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Subject: Cost of DHS data

Posted by [DHS user](#) on Wed, 20 Feb 2013 16:35:40 GMT

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How do I access DHS data, and is there a charge for using the data?

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Subject: Re: Cost of DHS data

Posted by [Bridgette-DHS](#) on Wed, 20 Feb 2013 16:41:24 GMT

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DHS statistics can also be obtained using the STATcompiler tool: <http://www.statcompiler.com>. This online database tool allows users to select numerous countries and hundreds of indicators to create customized tables that serve their specific data needs. It accesses nearly all of the population and health indicators that are published in DHS final reports: <http://www.measuredhs.com/publications/publication-search.cfm?type=5>. Authorization is not needed to use the STATcompiler.

To register for a download account, please go to:

<http://www.measuredhs.com/data/new-user-registration.cfm>

I hope this helps.

Bridgette-DHS

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