

## Finding OECD Statistics

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NU community members have access to OECD books, periodicals and databases. We also have access to IEA books through SourceOECD but not IEA databases. **For assistance using SourceOECD please contact the department in person, by phone (1-847-491-3130), or by email ([govpubs@northwestern.edu](mailto:govpubs@northwestern.edu)).**

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For Statistics there are 2 choices:

- PDF tables within books and periodicals
- Interactive databases

### Books

The tabs link to PDF **books**, **periodicals** and **working papers**.

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### Databases

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We also have a CD version of the 2003 statistical compendium. The CD is kept in the Government Publications reference rack.

### **The Statistical Compendium.**

Both the online and CD versions can be a little clunky. They both involve a lot of drilling down before you can access data. However, both the CD and the online version have the same data and both offer the option of exporting to Excel. For the online Statistical Compendium try not to create too huge of a table and then export your data out of there as soon as possible. For the CD, work left to right and get into excel in order to see what you have.

The Statistical Compendium is divided into 9 themes of different databases. It includes:

#### **Development and Aid**

- DAC Aid Performance
- Official Development Assistance by Sectors
- External Debt Statistics
- Development Co-operation: Statistical Annex
- Aid and other Resource Flows to the CEEC/NIS
- Geographical Distribution of Financial Flows to Aid Recipients

#### **General Economic Problems**

- International Sectoral Data Base (ISDB)
- OECD Business Sector Data Base (BSDB)
- OECD Economic Outlook Statistics and Projections
- Fiscal Positions and Business Cycles

#### **Economic Indicators**

- Main Economic Indicators (incl. Leading Indicators)
- Statistics on International Trade in Services

#### **National Accounts and Historical Statistics**

- National Accounts, I
- National Accounts, II
- Quarterly National Accounts
- Flows and Stocks of Fixed Capital
- Services: Statistics on Value Added and Employment
- OECD Historical Statistics
- Central Government Debt

#### **Labour Market and Social Issues**

- OECD Labour Market Statistics
- Quarterly Labour Force Statistics
- OECD Non-Members Labour Market Database
- OECD Social Expenditure Database
- International Migration Statistics

#### **Financial and Fiscal Affairs**

- International Direct Investment
- Insurance Statistics

- Revenue Statistics of OECD Member Countries
- Taxing Wages
- Bank Profitability - Financial Statements of Banks
- Interest Rates on International and Domestic Markets
- Non Financial Enterprises Financial Statements
- OECD Financial Accounts
- International Capital Market Statistics
- Institutional Investors - Statistical Yearbook

### **Industry, Science and Technology**

- Basic Science and Technology Statistics
- Main Science and Technology Statistics
- The OECD STAN database for Industrial Analysis
- Analytical Business Enterprise Research and Development Database (ANBERD)
- Indicators of Activities for Industry and Services
- Structure Statistics for Industry & Services
- Main Industrial Indicators
- OECD Telecommunications Database
- The Role of Multinationals in OECD Economies

### **Foreign Trade**

- Monthly Foreign Trade Statistics - Series A
- International Trade and Competitiveness Indicators
- International Trade by Commodity Statistics (ITS): Total Trade in 1000 US\$
- Annual Exchange rates for ITS data
- NEW: (via the Internet only) ITCS International Trade by Commodity Statistics (HS 96 + HS 88 coding)

### **Agriculture**

- The Agricultural Commodities Outlook Database
- Producer and Consumer Support Estimates Database
- Agricultural Policies in Emerging and Transition Economies
- Economic Accounts for Agriculture