands:	Forestry		
Most Recent BMP Guidelines	Timber Harvesting:	2012 Revised	

(Written or Revised)	Forest Roads:	2011 Revised
	Skid Trails:	2008 Revised
	Log Landings:	2005 Revised
	Stream Crossings:	2011 Revised
	SMZ's:	2012 Revised
	Wetlands:	2005 Revised
	Reforestation:	2008 Revised
	Mechanical Site Preparation:	2001 Revised
	Chemical Site Preparation:	2001 Revised
	Pesticide Applications:	2001 Revised
	Fertilizer Applications:	2001 Revised
	Prescribed Burning:	No Published BMPs
	Wildfire Suppression:	No Published BMPs
	Wildfire Rehabilitation:	No Published BMPs
	Public Lands:	2013 Revised
BMP Effectiveness Studies	Previous Study:	None Reported
	Current Study:	None Reported
	Most Recent:	None Reported
	Next Planned:	None Reported
	Agency(s)/Organization Involved:	None Reported
	Focus Area(s):	
FTEs (Full-Time Equivalent) Allocated to Forest Water Resources in State	Total FTEs Allocated to Water Resources in State:	0
	BMP Revision/ Publication	
	BMP Compliance Monitoring	
	BMP Effectiveness Monitoring	
	Logger Training	
	Logger Certification	
	Forester Training	
	Forester Certification/Registration	
	Landowner Education	
	Landowner Technical Assistance	
	Landowner Financial Assistance	
	Law Enforcement	
	Watershed Planning	

	Land use Planning	
	Other Research	
	Other Agency Training	
Legislation that Drives or Encourages BMP Development in the State	Federal Water Pollution Act:	
	State Forest Practices Act:	
	State Anti-Sediment Law:	
	State Silvicultural Law:	
	State Non-Regulatory BMP Guidelines:	Timber Harvesting, Wetland Protection, Stream Crossings, Site Preparation, Site Reforestation, Forest
	Additional Legislation For:	
Estimated Costs to Implement Forestry BMPs (Low, Medium, High)	Agency:	High
	Landowner:	Minor
	Logger:	Medium
Indicators of Forest Water Quality Using Standard Evaluations	BMP Compliance:	None Reported
	Erosion:	None Reported
	Stream Sediment:	None Reported
	Stream Temperature:	None Reported
	Stream Oxygen:	None Reported
	Stream pH:	None Reported
	Stream Nutrient Levels:	None Reported
	Stream Chemicals/Pesticides:	None Reported
	Macroinvertebrates:	None Reported
	Fish:	None Reported
	Woody Debris:	None Reported
	Fecal Bacteria:	None Reported
Indicators of Forest Water Quality Using Research Evaluations	BMP Compliance:	Yes
	Erosion:	Yes
	Stream Sediment:	Yes

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Stream Oxygen:	Yes
Stream pH:	Yes
Stream Nutrient Levels:	Yes
Stream Chemicals/Pesticides:	Yes
Macroinvertebrates:	Yes
Fish:	Yes
Woody Debris:	Yes
Fecal Bacteria:	Yes
Other:	Yes