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Direct access to reported financial statement data from a single source for meaningful peer and period-over-period comparisons.

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Expanded Coverage of RatingsDirect CreditStats Direct

Public Finance Sector	Count of Companies**
School District	4323
Municipal & County	4002
Health Care Acute	477
Private Colleges	290
Public Colleges	242
Airports	77
States & Territories	52
Health Care Senior Living	37
TOTAL	9500

Credit Assessment Scorecards

Gain confidence in your decision-making and the reliability of your company's internal risk rating systems with S&P Global Market Intelligence's Scorecards.

- Score states, municipalities, counties, school districts and special purpose districts of any size, in any state.
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*as of April 14, 2017

**as of December 2016

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