

# Archiving

Preserving the present for the future

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## Archiving questions to consider

- What?
- Why?
- Who?
- Where?
- When?
- How?
- How long?

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## Traditional archiving

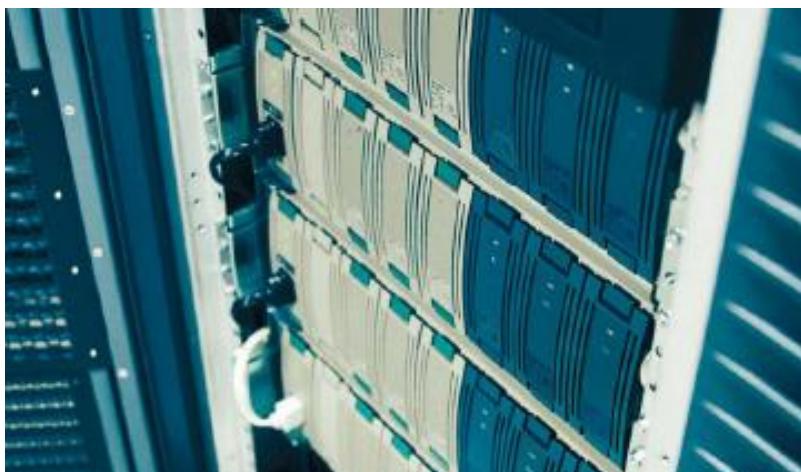


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## Todays's archiving



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## Archiving – What?

- Published information
  - Books 1800s -
  - PDF: 1990s –
  - Homepage 1995 –
  - HTML tables
  - Output database
  - Revisions

## Crawler frequency

- Monthly:
  - Snapshot of site and all pages [www.dst.dk](http://www.dst.dk) and [www.dst.dk/uk](http://www.dst.dk/uk)
  - Snapshot of database interface (site and pages) [www.statistikbanken.dk](http://www.statistikbanken.dk) and [www.StatBank.dk](http://www.StatBank.dk)
- Weekly:
  - [Economic key figures](#)
- Daily:
  - dst.dk, front page: Danish and English versions
- 3 times daily:
  - [IMF figures](#)

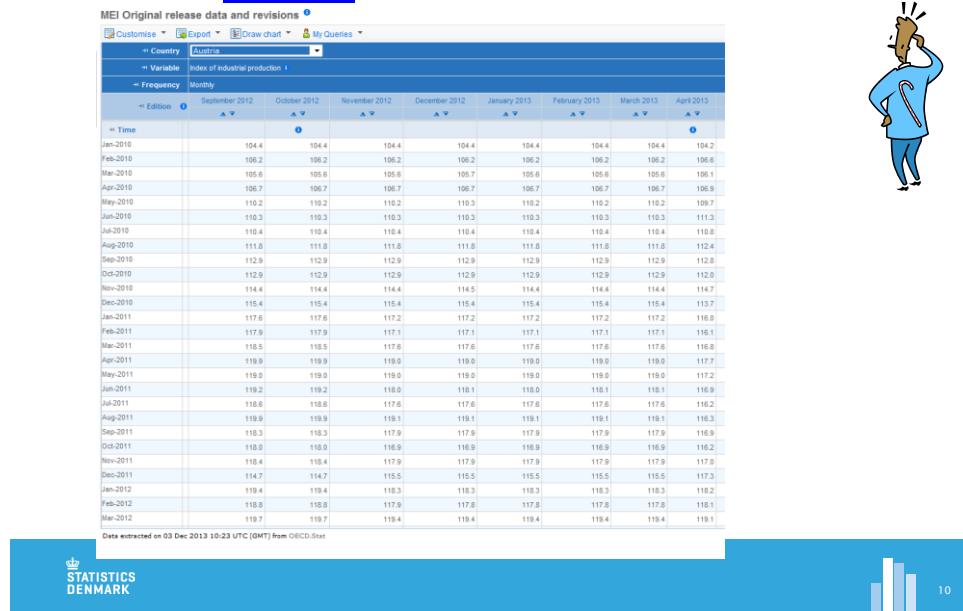
## What about ....?

