

Economist Big Mac Index Data – Codebook

variable	definition	Source
date	Date of observation	
iso_a3	Three-character ISO 3166-1 country code	
currency_code	Three-character ISO 4217 currency code	
name	Country name	
local_price	Price of a Big Mac in the local currency	McDonalds; The Economist
dollar_ex	Local currency units per dollar	Reuters
dollar_price	Price of a Big Mac in dollars	
USD_raw	Raw index, relative to the US dollar	
EUR_raw	Raw index, relative to the Euro	
GBP_raw	Raw index, relative to the British pound	
JPY_raw	Raw index, relative to the Japanese yen	
CNY_raw	Raw index, relative to the Chinese yuan	
GDP_dollar	GDP per person, in dollars	IMF
adj_price	GDP-adjusted price of a Big Mac, in dollars	
USD_adjusted	Adjusted index, relative to the US dollar	
EUR_adjusted	Adjusted index, relative to the Euro	
GBP_adjusted	Adjusted index, relative to the British pound	
JPY_adjusted	Adjusted index, relative to the Japanese yen	
CNY_adjusted	Adjusted index, relative to the Chinese yuan	