

WBSCM Minimum System Requirements

	Minimum Requirement	Notes:
Hardware		
Processor	800MHz +	
Memory	512 MG +	
Hard Disk Drive	110 MB +	
Monitor Resolution	1024 x 768 16K colors or better	
Software		
Operating System	Microsoft Windows XP, or Microsoft Windows Vista	
Web Browser	Microsoft Internet Explorer 6.0 - Service Pack 2 or Microsoft Internet Explorer 7.0	WBSCM is not compatible with Internet Explorer 8.0 running in native mode. WBSCM will support Internet Explorer 8.0 running in IE 7.0 compatibility mode.
Adobe Flasher Player	Adobe Flash Player 8.0, 9.0, or 10.2	Only needed for viewing uPerform simulations.
Additional Desktop Integration Software	Microsoft Office (MS-Word, MS-Excel); Adobe Acrobat Reader	Required for viewing documents attached to WBSCM transactions.
Additional Software for Records Management	Internet Explorer web browser SAP Plug-in	This software will only be applicable to USAID, USDA, and Freight Forwarder staff and supports only Internet Explorer 6 and 7 browsers.
Additional Software for Procurement	Java Runtime Environment 1.4.2 or higher	This software will only be applicable to USAID, USDA users of Procurement transactions.

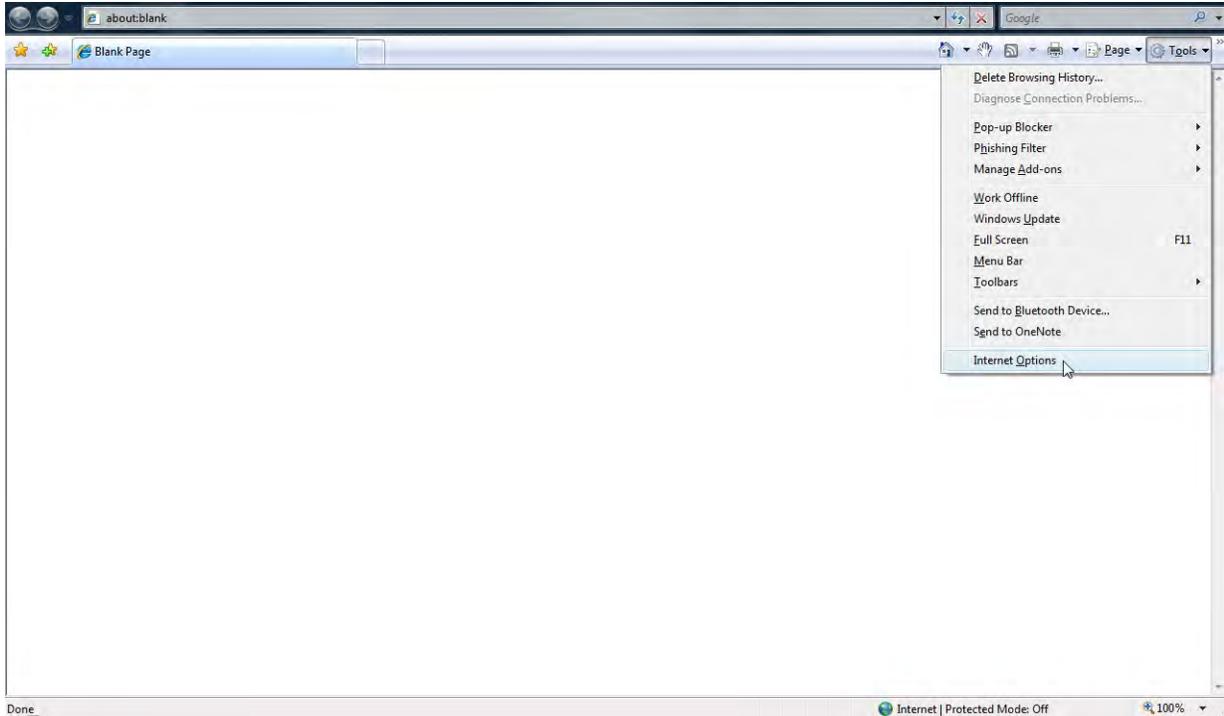
Notes:

