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The Internet Intelligence Index[™] is designed to help you gather information from a wide variety of public services, in support of your competitive intelligence efforts. It contains links to over 600 intelligence-related Internet sites, covering everything from macro-economic data to individual patent and stock quote information.

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General Business Internet Resources

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Market Research News Patents, Trademarks & Intellectual Property Phone Directories Search Engines/Directories Statistics Trade Shows/Conferences Usenet/Discussion Groups

Industry Internet Resources

Advertising/Marketing Aerospace/Defense Agriculture Apparel Automotive Chemicals Computer Hardware/Software Construction Energy/Utilities Engineering Environment

- Financial Services Food and Beverages General Industry Resources Healthcare Insurance Law Machinery/Heavy Equipment Manufacturing Mining/Minerals Paint & Coatings Paper/Pulp
- Pharmaceutical/Biotechnology Plastics/Rubber Publishing/Media Retailing/Consumer Goods Standards Technology/Telecommunication s Trade Travel and Transportation

International Internet Resources

Asia/Pacific Resources Austria British Resources Business and Industry Canadian Resources Dutch Resources French Resources General Country Information General European Resources German Resources Latin American Resources Middle East Resources Northern Irish Resources Portuguese Resources Russian Resources Spanish Resources Swedish Resources Swiss Resources

General Business Internet Resources

Alerting/Monitoring Services

Ad Facts

Provides customized competitive advertising and publicity tracking in print media (trade and consumer publications) and on the Internet. Offers reports on ad spending, publicity coverage, media placement, and analysis of the competitors' advertising strategies over time.

Dialog/Datastar

The Dialog Corporation provides alert services for both Dialog and its European counterpart Datastar. Factiva

Factiva, a Dow Jones/Reuters company, provides business news and information from a variety of newspapers and news wires.

Google

Google Alert tracks new content across the entire web by monitoring billions of web pages indexed by Google on a regular basis.

InfoBeat

This free site will deliver personalized news and finance stories to your email account.

MarketWatch

News, financial data, and alerts for stocks and topics of personal interest.

NewsEdge

Features numerous alerting services to match personal preferences and requirements. Services can be e-mail-based, Web-based or via fax. Prices range from free to low/moderate cost per month.

Tracerlock

This low-priced service monitors search engines, usenet groups, personals ads and stock quotes.

Watchlist/Edgar Online

This site offers an inexpensive SEC-specific alerting service. Receive an HTML-enabled e-mail alert in your mail box when a specified company submits a file with the SEC.

Annual Reports

Annual Report Gallery

Links to over 1,000 free annual reports, some in full image format, including most of the Fortune 500 companies.

Company Annual Reports On-line

Free annual reports available online for companies in Europe, Asia and United States.

IRIN: Annual Report Research Center

Easy-to-use directory of current and historical annual reports.

The Public Register's Annual Report Service

Annual reports and 10K's on over 3,600 public companies.

Wall Street Journal Annual Reports Service Search by alphabetical order or industry.

Associations

ASAE and the Center for Association Leadership

Directory of member associations (hundreds of web links). Listings of other (unlinked) associations, organizations and societies. Directory of convention centers and bureaus.

Professional Associations

Yahoo's list of more than 140 professional associations.

Society of Competitive Intelligence

Society of Competitive Intelligence Professionals homepage, featuring SCIP publications, electronic discussion groups, expert/speaker database, events calendar and information about the organization.

Benchmarking

APQC Best Practices

The American Productivity & Quality Center (APQC) has links to resources for process and performance improvement for organizations and industries; benchmarking, competitive intelligence, sales & marketing, strategic planning, new product development, leadership, and more. Parent of The International Benchmarking Clearinghouse.

Benchmarking Sources

The Telecommunications Benchmarking International Group also has links to more than 60 industry-specific benchmarking organizations.

Best Manufacturing Practices

Subscription-based service on benchmarking and measurement quality.

Business/Economic Resources

<u>Alacra</u>

Fee-based collection of pre-formatted, applicationready, numeric information--including company, industry, country, demographic and economic data-that will save hours of typing and data conversion. BIZlink

Business resource site that includes links to web sites on company research, industry research, international business, patents and trademarks, and more.

BRINT Research Institute

A searchable database that provides access to hundreds of full-text articles, papers, magazines, journals, case studies, tools, and thousands of other resources on today's top business issues.

CEO Express

A valuable site featuring "one-stop shopping" for company and business-related information. This single page features a large, well-organized collection of business-related internet sites and services.

Country Studies

Full text of select handbooks presenting detailed description of political, economic, and social conditions of select countries around the world. From the Library of Congress.

DataPlace

The Fannie Mae Foundation's DataPlace contains national, state, and city housing and demographic information. Information can be viewed visually on maps, scatterplots, charts, and tables.

Economic Statistics

Links to the most current federal economic indicators available, including production and sales, employment and unemployment, income and expenditures, interest rates, prices, and also international statistics.

<u>Galaxy</u>

Galaxy's massive directory for business and commerce information links to organizations, businesses, publications, news sources, and is searchable or browsable.

Gross State Product Tables

U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis tables estimating value of goods and services for more than 60 industries in 50 states.

Industry, Trade and the Economy

From the U.S. Department of Commerce, this site includes industry descriptions and trends, data by industry, and foreign trade information.

Information Please Almanac

Business statistics, including Dow milestones, corporate profits, motor vehicle data and more. KnowX

A fee-based database of public records, compiled from official sources and updated regularly; includes a People Finder, a Business Records Finder and a Background Check.

National Trade Data

Offers a variety of business and economic resources from numerous government agencies.

State Small Business Profiles

Full text of Small Business Administration reports providing statistical overviews of the economy in 50 states, focusing on small business.

Company Information

AllBusiness

This site provides a business directory, searchable by industry or company name. It also features business profiles, a franchise directory, and links to government resources.

Annual Report Gallery

Links to over 1,000 free annual reports, some in full image format, including most of the Fortune 500 companies.

Business.com

With over 400,000 listings, this site offers company profiles for public and private international companies, biographies of executives, industry profiles and news.

Corporate Information

This site provides ways to do both company, industry and country research. Profiles on more than 31,000 companies in 55 countries are provided by Wright Investors Service.

Hoover Company Listings

Company directory listings searchable by company name, location, industry and sales figures. Includes percentage gains or losses in sales for the most recent year, and links to web sites if available.

InterNet Bankruptcy Library

Worldwide troubled company resources, including news, case-specific newsletters, discussion groups, and book and periodical resources.

IRIN

Free. Online annual reports, quarterlies, fact books, and press releases for more than 2,000 companies, available in full image format.

Kompass

Access information on 2.2 million companies, 4.2 million executives, 54,000 product and service keywords, and 822,000 trade names. Search by company name, product, or geographic region. Detailed reports available for a fee.

Researching Companies Online

An excellent business research tutorial, which links to web sites with free company and industry information on the Web.

<u>SEDAR (System for Electronic Document Analysis</u> and Retrieval)

Canada's site for public company filings (similar to EDGAR). This free bilingual service includes most filings required of public companies and mutual funds, and also provides links to regulatory sites and stock exchanges.

The Public Register's Annual Report Service

This service allows U.S. investors to order, via the Web, free annual reports from over 3,600 public companies.

The Vault Career Research

Career research site offers free company snap shots, in-depth profiles, as well as news, message boards, and research on different industries.

<u>Thomas Register</u>

Automated searching of the Thomas Register of American Manufacturers by product or service. Free membership.

WetFeet Career Research

Career research site offers free company and industry profiles, as well as links to other career and job-related sites. For a fee, you can purchase indepth "Insider Guides" to a company or an industry. Yahoo!--Company Directories

This vast directory site is particularly useful for finding smaller companies; listed alphabetically by industry.

Competitor Intelligence

Factiva

A Dow Jones & Reuters company that provides business information via articles from more than 10,000 sources worldwide.

Fuld & Company

A competitive intelligence consulting firm that analyzes markets and competitors, teaches intelligence-gathering methods, and helps companies establish internal competitor monitoring capabilities.

Industry Canada

From the Canadian Federal government, this site offers a nice overview of CI tools and links. In English and French.

New York Society of Security Analysts

A forum for the exchange of investment information in the U.S which includes listings of NYSSA's seminars and corporate presentation luncheon meetings.

Society of Competitive Intelligence

Society of Competitive Intelligence Professionals homepage, featuring SCIP publications, electronic discussion groups, expert/speaker database, events calendar and information about the organization.

The Wall Street Transcript

This site provides security reports, analysts comments on market trends and industry issues, and CEO interviews.

Wincite Systems

Software provider specializing in competitive intelligence and knowledge management applications.

Corporate Filings & Records

10K Wizard

Subscription-based searches on public company securities filings. Easy-to-use interface.

BRB's Public Record Retriever Network

If you are unable to find or retrieve public records online, you may want to hire a public record retriever who is local to the area that you are researching. This user-friendly site enables you to search by state or county. Retriever profiles include contact information, types of records retrieved, retrieval areas, and other specific data.

Edgar Online

This site offers an inexpensive SEC-specific alerting service. Receive an HTML-enabled e-mail alert in your mail box when a specified company submits a file with the SEC.

Free Public Records

Links to more than 300 state, county, city and federal (court) websites where you can access public record information for free.

Free Public Records Directory

Featuring access to individual state public record databases, this site is searchable by zip code or city and state.

Individual Secretary of State Offices

This page, from State and Local Governments on the Net, contains links to the secretaries of state offices. These offices may provide online access to corporate and business reports, including UCC filings, incorporations, mergers, and liquidations.

KnowX Business Background Check

For a fee, KnowX will provide a Business Background Check, which includes bankruptcies, corporate records, federal employee identification numbers, yellow pages, and business lawsuits, liens, and judgments records. It recommends its service to enable customers to make better business decisions about selecting new suppliers, customers, or business partners.

