

Below is information on downloading and installing western Washington Hydrology Model version 2 (WVHM2)

1- Downloading files

Download the latest files by clicking on the file names and save them in any drive or sub-folder. (These files are self-extracting zip files)

- (a)- Download the latest version of WVHM2_(Month-Day-Year).exe
- (b)- Download the county of your choice at the bottom of the web page.
- (c)- Most recent patch (if any!) to update WVHM2.

2- Unzip (extract) the setup files

The setup files in 1(a) may be extracted and saved in any drive or sub-folder by double-clicking on "WVHM2_(Month-Day-Year).exe" and choosing to unzip. Three files will be extracted (setup.exe, SETUP.LST, wvhm.CAB).

3- Installing WVHM2

- (a)- Remove the previous version of WVHM2 from your PC by going to ["Start\Settings\Control Panel\Add-Remove Programs\WVHM2_"] and choosing to remove WVHM2.
- (b)- Installation
 - i) Double-click on the "setup.exe" for installation of the latest version of WVHM2. It is preferred that you accept the default drive and sub-folder (C:\Program Files\WVHM2). (Do not install on a network drive)
 - ii) Choose "**No to All**", if you get the following message during the installation: [A file being copied is not newer than the file currently on your system. It is recommended that you keep your existing file..."]

4- Loading a county map

To load a county map in WVHM2, double-click on the county's name and choose "OK" then "Unzip".

WVHM2 is now ready to be launched. The program name is "wvhm.exe" and it resides in the "C:\Program Files\WVHM2" sub-folder. (The icon has a blue background with a picture of clouds and rain over it)

Computer Requirements

- Windows 9x/ME/2000/XP with 50 MB uncompressed hard drive space
- Internet access (only required for downloading program, not required for executing WVHM)
- Pentium 2 or faster processor (desirable)
- Color monitor (desirable)

Please call or email Foroozan Labib if you have any questions on the operation of the model or problems that you will find with the model.

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