- Data in the internet database
- Preliminary figures that become final
- Errors that are corrected
- Automatically updated web publications
- Responsive web – special editions for tablets / mobile devices?
- App's?
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## Revisions

- Marking preliminary figures
- Saving preliminary figures
- Making series of preliminary figures public

# How – OECD

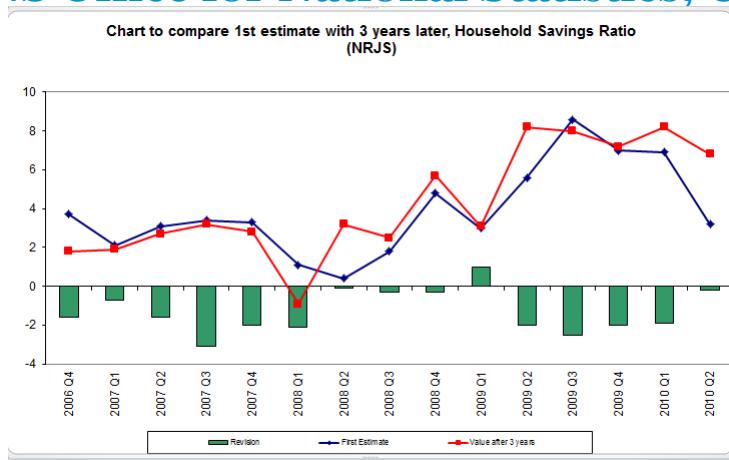


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# ONS Office for National Statistics, UK



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## Revisions in these statistics

2013

2nd quarter

- [Revisions in these statistics \(30.9.2013\)](#)

1st quarter

- [Revisions in these statistics \(28.6.2013\)](#)

2012

4th quarter

- [Revisions in these statistics \(28.3.2013\)](#)

## Referencing instructions:

Official Statistics of Finland (OSF): General government revenue and expenditure by quarter [e-publication].  
ISSN=1797-9382. Helsinki: Statistics Finland [referred: 3.12.2013].  
Access method: [http://www.stat.fi/til/jtume/rev\\_en.html](http://www.stat.fi/til/jtume/rev_en.html).

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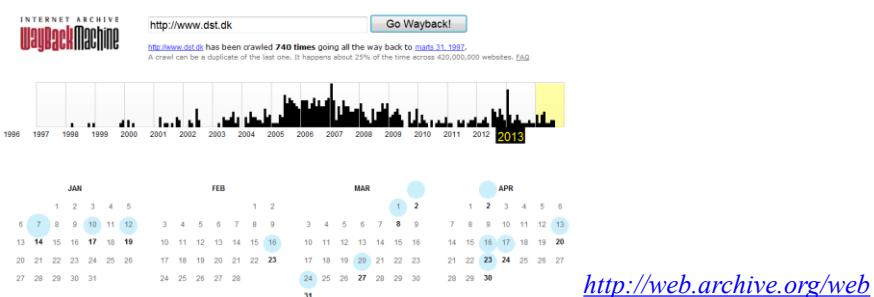
Seasonally adjusted quarter-on-quarter change, %

			1st release (%)	Latest release (%)	Revision, %-points
Sector	Transaction	Quarter			
General Government	Total Revenue	2012, 2nd Quarter	-2,1	-2,8	-0,7
		2012, 3rd Quarter	0,8	1,1	0,3
		2012, 4th Quarter	1,0	-0,2	-1,2
		2013, 1st Quarter	0,1	1,4	1,3
	Total Expenditure	2012, 2nd Quarter	-0,7	0,9	1,6
		2012, 3rd Quarter	0,9	1,2	0,3
		2012, 4th Quarter	-1,0	0,6	1,6
		2013, 1st Quarter	1,5	0,3	-1,2
Central Government	Total Revenue	2012, 2nd Quarter	-2,0	-4,6	-2,6
		2012, 3rd Quarter	0,0	1,4	1,4
		2012, 4th Quarter	2,1	-0,6	-2,7

