

HOT UPDATE TCEQ has renewed the General Permit for Industrial Facilities

The new [2021 Multi-Sector General Permit \(MSGP\)](#) for industrial facilities has been issued with an effective date of August 14, 2021. Existing permittees will have until **November 12, 2021** to renew their authorizations by submitting a renewal Notice of Intent (NOI) or No Exposure Certification (NEC), as applicable, using TCEQ's online e-permitting system [STEERS/ePermits](#).

Industrial Sectors Under the Multi-Sector General Permit

Sectors of industry that may obtain coverage under the general permit for industrial stormwater discharges.

Conditional No Exposure Exclusion from Industrial Stormwater Permit Requirements

Conditions that must be met for an industrial facility to qualify for this waiver from certain requirements under the Multi-Sector General Permit for Stormwater Discharges.

Additional Guidance and Quick Links: Industrial Activities

Stay in Compliance

Monitoring and Reporting Storm Water Discharges from Industrial Facilities

Discharge monitoring reports (DMRs) are Requirements for monitoring and reporting contaminant levels in stormwater discharges under the Multi-Sector General Permit TXR050000.

Benchmark Monitoring Data Analyses

The benchmark monitoring analyses submission deadline is March 31 of each calendar year. No benchmark monitoring sampling is required during 2021 as the Multi-Sector General Permit renewal is taking place.

Rules for Stormwater Discharges from Industrial Facilities

UPDATE Electronic Reporting Updates

Please Note: Effective August 14, 2021, all analytical results for determining compliance with effluent limitations and benchmark monitoring for MSGP permittees shall be submitted online using the [NetDMR](#) reporting system. **The NetDMR reporting system will begin**

accepting reports from MSGP permittees in December 2021. Please do not attempt to access the system before this date.

Electronic Application Requirements

Effective September 1, 2017, applicants must submit the NOI, NEC, NOT, and NOC forms using the [online e-permitting](#) system available through the TCEQ website or request and obtain an electronic reporting waiver. Electronic reporting waivers are not transferrable and expire on the same date as the authorization to discharge.

Paper Forms: If you do not have access to a computer, you must call the TCEQ Stormwater Processing Center at 512-239-3700, to obtain the application forms.

Reference:

<https://www.tceq.texas.gov/permitting/stormwater/industrial/index>

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TCEQ has to have your company profile before they can accept any filing. To determine whether your company has already established a company profile with TCEQ, go to the website (www.tceq.texas.gov) and find your company in the **Central Registry**:

Search Central Registry

Search by Facility/Site (regulated entity)

Search by Name/Company (customer)

Search by Permit/Registration (program ID number)

Printing companies are required to file either a storm water NEC (good for most), or a storm water noi permit (if you have paper or chemicals outside). All these SIC codes are included in the storm water filing requirement.

SECTOR X: PRINTING AND PUBLISHING

| SIC Code | Description of the Industrial Activity |
|-----------------|---|
| 2711 | Newspapers: Publishing, or Publishing and Printing |
| 2721 | Periodicals: Publishing, or Publishing and Printing |
| 2731 | Books: Publishing, or Publishing and Printing |
| 2732 | Book Printing |
| 2741 | Miscellaneous Publishing |
| 2752 | Commercial Printing, Lithographic |
| 2754 | Commercial Printing, Gravure |
| 2759 | Commercial Printing, Not Elsewhere Classified |
| 2761 | Manifold Business Forms |
| 2771 | Greeting Cards |
| 2782 | Blankbooks, Looseleaf Binders and Devices |
| 2789 | Bookbinding and Related Work |
| 2791 | Typesetting |
| 2796 | Platemaking and Related Services |

Follow this link to see the full list of industries required to file:

<https://www.tceq.texas.gov/assets/public/permitting/stormwater/sic-codes-subject-to-msgp-txr050000.pdf>

Link to EPA basic **Storm Water No Exposure Certification Questions** (Very similar to what you will be completing in the STEERs online platform:

https://www3.epa.gov/npdes/pubs/msgp2008_appendixk.pdf

You might want to complete this before getting to right spot in the TCEQ STEERs platform.