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GPO's System of Online Access
Collection Development Plan

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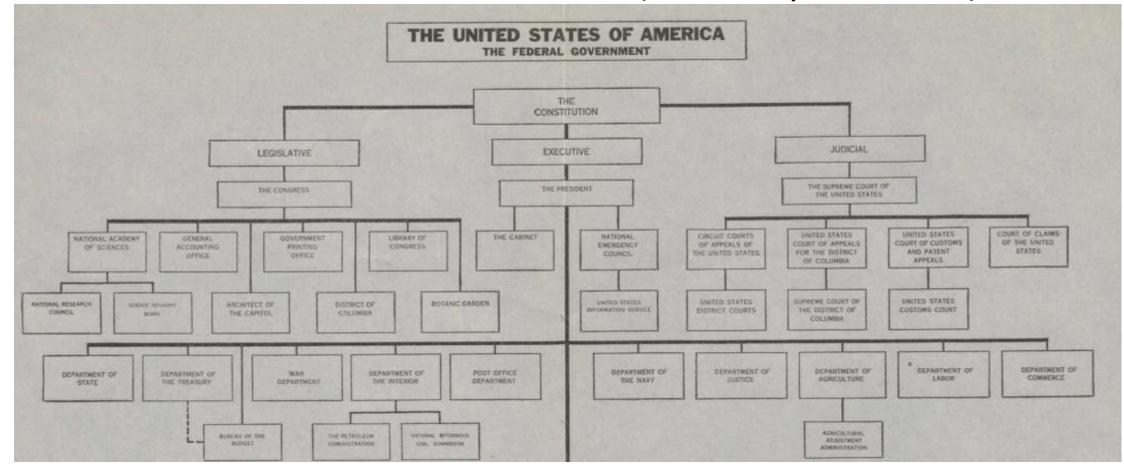








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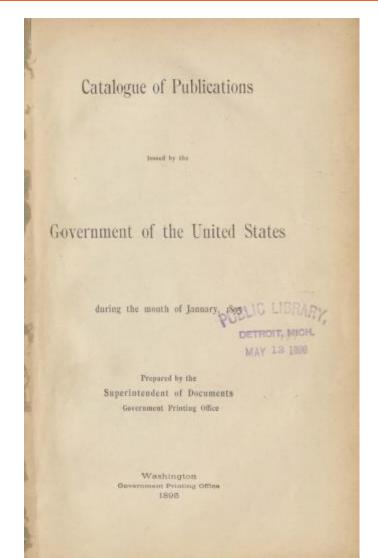


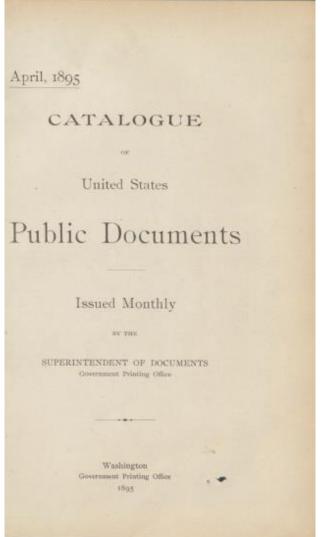




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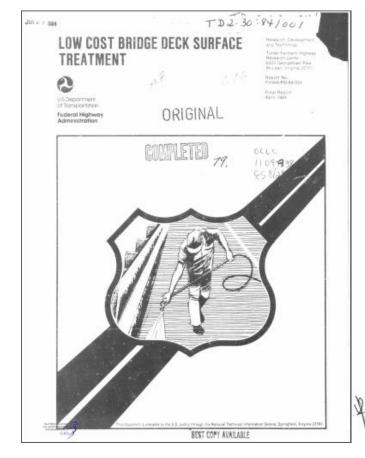