- Records Management requires the SAP Plug-ins which only supports Internet Explorer 6 and 7. Other browsers (Firefox 2.0) do not support Records Management.
- For users who currently have Internet Explorer 8.0, the SAP Portal is not compatible with this version and you are advised to uninstall it and install Internet Explorer 7.0, or run Internet Explorer in IE7 compatibility mode.
- Due to the Records Management requirement, Mac users can use their Macs to access WBSCM by visiting an Apple store to install Windows as a second operating system.
- Sun JRE version 1.4.2 or Higher is only needed by Internal users who execute the following Procurement transactions which have approver workflows:
 - Process Bid Invitation
 - Process Contract
 - Process Purchase Order

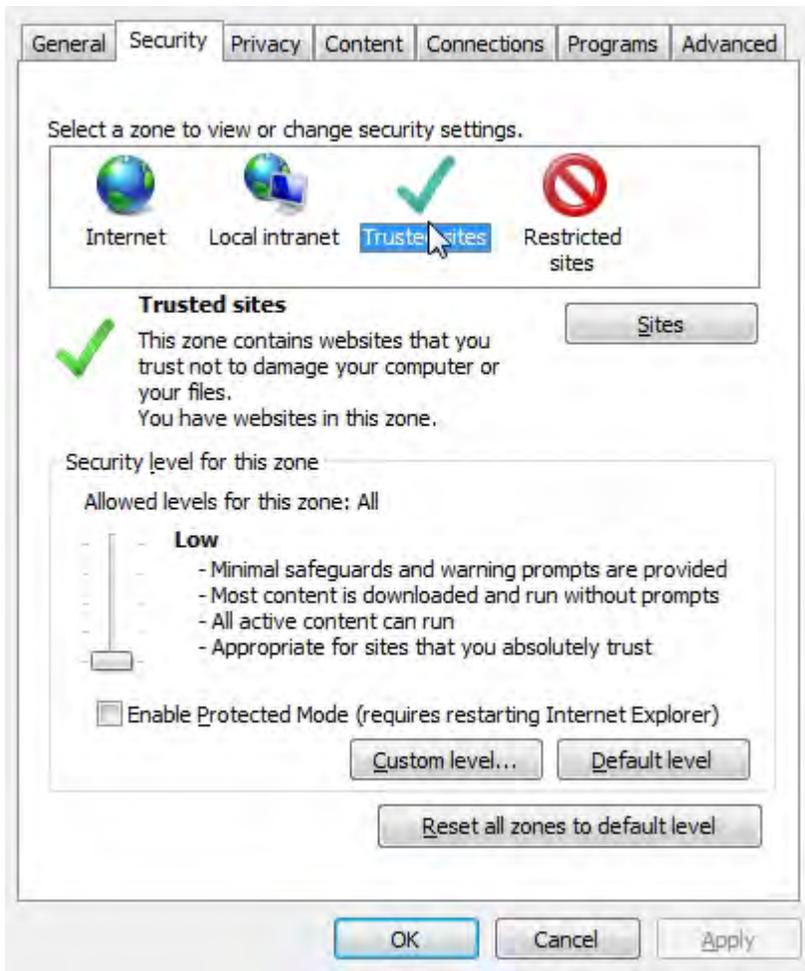
WBSCM End User Computer Settings for Internet Explorer

Add WBSCM to the Trusted Sites List

- Open Internet Explorer.
- Select *Internet Options* from the *Tools* menu.



- In *Internet Options* dialog box select the *Security* tab.



- Select *Trusted Sites* from the *Zone* choices.
- Click the *Sites* button.
- Add **.wbscm.usda.gov* to the *Trusted Sites* zone.



