



## Five US EPA Regions Upgrade to EQiS Enterprise 6

**Concord, MA (July 2015)** — EarthSoft is pleased to announce that five US EPA Regions have upgraded their EQiS configurations to EQiS Enterprise 6. These US EPA Regions include Regions 2,3,4,5 and 9. EQiS 3 was first used by EPA Region 5 in 1999, and they have now upgraded with EarthSoft through two product families.

Many of the largest environmental databases in the world are in EQiS. EQiS Enterprise 6 is a completely web dashboard-driven environmental data management, decision support, and data analysis platform and is suited for large multiple-facility portfolios where PC databases are overwhelmed. With ESRI's ArcGIS Online integration, environmental professionals may quickly generate mapped labels and review project environmental data. EQiS Enterprise 6 includes workflows for environmental data collection operations including EQiS Data Processor (EDP), the most widely used EDD checking tool in the world.

Released in mid-2013, EQiS Enterprise 6 is offered on-premises, or can be hosted by either EarthSoft, EarthSoft Business Partners, or multiple third parties. EQiS Online, EarthSoft's Software-as-a-Service (SaaS) product, is experiencing rapid growth. An emerging licensing model is a hybrid SaaS, where perpetual licenses of EQiS are hosted by EarthSoft.

EPA Regions have Distribution Licenses of the EQiS Data Processor (EDP) and as such provide EDP for no charge to all contracted labs and consultants. EDP has been written into standard operating procedure for thousands of projects around the world. All major labs in North America have EDP and use it regularly.

Several US EPA Regions also have the EQiS Data Gathering Engine (EDGE), EarthSoft's popular mobile software for field data collection. While anyone can put a form on a tablet, EarthSoft has included the EDP, providing the same level of data quality enforcement that labs use for the chemistry EDDs. EDP and EDGE significantly improve data collection, quality and efficiency, an unbeatable combination encompassing the entire workflow.

EarthSoft CEO Mitch Beard said, "We are proud that we've worked for the US EPA for more than a decade and that use of EQiS is growing within the top environmental regulatory agency in the world."

**About EarthSoft:** EarthSoft's EQiS is the world's most widely used environmental data management software. Please write [info@earthsoft.com](mailto:info@earthsoft.com), or visit [www.earthsoft.com](http://www.earthsoft.com), for further information.