Assessing USGS Water Data

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The USGS Water Mission Area collects a broad range of publicly available water and related data. Retrieval of these data is not always as straight forward as one would like. This presentation covers the many types of data that are available and the many places data may be retrieved from, such as the National Water Information System (NWIS Web), USGS Water Services, National Water Quality Monitoring Council Water Quality Portal and other sources/.

USGS Water Data for the Nation (NWIS Web) http://waterdata.usgs.gov/nwis/ USGS Water Services http://waterservices.usgs.gov/ WaterWatch http://waterwatch.usgs.gov/ USGS Groundwater Watch http://groundwaterwatch.usgs.gov/ Water Quality Portal http://waterqualitydata.us/