You can add and remove websites from this zone. All websites in this zone will use the zone's security settings.

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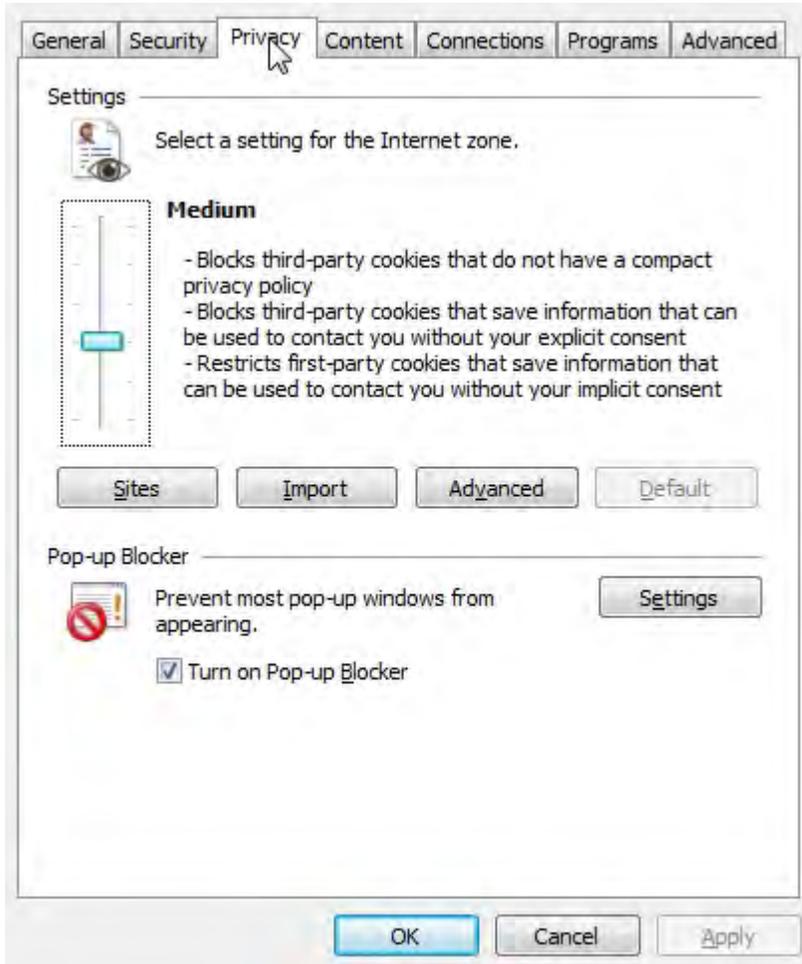
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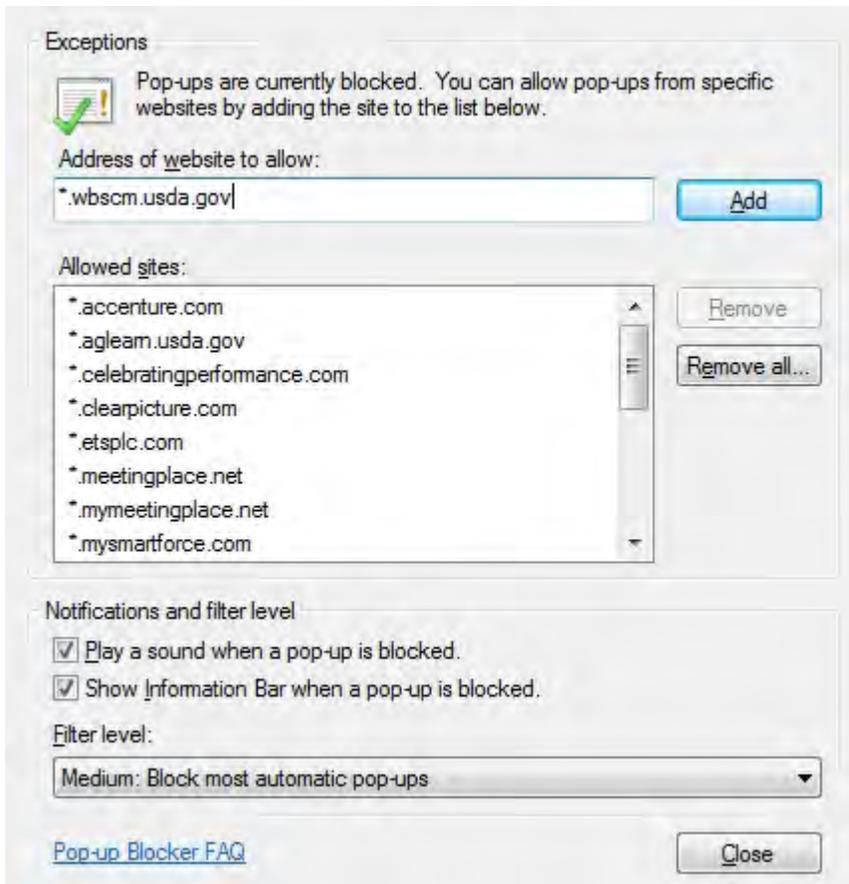
Close

