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**Abstract:** We describe the properties of X-ray point-like sources detected over 4.2 sq. degs. of the largest contiguous survey with XMM-Newton to date (the XMM-LSS survey) to fluxes of F<sub>2-10</sub>

~8x10<sup>-15</sup> erg/s/cm<sup>2</sup> and F<sub>0.5-2 keV</sub> ~2x10<sup>-15</sup> erg/s/cm<sup>2</sup> respectively. For 1200 sources in the soft band, we find a two-point angular correlation function (ACF) signal similar to previous work, but no correlation for 400 sources in the hard band. A sample of 200 faint sources with hard X-ray spectra does show a 2-3 sigma positive signal with a power-law normalization theta<sub>0</sub>>40 arcsec. We discuss implications, including the fact that a large correlation length for obscured AGN is inconsistent with simple AGN Unification based on orientation only.

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