

**TheDataWeb: An Innovative Data Framework**

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**ABSTRACT**

The U.S. Census Bureau is developing innovative technology that allows issue-analysts to pull together statistical data on a particular topic from a wide range of web-site sources with relative ease and without advanced technological skills. This technology produces new opportunities to turn the vast statistical resources of agencies and organizations into useful information, but it is challenging to expand its coverage.

This paper includes a discussion of TheDataWeb, DataFerrett, and HotReports.