

# COMPANY DIRECTORY INFORMATION

## NATIONWIDE DIRECTORIES

1. **Dun & Bradstreet Million Dollar Directory** Bus.Ref.338.74/M655 – Contains information on over 160,000 U.S. companies including 136,000 private companies. Companies must have sales over \$9 million or more than 180 employees to be included. Arranged alphabetically with S.I.C. and geographical indexes. Now available as an online database.
2. **Dun & Bradstreet Directory of Service Companies** Bus.Ref.338.761/D92 Includes information on an additional 50,000 smaller service companies not found in the Million Dollar Directory.
3. **Hoover's Handbook of American Business, Emerging Companies, Private Companies, and World Business** Bus.Ref.338.74/H789 – Includes profiles of over 2500 major U.S. and foreign corporations both public and private. Each profile includes company overview, history, executives, products and other information.
4. **Hoover's Masterlist of U.S. Companies** Bus.Ref.338.74/H789 – Supplements the Hoover Handbooks by including brief profiles on over 10,000 additional public and private U.S. companies.
5. **International Directory of Company Histories** Bus.Ref.338.8/C822 – This multivolume set contains detailed company histories of U.S. and world companies, both public and private. The index in the latest volume should be used to find the last updated article about each company.
6. **Lexis Nexis Corporate Affiliations Directory** Bus.Ref.338.8?C822 – This comprehensive directory of U.S. and foreign corporations both public and private includes for each company a detailed listing of its subsidiaries and divisions. A comprehensive index makes finding subsidiaries easy. Bus.Ref.338.74/A512 another directory of corporate affiliations.
7. **Mergent Handbooks – Industrial** Bus.Ref.332.67/M559i, **Public Utility and Transportation** Bus.Ref.332.67/M559p, **Bank and Finance** Bus.Ref.332/M559b, **OTC Industrial** Bus.Ref.332.6322/M559of, **OTC Unlisted** Bus.Ref. 332.6322/M559un, **International** Bus.Ref.332.632/M559 – Each directory contains comprehensive information on public U.S. corporations. Each listing

includes company history, financials, subsidiaries, and company locations. Foreign corporations are covered in the International directory.

- 8. Standard & Poor's Register of Corporations, Directors, and Executives** Bus.Ref.338.74/S785re – This directory includes brief profiles on over 75,000 public and private U.S. companies, names, and Titles of 290,000 executives, and 60,000 biographical sketches of top level managers. It is arranged alphabetically with geographic and SIC indexes in a second volume.
- 9. Thomas Directory** Bus.Ref.338.47/T454 – A comprehensive directory U.S. manufacturers arranged by product classification and then by state and city. It includes trademark and product indexes. Use the **Thomas Food and Beverage Marketplace** Bus.Ref.380.145641/T454 for information about companies in those two industries.
- 10. Ward's Business Directory of U.S. Private and Public Companies** Bus.Ref.338.74/W266 – This eight volume directory includes information on over 114,000 companies arranged alphabetically, geographically, by industry, and by sales within SIC categories.
- 11. Directory of American Firms Operating in Foreign Countries** Bus.Ref. 338.88/D598 This 3 volume directory lists American companies which have branches, subsidiaries, or affiliates outside the United States. It is arranged by country with an alphabetical company name index. This is complemented by the **Directory of Foreign Firms Operating in the United States** Bus.Ref. 338.88/D598fo, a one volume directory.
- 12. Brands and Their Companies** Bus.Ref.658.658.827/B819 This two volume directory is a guide to product and brand names with addresses of their manufacturers and distributors.

## ONLINE DIRECTORIES

- 1. Dun & Bradstreet Million Dollar Directory** – Includes information on over 160,000 U.S. public and private corporations.

2. **Reference USA** – An online directory of over 12 million U.S. companies. Search by company name or do an advanced search by company name, yellow page heading, geographical area, or company size. Ask a reference librarian how to access this database.
3. **Standard & Poor's NetAdvantage** – A comprehensive database of business information on U.S. publicly owned companies and larger private companies. It includes data and analysis of industries, companies, stocks, bonds, and mutual funds and current business news.

