

Key Term	Description
DWMP	Drainage and Wastewater Management Plan
NWG	Northumbrian Water Group
IDeA	Integrated Delivery Alliance
RBCS	Risk Based Catchment Screening – assessment of framework derived indicators of stress within a catchment
BRAVA	Baseline Risk and Vulnerability Assessment - assess the current performance of drainage and wastewater systems, and projected performance as a result of future catchment changes and pressures
SPA	Strategic Planning Area
CSO	Combined Sewer Overflow
SPS	Sewage Pumping Station
EO	Emergency Overflow
SO	Storm Overflow
STW/WwTW	Sewage Treatment Works/Wastewater Treatment Works
SOAF	Storm Overflow Assessment Framework
CAF	Capacity Assessment Framework
C21st	21st Century Drainage Programme – assessment of future pressures on the sewer system
DWF	Dry Weather Flow
RMA	Risk Management Areas
SHLAA	Strategic Housing Land Availability Assessments
WINEP	Water Industry National Environment Programme – programme to meet environmental obligations
Level 1	The whole NWG region
Level 2	Strategic Planning areas – based on the River Basin catchments within the NWG region
Level 3	NWG Drainage Area

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Level 4/Drainage Community	Sub catchment areas, which are a collection of hydraulically related drainage systems within a larger L3 drainage area
LLFA	Lead Local Flood Authority
EA	Environment Agency
NIDP	Northumbria Integrated Drainage Partnership
PO	Planning Objective
WRMP	Water Resources Management Plan
CAP	Community Action Plan
SuDS	Sustainable Drainage Solutions
SWM	Surface Water Management
FEH	Flood Estimation Handbook – used in the generation of new rainfall to be used in the DWMP
TSR	Timeseries Rainfall – used for CSO/EO/SO spill frequency and volume assessments
UKWIR	UK Water Industry Research
PR24	Price Review 2024
WFD	Water Framework Directive
ODI	Outcome Delivery Incentive
ODA	Options Development and Appraisal
FRA	Flood Risk Assessment
RNAGs	Reason for Not Achieving Good Status
High Priority RNAGS	L4 drainage community has a storm overflow that is both discharging to an RNAG watercourse as well as near a High Priority location
Other RNAGS	L4 drainage community has a storm overflow that is discharging near a High Priority location
Bathing Water	L4 drainage community has a storm overflow that is discharging to a designated bathing water

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Short Term	Up to and including the 2030 planning horizon, i.e. the 2025 and 2030 planning horizons
Medium Term	2045 planning horizon
Long Term	2060 planning horizon