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Air Transport Facts and Figures.

Air Transport Association of America, Washington, D.C. 1937-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 1-38;
Note: Title varies. 1937-44 Little Known Facts About the Scheduled Air Transport Industry (varies), 1945-46 Air Transportation; Each issue provides an overall review of the industry titled "The Year at a Glance" which gives a traffic, financial service summary for the U.S. scheduled airline industry. One half of each issue contains feature articles and new trends in the industry and a glossary of terms. The other portion of the issue is devoted to statistical data on such issues as aircraft on order, available service and utilization, operating revenues and expenses, safety, employment, profit and loss, assets, utilities, and stockholders' equity.

Aluminum Statistical Review.

Aluminum Association, New York. 1963-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 1-13;
Note: Title varies, 1963-65 Aluminum Industry Annual; Statistical Review. An annual review which "assembles in one place the most important data available on the aluminum industry." It includes information on every phase of the aluminum cycle from production of primary aluminum to the markets for finished goods. Foreign trade and world trade statistics, geographic distribution of plants in the U.S., scrap recovery figures are among the types of data supplied.

American Stock Exchange. Weekly Bulletin. New York. 1953)-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; This series contains information on changes in membership on the exchange, new listings, halts or suspended issues, dividends, stockholders' meetings, registered interest and U.S. government obligations.

American Trucking Trends.

American Trucking Association, Washington, D.C. 1947-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 1-29;
An annual review of the "industry at a glance." It contains statistics and charts on industry growth, truck registration, mileage and safety, carrier size and location, motor freight tonnage, revenue and costs, products delivered, equipment and innovations.

Automobile Facts and Figures.

Motor Vehicle Manufacturers Association of the United States, Detroit. 1919-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 1-56;
Note: Title varies, 1919-33 Facts and Figures of the Automobile Industry. Vol. 9 omitted in numbering. 1919-71 authored by the Automobile Manufacturers Association.; An annual review offering basic information on production registration, quality control and research, and factory sales. The section "Use and Owners" provides data on drivers, fatalities, and vehicle miles of travel, economic impact, employment, exports/imports, financing, retail sales and taxes. Each issue contains an index and list of sources of the data.

Brewers Almanac.

United States Brewers Association, Washington, D.C. 1940-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V 1-36;
A lengthy annual review containing statistical information on production and withdrawals, containers for packaged beer and ale, statistics of the beverage industry from the U.S. Census of manufacturers, financial statistics for the malt beverage industry, employment and earnings, consumption and sales, indexes of per capita consumption, foreign trade, taxation and a summary of state tax rates.

Capital Investments of the World Petroleum Industry. Chase Manhattan Bank, New York. 1961-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; V. 1-14.; An annual summary, with commentaries, charts and statistical tables of the financial performance of the "combined operations of a large number of petroleum companies whose operations constitute a major portion of the worldwide activities of the petroleum industry." Company names are not given, however, the data represents the United States, Canada, Venezuela, western Europe, Africa, the middle east and the far east. Current and historic tables present data on capital and exploration expenditures, gross investment in fixed assets, capital and expiration expenditures by world region and exploration and development expenditures in the U.S.

Coal Facts.

National Coal Association, Washington, D.C. 1948-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; Note: Title varies; A biennial report which provides data on coal production, utilization, markets, transportation, manpower, safety, research, coal, reserve, environmental protection and a directory of local operators associations.

Comparative Financial Data. Major Department Stores and Other Leading Merchandisers. Harris Trust and Savings Bank, Chicago. 1953/54-1976

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; 1st-22nd; A statistical review of major metropolitan department stores and other leading merchandisers. The report presents financial and operating data accompanied by selected ratios for the major department stores and six major merchandisers. Balance sheet data, total current assets, liabilities and ratios are included.

Distilled Spirits Institute; Annual Statistical Review. Washington, D.C. 1951-1975

Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 1-25;
An annual review offering statistics on production, withdrawals, stocks, bottled output, estimated distilled spirits entering trade channels, foreign trade, apparent consumption, number of bottles used, and number of retail licenses issued.

Economic and Investment Report.

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Life Insurance Association of America, New York. 1951-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 1-25; Note. Title varies. 1951-72 Record of Life Insurance investments.; An annual review of economic and financial development for the current and forthcoming year. Each issue reports on the research activities of the association. Reviews provide data on assets and investments for the year, mortgage commitments of life insurance companies, income and costs of mortgage loan portfolios, mortgage delinquency and foreclosure experiences.

Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta: Monthly Review. Atlanta, GA. 1919-1975
Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; V 1-60; Note: Title varies; A monthly review that offers brief articles on national and sixth district federal reserve business and economic conditions. Each issue contains brief statistical tables on the district's income and spending, employment, finance, banking and debts to demand deposit accounts. The earlier years provided far more data and discussions on agriculture.

Federal Reserve Bank of Boston; 1. Monthly Review of Industrial and Financial New England District. 1919-1956
Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; V 1-38; (all published); The content of the Review his remained fairly constant over the years despite title and format changes. Each issue comments on a particular aspect of the economy of the New England federal reserve district and offers a quarterly review of the district's economy. Topics covered include banking and finance, business conditions, education, employment, income and spending, exports, natural resources, and retail trade. Brief tables are provided on banking and credit and employment and earnings in each issue. Some years contain an index; Continued as New England Business Review.

