

# How To Use this Catalog

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## What Information Does This Catalog Contain?

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This catalog lists hazardous and solid waste documents released by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) Office of Solid Waste (OSW). It is a select list of publications that are frequently requested and is not a comprehensive list of all documents available. This catalog does not list documents originating in other EPA offices. For information on accessing additional publications on hazardous and solid waste, see the "Other EPA Resources" section.

## What Is New in this Edition of the Catalog?

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This edition of the catalog contains newly released publications and is current through August 15, 2004. These new titles appear in bold.

## How Can I Find Specific Information in the Catalog?

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There are a number of ways to find a particular document or research a subject area through this catalog. The following examples should help you get started:

- **If you have a document title**, use the Alphabetical Listing of Titles. There you will find an abstract and the order number, as well as information on what organization provides the publication. Ordering instructions can be found in the Ordering Information section.
- **If you have a document number**, use the Numerical Listing of Publications to find the title. The section is divided into three different lists for documents distributed by OSW, the National Technical Information Service (NTIS), or the U.S. Government Printing Office (GPO).
- **If the document you're looking for is not included in the catalog**, contact the OSWER Docket Team for more information.

## How Do I Order a Document?

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Documents listed in this catalog can be ordered from one of three sources: OSW, NTIS, or GPO. You must use the appropriate order number for each document as specified in the Alphabetical Listing of Titles. Ordering information can be found under the Ordering Information section. In some cases, government agencies can receive documents free of charge.

Documents marked with an asterisk are available on the Internet, and not in paper format at this time. However, if you do not have access to the Internet, either at home, at work, or through your school or public library, please contact the OSWER Docket Team. Staff will print out one paper copy and mail it to you.

## Can I Access OSW Documents on the Internet?

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OSW has placed a wide variety of information about hazardous and nonhazardous waste on the Internet and on Bulletin Board Systems (BBSs) for access and retrieval by the public. The information posted includes consumer information, supporting materials for rulemakings, policy and guidance documents, and data files from EPA's hazardous waste databases.

Access OSW materials on the EPA Public Access Server at <[www.epa.gov/osw](http://www.epa.gov/osw)>.

*Federal Register* notices relating to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) and dating back to October 1994 are available on the EPA Public Access Server at <[www.epa.gov/fedrgstr](http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr)>.

In addition, EPA maintains several free electronic mailing lists (list servers). Subscribers receive electronically mailed copies of documents as they are published. Some OSW-related mailing lists are EPA-WASTE (hazardous and solid waste *Federal Registers*), and EPA-PRESS (Environmental Protection Agency press releases).



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## **Where Can I Find Regulatory Information?**

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The EPA Dockets (EDOCKET) is an electronic public docket and on-line comment system designed to expand access to documents in EPA's major dockets. Dockets contain *Federal Register* notices, support documents, and public comments for regulations the Agency publishes and various non-regulatory activities. EDOCKET <[www.epa.gov/edocket](http://www.epa.gov/edocket)> allows you to search, download and print the documents in a docket, as well as submit comments online.

## **Where Can I Go for More Information?**

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If you need additional assistance, call, write, or visit the EPA Docket Center.

**For telephone requests, call the EPA Docket Public Reading Room at 202 566-1744**

### **For written requests:**

EPA Docket Center  
OSWER Docket Team (5305T)  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20460-0002  
E-mail: [RCRA-docket@epa.gov](mailto:RCRA-docket@epa.gov)

### **For visits, see the OSWER Docket staff at:**

1301 Constitution Avenue, Room B-102  
Washington, DC

### *Hours:*

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