## **LOCAL AND STATE DIRECTORIES**

1. **Illinois Service's Directory** Bus.Ref.338.761/I29 – This directory includes profiles of over 25,000 service companies. It arranges companies alphabetically, geographically, and by SIC number with a Parent Company and Chicago Zip Code section.
2. **Illinois Manufacturer's Directory** Bus.Ref.338.767/I29 – This complementary directory to the Services Directory includes information on over 22,000 manufacturers located in Illinois. Also have the **Harris Illinois Industrial Directory** Bus.Ref.338.767/H313 for Illinois manufacturers.
3. **Other neighboring states' manufacturers directories -**  
**Iowa Manufacturer's Register** Bus.Ref.338.767/I64  
**Indiana Manufacturer's Directory** Bus.Ref.338.767/I39  
**Michigan Manufacturer's Directory** Bus.Ref.338.767/M624  
**Minnesota Manufacturer's Register** Bus.Ref.338.767/M665  
**Wisconsin Manufacturer's Register** Bus.Ref.338.767/W811
4. **LaSalle Bank Guide** Bus.Ref.338.74/L338 – A directory of 200 major publicly held corporations and financial institutions headquartered in Illinois. Arranged alphabetically with an index by product classification.
5. **Hoover's Masterlist Illinois** Bus.Ref.338.74/H789il – This directory contains information on over 570 large private and public companies, major subsidiaries of U.S. and non U.S. corporations and other large organizations in Illinois with industry and geographic indexes.
6. **Chicago Area Business Directory** Bus.Ref.338.00294/C532  
This 2 volume directory includes information on over 341,000 businesses in the 7 county greater Chicagoland area. Volume 1 lists businesses alphabetically by city, volume 2 by yellow page heading. The 1 volume

- Downstate Illinois Business Directory** Bus.Ref. 338.00294/D751 includes over 192,000 businesses in the other counties in Illinois. See also the **Wisconsin Business Directory** Bus.Ref.338.00294/W811
7. [www.cyberdriveillinois.com/departments/business\\_services/corp](http://www.cyberdriveillinois.com/departments/business_services/corp). an online database of corporations registered to do business in Illinois.
  8. **Chicago JobBank** Bus.Ref. 650.14/C532 This compact directory of companies in the Chicago area also includes downstate cities.
  9. **Dun's Chicagoland Regional Business Directory** Bus.Ref. 338.74D111me – A six volume directory of Chicago area companies, 3 volumes cover Cook County and 3 volumes the Collar Counties. The main listing in the geographical section includes company name, address, phone number, major officers, number of employees, sales, and ownership date.

## **FINANCIAL DIRECTORIES**

1. **McFadden American Financial Directory** Bus.Ref.332.1025/M143 – This 5 volume directory covers all head offices of U.S.commercial banks, savings and loan associations, and all branches of these institutions, branches of foreign banks in the U.S., and major credit unions. It is arranged geographically by state and city with an alphabetical name index.
2. **Thomson Bank Directory** Bus.Ref.332.1025/T482 – This 5 volume directory lists all bank offices in the world, 2 volumes for U.S. banks arranged geographically by state and then city and 2 volumes for foreign banks arranged by country and then city. The 5<sup>th</sup>. volume lists correspondent banks and their partners.
3. **Thomson Savings Directory** Bus.Ref.332.32/T482 – All financial institutions chartered as savings and loans and savings banks in the U.S. are included in this 1 volume directory. It includes both headquarters and branches and is arranged geographically by state and city.
4. **Thomson Credit Union Directory** Bus.Ref.334.22025/T482 This is a 1 volume directory that include information on all U.S. credit unions, arranged geographically by state and city.