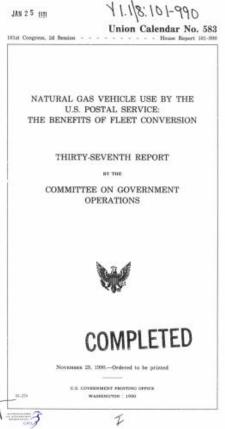


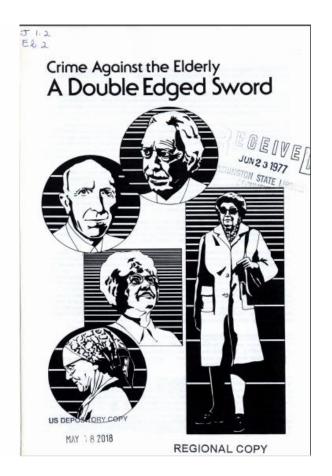




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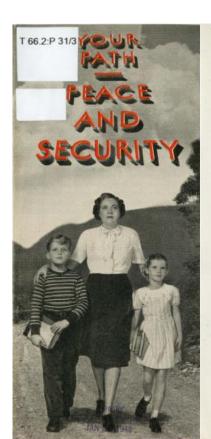








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#### YOUR PATH-PEACE AND SECURITY



You, the American woman, carry brave new responsibilities—to your family, your community, your country, and the world in which you hope to see your children live rossper.

For it is you who control the purse strings. You control the spending of almost 80 cents of the family dollar. You inherit over 70 percent of the money and property left by Americans, and 80 percent of the life insurance. You own a majority of the stock of the Nation's industrial corporations.

Yours is the larger share of the responsibility for keeping America economically sound. Women can't know enough about handling money. That is doubly true in times like these.

#### WHY IT DEPENDS ON YOU . . .

Our national economy can be only as sound and secure as the average American family. An economically insecure America, crippled by a depression, could not hope to keep the peace that has already cost so much in human life, time, and money.

To prevent another war will take all the wisdom and patient work that men and women of good will can muster. We cannot secure and enforce peace unless we are strong.



The Nation's production of wealth today is far greater than before the war. More Americans are sharing in it. From it can come continuing prosperity if we manage well.

Good management starts with the woman, the family buyer. If the average woman handles money wisely, our economy will get along all right because in the end women control most of it. Despite the high cost of living, American women are adding to our Bond savings. Of the 45 billion dollars worth of U. S. Savings Bonds now owned by individuals, a woman's name is on about 30 billion dollars worth.

That is a lot of Savings Bonds, but it isn't enough. Savings of this kind are the best antidepression insurance you can take out. And antiwar insurance, too. An economically sound America is the cornerstone of any world organization for peace. Widespread holding of U. S. Savings Bonds by individual Americans, particularly by women, is a foundation stone of a sound and strong economy, as it is of family security.

#### FROM A PERSONAL POINT OF VIEW

If you are earning your money (and 50 percent more women do today than did so before the war), put some of it away regularly in U. S. Savings Bonds. If you are a homemaker, advise the earners in your family to do the same—to save regularly, automatically through the Payroll Savings Plan schere they torch, or the Bond-a-Month Plan schere they bank.

When you join the hundreds of thousands of women, the millions of families who regularly add to their savings in Bonds, you not only contribute to national strength and world peace; you help your family and yourself to a steadier, safer and happier future.

YOU ARE TELLING YOUR MONEY WHERE TO GO INSTEAD OF ASKING IT WHERE IT WENT.



You are plotting your lifeline as far as humanly possible to do so, and preparing in advance for what may come, good or bad. Most of what comes in our Land of Opportunity is pretty good; the long-time saver is ready to make the best of it. Regular automatic allotment of a percentage of income to Savings Bonds—before it has a chance to reach your pocket and become outgo—that's the secret for saving.

U. S. Savings Bonds are the best-paying riskless investment for your savings in the world. E Bonds pay 84 at maturity for each 83 you invest. You can get your money when you need it, without delay. Meanwhile, you don't have to worry about what your investment is worth, whether it is going up or down in the market. In Savings Bonds it is always going up. Its cash value at any time is stated right there on the back of the Bond.

