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P R E F A C E

The *Statistical Abstract of the United States*, published annually since 1878, is the standard summary of statistics on the social, political, and economic organization of the United States. It is designed to serve as a convenient volume for statistical reference and as a guide to other statistical publications and sources. The latter function is served by the introductory text to each section, the source notes appearing below each table, the Guide to Sources, the section on Publications of Recent Censuses, and the Guide to State Statistical Abstracts.

This volume includes a selection of data from many statistical publications, both governmental and private. Publications cited as sources usually contain additional statistical detail and more comprehensive discussions of definitions and concepts than can be presented here. Data not available in publications issued by the contributing agency but obtained from the agency's unpublished tabulations and records are identified in the source notes as "unpublished data." More information on the subjects covered in tables so noted may generally be obtained from the contributing agency.

Except as otherwise indicated, figures are for the United States as presently constituted. Although emphasis in the *Statistical Abstract* is given primarily to national data, many tables present data for regions and individual States. Statistics for the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and for outlying areas of the United States are included in the State tables whenever available and are supplemented by information in section 32. Statistics for cities or other relatively small geographic units appear only in a few instances. Additional information for cities, counties, metropolitan areas, congressional districts, and other small units, as well as more historical data, are available in various supplements to the *Abstract*. (See pages v and vi.)

Special feature in the 1967 edition.—A new section, "Metropolitan Area Statistics" was especially prepared for this edition. It presents in 2 tables a large selection of items of current statistical information for every area officially defined as a "standard metropolitan statistical area" by the U.S. Bureau of the Budget. Reprints of this section may be obtained by writing to the Superintendent of Documents, Washington, D.C. 20402. Price for single copies is 25 cents; for sets of 100 copies sent to the same address, \$18.75.

Other changes in the 1967 edition.—This edition, the 88th annual issue, presents data for the most recent year or period available during the early part of 1967.

Each year the more than 1,300 tables and charts are reviewed and evaluated. New tables and charts of current interest are added, continuing series are brought up to date, and less timely data are curtailed or eliminated. Text notes are revised as necessary to incorporate new definitions and source references. This year, the table of contents was restyled to include page numbers for charts and subject groups within sections.

Newly released information contained in this edition includes data on crime and on victims and cost of crime, provided by the President's Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Justice (tables 211, 214, 220, 221, and 237); data on incidence of poverty obtained through sample surveys conducted by the Bureau of the Census (tables 482-485); data on poverty programs supplied by the Office of Economic Opportunity (tables 486 and 487); data on national wealth abstracted from *Finance* magazine (tables 492-496); and data from the 1964 Census of Agriculture (primarily in section 23). New tables on subjects of particular current interest include population projections for States (table 11); data on the performing arts (table 309); military personnel on active duty, including the Viet-Nam conflict (tables 372-374); the National Guard (tables 379 and 380); pollution-caused fish kill (tables 1013 and 1014); and comparative international data on armed forces personnel and national defense expenditures.

Altogether, there are 78 entirely new tables in this edition, scattered through 23 of the first 33 sections. In addition to the tables specified above, significant inclusions in various sections are 5 new tables on health in section 2; 6 on education in section 4; 2 on labor unions in section 8; and 4 on manufacturing capacity and concentration in section 29.

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Of the tables included in the 1966 edition, 109 were omitted from this issue. The omissions, scattered through 27 sections, represent primarily tables for which comparable details appear in the new or retained tables or for which no recent data are available.

Responsibility.—The contents of this volume were taken from a large number of sources (see "Source Agencies and Table Numbers"). The Bureau of the Census cannot accept the responsibility for the accuracy or limitations of the data presented here, other than for those which it collects. The responsibility for selection of the material and for proper presentation, however, rests with the Bureau.

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Many persons have offered suggestions for improving the presentation of data in the *Statistical Abstract* and its supplements. Their comments have been most helpful. Users of these publications are urged to continue to make their needs known for consideration in planning future editions. Suggestions and comments should be sent to the Director, Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON DATA PRESENTED

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STATISTICAL ABSTRACT SUPPLEMENTS

County and City Data Book, 1967. A compact presentation of 144 items of statistical data for each county in the United States, 113 items for each of 224 standard metropolitan statistical areas, and 148 items for each of 683 incorporated cities having 25,000 inhabitants or more in 1960. Information comparable to that for counties is also presented for geographic regions and divisions, and for States. Items included based largely on results of 1962 census of governments, 1963 censuses of business, manufactures, and mineral industries, and 1964 census of agriculture, as well as data from the 1960 censuses of population and housing. Includes 53 maps, explanatory and definitive text, source notes, and appendixes on area and population of urban places, county governments, cities without weather stations, special censuses, and sources of population estimates. 713 pages. Issued 1967. Price \$5.50 (clothbound).

Pocket Data Book, USA 1967. Graphic and tabular presentation of summary statistics on a wide variety of subjects. Designed for quick and easy reference. In color; pocket-size; 368 pages. Issued 1967. Price \$1.50 (paperbound).

Directory of Federal Statistics for Local Areas, 1966. A comprehensive finding guide to sources of Federal statistics for metropolitan areas, counties, urban places, and other local areas. Specific sources shown for hundreds of items of information on agriculture, banking, business, construction, governments, housing, income, labor, manufactures, mineral industries, population, transportation, and other subjects. 162 pages. Issued 1966. Price \$1.00 (paperbound).

Directory of Federal Statistics for States, 1967. Scheduled for release in late 1967. Similar in subject matter coverage to the directory for local areas, cited above, but devoted entirely to the voluminous data available at the State level. Approximately 375 pages; paperbound.