Searchsystems.net Public Records Directory

This commercial site bills itself as the original, largest, most up-to-date and reliable directory of public records on the Internet. It claims to provide more than 38,000 searchable databases, which include not only U.S. and individual state sources but Canadian, Australian, European, and other international databases as well. Monthly and annual subscriptions are available.

SEC Filings & Forms (EDGAR)

Securities and Exchange Commission site. Offers 10K and other reports filed by public companies.

SEC Info

Free site providing access to SEC EDGAR filings, including mergers & acquisitions, institutional ownership, insider trading, proxies, and late filing notices.

U.S. Party/Case Index

Public Access to Court Electronic Records (PACER) is an electronic public access service that allows users to obtain case and docket information from Federal Appellate, District and Bankruptcy courts, and from the U.S. Party/Case Index. Users must register and are assessed a per-page fee.

United States Department of Justice - Freedom of

Information Act (FOIA)

This government site explains Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests and offers links to FOIA contacts at specific federal agencies. It also links to annual department FOIA reports and reference materials.

United States Public Records Directory

Federal records links, such as Federal Inmate Locator and SEC filings, are provided here, as well as access to other free databases and research tools, such as the congressional vote database, bankruptcy court searching, and FCC filed comments.

US Private Company Public Records

This fee-based site searches 44 states simultaneously to confirm the existence/legitimacy of USA private firms. Search records including corporations, limited partnerships, limited liability companies, DBA's, fictitious business names, assumed names, prior names, and name reservations.

Finding Experts

Expert Pages

Easy-to-use menu by subject, then state. Covers all topics from accounting to zoning.

Experts Online

Search for experts by area of expertise and geographic location.

<u>Intota</u>

Fee-based service that provides scientific and technical experts in more than 30,000 areas of expertise.

Sources and Experts

Links to 1) experts on a wide variety of topics arranged by area of expertise, 2) organizations that publish directories of experts on the web, 3) authors and editors; and 4) universities and think tanks.

General Reference

AllWords.com

Translates words from Dutch, English, French, German, Italian, and Spanish into any of these languages.

How Much Is That?

What the dollar is worth over time, according to inflation.

Librarians' Internet Index

The LII presents useful websites in many different areas. It has more than 32 subject categories in its reference section, providing links on abbreviations, conversion tables, world records, and more.

Library Spot

Virtual library that provides reference sites such as dictionaries, almanacs, calendars, associations, encylopedias, genealogy, biography and others. Features links to different kinds of libraries (medical, law, music, etc.).

TechEncyclopedia

Helps you to define more than 20,000 IT terms.

Time and date.com

Provides the current local times for more than 130 places around the world.

Travel Health Online

Features information on more than 200 countries, travel advisories, health concerns and vaccines.

<u>Wikipedia</u>

This "free encyclopedia that anyone can edit" contains more than 1.6 million articles in its English edition (it has versions in 250 languages). The site, run by the non-profit Wikimedia Foundation, also includes a directory of species, quote collection, and textbooks and manuals. At the Wikipedia Reference Desk, volunteers will respond to specific questions.

Government Agencies

Environmental Protection Agency

News and events, laws and regulations, and projects and programs information from the EPA. Business and industry links also included.

Federal Business Opportunities

This site serves as the "single government point-ofentry (GPE) for Federal government procurement opportunities over \$25,000." Vendors can search by date, by industrial or procurement codes, or by agency to find potential business opportunities from government buyers.

Federal Register

Federal Register and Congressional Record (searchable) available at Government Printing Office site.

Federal Web Navigator

A very extensive listing of federal government links, searchable by agency name or subject. Maintained by the Villanova University School of Law.

<u>FirstGov</u>

The official U.S Government portal. Free access to the index to the government's web sites.

Infomine

For locating government sponsored web sites. LOUIS

LOUIS, which stands for the Library of Unified Information Sources, presents a site that includes seven sets of federal documents: congressional reports (including House, Senate and Joint Congressional committees); the Record: congressional hearings (testimonies from House and Senate committees); the Federal Register; presidential documents (executive orders. determinations, memos. notices. and proclamations); Government Accountability Office reports, and congressional bills and resolutions. It is searchable by keyword, date, or document. Updated daily, the database allows users to set up an RSS feed for subject alerts.

National Institute of Standards and Technology

Current news releases, and archives, newsletters, conference/events calendar, fact sheets, speeches and publications from NIST.

National Science Foundation

Science and Engineering research and statistics, including publication information and data and links to other government, international and related sites. Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) standards, regulations and information.

U.S. Business Advisor

Links to government sources, including general business, employment, trade and finance sites, for the business world. Includes a search engine that scans more than 100,000 U.S. Government Web sites.

U.S. Census Bureau

U.S. census data is searchable with keywords or by clicking on an area map. Reports are available for downloading.

U.S. Department of Agriculture

News releases, agency reports, special events and other agricultural information, including calendars and educational resources.

U.S. Department of Agriculture Economics, Statistics and Market Information System

This USDA System contains nearly 300 reports and datasets covering U.S. and international agriculture and related topics. Reports include areas such as economics, rural affairs and annual statistical reports (spreadsheets) on crops, dairy and poultry production, farm income, and world agriculture trends.

U.S. Government Online Gateway

FedWorld--gateway to various government online resources.

U.S. National Technology Transfer Center

U.S. National Technology Transfer Center. Information on federally sponsored R&D, reports on new technologies.

U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission

Offers 10K and other reports filed by public companies.

IPOs

EDGAR Online's IPO Portal

The most complete, FREE service (offered by EDGAR Online) provides easy access to detailed information on IPO filings, pricing, and performance. Search by industry, company, underwriter, or geographic location.

IPO Central

IPO info (offered by Hoover) for companies that have filed and companies that have started trading. Limited amount of free information; more available by subscription.

IPO Monitor

Very complete subscription-based service (\$29/month) that provides news, email alerts, commentaries, and IPO company profiles.

Information Services

D&B

Fee-based business background reports on companies.

Dialog

Dialog calls itself the "worldwide leader in providing online-based information services to organizations seeking competitive advantages in such fields as business, science, engineering, finance and law."

<u>Factiva</u>

Top-notch information (plus alerting) service with easy-to-use interface. Content derives from 9,000 publications around the globe, as well as brokerage house and market research reports.

FT Profile

A commercial source for company financials and company information.

Google News

A computer-generated news site that aggregates headlines from more than 4,500 English-language news sources worldwide, groups similar stories together and displays them according to each reader's personalized interests. Articles are selected and ranked by computers that evaluate, among other things, how often and on what sites a story appears online.

Google Scholar

Provides a simple way to broadly search for scholarly literature. Search across many disciplines and sources: peer-reviewed papers, theses, books, abstracts and articles, from academic publishers, professional societies. preprint repositories, universities and other scholarly organizations.

Ingenta

Fee-based article/document locator and delivery service for more than 20,000 publications dating back to 1988. Journal name, article title, author and date are included in the search.

Knowledge Express

Focuses on science and technology. A search will yield key contacts, potential partners, market information, patent information, new products concepts and more. Fee-based service that draws information from a variety of copyrighted database services.

LexisNexis

LexisNexis provides a wide variety of information solutions. Its Lexis and Nexis research services can meet the needs of searchers from many industries, including law, business, academia, and the media.

Northern Light

Provides access to business and industry news from thousands of hand-selected business news sites. leading business publications, industry authority blogs, regional newspapers, and national news sources. Users can search the full-text of trade journal and business news databases without limitation. A subscription or day pass is required to read articles from the journals and business news sources and to take advantage of functionality like Search Alerts, Public Alerts and user preferences.

OneSource

OneSource offers access to integrated corporate and industry information, including company profiles, news, SEC filings, business and trade articles, research reports, executive profiles, industry intelligence and financial data. Its subscriptionbased Business Browser provides information on more than 600,000 public and private companies.

Job Listings

America's Job Bank Info

America's Job Bank links together the 1,800 stateoperated public Employment Service offices. More than 1.5 million jobs are listed with no cost to employer or job seeker.

Careerbuilder

Job ads from more than 75 career sites are searchable by category, keywords and salary at Careerbuilder. Also included are profiles and ads from larger companies.

Careers.wsj.com

A free job-search and career-guidance site from The Wall Street Journal Interactive Edition.

Dice

Job listings for computer and information technology professionals. Excellent search capabilities.

EmploymentGuide.com

Search for jobs, by location or job category. EmploymentGuide.com focuses on "part time jobs entry-level to mid-management online and employment opportunities."

JobWeb

Job and career site focusing on new college araduates. It includes numerous links to useful sites around the web.

Monster

Large database of job listings searchable by keyword, company, industry, location. Offers resume posting and job alerting service (e-mail sent when specified company posts a job). Fee-based to jobposters, free to job-hunters. Top job searches are also available as RSS feeds.

The Riley Guide

This site provides a guide to online employment opportunities and job resources. Its keyword index provides thousands of links to appropriate job openings. Salary guides and resume writing advice are also posted.

Yahoo! hotjobs

Vast collection of jobs searchable by keywords, region, job name or base pay. One can post jobs or resumes.

Knowledge Management Resources

Brint KMNetwork

Nice portal for e-business, information technology, and knowledge management. Contains a useful set of links including books, analyses, KM discussions database, and KM conferences.

KM Resource Center

Useful resources as KM Websites, case studies, conferences, magazines and books.

<u>KMWorld</u>

KMWorld magazine, which covers content, document, and knowledge management, provides KM news, event information, and a buyers' guide directory. Its free email newsletter, "KMWorld NewsLinks," is published twice a week.

Law & Legal Resources

ADLAW By Request

From the law firm Reed Smith, this site is an up-todate source for legislation and regulation information in the advertising and marketing industries.

Congress and Government Resources

Congressional site featuring Congressional Record, full text of legislation, bill status, policy information and much more, including related links to state and local governments and other government resources. <u>FindLaw</u>

This site offers extensive legal information including case law, codes, legal associations, law reviews, Supreme Court decisions, and other court opinions and statutory codes.

