variable	description
ds	data set number
	1 US Central Government Budget Authority
	2 US State Government Outlays
	3 Texas School District Expenditures
	4 Danish National Government Expenditures
	5 Danish Local Government Expenditures
	6 French Government Overall Spending Levels
	7 French Government Programmatic Spending
	8 Canadian Government Expenditures
	9 Belgian Government Expenditures
	10 US Historical Outlays
	11 German National Government Expenditures (Sub-Functions)
	12 UK Government Spending
subcode	data set sub number (e.g. different administrative subunits)
subunit	sub units name
year	year
item	budget function
topic	budget function name
infladj	inflation adjusted values (see appendix of the paper for details)
difft	annual change in values
diffpct	annual change in percentage