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This publication contains the standalone Manual – “Hazus-MH 2.1 Canada User and Technical Manual: Earthquake Module”. It is accompanied by the entire “Hazus-MH 2.1 Canada Application, Databases and Manual: Earthquake Module” package (Open File 7458) – for users who have not previously downloaded the large file size Application and Databases.

The Hazus-MH 2.1 Canada Manual provides guidance on the differences and adaptations for the Canadian user, as well as support to enable the running of Hazus in a Canadian study region. In the Manual, the Application's documented bugs and particularities are identified for the user, along with possible solutions. The Manual complements other existing Hazus manuals, such as the Hazus supporting documentation published by the FEMA – available at <http://www.fema.gov/library/index.jsp>.

The website <http://hazuscanada.ca/> contains additional resources to support the Canadian users, including information about Canadian Hazus User Group (CanHUG) monthly calls. These regularly scheduled teleconferences are held to provide users with more information on using Canadian Hazus, as well as opportunities to share success and troubleshooting stories with other Canadian Hazus users.

Online courses are also available for a very reasonable price on the esri.com website <http://training.esri.com/gateway/index.cfm?fa=search.results&searchterm=hazus>.

The email address info@hazuscanada.ca may be used to contact the Canadian Hazus support team with any questions and Canadian Hazus experiences. The team is keen to hear feedback on any issues or improvements that can be incorporated into future versions of the Canadian Hazus.

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System requirements

PC with 486 or greater processor, or Mac® with OS® X v. 10.2.2 or later; Adobe® Reader® v. 6.0 or later; video resolution of 1078 x 768 or higher.

Please read Chapter 2 Getting Started in “Hazus-MH 2.1 Canada User and Technical Manual: Earthquake Module” before installing Hazus-2.1 Canada Application.

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