Internet Legal Resource Guide

This site categorizes more than 4,000 web sites from more than 200 countries around the world.

Law.com

Law.com provides legal news and information from more than 20 online publications. It also includes job information, legal blogs, and information specifically aimed at law students, small or large firms, or inhouse counsel. It features a link to the VerdictSearch website.

Legal Education and Legal Research on the Internet

Vast collection of law and law school sites sponsored by Rutgers University Law School Library.

Legal Information Institute

Legal site maintained by Cornell University's Legal Information Institute. This site offers Supreme Court decisions and the Uniform Commercial Code--full text of the code, including a keyword searching system.

Martindale.com

Now on the Net, and now searchable, this site serves as a comprehensive guide to American lawyers, plus offers other legal news and information.

Uniform Commercial Code Locator

Uniform Commercial Code locator offers links to state statutes for Uniform Commercial Code.

<u>Washlaw</u>

Extensive legal site, featuring hyperlinks to the fulltext of U.S. and international law, plus legal organizations, publishers, directories, law library catalogs, and web sites offering assorted legal services.

Libraries

Harvard Libraries

Useful information such as address, phone number, access information, hours and circulation policy for each library. Direct links to the libraries and their resources.

J. Murrey Atkins

This library contains links to free websites that contain business news, company, industry, financial and economic information and government agencies.

MIT Libraries

Search the MIT collections for articles, conferences, government documents, patents, technical reports, theses and much more. Some resources are restricted to MIT community only.

National Library of Medicine

The world's largest biomedical library. Searchable databases include PubMed, which features biomedical articles.

The Library of Congress Catalog

The ultimate library catalog--The Library of Congress. It can help you locate obscure books and other texts not stocked in even the best university or business libraries.

The WWW Virtual Library

Excellent place to locate pages of collected links that can lead to associations and experts.

<u>WorldCat</u>

Find an item of interest (books, journals, music, many other items)and then locate a library near you that owns it. Usually you will link directly to the item record on the library's Web site. The actions available to you on that page will vary from one library to another.

Market Research

Alacra Store

This an e-commerce website offering consumers access to select reports from a variey of Alacra databases. Searching the Alacra Store is free. Register to purchase items. Types of business information available include company information, credit research, earnings estimates, economic data, filings, market and investment research and news.

MarketResearch

Over 40,000 research reports from more than 350 consulting firms. Search and purchase full-text market research reports.

Mindbranch

A leading source for market research covering over 130 sectors. In-depth industry research, global business information and independent equity analysis. Access to reports, newsletters, company profiles and more. (Fee-based service, see site for details.)

Research and Markets

This site offers thousands of market research reports. A "One-Stop-Shop" for market research reports and industry newsletters from specialist research firms and niche market analysts. All titles are listed at the same price as specialist research firms.

The Info Shop

Global Information, Inc. (GII) offers The Infoshop, the world's leading aggregator for premium business intelligence and market research products. The Infoshop currently partners with over 400 of the world's leading market research firms. Through these partnerships, The Infoshop offers the variety of information solutions, including market research reports, annual info services, newsletters, and custom research. 24-hour service to customers.

News

AdAge.com

Daily news, interactive media issues, archives and other resources.

American Demographics

Current and archived articles from American Demographics magazine. Free registration is required for article access.

Bloomberg Online

Abbreviated Bloomberg with summaries of current news--some full-text of columns coverina government, business, world markets, and company information are also available, along with extensive links to other publications.

Business Journals

This site offers 41 business newspapers, from Albany to Wichita, all searchable through one interface. Business-focused local press.

C-SPAN

Public affairs topics.

Chicago Sun-Times

Electronic edition of major Chicago daily newspaper.

CNN

Top notch multimedia site, offering current and archival news stories, links to television and radio programming, current news videos, and podcasts. CNN Pipeline provides access to CNN.com video archives for a fee.

Financial Times

This site provides three-years-worth of searching of FT, press and newswire articles. You can search by keyword, phrase, company, or journalist.

FindArticles

Free search for articles dating back to 1998. Harvard Business School Publishing

Site offering abstracts, previews and a searchable archive of Harvard Business Review articles.

HighWire Press

This site provides a collection of scientific and medical magazines, some full-text, some indexed. Included are well-known publications such as Science, Pediatrics, and the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences.

Industry-specific News

Yahoo! Finance site which provides industryspecific, 7-day collection of news stories from a variety of business media sources, including Business Wire, PR Newswire, and MarketWatch. Kidon Media-Link

A gateway to newspapers, magazines, television, radio and news agencies around the world.

Los Angeles Times

Excellent resource for California information, includes news archives and searchable classifieds. National Public Radio Archives

Missed an important news story on All Things Considered? Now you can search the archives of several news programs and listen to a particular story. Also includes podcasts.

New York Times

New York Times (today's edition).

NewsDirectory

Browse both newspapers and magazines by country and subject.

Newslinx

Extensive site with all the news about the net and only the net.

NewsVoyager

A service of the Newspaper Association of America, this site serves as a "gateway" to the news industry; links to daily, weekly, international and specialty newspapers.

PBS News & Views

On this site you can find orginal shows and background information about public television programs such as Frontline, Nightly Business Report, NOVA, and others.

PR Newswire - Company News on Call

Current company news and archives of fulltext PR Newswire stories for hundreds of major public companies (PR Newswire clients) are available here.

The Mercury News

Complete online newspaper covering California's Bay Area and the Silicon Valley.

Time Magazine

Massive Time-Warner site featuring access to general interest news and business news.

TotalNEWS

Local, national and international news, business news, sports, politics and more.

Wall Street Journal

Wall Street Journal website featuring headlines from current day's paper and selected free stories, plus assorted other services from Dow Jones.

Washington Post

Electronic edition of the D.C.-based daily newspaper.

Yahoo! News

The day's headline news. The website is keywordsearchable by news stories, photos, blogs and video/audio.

Patents, Trademarks & Intellectual Property

Delphion

This site offers access to patent documents from the U.S., Europe and Japan, plus patent applications from the World Intellectual Property Office. Free registration allows users "quick searching against the US granted bibliographic collection and patent number searching against worldwide collections."

Espacenet

Patent applications in their original language or with an English abstract.

European Publication Server

This service allows users to retrieve European patent documents by publication or application numbers, main IPC classification, or document type. <u>MicroPatent</u>

Fee- and subscription-based patent, trademark, and intellectual property databases.

Official Gazette

Electronic version of the U.S. Patent Office's Official Gazette notices.

<u>QPAT</u>

Search U.S. and world patents and trademarks through one of the many subscription-based databases available from Questel Orbit.

The Copyright Website

Copyright information for digital, visual and audio documents.

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

Comprehensive site offering free full-text patents and trademarks in a searchable database, plus general information and links to other web sites. A favorite site of Fuld cybrarians Helene and Brenda.

Phone Directories

Big Yellow

Sponsored by Verizon, this telephone directory incorporates white and yellow listings and reverse lookup.

<u>Canada 411</u>

Canadian phone directory. Also includes postal codes. In English and French.

Info Space: The Ultimate Guide

A collection of look-up services, including white pages, yellow pages, e-mail and government. Also features reverse look-up and mapping functions.

Links to Postal Code Pages

This huge site will help you find worldwide postcodes.

Switchboard

This directory offers an excellent, easy-to-use catalog of 10 million business and 113 million residential phone listings, mostly in the U.S. It also features reverse lookup, maps, directions, and area and zip codes.

Telephone Directories on the Web

Yellow pages, white pages, business directories, email addresses and fax listings for more than 216 countries around the world, including North America, South America, Europe, Africa, and Asia. The site boasts it can help you "find anyone anywhere in the world."

Yahoo! Search Directory

Links to assorted directories, such as individual and business, domestic and international, as well as mobile phones and email addresses.

Search Engines/Directories

<u>AltaVista</u>

You can search the Web, images, MP3 and audio, video, and news with AltaVista. The site also offers a free translation service called BabelFish, which will translate web pages and/or text. Search results also include Usenet newsgroup matches.

Ask.com

Ask.com provides users with a variety of search types and reference tools, including options for images, blogs, news, weather, directions, "famous people," and conversions. Some results feature a binocular icon, which can preview a website page without having to click through. Ask.com touts its ExpertRank technology, which ranks search results by "subject-specific" popularity.

Blogdigger

Blogdigger indexes blog content through RSS and Atom and makes the content available for searching. Using syndication technologies, it also can provide alerts. A search option also allows you to search for the websites that are linking to a specific URL.

Blogpulse

Blogpulse is a site where you can search blogs and

spot trends. It includes a "conversation tracker", for tracing the origins of a particular blog exchange, as well as a Trend Search, providing a way to literally

graph keywords or phrases.

Clusty

Powered by Vivisimo, this search engine "clusters" results by topics, sources, or URLs.

Dogpile

This meta search engine runs your search simutaneously in Google, Yahoo! Search, MSN Search, and Ask.com. It is an InfoSpace site. The home page features a section called "Favorite Fetches," which includes popular searches.

Exalead

The search results page from Exalead provides additional information, such as related terms, related categories, web site location, document language, and document type, that informs users and enables them to consider additional searching possibilities. These features can be especially helpful when researching a concept that can have many meanings.

Excite

Excite is a directory site which also offers web searching, page personalization, news, and other features.

Findspot

Another meta search engine, Findspot provides tips on how to conduct an effective search, a guide to search engines, and the ability to limit search results to just U.K. sites.

Google

Widely regarded as the premier search engine, Google will bring you directly to the most popular websites (based on number of incoming links). It offers a variety of tools such as book searching, blog searching, geographic imaging, scholarly results, and news alerts.

IceRocket

IceRocket provides options for searching blogs, the Web, news, images, and phone pics. It also allows searching of MySpace, the online social network. Internet Archive

The Internet Archive contains digital files such as websites, moving images, live music, audio and text. Its "Wayback Machine" allows users to find the historical version of a website, even one that may no longer be active.

