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SUMMARY: This dataset contains records for each public secondary and elementary education agency in the United States and its outlying areas (American Samoa, Guam, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, and the Marshall Islands) for 1985-1986. Reporting agencies serve instructional levels from pre-kindergarten through grade 12, or the equivalent span of instruction in ungraded or special education districts. Regional Educational Service Agencies, supervisory unions, and county superintendents are also represented. Variables include state and federal ID numbers; agency name, address, city, and ZIP code; FIPS county and out-of-state indicators; instructional operating status; agency type; grade span; metropolitan statistical area (MSA) ID and status; and board of control selection code.

UNIVERSE: All public elementary and secondary education agencies in operation during 1985-1986 in the 50 states, the District of Columbia, and United States territories (American Samoa, Guam, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, and the Marshall Islands).

NOTE: The codebook is provided as a Portable Document Format (PDF) file. The PDF file format was developed by Adobe Systems Incorporated and can be accessed using PDF reader software, such as the Adobe Acrobat Reader. Information on how to obtain a copy of the Acrobat Reader is provided through the ICPSR Website on the Internet.

EXTENT OF COLLECTION: 1 data file + machine-readable documentation (PDF) + SAS data definition statements

EXTENT OF PROCESSING: SCAN/ REFORM.DOC/ DDEF.ICPSR/ CONCHK.PR/ UNDOCCHK.ICPSR

DATA FORMAT: Logical Record Length with SAS data definition statements

File Structure: rectangular

Cases: 17,081

Variables: 21

Record Length: 152

Records Per Case: 1

ICPSR Processing Note:

During those years (1968-69 to 1986-87), the ELSEGIS surveys accepted student counts for grades 13 and 14 if the states reported them. California State and possibly some other states at that time considered certain community college or vocational education courses to be within their elementary/secondary program. Therefore, variable GSII85 (High Grade) includes grades 13 and 14.

Also note that the variable Grade Span (GSL085 or Low Grade) value K means Kindergarten equivalent to KG.

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Washington, D.C. 20202
DATA BASE DOCUMENTATION
(Authority: Public Law 93-502, Section 552)

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PART I — SURVEY SUMMARY

A. TITLE

CCD Part II 1985-86: Universe of Public Elementary/Secondary Education Agencies

B. DESCRIPTION This tape reports selected identifier and address information, administrative and operating characteristics, and boundary change data for the universe of publicly-controlled, tax supported, local, regional, and State agencies which have a role in the provision of instruction or educational support services to elementary or secondary level students, or instructional, administrative, and support staff. Reported agencies serve instructional levels in the range from prekindergarten through grade 12 or the equivalent span of instruction in ungraded or special education districts. Regional Educational Service Agencies, Supervisory Unions, and county superintendents are also listed.

C. SURVEY METHODOLOGY

1. UNIVERSE OR SAMPLE	2. RESPONDENTS	
UNIVERSE	THE FIFTY STATES AND DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA (USA) AND SIX OUTLYING AREAS	
3. DATE OF COVERAGE	4. FREQUENCY OF SURVEY	5. RESPONSE RATE
Date of Reference: October 1, 1985	ANNUAL	100%

E. HIGHLIGHTS

Data elements include: State and federal ID numbers; Agency name; street address, city, and ZIP codes; FIPS county and out-of-State indicators; instructional operating status, agency type, supervisory union ID, metropolitan statistical area ID and status, grade span; board of control selection code, and geographic boundary change indicator.

D. RELATED STUDIES

1. SURVEYS

- 1985-86 Public School Universe, CCD Part I
- 1985-86 Local Education Agency Nonfiscal Report, CCD Part III
- 1985-86 Local Education Agency Fiscal Report, CCD Part IV
- 1985-86 State Education Agency Nonfiscal Report for Fall 1985, CCD Part V
- 1985-86 State Education Agency Fiscal Report, CCD Part VI

2. PUBLICATIONS

IF SPONSORING AGENCY IS NOT OERI (Specify)

SPECIAL NOTE

The official Center for Statistics School District file for 1985-86 does not contain some critical elements useful to customers. These elements are: an alpha post office State code, number of students and number of schools. To make the file more useful, Information Services has taken the student and school counts from the 1983-84 file and appended them where the ID's were matched. Added to the EBCDIC files are the following fields:

Field Name	Data Type	Position	No. of Positions
State Post Office	A	153-154	2
Students	N	155-159	5
Schools	N	160-164	5

To purchasers of the SAS files, the fields are called:

State
Member83
.Sch83

UNIVERSE OF PUBLIC ELEMENTARY/SECONDARY AGENCIES

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DATA ELEMENT TYPE STANDARDS

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PART IV - DATA ELEMENT DESCRIPTION

TITLE CCD Part II, 1985-86 Universe of Public Elementary/Secondary Education Agencies					FILE NAME
DATA FIELD NAME	DATA ELEMENT TYPE	RECORD POSITION <i>(from-to)</i>	NUMBER OF POSITIONS	SOURCE LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
<i>(a)</i>	<i>(b)</i>	<i>(c)</i>	<i>(d)</i>	<i>(e)</i>	<i>(f)</i>
CES AGENCY ID	N	001-007	7		Unique ID for each agency in the universe
STATE NUMBER	N	001-002	2		FIPS State number
AGENCY NUMBER	N	003-007	5		Assigned agency number
STATE'S AGENCY ID	AN	008-021	14		State's own ID for agency
AGENCY NAME	AN	022-051	30		Legal name of agency
MAILING ADDRESS	AN	052-076	25		Address provided by SEA for agency. May be coded N/A if State has no address.
CITY OF MAILING ADDRESS	AN	077-094	18		City name used in mailing address of agency Chief Executive Officer.
ZIP CODE	N	095-103	9		
BASE ZIP + 4	N	095-099	5		Five-digit U.S. Postal Service ZIP
	N	100-103	4		Additional ZIP + 4 numbers, if reported; otherwise, blank.

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OUT-STATE IND	AN	104-105	2		Two character U.S. Postal Service State abbreviation where mailing address is located if this is different from the State served by the agency.	
COUNTY FIPS COUNTY NO. NAME	AN N AN	106-133 106-108 109-133	28 3 25		Three-digit FIPS number for county. Name of County	

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<i>(a)</i>	<i>(b)</i>	<i>(c)</i>	<i>(d)</i>	<i>(e)</i>	<i>(f)</i>	
OPERATING STATUS CODE	N	134-134	1		CES Code for Instructional Program Operating Status: 1--There are no resident Students (<u>Ss</u>) and there is no legal obligation to instruct. 2--All resident <u>Ss</u> are tuitioned-out--there is no instructional program. 3--Only nonresident <u>Ss</u> are instructed. 4--Only resident <u>Ss</u> are instructed. 5--All resident <u>Ss</u> and some nonresident <u>Ss</u> are instructed. 6--Some resident <u>Ss</u> are instructed and some are tuitioned-out. 7--Some resident <u>Ss</u> and some nonresident <u>Ss</u> are instructed and some <u>Ss</u> are tuitioned-out. 8--No single code above applies.	

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					<i>(f)</i>	DESCRIPTION <i>(g)</i>
TYPE OF AGENCY CODE	N	135-135	1			CES Code for Type of Agency: 1--The agency is an independent local school district 2--The agency is a local school district component a supervisory union and shares a superintendent administrative services with other local school districts. 3--The agency is a supervisory union administrative center or a county superintendent who serves the same purposes. 4--The agency is a regional educational service agency or a county superintendent who serves the same purposes. 5--The agency is a State operated institution charged at least in part with providing elementary and/or secondary instruction or services to special needs populations. 6--The agency is a federally operated institution charged at least in part with providing elementary and/or secondary instruction or services to special needs populations. 7--No single code above is appropriate.