Add WBSCM to the Popup Blocker Exceptions List

- Open Internet Explorer.
- Select *Internet Options* from the *Tools* menu.
- In *Internet Options* dialog box select the *Privacy* tab.



- Click the *Settings* button in the *Pop-up Blocker* section
- Add **.wbscm.usda.gov* to the *Address of website to allow* box.



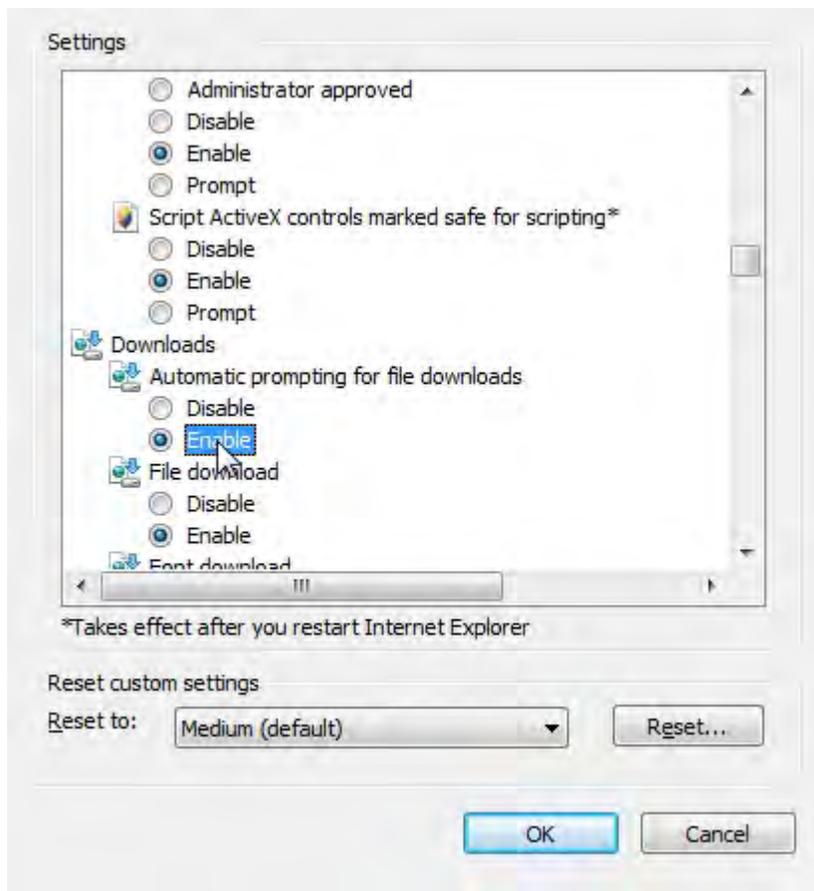
- Click *Add*
- NOTE: Please add *.wbscm.usda.gov to the exceptions list of any third-party browser toolbars in the browser, like Google Toolbar, AOL toolbar, etc.