Lycos

Lycos features web searching, news, entertainment, music and games.

MetaCrawler

An InfoSpace meta search engines, MetaCrawler allows searching for an exact phrase and offers a single interface for many search engines, including Google, Yahoo! Search, Ask.com and MSN Search.

Open Directory Project

Volunteer editors maintain this free web directory of more than 5.3 million sites. Available in 15 languages, the Open Directory Project can be searched by text (advanced search options available) or subject categories, including business, reference, and regional.

Search Engine Colussus

This website bills itself as an "international directory of search engines."

Search Engine Feeds

This site bills itself as a "complete resource for syndicated news, article, blog or forum feeds from popular industry sites that offer xml, rss or atom feeds relating to search engines and search engine optimization." They aim to provide the largest collection of current, popular, up-to-date search engine news and article feeds from industry professionals who report on a variety of subjects including Google, Yahoo, MSN, SEO, link building, online marketing, web promotion, webmaster news, pay per click (ppc/cpc) and a lot more."

Search Engine Showdown

Summaries, reviews, and comparisons of the search features and database scope of Internet search engines and finding aids.

Technorati

Search the "blogosphere", view the top 100 author-

assigned blog topics, or find a blog in Technorati's blog directory.

The Scout Report

This weekly report highlights the newest internet resources "of interest to researchers, educators, and anyone else with an interest in high-quality online material."

<u>Truveo</u>

Truveo, which is part of AOL, is one of the largest video search engines on the web. You can search by keyword or browse one of its many categories. Webcrawler

Webcrawler is another member of the InfoSpace meta search engines.

Windows Live

Search engine from Microsoft. Search the web, images, news, maps, and classifieds.

<u>WiseNut</u>

WiseNut features WiseSearch, which helps the searcher create a more sophisticated query. The site also lets user set preferences, such as result clustering and content filtering, when running searches.

Yahoo!

One of the largest and most popular Internet directories, Yahoo! also sports a superior search engine. An excellent, vast site with multiple uses such as searches for job postings, company listings, news, etc.

Statistics

FedStats

Statistics from more than 100 agencies of the U.S. Government, including industry and regional data. Official Statistics on the Web

From reliable sources, updated statistics on countries and various topics.

Stat-USA

From the Department of Commerce, this subscription-based service provides the user with economic data and international market reports.

Statistical Abstract of the U.S.

Provides statistics on social and economic conditions (as population, education, housing, employment) in the United States. Also features tables and state profiles. The Abstract can also lead you to other data sources from other federal agencies and private organizations.

Statistics.com

This online course catalog offers a directory of data sources for topics such as agriculture, education, health, science, transportation, and much more.

Trade Shows/Conferences

Conventions.net

Conventions.net is a leading online resource for convention, tradeshow, and conference planning, dedicated to simplifying the otherwise difficult task of searching for event industry suppliers worldwide. Expodatabase

Searchable database of international conferences. Trade Show Week

"The Trademark of the Trade Show Industry"; the voice of the exhibition industry, serving thousands of global companies and business leaders around the world.

TSNN - The Ultimate Trade Show Directory

The world's leading online resource for the trade show, exhibition and event industry since 1996. TSNN owns and operates the most widely-consulted event database on the Internet, containing data on more than 17,500 trade shows, exhibitions, public events and conferences. It also offers over 360,000 seminars through a strategic partnership. TSNN helps facilitate the exchange between buyers and sellers to achieve a successful venture with over 137,000 registered website users, 35,000 bi-monthly newsletter subscribers and LinkedIn groups.

Usenet/Discussion Groups

<u>AltaVista</u>

You can search the Web, images, MP3 and audio, video and news with AltaVista. The site also offers a free translation service called BabelFish, which will translate web pages and/or text. Search results also include Usenet newsgroup matches.

CataList

Browse any of the more than 73,800 public LISTSERV lists on the Internet by host site, host country, or number of subscribers.

<u>FAQs</u>

A compilation of FAQs (frequently asked questions) from Usenet newsgroups arranged by topic with indexes.

Google Groups

The most comprehensive search engine for Usenet discussion groups, Google Groups enables keyword searching for discussions of companies; former employees' resumes; job or conference announcements.

Mailgate

Various discussions of countries or general topics, in different languages.

The Motley Fool

Financial discussion boards that focus on stocks, investing strategies, and market analysis.

Industry Internet Resources

Advertising/Marketing

AdAge

Advertising Age, known for its top rated coverage of the advertising industry, offers this site with daily news, archives, plus listings such as top advertisers in various categories and a variety of lists such as 50 best commercials.

Advertising Media Internet Center

AMIC sponsors a vast collection of advertisingrelated websites, including links to organizations and associations. Industry news and advertising data are also highlighted.

Advertising World

University of Texas offers this abundant collection of advertising and related links to companies, organizations, and conferences, and sports an excellent advertising-specific directory of topics.

Adweek Online

Subscription-based current, weekly and archived advertising-related articles and industry updates. Also includes classifieds.

American Association of Advertising Agencies

Newsletter, events, membership roster, abstracts of publications; some available free of cost, others for purchase.

Creativity's AdCritic

The latest ads in movies, TV, music and politics. You must be a subscriber to view most sections, including news headlines and "The Top 20 TV Spots."

Interactive Advertising Bureau

IAB events, news, membership information and research about the use and effectiveness of advertising on the Internet.

MarketResearch

Over 93,000 research reports from more than 350 consulting firms. Search and purchase full-text market research reports.

The Advertising Research Foundation

A corporate membership association performing research in advertising, marketing and media. Its website offers information about the organization, ARF-sponsored events, and links to recent issues of The Journal of Advertising Research.

Web Digest for Marketers

This website features a weekly newsletter of marketing-related sites, as well as Larry Chase's Web Digest for Marketers Resource Directory. Subscriptions to the newsletter are free.

Yahoo!'s Advertising Sites

A useful collection of advertising and marketing organizations.

Aerospace/Defense

Aerade

British website that features aerospace and defense resources regularly updated by Cranfield University. Also offers links to reports, engineering design data, upcoming conferences and an Internet Aviator Tutorial.

Aerolink

An "aviation specific link farm" with about 10,000 links organized by tabs. Specific subject categories include Air Carriers/Airports, Aircraft Acquisition/Operation, and Industry/Commercial. Aerospace Industries Association

Trade group site offering association news and speeches, calendar, and links to related industry sites. Also statistics on employment, production, and foreign trade.

Aerotech News & Review

Weekly aerospace news, archives, links to other aerospace sites. calendar of events and employment opportunities.

AeroWorldNet

Features airline and aerospace industry news and message board, plus lists of industry events, jobs, associations and companies.

Air Transport Association - Economics & Energy

Airline industry information, including an annual outlook of the industry, plus useful statistics such as cargo traffic, industry earnings and employment.

American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics

Site includes a searchable database of conference papers, an events calendar, AIAA Bulletin, and and job postings for aerospace resume professionals.

AVweb

A free aviation-specific web site featuring news, databases, classifieds, and an events calendar.

DefenseLINK

Home page for the U.S. Department of Defense. It includes aerospace news releases, information about doing business with the defense department, and War on Terrorism updates.

NASA

Huge website that allows you to explore NASA technology, access publicly available aerospace documents and multimedia files, among other material.

SciCentral

Billing itself as the "gateway to the best scientific research news sources," SciCentral invites you to browse information on "biosciences, health sciences, physics/chemistry, earth & space, or engineering."

Agriculture

Agriculture Online

Current news for the agriculture industry, including market and technology features.

AgriGator Ag Sites

Agricultural and related information index. Links to government sites, state sites, publications, list servers, other internet sites.

USDA

The official site for the U.S. Department of Agriculture presents information on a variety of agricultural topics, including laws & regulations, marketing & trade, and research & science.

USDA Economics, Statistics and Market Information System

This USDA System contains nearly 300 reports and datasets on U.S. and international agriculture and related topics. Reports cover areas such as economics, rural affairs and annual statistical reports (spreadsheets) on crops, dairy and poultry production, farm income and world agriculture.

Yahoo! Agriculture

Yahoo sponsors a comprehensive gathering of agriculture-specific links pages.

Apparel

American Apparel & Footwear Association

Apparel and footwear industry legislative & trade news, calendar of events, publications directory, and related industry links.

Just-Style.com

News, trade events and discussions of the apparel industry. One can also buy reports and studies. OTEXA: The Office of Textiles and Apparel

This site from the U.S. Department of Commerce presents trade data, import quotas, trade events and links to other apparel/textile-related web sites. Yahoo! Apparel

A directory of apparel-related resources.

Automotive

American International Automobile Dealers

International automobile industry information, including sales and production figures, employment statistics, and several sources of current and archived news.

Autoblog

Blog on automotive news and trends. Articles submitted by different contributors. Also provides links to automakers and auto types.

Autofacts

This site from the PwC Automotive Institute contains the Autofacts global light vehicle assembly and powertrain consumption forecasts, as well as analyst briefings.

Automotive Industry Action Group

Home page of the automotive industry action group trade association.

Detroit Free Press

The automobile industry is covered in the business section of the Detroit Free Press. Features daily news and auto reviews.

Motor Age

Automotive articles, technical features, industry news and troubleshooting advice.

Office of Automotive Affairs

Auto Industry Data, including economic, financial and trade statistics, U.S. Motor Vehicle Market Quick-Facts, the U.S. Automotive Industry Sector Report and more.

United States Council for Automotive Research (USCAR)

An organization formed by DaimlerChrysler, Ford and General Motors to strengthen the technology base of the domestic auto industry. Site contains the latest USCAR news and information, as well as links to industry trade associations and federal laboratories.

Ward's Communications

U.S. and international news, automotive industry sales and production statistics, and a list of automotive-related publications.

WHI Solutions

This site includes a huge list of Industry Association and Manufacturer links.

