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This is a set of data sources curated by the instructional staff. Feel free to suggest new data sources in the forums. The initial list was provided by Kevyn Collins-Thomson from the University of Michigan School of Information.

Long general-purpose list of datasets:

- <https://vincentarelbundock.github.io/Rdatasets/datasets.html>

This website has dozens of public datasets - some fun, some a bit, well.. quirky. external link:

- <http://rs.io/2014/05/29/list-of-data-sets.html>

The Academic Torrents site has a growing number of datasets, including a few text collections that might be of interest (Wikipedia, email, twitter, academic, etc.) for current or future projects.

- <http://academictorrents.com/browse.php?cat=6>

Google Books n-gram corpus

- external link: <http://books.google.com/ngrams>
- Dataset: external link: <http://aws.amazon.com/datasets/8172056142375670>

Common Crawl: • Currently 6 billion Web documents (81 Tb) • Amazon S3 Public Data Set

- <http://aws.amazon.com/datasets/41740>
- <https://commoncrawl.atlassian.net/wiki/display/CRWL/About+the+Data+Set>
- Award project using Common Crawl: <http://norvigaward.github.io/entries.html>
- Python example: <http://www.freelancer.com/projects/Python-Data-Processing/Python-script-for-CommonCrawl.html>

Business/commercial data Yelp external link:

- [http://www.yelp.com/developers/documentation/v2/search\\_api](http://www.yelp.com/developers/documentation/v2/search_api)

Internet Archive (huge, ever-growing archive of the Web going back to 1990s) external link:

- <http://archive.org/help/json.php>

WikiData:

- [https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Wikidata:Main\\_Page](https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Wikidata:Main_Page)

World Food Facts

- <http://world.openfoodfacts.org/data>

Data USA - a variety of census data

- <https://datausa.io/>

U.S. Government open data - datasets from 75 agencies and subagencies

- <https://data.gov/>

NASA data portal - space and earth science

- <https://data.nasa.gov/>

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