

Package ‘onbabynames’

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Title Names Given to Babies in Ontario Between 1917 and 2018

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Language en-US

Description A database containing the names
of the babies born in Ontario between 1917 and 2018.
Counts of fewer than 5 names were suppressed for privacy.

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Names of babies in Ontario Between 1917 and 2018

Description

A database containing the first names of babies born in Ontario between 1917 and 2018. Counts of fewer than 5 names were suppressed for privacy.

Usage

```
onbabynames
```

Format

A database containing 161 703 lines and 4 columns:

year Year

sex F for female and M for male

name Name

n Frequency

Source

https://data.ontario.ca/dataset/eb4c585c-6ada-4de7-8ff1-e876fb1a6b0b/resource/919b7260-aafd-4af1-a000-000000000000/download/ontario_top_baby_names_male_1917-2018_en_fr.csv

https://data.ontario.ca/dataset/4d339626-98f9-49fe-aede-d64f03fa914f/resource/0c4aec56-b2b8-499b-9000-000000000000/download/ontario_top_baby_names_female_1917-2018_en_fr.csv

Examples

```
library(dplyr)

# The five most popular girls names in Ontario in 2018
onbabynames %>%
  filter(year == 2018 & sex == "F") %>%
  arrange(desc(n)) %>%
  head(5)

library(ggplot2)

# The popularity of the five most popular girls names in Ontario in 2018
# between 1917 and 2018

girls2018 <- onbabynames %>%
  filter(year == 2018 & sex == "F") %>%
  arrange(desc(n)) %>%
  select(name) %>%
  head(5)
```

```
onbabynames %>%  
  filter(name %in% girls2018$name) %>%  
  ggplot(aes(x = year, y = n, color = name)) +  
  geom_line()
```

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