



## **The Handbook**

### **Codex**

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# Function Reference/get\_userdata

## Description

Returns the information pertaining to the user whose ID is passed to it. Properties map directly to wp\_users table in the database (see [Database Description](#)).

## Usage

```
<?php get_userdata(userid); ?>
```

## Examples

### Default Usage

The call to `get_userdata()` returns the user's data, where it can be retrieved using member variables.

```
<?php $user_data = get_userdata(1);

echo('Username: ' . $user_info->user_login . '\n');
echo('User level: ' . $user_info->user_level . '\n');
echo('User ID: ' . $user_info->ID . '\n');

?>
```

```
Username: admin
User level: 10
User ID: 1
```

## Parameters

userid

(*integer*) The id of the user whose data you want to retrieve.