Chemicals

ChemConnect

An online chemical and plastics marketplace with a commodities exchange and trading rooms. Also market news.

Chemical Online

Current, monthly and archived news, product showcase, supplier directory, marketplace, discussion forums, and career resources for the chemical industry.

Chemical Week

Chemical industry news, links to companies in the chemical industry, industry meetings, conferences, trade shows information, and more.

ChemIndustry

Describes itself as "the worldwide search engine of the chemical industry." Very complete directory of suppliers, resources, equipment and institutes. Also offers a Chemical Name Synonyms finder, an expert site and job vacancies. Also available in Chinese.

Chemistry & Industry

The online version of the eponymous magazine, which is written for members of the Society of Chemical Industry. Features news, patents, conferences and events, the latest equipment news, and jobs.

Chemistry.org

News, conferences and educational resources from the American Chemical Society.

<u>Chemsoc</u>

From the Royal Society of Chemistry. Provides industry news, conferences and events, career information, a unique visual representation of the periodic table, and other resources, as well as more than 3,000 chemistry-related web links.

Material Safety Data Sheets

This site helps searchers find material safety data sheets by providing a list of useful websites.

Computer Hardware/Software

ACM--Association for Computing Machinery

Web site for those in information technologies--from the first international computing society. Site provides information on chapters, conferences, publications, and special interest groups ranging from Accessibility and Computing to Hypertext, Hypermedia and Web.

CNET News.com

Current high tech news, including hardware, software, semiconductor, telecommunication and Internet sectors. Includes links to blogs and podcasts.

Communications Information Sources

This site provides "pointers to a vast number of Internet information sources in the field of Communications and Telecommunications." It includes both U.S. and international information. InfoTech Trends

Provides market forecasts for the information technology industry. Access is free, pay per minute, or subscription based.

Pricewatch

Compare mail order prices on computer hardware and software with this searchable site. A search produces a list of vendors, in decreasing price order, with all necessary contact information (including hyperlinks).

Silicon Valley.com

Daily articles covering technology news and the "Good Morning Silicon Valley" blog.

Smart Computing

Read Smart Computing publications, find answers to your computer questions based on type of question and subject, or get software or hardware product reviews. Site also includes a web site directory, computing dictionary and encyclopedia, and a subscriber-only chat room.

Software & Information Industry Association

Provides news and trends for the software and digital content industry.

TechWeb

Read the current news and headlines for the High Tech world and also find analysis, webcasts, and product reviews.

Yahoo! Computer

Thousands of links to companies and topics. Organized in computer business categories.

<u>ZDNet</u>

Computer-related news, blogs, white papers, product reviews and links to over 500 resources.

Construction

AEC InfoCenter

Offers company and product directories, links to brochures, and specification and CAD information, as well as press releases.

Construction Executive

Employment articles and job listings in the construction industry.

Construction Web Links

This directory from Thelen, Reid & Priest provides links for construction industry topics such as project financing, best practices, and state building codes, as well as job information, statistics, and meetings and conventions.

e-Architect

Federal Project Leads and architecture industry news, as well as career information.

Engineering News-Record

Construction industry site: provides news and information on companies, people, products and projects.

Heavy Construction

Daily top stories and links to construction-related topics; international coverage.

Reed Construction Data

Reed Construction Data's portfolio of products and services includes national, regional and local construction data, building product information, construction cost data, market analytics and advertising channels to construction industry professionals in the US and Canada.

Energy/Utilities

CREST

Presented by the Renewable Energy Policy Project and the Center for Renewable Energy and Sustainable Technology, this site provides energyrelated documents and databases, discussion groups and web sites.

Department of Energy

News releases and speeches for the past two years, a list of DOE-sponsored public meetings and workshops, and online newsletters and publications. Also includes information on energy prices, trends, and conservation tips.

Edison Electric Institute

Utility industry news, current and historical information on the industry, a list of upcoming conventions and meetings, and a list of publications and subscriptions.

Electric Power Research Institute

EPRI news briefs and releases, the EPRI Journal online, and links to energy-related sites.

Energy Central

News, directories, events, and online databases for the electric power professional.

Energy Information Administration

The source of "official energy statistics from the U.S. government," this site provides energy links, listservs, presentations, reports, and conferences as well as links to fuel and energy groups. It also features reports and analyses of a number of energy sectors, such as petroleum, coal and the environment.

EnergyOnline

EnergyOnline provides energy industry data, reports, press releases and price information.

Eveforenergy

News, events, case studies, industry reports and interviews.

Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers

Current and archived news for the electrical industry, online publications, and more.

Los Alamos National Laboratory

Online research material, including databases and an extensive journal collection, and new releases for the energy industry. The site also features sections on national security and on Los Alamos research history.

National Renewable Energy Laboratory

Research and technology, news and events, archives, data, documents and more concerning renewable energy and energy efficiency.

Natural Gas Intelligence

Subscription-based service that provides daily and weekly Gas Price Index, surveys and a newsletter.

North American Electric Reliability

Provides expertise for the electricity markets. Nuclear Energy Institute

Current and archived news releases, fact sheets, and links to nuclear power-related web sites. Oil and Gas Online

A searchable directory to the Internet of the oil and gas industry. Provides products, suppliers, news, market reports and more.

Oil Online

Oil Online brings together information on oil stocks, news, new product releases, career resources, and hyperlinks to oil companies.

PennWell Publishing

Prominent energy-related publisher. Site provides information about technical magazines. conferences. exhibitions. books, database resources, and market research.

Platts

News is broken down by categories: oil, natural gas, petrochemicals, coal, electric power, nuclear, and metals. Nice charts on different products. A blog on renewable energy and podcasts on industry topics are available to registered users or subscribers.

Power Engineering

Online magazine that provides searchable archives, a list of events, and a browsable product directory. **Power Market Association**

Power Market Association web site is for those engaged in marketing electric power. Also features extensive links to other energy resources and some Energy Yellow Pages.

RigZone

Site for the oil and gas industry featuring financial information, news, business prospects, product listings, job and resume postings, and classifieds.

The Utility Connection

Electric, gas and water resources and directory. UtilitvWeek

Directory and database of UK utilities. Interesting Industry Watch section that features new appointments, products and contracts. News for subscribers only.

Engineering

American Society of Mechanical Engineers

This site offers discussion groups, news, conferences and the ASME's codes and standards. AMTonline

Home page for the Association for Manufacturing Technology (AMT), an organization dedicated to American Manufacturers with news, technical and marketing information. This site includes industry links and a member product directory.

Cybertown Campus

Engineering links from the virtual community known as Cybertown.

Engineering Jobs

Job and resume postings.

Galaxy Engineering and Technology

Comprehensive directory offering browsing or searching. Site links to academic institutions, organizations, businesses, and publications.

IEEE--The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers

Home page for IEEE--founded in 1884, it's the world's largest technical professional society with 365,000 members in 150 countries in electrical, electronics and computer engineering and computer science. IEEE sponsors technical conferences and local meetings; publishes nearly 33% of the world's technical papers in electrical, electronics and computer engineering; and provides member educational programs.

Intute

A free online service providing you with access to the very best Web resources for education and research, evaluated and selected by a network of subject specialists. It covers the physical sciences, engineering, computing, geography, mathematics and environmental science.

MatWeb

Free materials property database. Search by material property value, composition, type, name or manufacturer. Now also offers a fee-based Premium Access.

NASA Innovative Partnerships Program

This site allows visitors to "discover and access NASA research, technology, expertise, and R&D capabilities." Links include NASA's Technology Transfer Center, a Development Plan portal, and digest of NASA technology licensing opportunities. Public Works

Features headlines and industry news.

TechSavvy.com

Provides technical and engineering information such as Commercial and Industry Standards and Military Documents.

TechXtra

Find articles, key websites, books, the latest industry news, job announcements, ejournals, eprints, technical reports, the latest research, thesis & dissertations and more.

WWW Virtual Library: Chemical Engineering

Chemical engineering-related sub-topics. organizations, and other relevant resources. Yahoo! Engineering

Links to various engineering specialties as well as to related topics like ergonomics, events, usenet groups, libraries, organizations, and indexes.

Environment

EnviroLink Network

In association with the Animal Concerns community, this website offers news, some statistics, and a neat listing of environmental organizations.

Environmental Directory

A directory of more than 13,000 organizations in the United States concerned with environmental issues and environmental education. This directory is the most complete and most comprehensive environmental directory in the United States. It is available for free at this Web site and for purchase in Filemaker Pro and Excel formats.

Environmental Protection Agency Notebooks

From the Environmental Protection Agency, these Sector Notebooks provide data on water, air and land quality, and regulation for selected major industries.

Green Pages - Global Directory of Environmental Technology

A comprehensive guide to the full spectrum of environmental products & services, featuring 7,000 leading suppliers from 148 countries. Information about organizations, publications and events is complemented by editorial contributions from distinguished experts in their respective fields. This is a practical reference source for government departments. utilitv companies, engineering consultants, development agencies, importers and traders, educational institutes, non-governmental organizations individuals and engaged in environmental activities.

World Bank - Environment

Web site for The World Bank's Environment Strategy. They are one of the key promoters and financiers of environmental upgrading in the developing world. Site offers data and statistics, publications and reports, and news and events, among various other categories.

Yahoo! Environment and Nature

A links page of assorted environment sites around the Net.

Zero Waste America

This non-profit environmental organization provides issues on health, waste and recycling. Also features news, statistics and a detailed list of government contacts and resources.

Financial Services

Bloomberg Business News

International news focusing on finance and markets. Includes economic indicators and statistics on fund performance.

CNN Money

Current financial news, market data and industry information from CNN. Also includes a free, customized, email news service.

Corporate Financials Online

Financials on a variety of mostly smaller companies (about 75% are technology oriented.) Also includes a collection of links to business news sources.

Earnings.com

Offers access to companies' latest conference calls and earnings releases. The site also offers information on conferences, IPOs and other "economic events."

