	<u>Lightcast Developer</u>	<u>DataArts Cultural Data</u> <u>Project (CDP)</u>	NEA/BEA Arts and Cultural Production Satellite Account	NASAA Economic Data Studies	NASERC Arts Indicator Project	AFTA Arts and Economic Prosperity (AEP6)
What It Is	Lightcast is CVSuite's main data provider and offers a software similar to CVSuite with labor market data and economic analysis tailored for economic and workforce development professionals. Offers a much wider scope of datapoints beyond just the creative economy, including job postings and educational programming.	Aggregated financial, operational, and programmatic survey data from thousands of nonprofit arts, culture, and humanities organizations. As of 2021, over 19,000 organizations have contributed data. Data is made available through raw spreadsheet downloads, an advocacy report, custom reports, and an API.	A research project that documents the scope of economic activity related to broadly defined "creative activity" nationally. The Arts and Cultural Production Satellite Account (ACPSA) was developed through a partnership between the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) and the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) and includes a dashboard for exploring state-level ACPSA data through figures, including value added to state economies through arts and cultural production, and employment and compensation figures for the creative workforce.	An interactive database of economic studies that have occurred nationally, searchable by state or publication year. NASAA does not generate these studies and each study can contain any combination of data sources, data output, and analysis.	researchers, and the general public to find key facts and	Displays results of locally- administered surveys from 373 participating communities. These results are supplemented by national-level data streams and analyzed through input- output models reported for the local community level. These results are then imputed to the national level.
Use To:	Define the size and scope of an area's creative (and general) economy and compare the creative economy of one geographic region with the creative economy of another geographic region. Lightcast is especially strong in the documentation of creative occupations and the ability to select different geographic areas for comparison and analysis.	Analyze how a nonprofit cultural organization compares with others. Use it to analyze intra- or inter-disciplinary organizational financial and participation performance or to identify emerging and/or historicaltrends in the nonprofit arts field.	Compare trends and current data for particular states and industries.	Discover creative economy data studies produced and analyzed by the state's art agency.	developments and trends in the arts, and review topical reports,	
Interactive, Online Tool	✓	☑	✓	$ \mathbf{Z} $		
National Data Collection		Not definitively			lacksquare	~
National, State, MSA, County and ZIP Code Level Data		☑	State-only	State-only		
Labor Market Data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics		Not definitively				

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Nonprofit Data from IRS 990 Forms		✓	Z		✓	✓
For Profit Creative Economy Data from Commercial Data Providers						
Wages by Occupation Data	~	Not definitively	~			
Class of Worker Data	~				~	
Data Updated Annually	~	~			Not definitively	
Includes a Report						
Pricing Structure	Fees vary based on usage: - 1 county or MSA: \$6,750 /year - 1 state: \$9,000/year - National: \$18,000/year Discounts offered for CVSuite users	\$99 - \$750	Currently no fee associated with the use of this data.	Currently no fee associated with the use of this data.	Currently no fee associated with the use of this data.	Fees vary: Participants pay between \$5,500 - \$8,500.
Data Sources	U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Department of Labor, U.S. Department of Education, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, U.S. Postal Service, U.S. Railroad Retirement Board, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Job Postings, Social Profiles, and more.	Self-reported data from cultural nonprofits who complete an annual survey. Other organizations provide data as part of integrated surveys administered by national arts service organization partners. Sponsor organizations pay DataArts to accept and manage data that sourced through grant applications and their addenda.	U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) and ACPSA- Arts & Culture Production Satellite Account	Varied	U.S. Census Bureau, Bureau of Labor Statistics at the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Economic Analysis at the U.S. Department of Commerce, National Center for Education Statistics at the U.S. Department of Education, Internal Revenue Service at the U.S. Department of the Treasury	across 373 study regions