Here's a tailor-made savings schedule that can be altered to fit any member of your family.

#### THROUGH WEEKLY PAY-ROLL SAVINGS

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#### ON A BOND-A-MONTH BASIS

INVEST	AND YOU WILL HAVE			
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How much money do you need? These tables tell you how fast you can save it.

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#### MAPPING YOUR SECURITY . . .

Be as thrifty as you can in family buying thrift is synonymous with eigor and growth. Put every dollar you can spare into Savings Bonds regularly.

Plan your thrift with a purpose.

Budget for a new home, the farm you've wanted to own, more educational advantages, and for that inevitable post-earning period—old age.

As a member of a church or a woman's organization, as a leader in your neighborhood or community, advise others to save regularly.

See that the U. S. Savings Bonds Program is an integral part of the program of the patriotic, civic, educational, church, business or professional organization to which you

Spread the good word on Savings Bonds in your organization's publications.

Include Savings Bonds material in mailings to members. (The Director of the U. S. Savings Bonds Division in your State will supply materials.)

Use your influence with the local press to emphasize the significance to the world of a strong American economy, and to our country of the economically strong individual—the secure family.



Encourage the Savings
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schools. Children bought 80
million U. S. Savings Stamps
the last school year and received sound training in the
handling and saving of their
money.

#### YOUR STAKE IN YOUR COUNTRY . . .

No matter how much or little you possess of the money and property in this country, you share equally with 142 million Americans the priceless privilege of being an American, living in the most fortunate land on earth.

Be proud of its past; have faith in its future. Work and save to make it better by making your part of it better. Help keep it prosperous and at peace, and we can make the coming years richer than all the 171 since the United States of America was first conceived in liberty and its people dedicated to the pursuit of hampings.

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The Office of the Parliamentarian of the U.S. House of Representatives A has produced the second volume of its 2017 series of updated precedents. This series builds upon the previous Hinds, Cannon, and Deschler volumes of precedents. Each chapter in the new 2017 series documents and analyzes House precedents occurring since the publication of its corresponding chapter of Deschler's Precedents. The second volume of the 2017 series is now available and contains Chapter 5 - The House Rules, House Journal, and Congressional Record, and Chapter 6 - Officers, Officials, and Employees.

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The three types of appropriations measures are regular appropriations bills, continuing resolutions, and supplemental appropriations bills.

### **Regular Appropriations Bills**

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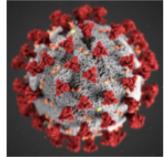
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- Safeguarding America's First Responders Act of 2020, Public Law 116-157, Enacted August 14, 2020
- Protecting Nonprofits from Catastrophic Cash Flow Strain Act of 2020, Public Law 116-151, Enacted August 3, 2020
- Emergency Aid for Returning Americans Affected by Coronavirus Act, Public Law 116-148, Enacted July 13, 2020
- An act to extend the authority for commitments for the paycheck protection program and separate



















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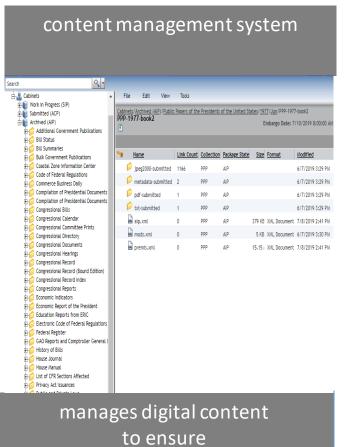








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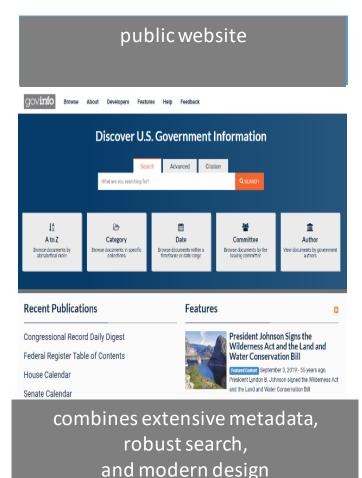