Finance from the World-Wide Web Virtual Library

Maintained by Ohio State University, this site provides links to finance-related sites, including financial markets, financial data, and much more.

Finance Resources on the Web

Another excellent list of links to all things financial. Internet Finance

The best collection of links to the following topics: banking, commodities, financial directories, insurance, organizations, SEC, and stock markets. InvestorLinks

Offers a great financial directory and also stock quotes, message boards and news alerts.

MarketWatch from DowJones

Latest news and commentaries on markets, mutual funds, IPOs, economy and politics.

MoneyTree Report

The MoneyTree Report features information on venture capital in the United States. It includes historical data, as well as current data broken down by a number of categories, including region, industry, and development stage. Registration is required.

Motley Fool

This site offers financial discussion boards, company quotes and data, and tips on investing and retirement.

Quote.com

Business news, stock quotes, and personal finance advice.

Reuters Investing

Investment news on markets, stocks, industries, currencies, bonds and more. Analyst research is available for purchase.

Smallcapcenter

Features analyst reports, stocks, news and alerts. Standard & Poor's

S&P indices and credit ratings, list of financial conferences around the world, market analysis and equity research.

Stock Exchanges Worldwide Links

Links to more than 50 stock exchanges in the world.

Yahoo! Finance

Offers a searchable database of public companies and features company news, SEC filings and stock valuations.

Zagury.com

Collected together at this site are a vast array of links to finance/investment-related sites, including stock markets, exchange rates, finance software, business schools, information and news services, and an online bookstore associated with Amazon.com

Food and Beverages

Business Crossroads

A comprehensive list of the industry's leading businesses including company profiles, stock quotes, recent news, key publications, organizations, and company website and related links.

Food Institute Online

Covering the range of food distribution, this nonprofit site offers data such as food prices, statistics, industry surveys, Food Institute articles, and useful links. Members receive access to additional information.

Food Marketing Institute

Offers industry news, events, articles, surveys and reports.

Food Online

An online marketplace for the food processing industry, this site provides information on products and suppliers.

<u>GNPD</u>

Worldwide information on consumer packaged goods markets. For subscribers only.

International Dairy-Deli-Bakery Association

Offers IDDBA news and job listings, plus links to associations, government agencies, and publications.

Progressive Grocer

This site offers the latest industry news, events, and market reports.

General Industry Resources

CNBC Business Video

Subscription site with hundreds of live and archived audio and video business news and interviews with corporate and government officials. The service includes today's CNBC stories and hand-edited transcripts with full-text searching.

Financial Times Industry Reports

Industry surveys from the Financial Times. IndustryLink

List of links to 25 different industries.

Marketing & Industry Resource Web Links

A collection of useful sites from the John Pappajohn Entrepreneurial Center at the University of Iowa.

Yahoo! Finance News by Industry

Industry-specific, seven-day collection of news stories from more than 30 newswires and online publications, including PR Newswire, MarketWatch, kiplinger.com and BusinessWire. Industries included are Consumer Goods, Management Services, Printed Circuit Boards, Textiles, and many, many more.

Healthcare

ClinicalTrials

This site helps you find clinical trials in the U.S and Canada. One can also register to participate in future clinical trials.

<u>dr-411</u>

Find a doctor in this database of over 825,000 US physicians and dentists.

Drug InfoNet

Health and medical information but also contains links to manufacturer press releases and product approval sites.

eMedicine Consumer Health

This consumer health site offers an index of medical topics; health resource centers containing articles and related information; lifestyle and wellness tips; and first aid information. A medications database and medical dictionary also are featured.

eMedicine from WebMD

Intended for physicians and health professionals, eMedicine offers articles, contributed by physicianauthors and -editors, on 7,000 diseases. It also includes such resources as an image library and medical dictionary. News headlines and "Recalls and Alerts" are highlighted.

Health on the Net Foundation

This site offers online health information, medical articles, dossiers and a very complete calendar of medical events.

<u>healthfinder</u>

Links to current and government health news, online publications, clearinghouses, databases, and support and self-help groups.

HighWire Press

This site provides a collection of scientific and medical magazines, some full-text, some indexed. Included are well-known publications such as Science, Pediatrics and the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences.

Journal of the American Medical Association Full-text articles available for purchase.

MayoClinic

A newsstand with current health news and resources, including information on drugs and diseases.

MediLexicon

This site provides a medical dictionary of more than 200,000 terms, as well as news, disease resource areas, ICD9 codes, and a hospital directory.

<u>Medscape</u>

Medscape features specialty home pages, medical news headlines, and spotlight articles. Much of the information is written for health professionals, but a "patient education" section provides information for laymen. Registration is required for access to some content. Medline and a drug reference database can be searched through Medscape.

National Coalition on Health Care

Full-text articles, press releases, reports, and speeches from the U.S. alliance composed of businesses, consumers and health-care providers who want to improve the health care system.

National Library of Medicine

The world's largest biomedical library.

Reuters Health Information

Subscription-based health and medical news. Also includes a news archive and a drug database.

The Lancet

Medical journal from the UK. Free access to selected articles; pay per view is also an option. Also features jobs and conferences.

Insurance

Fitch Ratings Insurance Group

Provides ratings and research on insurance and insurance-related companies worldwide. Includes consistency of rating methodology across countries. Good source for insurer ratings in terms of financial strength, insurance industry reports and news. Subscribers can access in-depth research reports. Independent Insurance Agents

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Insurance-industry news and information. Also includes an independent-agent locator.

Insurance Industry Internet Network

IIIN is dedicated to being the most useful resource on the Internet for finding web sites related to the insurance industry. They have organized thousands of insurance related sites into easy to use subdirectories.

Insurance Information Institute

The mission of the Insurance Information Institute (I.I.I.) is to improve public understanding of insurance -- what it does and how it works. Every year, I.I.I. works on more than 3,700 news stories, handles more than 6,000 requests for information and answers nearly 50,000 questions from consumers.

Insure.com

News, comparative information, related articles, and quotes from more than 200 leading insurers.

Law

ADLAW by Request

Source for information on legal developments in advertising, marketing and media.

Congress and Government Resources

Congressional site featuring Congressional Record, full text of legislation, bill status, policy information and much more, including related links to state and local governments and other government resources. FindLaw

This site offers extensive legal information including case law, codes, legal associations, law reviews, Supreme Court decisions, and other court opinions and statutory codes. It also features a search engine for finding a lawyer.

Internet Legal Resource Guide

This site categorizes more than 4,000 web sites from more than 200 countries around the world.

Jurist Legal News & Research

Site featuring legal news, video and commentaries, often submitted by guest legal scholar columnists. Hot topics include both U.S. and world issues. It is maintained by the University of Pittsburgh School of Law.

Law.com

This site provides great information on various aspects of the law, some Bar exam info and a link to the VerdictSearch website. It also features legal blogs.

Legal Education and Legal Research on the Internet Vast collection of law and law school sites sponsored by Rutgers University Law School Library.

Martindale-Hubbell

Now on the Net, and now searchable, this site serves as a comprehensive guide to American lawyers, plus offers other legal news and information.

Tarlton

"A keyword-searchable database of tables of contents from more than 750 law reviews and other scholarly publications related to the law published in the United States and abroad."

The Legal Information Institute

Legal site maintained by Cornell University's Legal Information Institute. This site offers Supreme Court decisions and the Uniform Commercial Code--full text of the code, including a keyword searching system. It also publishes "important secondary sources: libraries in two important areas (legal ethics and social security) and a series of 'topical' pages that serve as concise explanatory guides and Internet resource listings for roughly 100 areas of law."

Uniform Commercial Code

Uniform Commercial Code locator offers links to state statutes for Uniform Commercial Code.

<u>Washlaw</u>

Extensive legal site, featuring links to the full text of U.S. and international law, plus legal organizations, publishers, directories, law library catalogs, and web sites offering assorted legal services.

Machinery/Heavy Equipment

Machine Tools Online

Provides Buy and Sell online sections. Also features associations, events and an online newsletter.

Manufacturing

<u>ASTM</u>

ASTM International is one of the largest voluntary standards development organizations in the world. ASTM's website can be used to find manufacturing consultants, equipment, laboratories and standards and to search ASTM publications.

Thomas Register

Access to over 650,000 industrial companies indexed by 67,000 product and service categories and over 20 million CAD drawings and hundreds of searchable product catalogs. No registration required.

Mining/Minerals

Info-Mine

Industry news, including investment information, an online source of mining suppliers, and a career section with job listings and resume posting.

Metal Industry Indicators

Monthly data for five metal industries, from the U.S Geological Survey.

MiningLife

Excellent site that offers an impressive World Mining Directory. Also includes headlines, forums, a list of publications and suppliers, and a cultural section about history and museums.

National Mining Association

Mining news releases, statistics, speeches, publications and links to mining-related sites.

The Northern Miner

Free and subscription-based services available, including mining news, conference information and links to mining companies, suppliers, and other related sites.

Paint & Coatings

National Paint and Coatings Association

Web site with some open and some members-only areas. Offers links to related sites, news, experts, legal and regulatory information. The site also offers a hyperlinked member directory and an online buyer's guide.

Paper/Pulp

Paper Fiber

Pulp & Paper, Printing and Packaging industries. Publication, association and pulp & paper industry directories, a calendar of events and other pulp and paper links.

Pulp and Paper Online

Free online newsletter, discussion forums, list of events, industry associations. Also offers a "Buy" and "Sell" online sections.

Pulpandpaper.net

Industry resources, conferences, directories of products and suppliers. Also features news and reports for subscribers only.

<u>RISI - The leading information provider for the global</u> forest products industry

Offers news from and for pulp and paper, wood products, timber, tissue and non-wovens industries. Sales and earnings reports, archives, import/export and production/shipment statistics also available.

Pharmaceutical/Biotechnology

American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy

News, links, list of upcoming meetings, and reference materials for the pharmaceutical industry. <u>American Association of Pharmaceutical Scientists</u> News for members only, information resources,

organizations, and more.

