

Statistics Resources

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<http://nces.ed.gov/> **The National Center for Education Statistics (NCES)**, located within the U.S. Department of Education and the Institute of Education Sciences, is the primary federal entity for collecting and analyzing data related to education.

<http://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/> **The Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS)**, established as the core postsecondary education data collection program for NCES, is a system of surveys designed to collect data from all primary providers of postsecondary education. IPEDS is a single, comprehensive system designed to encompass all institutions and educational organizations whose primary purpose is to provide postsecondary education. The IPEDS system is built around a series of interrelated surveys to collect institution-level data in such areas as enrollments, program completions, faculty, staff, and finances.

<http://www.statistics.gov.uk/> **National Statistics** Britain's economy, population and society at national and local level. Summaries and detailed data releases are published free of charge.

<http://www.bls.gov/> **The Bureau of Labor Statistics** is the principal fact-finding agency for the Federal Government in the broad field of labor economics and statistics.

<http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/> The mission of the **National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS)** is to provide statistical information that will guide actions and policies to improve the health of the American people. As the Nation's principal health statistics agency, NCHS leads the way with accurate, relevant, and timely data.

<http://www.census.gov/> **The Census Bureau** serves as the leading source of quality data about the nation's people and economy. We honor privacy, protect confidentiality, share our expertise globally, and conduct our work openly.

<http://www.nationmaster.com/index.php> **NationMaster** is a vast compilation of data from such sources as the CIA World Factbook, UN, and OECD. Using the form above, you can generate maps and graphs on all kinds of statistics with ease.

<http://www.statemaster.com/index.php> **StateMaster** is a unique statistical database which allows you to research and compare a multitude of different data on US states. We have compiled information from various primary sources such as the US Census Bureau, the FBI, and the National Center for Educational Statistics.

<http://www.firstgov.gov/> As the U.S. government's official web portal, **FirstGov.gov** makes it easy for the public to get U.S. government information and services on the web. FirstGov.gov also serves as the catalyst for a growing electronic government.

<http://www.xist.org/default1.aspx> **GeoHive**, a site with geopolitical data, statistics on the human population, Earth and more. The main kind of data you can find here is population statistics of regions, countries, provinces and cities. Next to that there are some statistics on economic factors like wealth, infrastructure; statistics on natural phenomena.

<http://www.adherents.com/> **Adherents.com** is a growing collection of over 43,870 adherent statistics and religious geography citations: references to published membership/adherent statistics and congregation statistics for over 4,200 religions, churches, denominations, religious bodies, faith groups, tribes, cultures, movements, ultimate concerns, etc. The religions of the world are enumerated here.

<http://www.census.gov/csd/susb/susb.htm> Data files used in the **Statistics of U.S. Businesses (SUSB)** program were created from the annual [County Business Patterns \(CBP\)](#) files. The SUSB data files are developed in cooperation with, and partially funded by, the [Office of Advocacy](#) of the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA).