

Dataset Records

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School Shooting Statistics and Database

URL - (Also be sure to download a local copy)

<https://www.chds.us/ssdb/dataset/>

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Exact name of the dataset and version

"K-12 School Shooting Database 1970- Present"

Time period, geography, and/or scope covered

1970- 1/20/2020 United States K-12 Public Schools

Location of dataset overview information

<https://www.chds.us/ssdb/category/shooting-incidents/>

-several distinguishing factors are outlined

Location of technical documentation

Provided URL:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1HqbfMxnk9X3_mQvLyW_LEUe3Yyr7cXMPfwqUVfdq7sY/edit#gid=1670239542

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Data formats

The data is in table format made in excel

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