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EJAM Environmental Justice Analysis Multisite tool

EJScreen's Environmental Justice Analysis Multisite Tool (EJAM) is a resource provided by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA). It lets you easily and quickly see demographic and environmental information aggregated within and across hundreds or thousands of places, all at the same time.

What Can You Do with EJAM?

- [What is EJAM?](#)

EJAM as a Web Application

[EJAM can be used as a web app](#), providing a simple user interface that lets anyone quickly see the results of a basic analysis.

EJAM as a Software Toolkit (and Local Web App) for Analysts and Developers

EJAM is also available to analysts and developers as an R Package written in the [R programming language](#), with source code on GitHub. When used in RStudio, the EJAM package provides functions to help analysts work with block group data, points, and polygons, to very quickly aggregate and compare large numbers of locations.

Again, installing the R package also allows one to use [EJAM as a local web app](#) if the shiny app is launched locally on a user's own computer.

More information about the EJAM R package:

- [Installing the R package](#)

- [Quick Start Guide](#)

- [Basics of Using EJAM for Analysis in RStudio](#)

- [Advanced Features](#)

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Contributing

We encourage analysts and developers to test the EJAM R package and the EJAM shiny app, and provide feedback, or to share code, and we welcome your suggestions or contributions.

- [How to Contribute](#)

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