

## Your-economy Time Series (YTS) 2019 Field Variable List

YTS assembles one database from 23 annual Infogroup snapshots following U.S. businesses at their unique location from 1997-2019. The standard field variable list contains all variable names and descriptions including both the original Infogroup field names, and the YTS field name and time-series designation created by BDRC.

YTS Field Name	Infogroup Field Name	Description
<b>Last Year Variables (describe the latest or last year in the database)</b>		
ABI	ABI	ALSO KNOWN AS IUSA NUMBER, ABI NUMBER, INFOGROUP NUMBER OR LOCATION NUMBER, THIS PROVIDES A UNIQUE IDENTIFIER FOR EACH BUSINESS IN THE INFOGROUP BUSINESS DATABASE
Company	Company	NAME OF BUSINESS - WILL HAVE BLANKS
City	City	HISTORICAL ADDRESS CITY
State	State	HISTORICAL ADDRESS STATE
Zipcode	Zipcode	HISTORICAL ADDRESS ZIP CODE
Gender	Gender	GENDER OF THE CONTACT OR EXECUTIVE. F=FEMALE, M=MALE, U=UNDETERMINED - WILL HAVE BLANKS
Age		AGE OF ESTABLISHMENT IF YEAR ESTABLISHED IS REPORTED, OTHERWISE TOTAL NUMBER OF YEARS ALIVE IN THE DATABASE
YearStart	Year Established	YEAR THE BUSINESS BEGAN OPERATING - WILL HAVE BLANKS
FirstYear		FIRST YEAR ESTABLISHMENT ENTERS DATABASE
LastYear		LAST YEAR ESTABLISHMENT IS IN DATABASE
Latitude	Latitude	PARCEL LEVEL ASSIGNED VIA POINT GEO CODING. HALF OF A PAIR OF COORDINATES (THE OTHER BEING LONGITUDE) PROVIDED IN A DECIMAL DEGREE FORMAT, WITH A NEGATIVE SIGN FOR LONGITUDE. NOT AVAILABLE IN PUERTO RICO & VIRGIN ISLAND

Longitude	Longitude	SEE LATITUDE DESCRIPTION
EIN	EIN	EMPLOYMENT IDENTIFICATION NUMBER
Credit Alpha Score	Credit Alpha Score	THE CODES WERE DEVELOPED FROM THE DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION IN THE INFOGROUP DATABASE INCLUDING NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AND YEARS IN BUSINESS AS WELL AS HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE DATA AND OTHER INFORMATION. INFOGROUP DEVELOPED PREDICTIVE STATISTICAL MODELS BASED ON MULTIVARIATE REGRESSION ANALYSIS TO DETERMINE CREDITWORTHINESS OF BUSINESSES
Credit Numeric Score	Credit Numeric Score	EACH CREDIT SCORE IS ASSIGNED A NUMBER BASED UPON THE ALPHA SCORE
Foreign Parent Flag	Foreign Parent Flag	1 INDICATES FOREIGN AFFILIATION
CensusBlock	CensusBlock	A COMBINATION OF CENSUS BLOCKS WITHIN A CENSUS TRACT (VALUES 1-9 OR BLANK)
CensusTract	CensusTract	A STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION OF A COUNTY
SICDescription	SIC Description	THE DESCRIPTION FOR THE SIC CODE FOR THE LAST YEAR
NAICSDescription	NAICS8 Description	THE DESCRIPTION FOR THE NAICS CODE FOR THE LAST YEAR
Stock_Ticker_Symbol	Stock_Ticker_Symbol	A SERIES OF LETTERS ASSIGNED TO A SECURITY FOR TRADING PURPOSES. WILL HAVE BLANKS
Stock_Ticker_Label		THE ABBREVIATION FOR THE NAME OF THE STOCK EXCHANGE. WILL HAVE BLANKS
CensusTractCode		FORMAT: FIPS + CENSUSTRACT
<b>Time Series Variables (will exist for every year in the database 1997-2019)</b>		
HQABI	Parent Number	THE PARENT NUMBER IDENTIFIES THE CORPORATE PARENT OF THE BUSINESS AND ALSO SERVES AS THE ABI NUMBER FOR THE HEADQUARTERS SITE OF THE PARENT. THIS FIELD PROVIDES 'CORPORATE OWNERSHIP' LINKAGE INFORMATION. THIS INFORMATION IS NOT COLLECTED OR MAINTAINED FOR THE TYPES ORGANIZATION FOR WHICH OWNERSHIP IS AMBIGUOUS. CHURCHES AND SCHOOLS, IN PARTICULAR, ARE NOT LINKED IN THE FILE FOR THIS REASON

