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Wharton Research Data Services (WRDS) provides the leading business intelligence, data analytics, and research platform to global institutions — enabling comprehensive thought leadership, historical analysis, and insight into the latest innovations in research.

WRDS democratizes data access for researchers across all disciplines, accessing multiple programming languages to easily search for concepts within the data repository. Supporting over **75,000** researchers at **500+** institutions in **35+** countries, WRDS is the global gold standard in data management, innovative tools, analytics, and research services — all backed by the credibility and leadership of the Wharton School.

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Data, Analytics, Research Tools, Technology, Support, Classroom

Access to a Broad Selection of Data

The world's most reliable and referenced datasets are easily available in a consistent format with access to 350+TB of data and 600+ databases from 50+ data providers.

Flexible Delivery Options

Choose the WRDS web interface to access data remotely with one-click. Researchers with stronger programming skills can access the WRDS client server using PCSAS Connect, C, Stata, Matlab, R, Python...and more. WRDS Cloud enables you to dig deep into big data analytics.

Valuable Recruiting Tool

Attract and retain leading faculty and thought leaders who require the best data and search tools.





Learning Pathways by WRDS

Online learning modules — provide curated, guided, competency-based resources for Researchers, Instructors, and Information Professionals. Through data, analytics, research and technology, approach your research using real world examples and advance your analysis to answer the most critical questions with your data.

Data Management

WRDS data platform, validation and storage eliminate costly data infrastructure fees and ensure timely updates with ready-to-use standardized data available for analysis.

Professional Technical and Research Support

Dedicated support by doctoral-level specialists, give users the help they need to conduct complex research.

WRDS Analytics and Tools

WRDS has developed a variety of powerful analytics tools to support you in your research. Get more out of your data with less effort.

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Speed, Validation and Replication

Improve researcher productivity and speed by as much as 40%—reducing time to data discovery, analysis and publication

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Data Validation and Integrity

Ready-to-use standardized data are immediately available for analysis.

Customized Research Applications

Access SAS® Studio and an extensive suite of sample programs to enable seminal paper replication.



Doctoral-level Support

Dedicated support is available in all areas of research.

Improve Graduate Programs

Support your researchers from the classroom to the boardroom.

IMPACT OF RESEARCH

Impact is the future currency of research

Elevate the impact and credibility of your research and academic program with WRDS. The best and most cited financial research is changing policy and practice at firm, regulatory and national levels, and demonstrating the value of the institutions and researchers who conduct it.

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WRDS-SSRN Innovation Award

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- BvD Amadeus
- BvD Osiris
- PACAP Pacific Basin
- CSMAR Financials — China Stock Market & Accounting Research
- S&P Capital IQ Capital Structure
- Calcbench As-Reported Filings & Footnotes

AUDIT & REGULATORY FILINGS

- WRDS SEC Analytics Suite
- Audit Analytics
- S&P Filings Database

BANKS

- S&P Compustat Bank
- SNL
- BvD Orbis Bank Focus
- Bank Regulatory Call Reports — Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago
- FRB H15 Interest Rates
- S&P Compustat Segments
- Thomson/Refinitiv Worldscope Segments

SEGMENTS / INDUSTRY DATA

- S&P Compustat Industry-Specific
- Thomson/Refinitiv I/B/E/S KPI
- Factset Revere
- BvD Isis Insurance Companies

COMPENSATION

- S&P Compustat Execucomp
- S&P Capital IQ People Intelligence
- ISS Incentive Lab
- BoardEx
- MSCI: GMI Ratings

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

- ktMINE

FINANCIAL MARKETS, PRICES, RETURNS

STOCK PRICES

- CRSP
- Compustat
- Factset
- Thomson/Refinitiv Worldscope
- LSPD - London Share Price Database
- CSMAR Trading - China Stock Market & Accounting Research
- OTC Markets
- PACAP Pacific Basin

ANALYST ESTIMATES

- Thomson/Refinitiv I/B/E/S
- Zacks

INTRADAY TRADES AND QUOTES

- NYSE TAQ
- ISSM
- GovPX

INDICES AND FACTORS

- CRSP Indices
- Fama French & Liquidity Factors
- IHS Global Insight
- Markit Securities Finance
- Market Credit Indices
- Russell 3000 Index Constituents

BONDS AND FIXED INCOME

- Mergent FISD
- TRACE Bond Transactions
- MSRB Muni Bond Transactions
- Thomson/Refinitiv DealScan
- CRSP Treasuries
- GovPX
- Markit Securities Finance
- S&P Capital IQ Credit Ratings

PRIVATE EQUITY/VENTURE CAPITAL

- Preqin

MUTUAL FUND / HEDGE FUND / ETF RETURNS

- CRSP Mutual Funds
- MFLinks
- Morningstar CISDM Hedge Funds
- HFR – Hedge Fund Research
- Thomson/Refinitiv Lipper (Tass) Hedge Funds
- Eureka Hedge
- ETF Global

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Over 600 datasets support users at all experience levels

DERIVATIVES / OPTIONS

- Optionmetrics
- Markit Credit Default Swaps
- CBOE Indexes

REITS

- CRSP Ziman REITs

CURRENCY EXCHANGE RATES

- FRB Foreign Exchange Rates
- S&P Compustat Currency Conversion Tables

OWNERSHIP

- Thomson/Refinitiv (SP) Mutual Fund Holdings
- Thomson/Refinitiv (SP) 13f Holdings
- Thomson/Refinitiv (OP) Global Ownership
- Factset Ownership (Lionshares)
- CRSP Mutual Fund Holdings
- MFLinks
- ETF Global
- Thomson/Refinitiv Insider Transactions
- 2iQ Global Insider Transaction
- ISS Directors
- MSCI: GMI Ratings - Directorships

MERGERS & ACQUISITIONS

- Thomson/Refinitiv SDC
- S&P Capital IQ Transactions
- Levin Associates Healthcare M&A

ESG: ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL, GOVERNANCE

- Sustainalytics
- Reprisk
- MSCI: KLD
- MSCI: GMI Ratings
- ISS Governance
- ISS Directors
- ISS Voting Analytics
- Boardex

ECONOMICS

- Refinitiv Datastream
- IHS Global Insight
- FRB H10 and H15 Interest Rates
- Penn World Tables

MARKETING

- comScore Web Behavior
- Infogroup
- IRI Marketing Factbook (Legacy)

NEWS

- RavenPack News Analytics
- S&P Capital IQ Key Developments

HEALTHCARE

- American Hospital Association
- Healthbase
- ProPublica Dollars4Docs
- ProPublica Prescriber Checkup
- Levin Associates Healthcare M&A
- AHRQ HCUP
- AHRQ MEPS
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“ **WRDS is the gold standard** for a research and data platform and has been indispensable for my research. WRDS has been an important contributor to the development of empirical research in academic finance over the last decade. The professional and technical staff at WRDS are always a few steps ahead of the needs of finance academics.”

*Robin Greenwood George Gund Professor of Finance and Banking,
Harvard Business School, Harvard University*

“ Data that is accurate and free of selection biases are essential for our business and WRDS has been an important part of our development and growth. From raw data that enables us to run regressions to specialty datasets that give us a competitive edge—**WRDS has exceeded our high expectations.**”

*Terence Lim, Founding Partner,
Arwen Advisors LLC*

