Environmental Permitting Regulations Industrial Sites - Quarterly Summary

Industry permits or installations are more complex permitted activities under the Environmental Permitting Regulations, regulated by the Environment Agency and can include power stations, chemical works, incinerators, paper mills, larger waste storage, transfer and treatment facilities, operational non-inert landfill sites, food and drinks manufacturers and intensive farms.

How is the dataset produced?

We accept applications for installation activities. These can include bespoke activities (where each permit can have different conditions tailored to the application) or those for standard rules activities (where an applicant signs up to a set of standard conditions). Our National Permitting Service determines the application, and if accepted, issues an effective permit for the activity to the operator.

This dataset contains details of all those effective permits. After issue local regulatory officers then check that the operator is compliant with their permit conditions and can take enforcement action against them, if necessary, which can include revocation of the permit.

How often is this dataset produced?

We publish and update this dataset every quarter.

The data

The dataset contains the following fields in an excel spreadsheet:

- Original permit reference
- Operator
- Site name
- Site address and postcode
- Primary permitted activity reference
- Primary permitted activity reference description
- Activity references of all activities on the site
- Industry sector
- Local authority
- EA area
- Grid reference
- Original date of issue

It includes sites with effective permits only. It does not include sites that have had their permits surrendered or revoked.

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Use of the data

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Other related data sources

Other related datasets that can be downloaded from https://data.gov.uk/data/search include:

Dataset	Description
Environmental Permitting Regulations - Industrial Sites	A more detailed installations dataset in Microsoft Access.
Environmental Permitting Regulations - Waste Quarterly Summary	Similar information to this dataset but for waste operations in Microsoft Excel. It includes activities such as smaller waste storage, transfer and treatment facilities, metal/vehicle waste recovery operations, operational inert landfill sites and closed landfill sites not meeting the requirements of the Landfill Directive.
Environmental Permitting Regulations - Waste Sites	A more detailed waste dataset in Microsoft Access.
Environmental Permitting Regulations - Landfill Sites	A list of permitted landfill sites in Microsoft Excel.
Environmental Permitting Regulations - Historic Landfill Sites	A list of former landfill sites. This dataset is still chargeable for commercial use until April 2018.
Waste operations and installations public register	This is updated every day and some information can be viewed and downloaded.

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