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Perry-Castañeda Library Map Collection
Developed and maintained by the departmental staff in the Perry-Castañeda Library (PCL) at University of Texas, Austin. This site has thousands of public-domain maps that can be downloaded and printed for free. Maps from many different federal agencies, including the CIA, National Park Service, State Department, U.S. Bureau of the Census, U.S. Defense Mapping Agency and U.S. Geological Survey are included. Historical, thematic, topographical maps as well as country, state, city, and outline maps are available.

Philosopher's Index (EBSCO)
The Philosopher's Index, an important and often-referenced philosophy resource, is now available via EBSCOhost®, one of the most popular platforms available for scholarly research.

Poetry in the U.S. (EBSCO)
Includes citations to all literature on post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) and other mental-health sequelae of traumatic events, without disciplinary, linguistic, or geographical limitations, and to offer both current and retrospective coverage.

Polling the Nations
Polling the Nations is a collection of public opinion information from the U.S. and over 100 countries worldwide. The database began in 1961 and comprises over 500,000 questions from various sources including Gallup, Harris, Roper and others. There are over 9,000 topics in the database on a broad array of issues. Updated monthly.

Primary Search (EBSCO)
Primary Search contains full-text for more than 50 popular, elementary school magazines. All full-text articles are assigned a reading level indicator (Lexile). Full text is also available for over 190 student pamphlets. Additionally, Primary Search includes the Encyclopedia of Animals, and features the Funk & Wagnalls New Encyclopedia, which provides students with easy-to-read encyclopedic entries written specifically for kids. This database also provides the American Heritage Children’s Dictionary, 3rd Edition from Houghton Mifflin, and an Image Collection of 91,000 photos, maps and flags.

Project Muse
Project Muse offers some 600 journal titles from 250 scholarly publishers including from the Johns Hopkins University Press which began this project in 1995. The journals included in this database are in the areas of the humanities, social sciences and the arts.

Popular Databases
The most frequently-used databases

Academic Search Complete (EBSCO)
This multi-disciplinary database provides access to full-text articles from popular magazines and scholarly journals. (Including peer reviewed) Journals. Includes topics in social sciences, humanities, science, education, and most areas of academic study.

Statista
A statistics portal that integrates thousands of diverse topics - agriculture, finance, politics, and many more areas of interest - and provides sortable data and facts from a wide range of sources.

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Artstor
Artstor is database of millions of images with a suite of tools for teaching and research. Geared toward the visual arts, Artstor also has images across the humanities, social sciences, and the sciences.

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**HOMOSEXUALS, Marriage**

**Question:** Now I'd like you to rate your feelings toward some people and organizations, with one hundred meaning a very warm, favorable feeling, zero meaning a very cold, unfavorable feeling, and fifty meaning not particularly warm or cold. You can use any number from zero to one hundred, the higher the number the more favorable your feelings are toward that person or organization. If you have no opinion or have never heard of that person or organization, please say so. Gay marriage.

**Source:** Democracy Corps

**Date:** Apr 11, 2018

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**Field Date:** Mar 25-Apr 2, 2018

**Universe:** Country: United States

**Method:** Telephone: landline and cell phone

**Sample Size:** 1000

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Need help with your research? Ask us in-person, via phone, email, or chat.

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American Middle Class Is Losing Ground, No Longer the Majority and Falling Behind Finanically

Pew Research Center

The middle class is losing ground. After more than four decades of serving as the nation’s economic majority, the American middle class is now matched in number by those in the economic tiers above and below it. In early 2015, 120.8 million adults were in middle-income households, compared with 121.3 million in lower- and upper-income households combined, a demographic shift that could signal a tipping point, according to a new Pew Research Center analysis of government data.

http://www.pewsocialtrends.org/2015/12/09/the-americas-middle-class-is-losing-ground/


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9/20/15 Views of U.S. Foreign-Born Share Projected to Hit Record Milestone by 2065. Fifty years after passage of the landmark law that rewrote U.S. immigration policy, nearly 59 million immigrants have arrived in the United States, pushing the country’s foreign-born share to a near record 14%. For the past half-century, these modern-era immigrants and their descendants have accounted for just over half the nation’s population growth and have reshaped its racial and ethnic composition.


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Survey Research is the method most frequently used by sociologists in their study of American and other large societies. Surveys allow sociologists to move from a relatively small sample of individuals, who are accessible as carriers of information about themselves and their society to the broad contours of a large population. Encyclopedia of Sociology, v 4 1992, pp 2121-22.

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