INSTRUCTIONS FOR PESTICIDE DATA PROGRAM (PDP) DATA DOWNLOAD

Microsoft Access Database included for easy Import of PDP Data:
A template database in MS-Access (.mdb) format has been included in the data ZIP file for each calendar-year PDP data set. This database has tables already created in the correct format, has a macro to automatically import the PDP data, and has reference tables for the standardized codes already populated.

The characters "####" shown in the filenames and data descriptions below refer to the calendar-year for the database (1992 – 2023).

Instructions:

1) Click on the **Data ZIP File** link for the desired calendar-year and save the **####PDP.zip** file to your hard drive.

2) In Windows, use an UNZIP utility on the **####PDP.zip** file to extract 7 files. There will be 2 text (.txt) files holding the PDP data, 1 MS-Access (.mdb) database file, 1 MS-Excel (.xls) workbook file, and 3 Adobe PDF files. Note: A fourth PDF file will be extracted showing the revision history if the data in the ZIP file has been revised.

3) Open and print the **INSTRUCTIONS ####.pdf** file (2 pages). Follow the instructions to populate the PDP data in the provided MS-Access database file or in your own database system if you don't have MS-Access 2000 or higher.