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SUPERVISORY UNION NUMBER	N	136-138	3		For supervisory union administrative centers and component agencies, this is the number assigned by the State to the union. Additionally, if the agency is a county superintendent, this number is the FIPS county number.	
GRADE SPAN-LOW	AN	139-140	2		CES code for the lowest grade which the agency is authorized to serve under its charter of incorporation issued by the State Education Agency. PK = PREKINDERGARTEN KG = KINDERGARTEN UG = UNGRADED 01--12 = FIRST THRU TWELFTH GRADE SP = SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS OO = USED FOR AGENCIES INSTRUCTING NONRESIDENT STUDENTS ONLY OR SUPERVISORY UNION ADMINISTRATIVE/OPERATIONAL CENTERS.	

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GRADE SPAN - HIGH	AN	141-142	2		CES code for the highest code. Same codes as grade span - low are used.
FISCAL DEPENDENCY CODE	N	143-143	1		<p>CES code for degree of fiscal dependency:</p> <p>1--The agency has taxing authority and is fiscally independent of a parent government; i.e., the local school board has complete control over its fiscal affairs as provided by State school laws and regulations; e.g., the budget and tax rate are not subject to review and/or change by any other governmental agency with the exception of the State and Federal governments</p> <p>2--The agency is fiscally dependent; i.e. some other governmental agency or official; e.g., city council, county board of supervisors, mayor, etc.. Do not consider controls of State and federal governments.</p> <p>3--The agency is fiscally independent for current operational expenditures but is dependent on another governmental agency for capital improvement outlays and debt service.</p> <p>4--None of the above apply.</p>

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BOARD SELECTION CODE	N	144-144	1		CES code for selection of board of control: 1--There is no board of control. 2--All board members are elected. 3--All board members are appointed by a parent agency. 4--Some board members are elected and others are appointed by a parent agency. 5--None of the codes above is appropriate.
CMSA/PMSA/MSA/ CODE	N	145-150	6		<u>CONSOLIDATED/PRIMARY/METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA (CMSA/PMSA/MSA)</u> - This is a replacement for the former Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA). The basic unit is the MSA which is represented by a 4-digit code number assigned by the Office of Management and Budget. When basic units cluster, they are called PMSA's and the totality is known as the CMSA. The CMSA is indicated by the addition of a 2-digit prefix to the PMSA code. If the agency is not located within the boundaries of any CMSA/PMSA/MSA, the record contains "000000".

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METRO STATUS CODE	N	151-151	1		CES code relating to the location of the agency in reference to the MSA identified in CMSA/PMSA/MSA code. 1--The agency serves a central city of MSA. 2--The agency serves a MSA but is not a central city 3--The agency is not in a MSA.
BOUNDARY CHANGE CODE	N	152-152	1		CES code reflecting change, if any, in the agency's boundaries. 0--There was no change in boundaries. 1--A preexisting agency has closed with no boundary effect on any other agency. 2--A new agency was formed with no boundary effect on any other agency. 3--An agency's boundaries are changed and affect the boundaries of at least one other agency.
FILLER	AN	153-200	48	'	Positions blank.

Post Office State
Code

AL	Alabama
AK	Alaska
AQ	American Samoa
AZ	Arizona
AR	Arkansas
CA	California
CO	Colorado
CT	Connecticut
DE	Delaware
DC	District of Columbia
FL	Florida
GA	Georgia
GU	Guam
HI	Hawaii
ID	Idaho
IL	Illinois
IN	Indiana
IA	Iowa
KS	Kansas
KY	Kentucky
LA	Louisiana
ME	Maine
MD	Maryland
MA	Massachusetts
MI	Michigan
MN	Minnesota
MS	Mississippi
MO	Missouri
MT	Montana
NE	Nebraska
NV	Nevada
NH	New Hampshire
NJ	New Jersey

NM	New Mexico
NY	New York
NC	North Carolina
ND	North Dakota
OH	Ohio
OK	Oklahoma
OR	Oregon
PA	Pennsylvania
PR	Puerto Rico
RI	Rhode Island
SC	South Carolina
SD	South Dakota
TN	Tennessee
TX	Texas
UT	Utah
VT	Vermont
VA	Virginia
PI	Virgin Islands
WA	Washington
WV	West Virginia
WI	Wisconsin
WY	Wyoming
CM	Canal Zone
TQ	Pacific Trust Territories