

## STORET Conference Call – January 13, 2005 12:00-1:00 PM Eastern Time

### Introduction (Joe Wilson)

- The minutes from all previous conference calls are available over the web: <http://www.epa.gov/storet/confcalls.html>
- The next scheduled call will be February 24th, 2004 12:00-1:00 PM Eastern Time. Call in number is (202) 275-0170 8346#.
- If you have a special topic you'd like to lead for an upcoming call, please email [mcelhinney.cary@epa.gov](mailto:mcelhinney.cary@epa.gov)
- EPA would like to hear comments you have on the quality of these conference calls. Please send them to [storet@epa.gov](mailto:storet@epa.gov)
- Please subscribe to the STORET automated listserver for announcements regarding conference calls: <http://www.epa.gov/storet/listserv.html>

### Update from STORET Team

- The National Users Conference proceedings will be available online next week. This will include presentations.

### Reference Table Upgrade

- The new reference table upgrade is online now. It is called DBFIX017 and it targets the Analytical Methods table primarily in support of the "Beaches" Program. This is a cumulative update.
- The upgrade is a 19MG download. If this is too big for our dial up users to download, a CD can be sent.
- A Preferences and Default Replication Tool will be available at the end of the month. This utility will help transfer metadata from organization to organization. A demonstration was given at the conference.
- We encourage participants to sign up on the listserve. This is the way we publish and alert the user community.

### Open Q/A and Comment Period

1. We are moving to Oracle 9i. Will there be any upgrade problems related to STORET? (MD)
  - No.
  - Can a button be developed for a user to change the Oracle password in a STORET interface? (MD)
  - No, it is dependent upon organization and subject to local variation.
  - Do we need SQLnet to change password? (MD)
  - Talk to your DBA for a shortcut on STORET.
2. USGS is changing their turbidity model specific procedure which requires new units. Can these changes be reflected in the reference tables? (MN)
  - Send us an email with the new specifics and we can pass it on to USGS to check on the changes.
3. Can there be only one BLOB per trip? (OH)
  - Yes, but there can also be one per station, one per station visit, and one for each result.

### **Participants on call (based on who emailed [storet@epa.gov](mailto:storet@epa.gov))**

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