

Displaying Data with Tables



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Overview



Defining tables

Working with data in tables

Formatting tables



Tables Are for Data

Indicator summary

The table below contains a summary of the indicator and, where applicable, links to the data provider and documentation.

indicator army_total

Data	About	Footnotes	Settings	Download	v						
	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	
Afghanistan	47000				55000	58000	45000	45000	45000	45000	38
Albania	40400							65000	65000	65000	86
Algeria	170000				126000	126000	126000	126000	126000	126000	16
Angola	49500				107000	115000	150000	128000	128000	120000	12
Antigua and Barbuda	100										20
Argentina	108000				95000	85000	70000	65000	65000	69000	98
Armenia								20000	21000	45000	61
Australia	70400				70000	68000	68000	68000	68000	65000	57
Austria	54700				48000	43000	44000	44000	45000	45000	55
Azerbaijan								43000	45000	50000	12
Bahamas	500										21
Bahrain	2800				5000	8000	8000	7000	7000	8000	20
Bangladesh	91300				103000	103000	107000	107000	107000	113000	17
Barbados	1000										60
Belarus								102000	115000	65000	10
Belgium	91600				110000	106000	101000	79000	70000	53000	47
Belize	600				1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	11
Benin	4500				5000	6000	7000	7000	8000	8000	73
Bhutan	3000							5000	5000	5000	close



Defining Tables

Data Table

Caption

Header

Body

Footer



Structuring Data with Rows and Columns

<TR> Table Row

<TH> Table Header

<TD> Table Data

colspan / rowspan



Formatting Tables - Not Tables for Formatting



Use CSS to style tables

Control spacing, borders, padding, etc.



Summary



Tables are for displaying data

- Not for formatting HTML documents

Header and footer provide context

Rows and cells present data

Help make tables accessible