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SoilMap

< <http://soilmap.psu.edu> >

SoilMap provides free and convenient online access to detailed soils information for all of Pennsylvania, as well as a wide variety of other environmental data layers. A suite of simple tools allows users to interact with the online mapping and retrieve a wealth of information about Pennsylvania's natural resources.

PASDA

< <http://www.pasda.psu.edu> >

Pennsylvania Spatial Data Access (PASDA) is Pennsylvania's official public access geospatial information clearinghouse. It provides some current aerial photos that you can load into GOOGLE Earth. Especially useful is the DCNR PAMAP Program file.

Penn Pilot

< <http://www.pennpilot.psu.edu> >

PennPilot is an on-line air photo resource for available stereo aerial photography of Pennsylvania between the 1930s-1970s.

elibrary < <http://www.elibrary.state.pa.us/disclaimer.asp> >

The elibrary contains current documents from each of the County Planning Offices/Departments on record in their office/department. Many documents are fairly old from municipalities; however there are more up-to-date documents from the county governments.

Community Assessments: a Guide to Data Resources

< <http://www.libraries.psu.edu/socialsciences/assess/index.htm> >

A guide created by the Social Science Library at Penn State to statistics published by PA government statistical agencies.

DataFerrett

< <http://dataferrett.census.gov/> >

DataFerrett is a web-based software developed by the U.S. Census Bureau that provides access across the Internet to demographic, economic, environmental, health, and other databases housed in different systems in different agencies and organizations in the federal government.

Community Economic Development (CED) HotReport

< <http://ced.census.gov> >

HotReport shows pertinent economic indicators in unified on-line reports from many data sources. Available Topics Include: industry wages, top industries, top occupation groups, labor force by age, education Levels, income, population pyramid, school enrollment, mortgage averages, occupancy status, ownership rates, housing costs, commute times, means of transportation, public schools, colleges and universities.

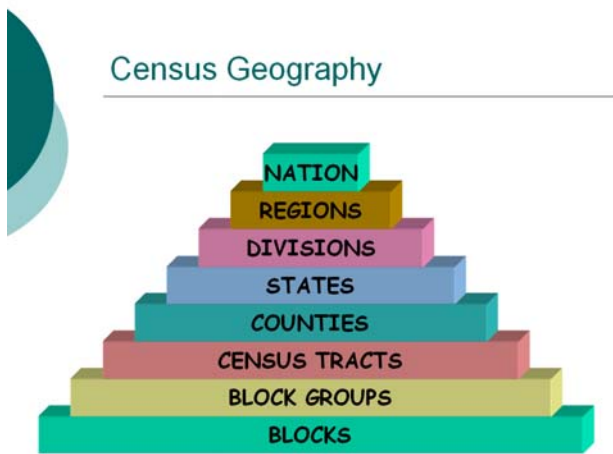
Pennsylvania State Data Center < <http://pasdc.hbg.psu.edu/> >

The PaSDC provides a connection between the U.S. Census and the Pennsylvania government and local entities. There are reports available on this site.

American FactFinder

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

Most current demographic information is available from the American Community Survey. Some mapping capabilities are available through American FactFinder. Use the FACT SHEET first!



Metropolitan Statistical Areas: census designation for a geographic area that contains economic independence. i.e people live, work and commute in this region.

	Survey	Geography	Variables	Tables
SF1	100%	Block	Race, Age, Sex, Household Relationships	171 Population 56 Housing
SF2	100%	Tract	Detailed Race 210 Racial Categories 125 Ethnic Groups	36 Population 11 Housing
SF3	Sample	Block Group	Economic Information, Employment, Housing, Marital Status	813 Tables
SF4	Sample	Tract	Detailed Race 210 Racial Categories 125 Ethnic Groups	336 Categories

Census Files: if you need to find more specific variables and need to use the DATA SETS ... this table provides a description of the different files.