

1 Q. Please provide the electronic version of all files and worksheets, formulas
2 intact, used to design rates.

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5 A. Database programs are used to design rates. The analyst use these
6 programs to iteratively develop the detailed rate proposal by rate component
7 through the exercise of judgement. The provision of the underlying database
8 programs and numerous data files will not assist in the understanding of the
9 design of rates. The results of the calculations are available in PUB-30 NLH
10 and PUB-35 NLH.