BIO Calendar

List of biotechnology trade shows and meetings, including event name, date, location, and URL. BioSpace

Biotechnology and pharmaceutical daily news; company profiles; financial information in The BioSpace Investor; job postings; and a regional calendar of events.

BioSpace Jobs

Job searching and resume posting at the BioSpace site.

Biotech Rumor Mill

The Biotech Rumor Mill has "rumors, reports & reactions." Business intelligence (much of it submitted anonymously.)

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention are "at the forefront of public health efforts to prevent and control infectious and chronic diseases, injuries, workplace hazards, disabilities, and environmental health threats." Its website contains information on health & safety topics, as well as data & statistics. Also full-text versions of "Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report" and "Emerging Infectious Diseases," as well as other CDC publications, can be found here.

CenterWatch

A listing of world-wide clinical trials, newly FDA approved drug therapies, drugs in research, directory of clinical research centers and industry news.

Drug Infonet

Health and medical information but also contains links to manufacturer press releases, health organizations, and government health sites.

Eyeforpharma

Pharmaceutical industry news, events, research reports, and interviews with the main players in the industry.

Information for FDA-Regulated Industry

Code of Federal regulations, compliance references, guidance documents, and more.

Knowledge Express

A search will yield key contacts, potential partners, market information, patent information, new products concepts and more. Fee-based service that draws information from a variety of copyrighted database services.

MediLexicon

This site provides a medical dictionary of more than 200,000 terms, as well as news, disease resource areas, ICD9 codes, and a hospital directory.

Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America

This site provides a wealth of industry information, such as company website addresses, a database of drugs in development, surveys on medicines and therapies in development, testimonies and official statements, and industry profiles and reports. It also includes a link to clinical study results data.

PharmiWeb

Main pharmaceutical company links, industry news, jobs, and events.

PJB Publications

Articles and reports on pharmaceutical R&D, biotechnology, agriculture, animal health and much more. Titles include Clinica World Medical Technology News and Scrip World Pharmaceutical News.

<u>ReCap</u>

For the pharmaceutical/biotech industry; read news from the online magazine Signals, search for information on a company (including EDGAR filings and alliances) and participate in an unmoderated discussion forum. Database access is available to subscribers only.

<u>RxList</u>

Free searchable database of 4,000 prescription and otc drugs offering generic name, name brand, and therapeutic categories. Also includes lists of the most prescribed drugs.

U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)

Food and Drug Administration listing of import alerts, drug and product approval lists, FDA news releases, Federal Register summaries, agency publications and articles from FDA Consumer.

World Health Organization

WHO reports, information on health topics and policies, current press releases and fact sheets, and related links.

World-Wide Web Virtual Library--Pharmacy

Provides linkages to schools, associations, journals, jobs, databases, companies and more in the pharmacy field.

Plastics/Rubber

American Chemistry Council Plastics Division

Industry news, statistics, and information on plastics and environment.

Directory for the Polymers Industry

Many updated useful links for this industry.

Plastics Magazine

Free electronic subscription to The Plastics Distributor and Fabricator Magazine.

Plastics News

Current and archived news, in-depth stories on trends, markets, companies and people, a calendar of events, links and more. Must subscribe for access to full content.

Plastics.com

Provides plastics education, news, blogs, and forums.

PolySort

The Plastics and Rubber Industries home page, featuring news, discussion groups, classifieds, company listings and links to other sites.

Society of the Plastics Industry

Industry news, calendar of events (tradeshows), industry information, statistics, and links to plastics-related sites.

Publishing/Media

Editor and Publisher

This weekly magazine covers the newspaper industry. Offers industry news and events. Also features business source books.

Publishers Weekly

Publishers Weekly provides publishing industry articles and reports, including reviews of fiction and non-fiction titles. Free subscriptions to email newsletters are available.

The Write News

Site bills itself as providing "news, features and resources for media and publishing professionals." Also includes blogs, job listings, and links.

Retailing/Consumer Goods

Standards

American National Standards Institute

ANSI offers national and international standardsrelated activities. Site provides news, events calendar, reference library, and other internet resources.

Master List of ISO Standards

A current list of ISO standards.

World Standards Services Network

This page hyperlinks to information covering Standards and Standardization Bodies, both national and international.

Technology/Telecommunications

Bitpipe

An online portal that provides white papers, webcasts, and case studies about information technology products and topics.

<u>ClickZ</u>

A major resource for Internet trends and statistics.

CommerceNet

Self-billed as "a new kind of entrepreneurial R&D organization combining the best elements of a research lab, startup incubator and public interest initiative," this international eCommerce website offers information on events, working papers, blogs, and eCommerce news.

<u>Corante</u>

An independent service that provides and analyzes the latest news and trends in technology. Includes a variety of blogs.

CTIA: The Wireless Association

This website, home to an organization dedicated to the wireless telecommunications industry, provides news, research & statistics, quick facts, consumer information, and a video library. Also lists industry conventions & events and provides an index of important wireless topics.

Global Technology Forum

This site from the Economist Intelligence Unit focuses on e-business and technology trends. It provides Best Practice examples, expert forecasts and news analysis. Includes a section called "Doing ebusiness in" that presents country-specific data. InfoTechTrends

Provides market forecasts for the information technology industry. Access is free, pay per minute or subscription based.

Internet.com

Real-time news and great resources for the high-tech professionals.

The Industry Standard

News and blogs on technology and telecommunications from The Industry Standard. The Mercury News (Silicon Valley)

Daily news stories covering technology news. <u>TIA Online</u>

TIA activities involve legislative efforts, international marketing opportunities, trade show sponsorship, and standards development.

TotalTelecom

Site devoted to the Global Communications. Nice features such as white papers, telecom terms and some market reports. Some content available only to subscribers.

<u>USTA</u>

Web site for United States Telecom Association (USTA), representing the local exchange carrier industry in the United States.

Yahoo! Telecommunications

Yahoo's Telecommunications page offers an extensive collection of links to such varied information as industry news, history, research, and law.

Trade

Country Market Research

From the U.S. Department of Commerce, this site provides access to publications that offer very detailed reports on countries' commercial environments. You can search by country, industry, region or keyword.

Department of Commerce

News, events and information about the Department of Commerce. Links to sites that publish economic, statistical and business information also included.

International Trade Administration

From the Department of Commerce. Site for import and export information. This site hyperlinks to news, trade information and statistics, and region & country information.

The Federation of International Trade Associations

This site provides trade leads, market research, directory of useful links (including trade blogs), trade law information, glossaries, and international job postings. The "Really Useful Sites for Trade Professionals" newsletter is also available in Chinese.

U.S. Department of State Country Background Notes

Available from the Department of State, these publications "include facts about the land, people, history, government, political conditions, economy, and foreign relations of independent states, some dependencies, and areas of special sovereignty." World Factbook

This frequently updated publication includes geographical, demographical, political, economic and other strategic information about the world and individual countries.

Travel and Transportation

Asta Travel Industry Headlines

Current and archived news and headlines for the travel industry.

Bureau of Transportation Statistics

Products, services, studies, statistics, library, press releases, GIS information, and links to other related organizations and sites.

Department of Transportation

Transportation-related news and statistics, safety information, and legislation, regulation, certification, and policy links.

Metro Magazine's Transit Center

Public transportation site, including transit news briefs and articles, industry statistics and a calendar of events.

National Business Travel Association

Resources for the business travel industry, including industry news and statistics, a resource library and a list of NBTA press releases and publications.

National Transportation Library

Collection of transportation reports, statistics, documents and databases. Also contains online searchable directories.

The Transport Web

Databases, including magazines and general publications, and resources, including transportation links and newsgroups.

The Transportation Directory

Links to transportation-related associations, government resources, journals, manufacturers and more.

Travel Industry Association of America

A membership organization. This site includes information on the organization, events, press releases, studies and links to related sites: some pages restricted to members only.

WWW Virtual Library: Transportation

Provides links to federal, state, and local government sites, associations, research facilities, and international statistics organizations.

International Internet Resources

Asia/Pacific Resources

Anzwers Australia and New Zealand

Search engine and directory powered by Google and Yahoo.

Asian Business Watch

Stock market updates, economic trends and statistics, news, and more for Asia and Japan.

Business Review Weekly Australia

One of Australia's leading business magazine. Features news, resources, different company listings (Top public, Rich 200...). Some information for subscribers only.

China Business Review

News, trade and investment strategies, events and useful Chinese website reviews. Some information is limited to subscribers.

Japan Economic Foundation

Japanese trade and industry information.

Japan Information Resources

Directory of Japan resources published by Stanford University.

National Library of Australia

A great starting point to find information on the country, its people, its business, and its government. South Australia Central

South Australian Government site. Nice reference point to almost everything in South Australia, from business to health information.

South China Morning Post

Online edition of the Hong Kong's leading English newspaper.

The Nikkei Weekly

Online business and economic news site from Japan, with highlighted coverage of the automotive, computer, and telecommunications industries. Some company news is limited to subscribers. In Japanese and English.

The Search Engine for Australians

Search engine and directory powered by Sensis. Provides either Australian results or worldwide results.

Austria

KSV:Kreditschutzverband

Company information searchable in German.

British Resources

British Library British Library online catalogue.

CAROL: Company Annual Reports On-Line

Free annual reports available online for companies in the U.K.

Companies House

Company registry and annual corporate filings. Also offers detailed company information and a list of disqualified directors.

Directory of UK Government Office's Web Sites

This site from an Information Society consultancy firm offers links to UK Government, universities and health web sites.

Guardian Unlimited

Online version of the British newspaper.

Hemscott UK

Annual reports and company guides on UK-listed companies. Information on UK corporate advisor and investment trust companies.

Official Yearbook of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Statistics on regions, education, population, trade, industries and much more.

Trades Union Congress

A list of more than 70 member unions. These are useful to know what is happening in the various industries.

TSO Online Bookshop

This site offers a great selection of books and also subscriptions to different bulletins.

