

What do you get when you subscribe to Compustat® fundamental data? **Here's our CV:**

A comprehensive database with standardized, historical, and point-in-time data, with flexible delivery options.

Global Coverage

North America

- Fundamental and market data on 7,500+ public companies that trade on a U.S. or Canadian exchange, with 5,000+ data items
- 32,000+ active and inactive companies
- 99.9% of market cap
- 82% of listed companies
- 780+ private companies

Europe

- Fundamental and market data on 7,000+ public companies
- 99.9% of market cap
- 97.5% of listed companies
- 480+ private companies

APAC

- Fundamental and market data on 23,200+ public companies
- 99.9% of market cap
- 99.4% of listed companies
- 880+ private companies

Latin America

- Fundamental and market data on 970+ public companies
- 99.9% of market cap
- 97.7% of listed companies
- 75+ private companies

Middle East & Africa

- Fundamental and market data on 2,750+ public companies
- 99.9% of market cap
- 98.5% of listed companies
- 160+ private companies

Historical Coverage

North American fundamentals

- Annual data from 1950, quarterly from 1962, and daily pricing data from 1984
- Segment history data as far back as 1976

Global (ex-North America) fundamentals

- Annual data from 1988, quarterly from 2003, daily from 1986, and monthly available for up to 20 years prior

Executive Compensation Data (ExecuComp)

- Annual compensation data from 1992 on the top five executive officers
- 33,000+ executives and 220+ data items

Point-in-Time Data (Snapshot)

- Preliminary and final data for annual, quarterly, and year-to-date periods, with ability to identify what item values have changed and when
- Point-in-time data as early as 1986
- Annual data from 1970 and quarterly data from 1978

Data Items Collected

- 10,000+ items collected
- Income statement, balance sheet, and cash flow
- Industry-specific, segment, pension, and post-retirement data
- Option, auditor, internal control data
- Quarterly earnings report date, actual period end date, preliminary and final update dates
- Date and timestamp of filings
- Recent FASB rulings covering stock-based compensation, non-controlling interest, pension, and fair value
- Entity marker, industry classifications (GICS, SIC, NAICS)
- Market data, including issue-level data for price, dividend, shares, and shares traded
- Economic data and acquisition items

Frequency of Delivery

- Fundamentals and market data delivered four times daily
- Intraday delivery available

Multiple Delivery Channels

- WRDS platform
- CRSP platform
- S&P Capital IQ platform
- Xpressfeed™
- API
- Market Intelligence platform (coming soon)
- Excel Plug-in

Widespread Financial Research

- 21,000+ research papers posted on SSRN using Compustat® data, growing each month by 150+
- Cited in high-quality research, including Fama French portfolio allocation papers
- Used by 99 of the top 100 research universities in North America and 75% of the world's top research universities
- Used by 50 of 50 top business schools (US News and World Report)

Data Collection Team

- Average of 11 years of experience and more than half with 15+ years
- 90% with accounting/finance degrees
- 30% hold MBA or equivalent
- 9% hold CFA/CFP or equivalent

Data Accuracy

- Over 14,000 checks performed daily
- 99.9% accuracy ratio
- \$50 reward for errors as part of our Quality Program
- Average of 16.5 years of experience on QA team

Industry Specific Coverage

- Utilities, Managed Care, Healthcare, Gaming, Financial Services/Banks, Airlines, Oil & Gas, Retail, Homebuilding, Mining, Semiconductors

Why Compustat®?

- **Time-tested:** Give your research immediate credibility with data that continues to be the standard of distinction.
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