Getting to Know ArcObjectsWorkbook Updates for ArcGIS 9 Compatibility

The current edition of *Getting to Know ArcObjects* was developed for ArcGIS Desktop 8.3. It is compatible with ArcGIS Desktop 9 after the following updates are made.

Update 1

Replace the Arsons and Burglaries shapefiles used in chapters 6 and 10 with newer versions by downloading and running the following patch:

Download Ch6&10DataUpdate.exe (78k .exe)

Ch6&10DataUpdate.exe is a self-extracting WinZip file. After downloading it, run the executable and unzip the replacement files to the \ArcObjects\Data\DC folder of your Getting to Know ArcObjects exercise data. (For example, if the data is installed on your C: drive, set C:\ArcObjects\data\DC as the path to unzip to, then click the Unzip button on the WinZip Self-Extractor dialog.)

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Update 2

On page 186, replace step 20 in exercise 11a with the following text: "Click the Window menu and click Table of Contents."

Update 3

On page 207, step 12, users may encounter an "Unable to display help" error. This is due to the absence of the Desktop Software Developer Kit. Workaround: Instead of pressing F1 to bring up the ArcGIS Developer Help, users can search the Online Developer Help at the following link:

http://resources.esri.com/arcgisdesktop/index.cfm?fa=forDevelopers

Update 4

On page 234, step 5, users may encounter an "Unable to display help" error. This is due to the absence of the Desktop Software Developer Kit. Workaround: Instead of pressing F1 to bring up the ArcGIS Developer Help, users can search the Online Developer Help at the following link:

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