UK Business Park

UK company and industry news. One sentence summaries the latest news for each market sector. **UK Government Information and Services**

This site provides information for England, Scotland, Wales and North Ireland. In English and Cymraeg.

Business and Industry

Corporate Information

An excellent starting point to find companies and corporate information from around the world. Organized by country, this site offers links to corporate directories and other useful information. FT Reports

Very useful country and industry surveys. The Financial Times publishes about 200 reports each year.

Global Technology Forum

This site from the Economist Intelligence Unit focuses on e-business and technology trends. It provides Best Practice examples, expert forecasts and news analysis. Includes a section called "Doing ebusiness in" that presents country-specific data.

GlobalEdge

Billed as "your source for global business knowledge," this site provides country profiles, international research and reference sources, news, a glossary, and software links.

Market Access and Compliance

From the U.S. Department of Commerce's International Trade Administration, this site features in-depth information on countries, their business environments, and their trade relationships with the United States, as well as guidance on export issues.

OECD Observer

The Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development focuses on social issues and provides articles and statistical information on almost every country.

Stock and Commodity Exchanges

This site lists stock and commodity exchanges from around the world, as well as market reports, indexes, and stock prices. An extensive reference area provides links for dictionaries and encylopedias, annual reports for U.S. and foreign countries, economic data, and financial directories. Stock Exchanges Worldwide Links

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Links to stock exchanges all around the world.

The Internationalist

An extensive source for everything involved with international business, including financial services, government offices, stock markets, legal resources and more.

The World Bank InfoShop

WorldBank publications, operational documents, International Finance Corporation documents, and more.

World Bank

Current news available in several languages, country and region information, international business resources, and more.

Canadian Resources

Bank of Canada Publications & Research

Canadian financial and economic information, including the monetary policy report, financial statistics, technical reports, research-in-progress and conference proceedings.

Canada Business

A government information service for businesses and start-up entrepreneurs in Canada. Reduces the complexity and burden of dealing with various levels of government by serving as a single point of access for federal and provincial/territorial government services, programs and regulatory requirements for business. Information, web products and services are continuously updated and refined in response to business needs.

Canada Newswire (CNW Group)

Provides access to Canadian company, industry and general press releases; webcasts; company snapshots; plus earnings and financial reports of Canadian public companies.

Canada.com

Links to many Canadian newspapers, free and updated daily. Links to financial news and information.

Canadian Broadcasting Corporation

Canadian news, television, and radio information. Canadian Government

Main access point to information about Canada, its government, services and links to other government departments and agencies.

Industry Canada

Industry Canada, in charge of national economic issues, promotes jobs and economic growth in Canada. This site provides information about various sectors of the Canadian economy.

Library and Archives Canada

Bilingual library guide to important Canadian information, including politics and government.

SEDAR (System for Electronic Document Analysis and Retrieval

This is "the official site that provides access to most public securities documents and information filed by public companies and investment funds with the Canadian Securities Administrators (CSA) in the SEDAR filing system." The free bilingual service includes most filings required of public companies and mutual funds; also provides links to regulatory sites and stock exchanges.

Statistics Canada

Canadian statistics, publications, and virtual library. Also provides access to daily, monthly, and quarterly economic news.

YellowPages.ca

Search for a Canadian business by business type, name and location. Also contains Canadian city guides.

Dutch Resources

Netherlands Foreign Investment Agency

This site provides business news, statistics about the Netherlands, industry information, and links to useful resources.

<u>Overheid</u>

Directory of the Dutch government websites. Also provides statistical and general information on the Netherlands. In Dutch and English.

Statistics Netherlands

The site describes its mission as being "responsible for collecting, processing and publishing statistics to be used in practice, by policymakers and for scientific research. In addition to its responsibility for (official) national statistics, Statistics Netherlands also has the task of producing European (community) statistics." In Dutch and English.

French Resources

<u>Euridile</u>

Ce site, tenu par le Registre National du Commerce et des Societes, fournit des informations financieres et legales sur la plupart des societes francaises. La consultation des donnees est payante (abonnement annuel ou paiement a l'acte).

Transnationale

Free business news, reference documents, and economic files. Brands and companies information for subscribers only. Site available in French, English, Italian, and Spanish. Pour 30 euros par an, ce site propose des informations sur les grandes marques et des dossiers sur les activites de plus de 11,000 societes. De nombreuses informations sont egalement disponibles gratuitement (actualite, dossiers et documents divers). Site disponible en anglais, francais, espagnol et italien.

Veille Magazine

Veille se veut le magazine professionnel de l'intelligence economique et du management de la connaissance. Son site Web vous permettra de lire les resumes des derniers articles.

Voila

Ce moteur de recherche est l'un des plus complets: il offre de tres nombreuses rubriques et en particulier un journal d'informations tres detaille.

General Country Information

Aneki.com

Variety of data about every region of the world. Search by category (economic, social, technological, academic, miscellaneous). Also features a World Almanac for quick facts and figures.

Babel Fish Translation

One of the best translation tools on the Internet.

Business Culture, Customs, and Etiquette

Very useful advice on international business culture and protocol. Tips on negotiating tactics.

Deloitte Country Guides

These guides on individual countries provide indepth investment, tax, labor relations, and regulatory information.

Electronic Embassy

This site provides a useful listing of embassies located in Washington, D.C. Individual embassy sites often offer additional links that provide countryspecific information.

Foreign Government Resources on the Web

History, politics, and statistics on foreign countries. International Organizations via Berkeley

Web links to numerous international organizations. Kidon Media-Link

A gateway to newspapers, magazines, television, radio and news agencies around the world.

Lex Mercatoria

Searchable directory to international trade and law-related resources.

Library of Congress Country Profiles

These profiles of foreign countries are produced by the Library of Congress's Country Studies Program. Each report offers "brief, summarized information on

a country's historical background, geography, society, economy, transportation and telecommunications, government and politics, and national security."

Library of Congress Country Studies

Political, economic, historical and social information on 85 countries in the world. This site provides electronic versions of handbooks that were published between 1988 and 1998; they are presented as historical and background analysis and have not been updated.

World Factbook

This frequently updated publication includes geographical, demographical, political, economic and other strategic information about the world and individual countries.

World Rulers

This site provides the names of the past and present Heads of State, Prime Ministers, and other Chiefs of Government in many countries of the world.

Yahoo! Countries

Select individual countries and then choose link to "Business and Economy."

General European Resources

<u>Euronext</u>

Euronext is a "cross-border exchange organization." Lists commodities, bonds, equities. In English, Dutch, Portuguese, and French.

Europa--The European Union's Web Site

News, event calendar, statistics, document library, and information about the institutions and policies of the European Union.

EuroPages

Multilingual site featuring European trade and industry information. Offers database of 600,000 European suppliers, business classifieds, company catalogues with product specifications, yellow pages, daily business news and finance links, and useful organizations.

European Community Information Society Project Office

Links related to the Information Society, information on upcoming conferences, and more.

<u>Hoover's European Company Listings</u> Data on European companies.

German Resources

<u>AllesHandel</u>

This site offers interactive trading for buyers, sellers and investors. Also features products, suppliers, manufacturers, joint ventures and cooperations.

AUMA-Association of the German Trade Fair Industry

Searchable database of German and international trade fairs. In English, French, German, Spanish. Deutsche Bank Research

The Country Infobase provides business cycle indicators for many countries all around the world. Also features topics on European issues. In German and English.

German Institute for Economic Research

German and also international business forecasts and economic trends. In German and English.

Handelsblatt.com

Nice site on German markets and industries. In German.

Statistical Office Germany

This site offers useful data on population, housing, education, economics, imports and exports. In English and German.

Latin American Resources

Latin American Network Information Center

Latin American Network Information Center at the University of Texas offers access to academic databases and information about Latin America. Boasts more than 12,000 directory links. Available in English, Portuguese, and Spanish.

Latin Trade Magazine

A trilingual magazine, published monthly, that contains business news of Latin America and the Caribbean.

Latin World

A directory of Internet resources, including business, culture, government, and news, for the countries of Central America, South America and the Caribbean.

Middle East Resources

<u>Aljazeera</u>

Describing itself as "the first mainstream Arabic news site," Aljazeera covers Arab and global news. Arab Sites

The most comprehensive search engine specifically designed for the Arab World, including the Middle East and North Africa. Find comprehensive listings of companies and Web sites serving the Middle East. Covers topics such as business and economy, arts and culture, education, government, news and media, science, health, and others.

ArabNet

Offers news, country data, and a very complete "Magic Carpet" directory.

Business & Economy in the Middle East

Pars Times presents a compilation of Middle Eastern resources in business and economics. General financial news sites are provided, as well as links to particular countries.

Globes

Providing coverage of "Israel's Business Arena." Available in Hebrew and English.

<u>Haaretz</u>

Online edition of one of Israel's leading daily newspapers. Notable sections include Business, Diplomacy, Defense, and Opinion. Available in Hebrew and in English.

Northern Irish Resources

Newshound

Articles about Northern Ireland.

Portuguese Resources

KMOL

Site on Knowledge Management and Organisational Learning. Mainly in Portuguese but also offers some interesting content in English.

Russian Resources

Gateway to Russia

This portal contains news and facts about Russia. It provides research tools, Russia traveling tips, and daily monitoring of Russian legislative action.

Russia on the Net

The business section of this Russian web directory contains links to companies, banks and financial institutions, and more.

Spanish Resources

Actualidad Economica

One of the leading Spanish business magazines. Features news, resources and Spanish company rankings. In Spanish only.

Swedish Resources

<u>Affarsvarlden</u>

Swedish business magazine that features news, companies on the Stockholm Stock Exchange, top company listings. In Swedish only.

Sweden's Yellow Pages

Business directory, searchable by location or category, with more than 400,000 companies.

Swiss Resources

<u>Bilanz</u>

Swiss magazine that provides news, online reports, financial information and job postings. In German only.