The monitoring directory is a web-based tool developed to help improve the coordination and integration of existing surface water monitoring efforts. The monitoring directory provides access to program details and metadata for CURRENT water quality monitoring efforts in the Central Valley watershed (Delta, San Joaquin River, Sacramento River and Tulare Lake Basins).

Features include:
- An interactive map for searching and viewing of monitoring locations and program information.
- Tabbed basin summary tables of programs, agencies, parameters, and sites that interact with the map and are also available to download in Excel format.
- Individual program pages that identify the lead agency and partners; provide links to available contacts, monitoring plans, and data products; and summarize program details (objectives, duration, funding) and metadata (sampling sites, frequency, parameters).
- Password-protected domains as a convenient tool for program managers to enter and update monitoring information.

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