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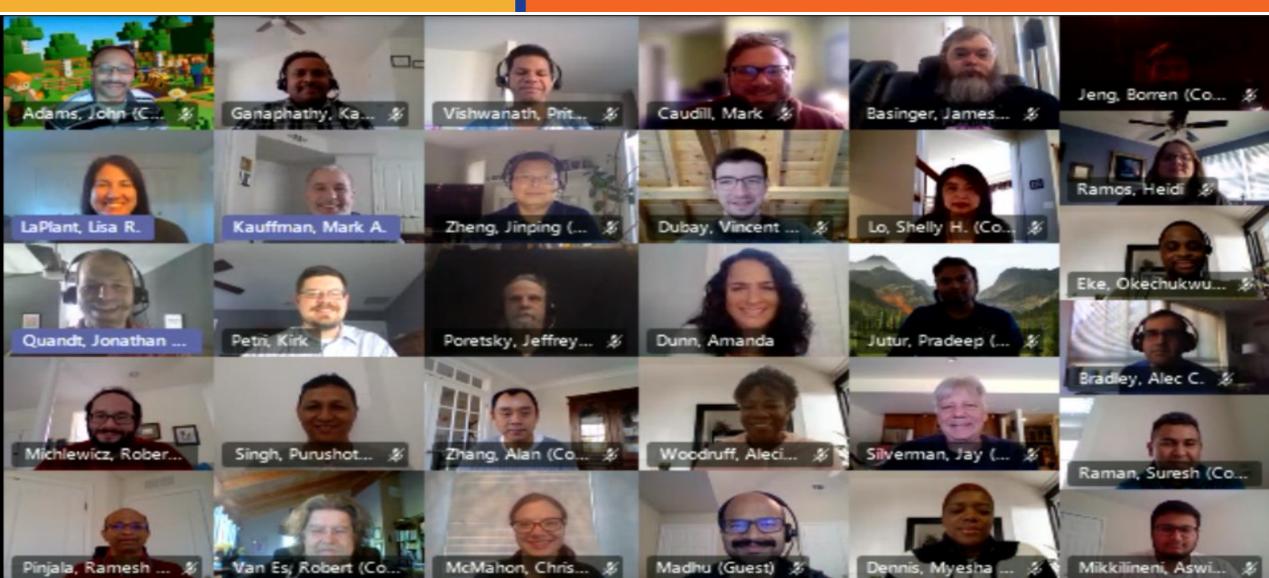






























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- December 2019
  - ISO 16363 Trustworthy Digital Repository Certification Surveillance Audit
  - Related Documents for Bills and Public Laws to History of Bills documents
  - XML renditions for House Rules Committees Prints from embedded files
  - Digitized Government Manual content support
  - Social sharing simplification and re-tooling
  - Notifications to proactively identify and resolve data quality issues
  - Enhancement to retain metadata changes made to reprocessed Congressional Directory publications
  - Accessibility improvements for keyboard navigation and screen readers
- March 2020
  - Bulk Download of Search Results
  - PREMIS metadata redaction events
  - Enhancement to retain metadata changes made to reprocessed Committee Prints publications
  - Trending Documents section on Homepage
  - Sort A-Z for Organization and Government Author Filters
  - History of Bills Browse for Bills in Multiple Sessions and Related History of Bills functionality
  - CSV Metadata File Submission functionality
  - API endpoint to request package lists by publication date



















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- July 2020 -
  - Complete system hardware and storage refresh
  - Automated testing to support improved quality and consistency
  - Browse by Date navigation updates
  - Mobile Menu redesign
  - Congressional Record improved parsing for Executive Sessions and Executive Calendars
  - Improvements to editing metadata for multiple collections
  - Enabled removal of metadata changes for certain collections
- September 2020
  - Search functionality for About, Features, and Help content
  - Application server replacement
  - Visited links styling
  - Date Sorting added to Related Public Laws on Daily Compilation of Presidential Documents
  - Component upgrades for the content management system and repository



















### Metrics

- 7.6M PDF files and 17.9M image files in the govinfo preservation repository.
- PDF, Text, XML, and JP2 are the predominate file formats.
- 213K packages added to govinfo in FY20.
- 5 minute average processing time from ingest to availability on the public website.
- 33M average monthly public website file retrievals in FY20.
- 392M public website file retrievals in FY20.
- 4.0B public website file retrievals since January 2009.











