

## **RiskMod Frequently Asked Questions**

9/30/99 **Q:** Is @Risk needed to run RiskMod if you do not want to change the simulated parameters of the risk variables?

**A:** No.

9/30/99 **Q:** Is Microsoft Access required?

**A:** Microsoft Access is not required to run RiskMod, i.e., to run the study as provided on the RiskMod CD. RevSim and the report generation modules provided on the RiskMod CD (RevRept\_50WY.xls and RevRept\_300iter.xls) interact with the RiskMod database using routines in the Microsoft Data Access Objects (DAO) 3.51 object library. The report generation modules generate Excel spreadsheets needed to transfer RiskMod results to other models (i.e., RAM and ToolKit).

However, Access is required if you desire to view or modify some tables in the input database.

9/30/99 **Q:** Is Visual Basic that comes with Office applications sufficient or is there another product that RiskMod needs?

**A:** Visual Basic for Applications (VBA) is sufficient to run RevSim and the report generation modules.

The Data Manager program was developed in Visual Basic 5.0 (Professional Edition). You will need a Visual Basic license in addition to Office applications to run this program.

9/30/99 **Q:** Will the recent releases of Microsoft Office and Visual Basic work?

**A:** Any release of Microsoft Office 97 or later should work. The Data Manager program was developed with Visual Basic 5.0 (Professional Edition) but it should run under version 6.0 also.