FMS 8.8 Tips

FMS Tip #1

Opening Downloaded Query Results in Excel

When downloading query results from FMS into Excel they may open up inside of the Internet Explorer (IE) browser window. If you prefer that the results open up in the Excel application here is the solution.

- 1. Open up the **My Computer** icon
- 2. From the Tools menu, choose Folder Options
- 3. Click the **File Types** tab See Figure 1.
- 4. Scroll down to **XLS** (very near the bottom)
- 5. Click the Advanced button and unclick the Browse in Same Window checkbox See Figure 2.
- 6. Click **OK** in the **Edit File Type** window
- 7. Click **Close** in the **Folder Options** window.

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Figure 1 – Folder Options window

Figure 2 – Edit File Type window