Allow JavaScript and Automatic Downloads

- Open Internet Explorer.
- Select *Internet Options* from the *Tools* menu.
- In *Internet Options* dialog box select the *Security* tab.
- Select *Trusted Sites* from the *Zone* choices.



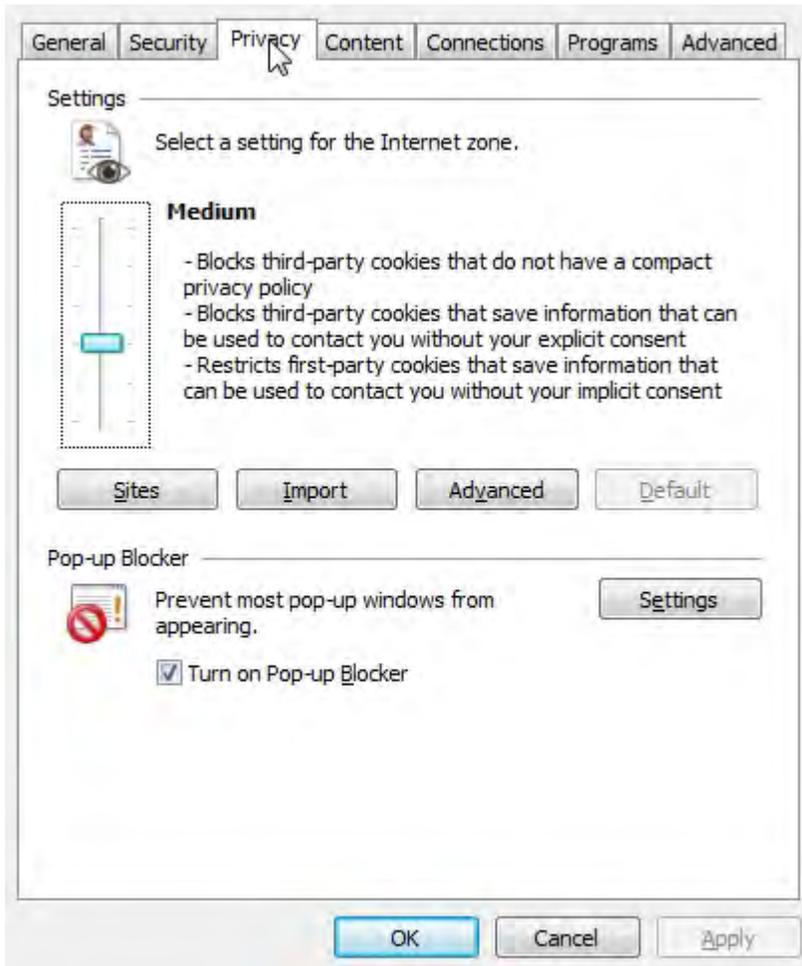
- Click the *Custom level* button



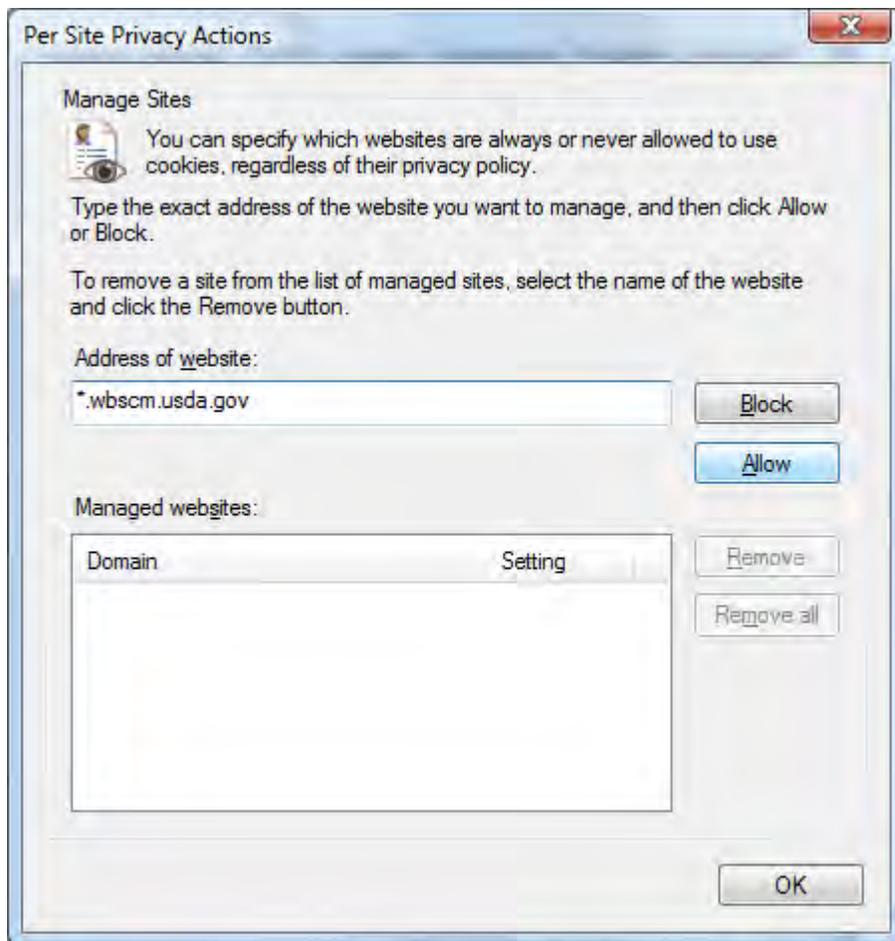
- Select *Enable* in *Downloads* → *Automatic prompting for file downloads*
- Select *Enable* in *Scripting* → *Active Scripting*
- Select *Enable* in *Scripting* → *Allow paste options via script*
- Select *Enable* in *Scripting* → *Scripting of Java applets*

Allow Cookies

- Open Internet Explorer.
- Select *Internet Options* from the *Tools* menu.
- In *Internet Options* dialog box select the *Security* tab.
- In *Internet Options* dialog box select the *Privacy* tab.



- Click the *Sites* button in the *Settings* section
- Add **.wbscm.usda.gov* to the *Address of website* box.



- Click *Allow*

Internet Explorer Compatibility Mode Settings – Option 1

- Open Internet Explorer.
- Navigate to the WBSM URL <https://portal.wbscm.usda.gov>
- Authenticate with USDA eAuthentication to arrive at the WBSM portal home page
- Browser header bar should have the compatibility mode button toggled off, as below

