

Financial Reports Collection and Company Information

Annual Reports

The **New Zealand financial reports collection** is located on level 10 of the Central Library. This collection contains annual reports, some interim quarterly and half year reports, for publicly listed New Zealand companies and corporations, government departments, CRI's, state owned enterprises, tertiary institutions, regional and city councils, banks and other organizations.

Government department's annual reports are also published in the *Appendices to the journals of the House of Representatives* which are located on level 3 in the Central Library Official Publications Collection.

Check the catalogue for the company required by doing a global keyword search;
e.g. Annual report the Warehouse.

There are also small collections of Australian and International annual reports of listed companies, but these are not currently searchable on the library catalogue.

What is not held in this Collection?

Draft plans and reports are excluded from the collection, except those produced by Environment Canterbury (formerly the Canterbury Regional Council).

There are some annual reports which are classified e.g. New Zealand. Dept. for Courts Auckland Regional Council. They can be found by searching the catalogue under author alphabetical or author keyword.

Directories

Latest editions are held in the Reference collection. Earlier editions are held in the main collection.

Current Newspapers and Journals

The Dominion Post
The New Zealand Herald
The Press
Sunday Star Times
The Australian (Saturday edition only)
The Times (London)

Latest editions are kept in Central Library on the Newspaper Stand. Back issues are available on microfilm - check the catalogue for the microfilm number and location. Ask at the Lending Desk for assistance with the microfilm reader/printer. Many of these titles are also available electronically.

The National Business Review
HF5001.N277
Latest issues held on the Newspaper stand.

The Independent
HF5001 .I38
Latest issues held on the Newspaper stand.

Electronic Databases

Search online databases to locate articles within journals and newspapers. These resources can be searched via the Library homepage database link.

ProQuest (1986-)
Contains a collection of 28 full-text databases covering multi-disciplinary subjects to the subject specific. Use *ABI/Inform Global* to search 1000 international accounting, economics, finance, law, management, taxation and journals. Coverage is from 1986 onward, with a deep backfile for some titles.

Factiva.com
This is a web-based global news and business information service which provides full-text access to over 1000 newspapers and over 6000 journals. It includes 'company quick search' which gives current company profiles, news and financial data.

IRG online archives (Datex archive)

This database contains New Zealand listed company data, including 8 years of financial history, stock exchange announcements, annual reports etc. from 1996-. For data back to 1990, use the Datex CD-ROMS. Check the Library catalogue for their number and location.

Datastream Advance

This database covers international financial, economic, stock market and company data. Coverage includes; equities, stock market and bond indices, economic statistics, foreign exchange rates, interest rates, fixed income instruments and derivatives. See the database page for access details.

EconLit (1969-)

Covers worldwide literature on economics from over 400 major journals.

INNZ (1987-)

Index to articles in New Zealand journals and newspapers, reports, conferences and theses.

Go to the **Commerce Portal** to select Web resources for New Zealand and International Company Information.

New Zealand

The New Zealand business who's who: a directory of leading business houses of New Zealand. Wellington, L.T. Watkins.
Reference **HF 5318.5 .A3 .N532**

The New Zealand company register. Christchurch, Mercantile Gazette of New Zealand.
Reference **HG 4274.6 .A1 .N532**
Covers companies listed on the New Zealand Stock Exchange and top Australian companies.

New Zealand investment year book. Lower Hutt, Datex Services.
Reference **HF 5298 .I62**

The New Zealand business directory

Lists New Zealand products and services by region.
Reference **HF 5318.5 .S7 .N532** Access to the web site is also available: www.ubd.co.nz

Companies Office

www.companies.govt.nz
Free access to summary company information.

Ministry of Commerce

www.moc.govt.nz

New Zealand Stock Exchange

www.nzse.co.nz
Free daily summary information available.

Australia

Huntley's shareholder. Sydney, Ian Huntley Pty Ltd., c1996.
Reference **HF 5686 .C7 .H954**

Jobson's year book of Public companies. Chatswood, NSW, Dun & Bradstreet Marketing, 1996-
Reference **HG 5891 .J62**

A guide to Australia and New Zealand publicly listed industrial companies.

International

Who owns whom Australasia, Asia, Middle East and Africa. London, Dun & Bradstreet. Reference **HD 2930 .W628**

Hoover, Gary. **Hoover's handbook of world business.** Austin, Texas, Reference Press, 2003.
Reference **HG 4009 .H789**

Timbrell, Martin C and Tweedie, Diana L, eds. **Directory of multinationals : the world's top 500 companies.** London, Gale Research, 1998. 2.v. Reference **HD 2755.5 .S779 1998**

Other Useful Web Resources

Annual report gallery is a list of annual reports published on the Internet.

www.reportgallery.com/

Hoovers online contains contact information, company profiles and financial data for public and private companies worldwide.
www.hoovers.com/

Wall Street journal

www.wsj.com

Data about North American companies.

CAROL

www.carol.co.uk

UK company annual reports online.

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