Sub	Subsidiary Number	THE SUBSIDIARY PARENT NUMBER IDENTIFIES THE BUSINESS AS A REGIONAL OR SUBSIDIARY HEADQUARTERS FOR A CORPORATE FAMILY. THE SUBSIDIARY WILL ALWAYS HAVE A PARENT AND MAY HAVE BRANCHES ASSIGNED TO IT
ZipCode	Zipcode	HISTORICAL ADDRESS ZIP CODE EACH YEAR
SIC	Primary SIC Code	A LINE OF BUSINESS THAT COMPANY ENGAGES IN: 6 DIGITS
NAICS	Primary NAICS Code	THE DESCRIPTION FOR THE PRIMARY 6 DIGIT NAICS CODE. 2012 DEFINITION WITH 2 DIGIT ADDITIONAL EXTENSION TO MAP WITH SIC
Seg		MARKET SEGMENTS GROUPING 6-DIGIT NAICS: ET = EXTERNAL TRADE, LT = LOCAL TRADE, NTH = NON TRADE/ HEALTHCARE
Type		3 ESTABLISHMENT TYPES TOTALING 100%: R = RESIDENT (EITHER STANDALONE OR HQ IN THE REGION EXAMINED) NR = NONRESIDENT (HQ NOT IN THE REGION EXAMINED) NC = NONCOMMERCIAL (GOVERNMENT, NONPROFIT, DETERMINED BY NAICS)
Emp	Employee Size (5) - Location	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES AT THAT LOCATION, COULD BE MODELED
Sales	Sales Volume (9) - Location	SALES VOLUME AT THAT LOCATION (IN THOUSANDS), COULD BE MODELED
EstCat	Business Status Code	INDICATES IF RECORD IS HQ, SUB, OR BRANCH: 1 HEADQUARTER 2 BRANCH 3 SUBSIDIARY 9 SINGLE LOCATION
CBSA	CBSA Code	CORE BASES STATISTICAL AREA (EXPANDED MSA CODE) EACH YEAR
FIPS	FIPS Code	FIRST 2 BYTES = STATE CODE, LAST 3 BYTES = COUNTY CODE (LOCATION)
HQFIPS		PARENT NUMBER (ESTABLISHMENT) FIPS EACH YEAR
CDIST		CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT IDENTIFICATION FOR EVERY ESTABLISHMENT EACH YEAR IN THE TIME-SERIES FROM THE 115TH CONGRESS

EstEmpxxxx		<p>NUMERICAL VALUE (EMPTY, 1,2) THAT DEFINES IF ANY IMPUTATION WAS USED FOR EMPLOYMENT: EMPTY = ACTUAL VALUE FROM INFOGROUP 1 = EMPLOYMENT VALUE TAKEN FROM YEAR BEFORE OR AFTER MISSING VALUE OR DERIVED HISTORICAL DATA 2 = ESTIMATED VALUE DERIVED FROM OUTSIDE SOURCES AND VERIFICATION</p>
EstSalesxxxx		<p>NUMERICAL VALUE (EMPTY, 1,2) THAT DEFINES IF ANY IMPUTATION WAS USED FOR SALES: EMPTY = ACTUAL VALUE FROM INFOGROUP 1 = EMPLOYMENT VALUE TAKEN FROM YEAR BEFORE OR AFTER MISSING VALUE OR DERIVED HISTORICAL DATA 2 = ESTIMATED VALUE DERIVED FROM OUTSIDE SOURCES AND VERIFICATION</p>