Data Dissemination

Water Monitoring and Standards recognizes that availability of our monitoring data and results is as important as methods by which the data are collected and assessed. WM&S makes its monitoring data and results publicly available in a variety of ways. WM&S maintains a webpage (www.nj.gov/dep/wmm) through which much of our data and reports are electronically available. Data generated by WM&S can also be downloaded from EPA's STORET database at http://www.epa.gov/storet/dbtop.html or USGS' NWIS database at: http://nj.usgs.gov. Information from both STORET and NWIS is also available through USEPA's "Window To My Environment" (WME), a powerful web-based tool providing a wide range of federal, state, and local information about environmental conditions/features in an area of your choice. Using WME, you can find our fresh and marine ambient water quality monitoring stations in your area of interest and download our water quality monitoring results directly to your personal computer. Another method to access our monitoring data is through iMapNJ (http://www.state.nj.us/dep/gis/newmapping.htm), which is an interactive mapping application that allows users to utilize GIS functionality over the internet. Many of our reports are also available, electronically, from the New Jersey Environmental Digital Library at Rutgers University (http://njedl.rutgers.edu/njdlib). Additionally, hard copies of many of our reports can be obtained by calling WM&S at (609) 292-1623.