**SPECIALIZED BUSINESS DIRECTORIES  
FOUND IN THE REFERENCE AND BUSINESS  
REFERENCE COLLECTIONS**

Advertising Agencies

**Advertising Red Book** Bus.Ref.659.1125/A244

Architects

**Archipages** – a Directory of Architectural Firms, Members,  
Consultants, Products, and Services in Illinois R720.25/A673

Audiovisual Industry

**AV Marketplace** – Complete Business Directory of Products and  
Services For the Audio/Video Industry R011.37/A912

**Chicago Creative Directory** (multimedia, production, sound,  
Lighting) R700.977311/C532

Aviation Industry

**World Aviation Directory** Bus.Ref.387.7025/W927

Book Publishers

**Books in Print** – Publishers R015/B724

**Literary MarketPlace** (publishers, printers, literary agents)  
R070.5/L726

**Guide to Chicago Area Book Publishers** R070.5025/G946ch

**Jeff Herman's Guide to Book Publishers, Editors, and  
Agents** R070.5025/J45

**Writer's Market** R808.02/W956

Bookstores

**American Book Trade Directory** R070.5/A512

Building and Construction

**Blue Book of Building and Construction Chicagoland Area**  
R692.8/B658

Consultants

**Consulting Organizations Directory** Bus.Ref.658.46/C758

**Consultants Directory** Bus.Ref.658.46/D277

Exporters and Importers

**Directory of United States Exporters** Bus.Ref.382.6025/D598

**Directory of United States Importers** Bus.Ref.382.5025/D598

Film Industry

**International Motion Picture Almanac** (producers, distributors,

production services, exhibitors) R791.43/I61

**Chicago Creative Directory** R700.977311/C532

Franchises

**Bond's Franchise Guide** Bus.Ref.658.8708/B711

**Franchise Annual** Bus.Ref.658.8708/F816

Graphic Arts Industry

**Chicago Creative Directory** R700.977311/C532

**Graphic Arts Blue Book – Midwestern Edition**

Bus.Ref.686.2/G766

Hospitals

**AHA (American Hospital Association) Guide** R362.11/A512

Insurance Companies

**Street.com Ratings Guide to Property and Casualty Insurers**

R368.0065/T414

**Street.com Ratings Guide to Life and Annuity Insurers**

R368.3/T414

**Street.com Ratings Guide to Health Insurers** R368.382/T414

Lawyers

**Martindale-Hubbell Law Directory** R340.025/M384

**Sullivan's Law Directory** (Illinois lawyers) R340.025/S952

Magazine Publishers

**Bacon's Magazine Directory** R051/B129ma

**Gale Directory of Publications and Broadcast Media**

R051/G151

**Getting on the Air, Online, and Into Print** R070/G394

**Newsclip's Illinois Media** R070/N558

**Ulrich's Periodicals Directory** R050/U45

**Writer's Market** R808.02/W956

Mail Order Companies

**Directory of Mail Order Catalogs** R381.142/D598

**Mail Order Business Directory** Bus.Ref.658.872/M219

Marketing Industry

**Direct Marketing Market Place** Bus.Ref.658.8/D548

Newspaper Publishers

**Bacon's Newspaper Directory** R051/B129ma

**Editor & Publisher International Yearbook** R070.172/E23

**Gale Directory of Publications and Broadcast Media**

R051/G151

**Getting on the Air, Online, and Into Print** R070/G394

**Newsclip's Illinois Media** R070/N558

Public Relations

**O'Dwyer's Directory of Public Relations Firms**

Bus.Ref.659.2/O27

Radio Industry

**Bacon's Radio Directory** R384.54/B129

**Broadcasting/Cable Yearbook** R384.54/B863

**Gale Directory of Publications and Broadcast Media**  
R051/G151

**Getting on the Air, Online, and Into Print** R070/G394

**Newsclip's Illinois Media** R070/N558

Retail Industry

**Shelodon's Department Stores, Department Store Chains,  
Furnishing Chains, Women's Specialty Stores**

Bus.Ref.658.870025/S544

Television Industry

**Broadcasting/Cable Yearbook** R384.54/B863

**Gale Directory of Publications and Broadcast Media**  
R051/G151

**Getting on the Air, Online, and Into Print** R070/G394

**International Television and Video Almanac** (stations,  
networks, producers, distributors) R791.45/I61

**Newsclip's Illinois Media** R070/N558

**Television and Cable Factbook** R384.55/T269

Wholesalers

**American Wholesalers and Distributors Directory**

Bus.Ref.381.2/A512

