
Subject: Re: DHS API Data vs StatCompiler

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All data in the DHS STATcompiler comes from the DHS API. The API, though, by default, displays national estimates. To get the disaggregated data, you need to add the breakdown parameter (see <http://api.dhsprogram.com/#!/api-data.cfm>). For example:

For national estimates of the TFR:

https://api.dhsprogram.com/rest/dhs/data/FE_FRTR_W_TFR?f=html

If you want to add subnational estimates, you add &breakdown=subnational, e.g.

https://api.dhsprogram.com/rest/dhs/data/FE_FRTR_W_TFR?f=html&breakdown=subnational

If you want just other background characteristics, you add &breakdown=background, e.g.

https://api.dhsprogram.com/rest/dhs/data/FE_FRTR_W_TFR?f=html&breakdown=background

If you want all disaggregations, you add &breakdown=all, e.g.

https://api.dhsprogram.com/rest/dhs/data/FE_FRTR_W_TFR?f=html&breakdown=all
