

Please Read – ICE Database Advanced Version

Within this zip file was a copy of the ICE Database Advanced version.

Requirement to register for permission to use for non-educational use

Users that wish to use the ICE Database for non-educational use are now required to register for permission to use the data. [An educational version is available without registration for permission to use.]

Registration supports the ICE Database, allowing increased understanding of how and where the ICE Database is used.

A summary of the registration process was within the zip file.

Registration can be completed through the webpage below:

<https://circularecology.com/RegisterICE.html>

Permission to use is issued in writing (currently through email).

Machine Readable ICE Database no Longer in Advanced ICE Database Version

A more machine readable data format is available for the ICE Database. It is an excel file format in a tabular structure. This format has been available since ICE V3. However, in order to raise funds towards the maintenance and development of the ICE Database, it is now available exclusively through buying on the Circular Ecology website store. Net proceeds will go towards the maintenance of the free version of the ICE Database.

Find out more about how you can support ICE, including a link to the Machine Readable product:

<https://circularecology.com/how-to-support-ice.html>

ICE Database Supporter System

The ICE Database is a free resource. Circular Ecology are committed to keeping a version freely available. However, the reality is that funds need to be raised to cover the maintenance and development of the database.

Updates have been too infrequent, being in 2011, 2019 and more recently 2024 and 2025. The embodied carbon landscape has changed immeasurably over that time, but the ICE database wasn't updated enough to reflect this. We intend to change this and plan to bring all the old data up to date (various data is still from the 2011 version). We also hope to expand the database in the future.

In order to help raise the funds for the maintenance and development of the ICE database, we have developed a supporter system. Contributions are optional for all users.

<https://circularecology.com/ice-supporter-system.html>