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Congressional District Data Book (Districts of the 88th Congress) and Supplements, Redistricted States. The *Data Book* together with supplements for 7 States that redistricted after the beginning of the 88th Congress present data for all congressional districts as constituted for the 89th Congress. Includes 254 statistical items for all 435 congressional districts; 113 items pertaining to nonwhite population for selected districts; and 144 items for districts or combinations of districts following county lines. Based largely on results of recent censuses. Includes text, source notes, maps for each State showing congressional district boundaries, and lists of urban places with 10,000 or more inhabitants. **Supplements for States redistricting for the 90th Congress** contain data on vote cast, 1954 to 1964, 226 statistical items on population and housing for all districts, 113 items pertaining to the nonwhite population for selected districts, and maps showing the new district boundaries. *Data Book* (clothbound) 603 pages, issued 1964; *Supplements* (paper) 89th Congress, issued 1965; 90th Congress, issued 1966 and 1967. Price—*Data Book* and *Supplements* \$4.75.

Historical Statistics of the United States, Colonial Times to 1957. Prepared with the cooperation of the Social Science Research Council. A compilation of more than 8,000 statistical time series, largely annual, on American social and economic development covering periods from 1610 to 1957. Includes definitions of terms and descriptive text. Specific source notes provide a basic guide to original published sources for further reference and additional data. Detailed alphabetical subject index. 801 pages. Issued 1960. Price \$6.00 (clothbound).

Historical Statistics of the United States, Colonial Times to 1957; Continuation to 1962 and Revisions. Carries forward the more than 6,000 series in the basic volume that are still current; includes about 300 series that are complements to, or substitutes for, series discontinued since 1956; and presents revisions and corrections for more than 650 series. 158 pages. Issued 1965. Price \$1.00 (paperbound).

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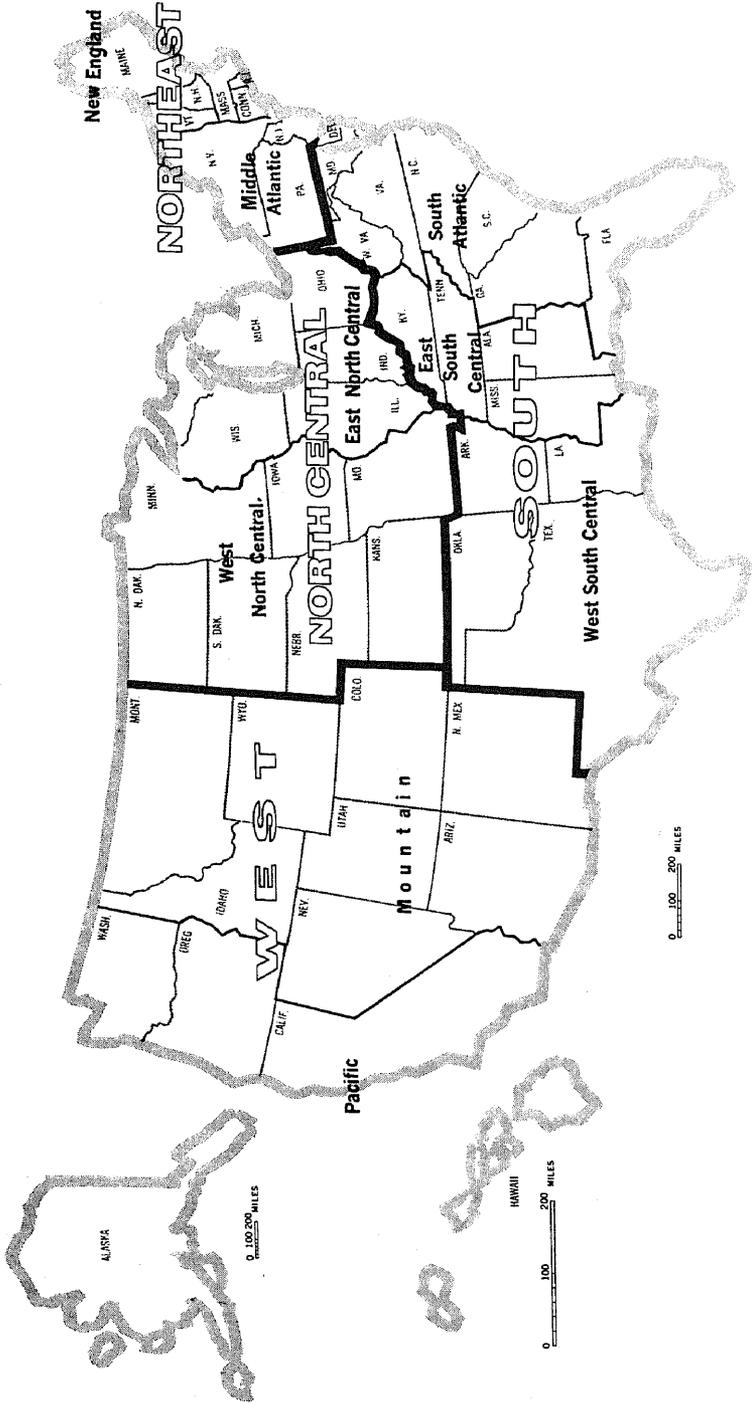
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FIG. I. MAP OF THE UNITED STATES, SHOWING CENSUS REGIONS AND DIVISIONS
[Alaska and Hawaii are drawn at different scales from contiguous United States and are not shown in their correct relative geographic positions]



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