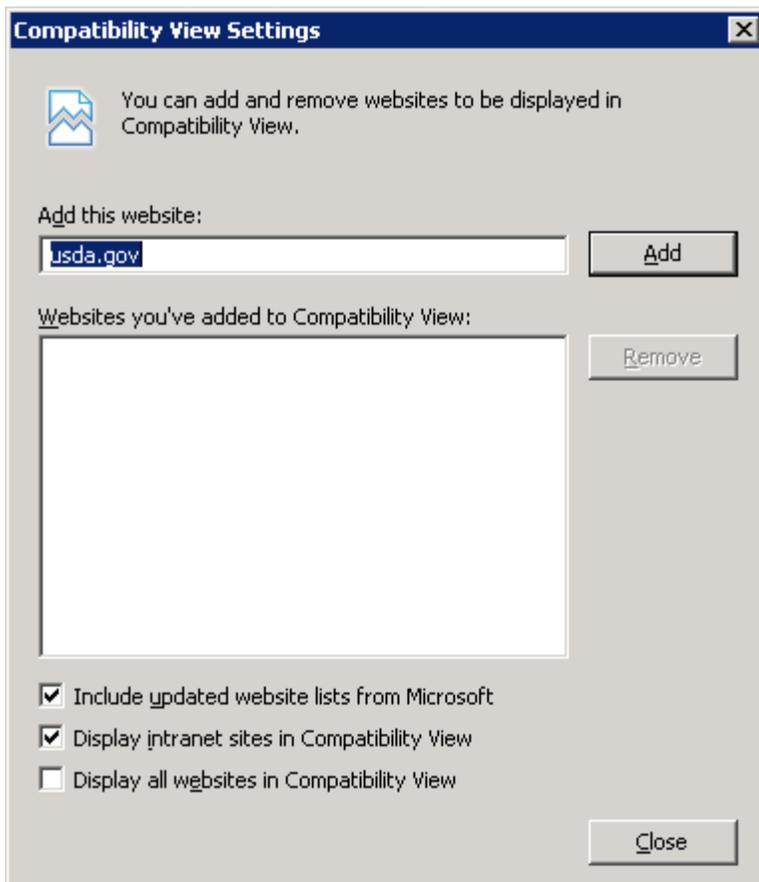


- Click the compatibility mode button in the address bar to enable IE7 compatibility mode. Button should switch state

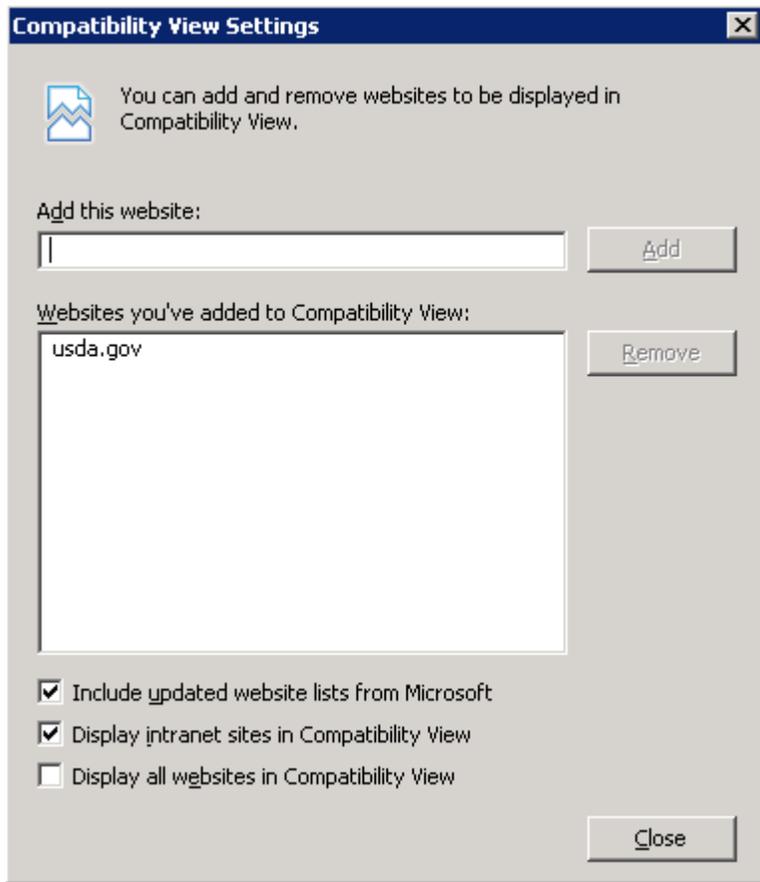


Internet Explorer Compatibility Mode Settings – Option 2

- Open Internet Explorer.
- Select *Compatibility View Settings* from the *Tools* menu.



- In the *Add this website* text box type *usda.gov* and click Add.



- Click *Close*.
- All *USDA.gov* will now appear in IE7 compatibility mode

