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Government Documents Department**

POPULAR GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS

FEDERAL:

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance

Frequency - Annual Call Number - PREX 2.20:year (index table)
Lists grants and other funds that are available from the Federal government. Gives qualifications needed and application guidelines.

URL: <http://www.cfda.gov/>
or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS1729>

Census of Population and Housing

Frequency - Decennial Call Number - Various
Gives statistics for the U.S., states, counties (parishes), and cities on topics such as the races, ages, and incomes of the population. Also provides information about housing such as number of people renting, and number of houses vacant.

URL: <http://www.census.gov>

Code of Federal Regulations

Frequency - Annual Call Number - AE 2.106/3:
Contains the regulations established by Federal agencies that are currently in force.

URL: <http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/cfr/cfr-table-search.html>
or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS494>

Congressional Directory

Frequency - Biennial Call Number - Y 4.P 93/1:1 (index table)
Gives addresses, phone numbers, committee assignments, and biographical information for all members of Congress.

URL: <http://www.gpoaccess.gov/cdirectory/index.html>
or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS194>

Crime in the United States (Uniform Crime Reports)

Frequency - Annual Call Number - J 1.14/7: (index table)
Gives statistics on types of crimes committed in the U.S., and on persons arrested.

URL: <http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/ucr.htm>
or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS3082>

Digest of Education Statistics

Frequency - Annual Call Number - ED 1.326: (index table)
Provides statistics on enrollment, degrees conferred, and so on in elementary, secondary and higher education institutions in the U.S. Also gives financial information.

URL: <http://nces.ed.gov/programs/digest/>
or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS6878>

Economic Indicators

Frequency - Monthly Call Number - Y 4.EC 7:EC 7

Gives a statistical picture of the U.S. economy. Provides statistics such as gross domestic product, national income, corporate profits, employment, unemployment, wages, consumer prices, and Federal debt.

URL: <http://www.gpoaccess.gov/indicators/browse.html>

or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS1458>

Federal Register

Frequency - Daily Call Number - AE 2.106: and Docs. Film 400

Includes regulations and legal notices issued by Federal agencies; Presidential proclamations; Executive Orders; documents that are required to be published by act of Congress; and other Federal documents of public interest.

URL: <http://www.gpoaccess.gov/fr/index.html>

or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS1756>

Historical Statistics of the United States

Frequency - N/A Call Number - C 3.134/2:H 62 (index table)

The last government-issued edition covers from colonial times to 1970. Provides statistics on population, births, deaths, migration, labor, prices and price indexes, national income and wealth, agriculture, and so on. An updated edition was issued by a private publisher in 2006.

URL: <http://www.census.gov/prod/www/abs/statab.html>

or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS55561> (vol. 1)

<http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS55811> (vol. 2)

Occupational Outlook Handbook

Frequency - Annual Call Number - L 2.3/4: (index table)

Describes hundreds of occupations in detail. Includes information about the nature of the tasks performed, the usual working conditions, training required, general earnings, and outlook for employment in each occupation.

URL: <http://www.bls.gov/oco/home.htm>

or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS51754>

Public Papers of the Presidents

Frequency - Annual Call Number - AE 2.114:

Contains the papers and speeches of each president in chronological order. Also usually includes a section of photographs of the president.

URL: <http://www.gpoaccess.gov/pubpapers/search.html>

or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS4752>

Statistical Abstract of the United States

Frequency - Annual Call Number - C 3.134: (index table)

Provides statistics compiled by the Bureau of the Census, other government agencies, and some private associations. Topics covered include health and nutrition, parks, recreation and travel, elections, national defense, banking, business, communications, energy, and many others.

URL: <http://www.census.gov/prod/www/statistical-abstract.html>

or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS2878>

United States Code

Frequency - Sexennially Call Number - Y 1.2/5: (index table)
Contains the general and permanent laws of the U.S. arranged by subject. Indexing includes a list of acts by popular names (e.g. Americans with Disabilities Act).
URL: <http://www.gpoaccess.gov/uscode/index.html>
or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS2873>

United States Government Manual

Frequency - Biennial Call Number - AE 2.108/2: (index table)
The "official handbook of the Federal Government." Provides information on the agencies of the legislative, judicial and executive branches. Includes listings of officials, phone numbers, addresses, and descriptions of the purpose and history of each agency.
URL: <http://www.gpoaccess.gov/gmanual/index.html>
or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS2410>

World Factbook

Frequency - Annual Call Number - PREX 3.15: (index table)
Issued by the Central Intelligence Agency. Provides statistics on geography, population, economy, etc. for dozens of foreign countries.
URL: <http://www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/index.html>
or: <http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS552>

LOUISIANA STATE:

Annual Health Report Card

Frequency – Annual Call Number - H 1.1:RC/year (LA index table)
Provides statistics on births and deaths in the state, as well as incidents of specific diseases. Also includes information about health assessment programs.
URL: <http://www.dhh.louisiana.gov/offices/reports.asp?ID=275>

Constitution of the State of Louisiana

Frequency - Annual Call Number - Y 5.1: (LA index table)
A new edition is issued each year to reflect amendments and revisions.
URL: <http://senate.legis.state.la.us/Documents/Constitution/>

District Composite Reports

Frequency - Annual Call Number - E 1.2:Pr
A statewide report of ten educational performance indicators. These indicators include class size, student attendance, student dropouts, and student expulsions.
URL: <http://www.doe.state.la.us/ldc/pair/1613.aspx>

Louisiana Administrative Code

Frequency – Annual Call number – Go 50.5:
A state-certified publication that provides a set of rules which have been formally adopted or amended by Louisiana state agencies.
URL: <http://www.doa.louisiana.gov/osr/lac/lac.htm>

Louisiana Register

Frequency - Monthly Call Number - Go 50.7:
Includes rules, executive orders, and legal notices issued by state agencies.
URL: <http://www.doa.louisiana.gov/osr/reg/register.htm>

Louisiana School Directory

Frequency - Annual Call Number - E 1.9: (L 154 .B32 D5 in Ref. Dept.)
A listing of staff and phone numbers for the state Department of Education, educational organizations, and Louisiana public schools.
URL: <http://www.doe.state.la.us/lde/directory/home.html>

Official Publications

Frequency - Varies Call Number - Li 1.10:OP (LA index table)
The cumulated index to Louisiana state publications.
URL: Not available online.

Public Documents

Frequency - Semi-annual Call Number - Li 1.10:PD (LA index table)
The most up-to-date index to Louisiana state publications. Superseded by *Official Publications*.
URL: http://www.state.lib.la.us/la_dyn_templ.cfm?doc_id=120

Roster of Officials

Frequency - Annual Call Number - JK 4730 .A32 (Ref. and 4th floor)
Provides pictures, addresses, phone numbers and biographical information on elected officials statewide.
URL: Not available online. For addresses and phone numbers of officials see <http://www.sec.state.la.us/coming.htm>

GENERAL INTERNET RESOURCES:

GPO Access: The U.S. Government Printing Office home page
<http://www.gpoaccess.gov/>

Louisiana.gov: The state's official web portal
<http://www.louisiana.gov>

Sims Memorial Library, Government Documents Department home page
<http://www.selu.edu/library/directory/govdoc/>

USA.gov: The U.S. Government's Official Web Portal
<http://www.usa.gov>

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