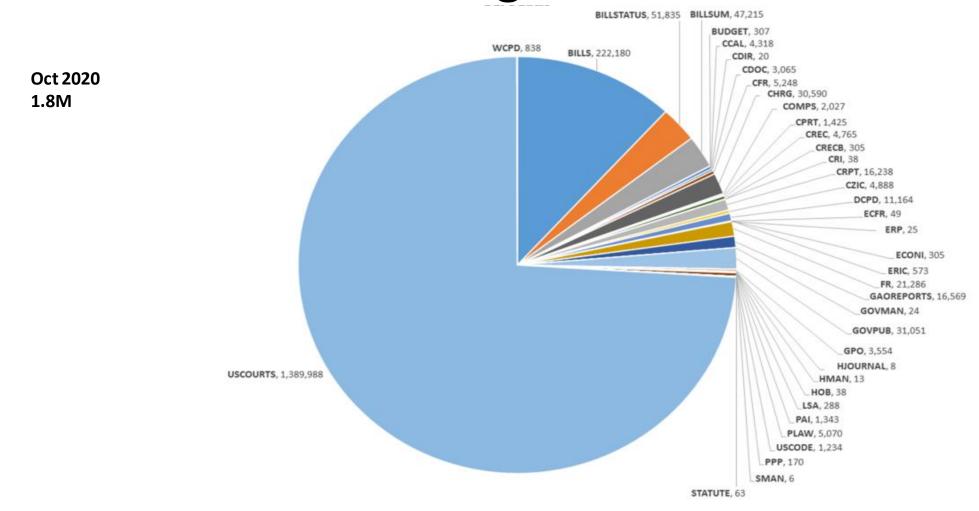








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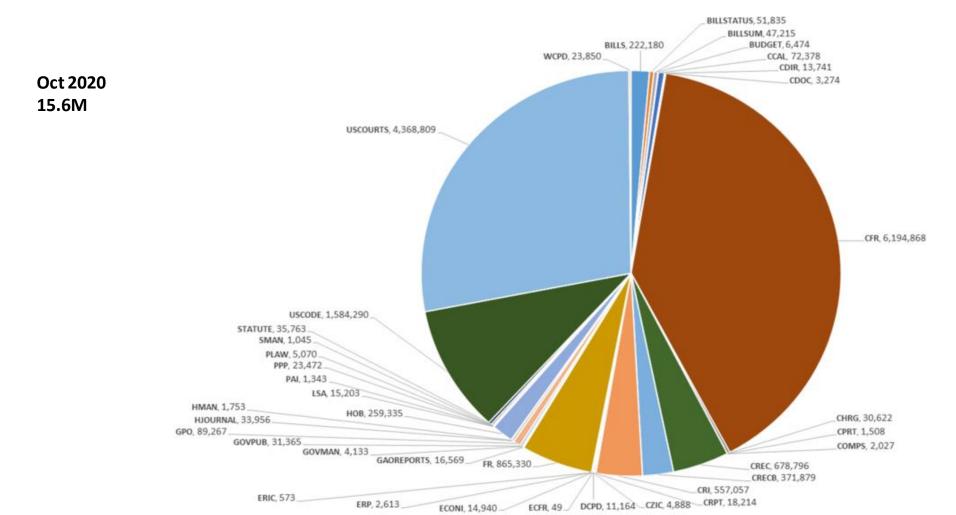








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