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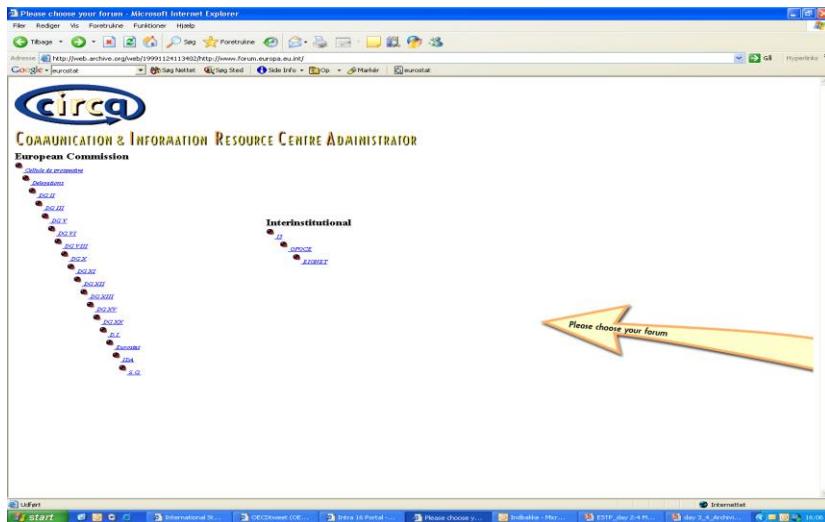
## Who: External archiving possibilities

- National Library
- Data Archives
- The Wayback Machine 1996-

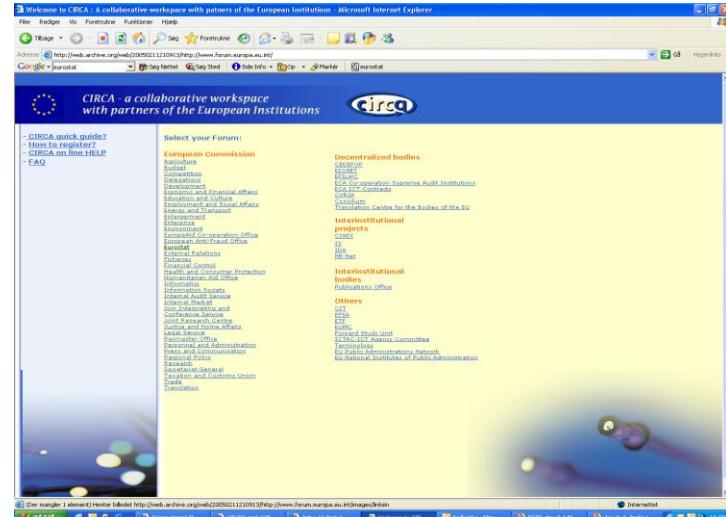


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# Circa -1999



# Circa -2005



## 1999 OECD

The screenshot shows the homepage of the 1999 OECD statistics website. At the top, there's a banner with the text "OECD statistics" and a world map. Below the banner, there are several navigation menus and sections. One menu on the left lists categories like "OECD Statistics", "Economic Statistics", "Agriculture", "Energy", and "Development and Co-operation". Another menu on the right lists "Public Management", "Education Labour and Social Affairs", "Science, Technology and Industry", and "Health". A central section titled "OECD Statistics" contains links to "Agriculture", "Demography", "Development Co-operation", "The Development Assistance Committee", "Economic statistics", "Education", "Energy", "Environment", "Finance", "Health", "Public Sector", "Science & Technology", and "Social Policy". Below these are links to "OECD/FAO Agricultural Indicators Database", "Sixth TWG AGRI Seminar on Agricultural Statistics (St. Petersburg 29 June - 3 July 1998)", and "Latest short-term indicators". A "Help/FAQ | MyOECD | Français" link is at the top right, along with a search bar.

