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Introduction to Constructed Wetlands Bibliography

This constructed wetlands bibliography, compiled by the United States Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Service (formerly the Soil Conservation Service) and the Water Quality Information Center at the National Agricultural Library, consists of more than 600 citations. One hundred and sixty-one of these have abstracts. The bibliography has been divided into seven major categories:

AGNPS: Agricultural Nonpoint Source Pollution
AMD: Acid Mine Drainage
AW: Agricultural Wastes
BG: Basic and General
HW: Household Wastes
IW: Industrial Wastes
UR: Urban Runoff

Within each major category, many, but not all, of the citations were subcategorized. Each of the citations in the original document has 10 fields as shown in the example below from the Acid Mine Drainage category. There have been 76 records added which contain the major citation fields but are in a different format.

Sample record:

CATEGORY	AMD
SUBCATEGOR	case studies--TVA, AL
TITLE	Treatment of acid drainage with a constructed wetlands at the Tennessee Valley Authority 950 coal mine.
AUTHOR	Brodie, G.A., D.A. Hammer and D.A. Tomljanovich.
SOURCE	Constructed Wetlands for Wastewater Treatment: Municipal, Industrial and Agricultural.
PUBLISHER	Chelsea, MI: Lewis Publisher, Inc.
PAGES	pp. 201-209
DATE	1989
CALLNUM	TD 756. 5 C66
ANNOTATION	A Jackson County Alabama sediment pond that received acid mine drainage was cited for chronic effluent discharges. Because the

impoundment had acceptable characteristics (moderate water quality, adequate siting characteristics, and suitable geology and hydrology) a constructed wetland was built to treat acid drainage. The constructed wetland was environmentally effective and cost-beneficial in treating the acidic mine drainage.

This bibliography is available on the Internet in several different forms:

- 1 large ASCII text file containing all 605 citations
- 7 smaller ASCII files corresponding to each of the seven categories listed above.

These files are accessible via world wide web: World Wide Web:
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