## 2009 OECD

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# December 1997 – DST.DK

The screenshot shows the homepage of the Statistics Denmark website. At the top, there are two identical header sections for 'DANMARKS STATISTIK' with a green logo. Below the headers, the main content area has a light gray background. On the left, under 'Welcome to Statistics Denmark', there is a sidebar with links to 'Key indicators', 'Scheduled releases in News from Statistics Denmark', 'Data on Denmark 1997 edition', 'Publications issued by Statistics Denmark', 'ADAM (Annual Danish Aggregate Model)', 'Comparable general equilibrium model - DREAM', 'International Consulting by Statistics Denmark', 'Privacy policy', and 'Statistics from other agencies'. The main content area contains text about Statistics Denmark's address, contact information, and library details. On the right, there is a column of links including 'Statistik', 'Nyt fra Danmarks Statistik', 'Nyhed: Skatter og afgifter 1997', 'Nyhed: Den hvide hue - Hvad sker der efter gymnasiet og hf?', 'Planlagte offentliggørelser', 'Publikationsoversigt og produktinformation', 'Betalning af publikationer', 'Information fra Danmarks Statistik', 'Nomenklatur og velebønner', 'Makroøkonomisk model ADAM', 'Om Danmarks Statistik', and 'Se også vores web-side'. At the bottom of the page, there is a blue footer bar with the 'STATISTICS DENMARK' logo, a small graphic of three bars, and the number '20'.

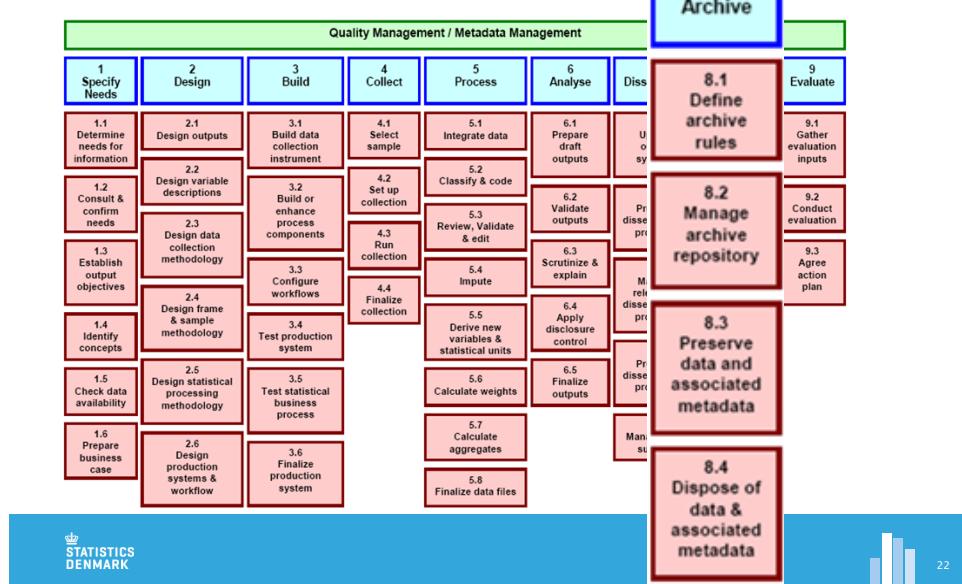
## Archiving - Why?

Need to have – nice to have?

- Legal obligation – may be in some countries?
- Institutional obligation – partly
- Practical, service minded ?
- Revisions accessible?
- Error corrections handled openly?
- Proof - if disputes should occur

This screenshot is identical to the one above it, showing the homepage of the Statistics Denmark website from December 1997. It features the same header, sidebar, main content area with links, and blue footer bar with the 'STATISTICS DENMARK' logo, three bars graphic, and the number '20'.

## Archiving in the Generic Statistical Business Process Model



# Accessibility



## Still accessible in 2100?

- Do we constantly need to convert data to new formats and media ?
- Can we still read data from past with new software?
- Would we need a very simple standard for archived files?

Future  
generations?