Federal Reserve Bank of Boston; 2. New England Business Review. Mar. 1956-Dec. 1968
Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; (all published); The content of the Review his remained fairly constant over the years despite title and format changes. Each issue comments on a particular aspect of the economy of the New England federal reserve district and offers a quarterly review of the district's economy. Topics covered include banking and finance, business conditions, education, employment, income and spending, exports, natural resources, and retail trade. Brief tables are provided on banking and credit and employment and earnings in each issue. Some years contain an index; Continued as New England Economic Review.

Federal Reserve Bank of Boston; 3. New England Economic Review. Jan/Feb, 1969-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; The content of the Review his remained fairly constant over the years despite title and format changes. Each issue comments on a particular aspect of the economy of the New England federal reserve district and offers a quarterly review of the district's economy. Topics covered include banking and finance, business conditions, education, employment, income and spending, exports, natural resources, and retail trade. Brief tables are provided on banking and credit and employment and earnings in each issue. Some years contain an index.

Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago. Business Conditions. Chicago. 1917-1975
Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; A monthly review that offers commentary and business conditions in the U.S. and the seventh reserve district. Topics discussed include:: agriculture. banking, consumer credit and savings, economic conditions, employment and wages. housing, industry, trade, public finance, and transportation.

Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland; 1. Economic Review. 1964-1975
Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; Until 1950, the fourth federal district review featured a series of brief commentaries on the district's activities in bonds, new member banks, manufacturing, mining, automobiles, textiles, rubber and tires, retail and wholesale trade, construction and agriculture. In the fifties the bulletin initiated full-length feature articles and a regular brief review of the fourth federal district business statistics; Continues its Monthly Business Review.

Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland; 2. Monthly Business Review. 1919-1963
Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; Subtitle varies slightly; V. 1-45; (all published); Until 1950, the fourth federal district review featured a series of brief commentaries on the district's activities in bonds, new member banks, manufacturing, mining, automobiles, textiles, rubber and tires, retail and wholesale trade, construction and agriculture. In the fifties the bulletin initiated full-length feature articles and a regular brief review of the fourth federal district business statistics.

Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas. Business Review. 1916/17-1963; 1964-1975

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Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; V. 1-47; Note: Titles vary.; The early years of the bulletin of the eleventh federal reserve district featured short reviews of many aspects of the district's economy such as grain movements, crop values, livestock, farm implements, bank clearings and failures, lumber petroleum and building. By the 1950's the journal decreased the number of pages devoted to a detailed district review maintaining a brief summary on the district's agricultural and business conditions, and featuring major articles on banking, petroleum, employment, etc.

Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City. The Monthly Review.

Kansas City, MO. 1916-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; V. 1-60; The journal covers conditions in the tenth federal reserve district. Early years covered the financial situation in the district, member bank activities, clearings, collections and failures, grain movements, milling, livestock, coal mining, zinc and lead mining, petroleum and building. Gradually reviews of specific categories of the district's economy were dropped and replaced by longer feature articles. By the 1970's there were two feature articles per issue on such topics as "the revolution in American agriculture," "ski area profitability" and "social costs -- the due bill for progress.

Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, Ninth District, Quarterly.

Minneapolis, MN. Feb. 1974-1975.; 1966-1973

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; V. 1-2; Preceded by Ninth District Conditions; V. 1-7; (all published).; The ninth federal reserve district publication began with detailed summaries of agricultural and business conditions and gradually followed the pattern of its counterpart journals. Each issue contains two or three articles pertaining to banking, business and agriculture.

Federal Reserve Bank of New York. Monthly Review.

New York. Sept. 20, 1919-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; V. 1-57; Note: Title varies.; The second federal reserve district journal changed (like its counterparts) over the years from specific commentary and statistics on the district's agriculture, business, finance and banking conditions, to a feature article format dealing with particular topics. More than any other federal reserve district, this bulletin contained articles on foreign exchange, the balance of payments, the securities market, commercial banks and the money and bond market.

Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia. The Review. 1917-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; Note: Title varies.; The third federal district bulletin follows a pattern similar to its counterpart journals of other federal reserve districts. Each issue is devoted to two full-length articles, one dealing with banking issues such as interest rates, mergers, etc. The second article usually deals with a problem of the public sector such as school financing, employment, income, and credit. Each issue also contains a one-page district summary and the January issue contains a six-page annual district report, which includes a directory of officers.

Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond. Monthly Review.

Richmond, Va. 1921-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; V. 1-60; Note: Title varies.; Through the years the fifth federal reserve district bulletin always carried a national summary of business conditions as well as a district summary of agriculture, business, labor, banking and financial conditions. Gradually the very brief summaries were replaced by feature articles on banking issues and aspects of the district's economy.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco. Monthly Review.

San Francisco. 1917-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; Note: Title varies. None published Feb. 1937; Early issues of the twelfth federal reserve district bulletin reported on business and agricultural conditions within the district such as grains, milling, livestock, pineapple, wool, dairy products, lumber and retail and wholesale trade. The journal also included a national summary of business conditions. By the 1960's this bulletin (like the other federal district reviews) decreased the size of the district summary and emphasized feature articles on agriculture, business and banking.

Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis. Review.

St. Louis. 1919-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; V- 1-57; Note: Title varies slightly.; This monthly review of agricultural, industrial trade and financial conditions in the eighth federal reserve district gradually changed (as did its counterparts in other federal reserve districts) from a bulletin emphasizing regional characteristics to a review of economic and banking issues in the nation as well as the district. Issues of the past 10-15 years contain major feature articles as well as a brief district review article in each issue.

Finance Facts Yearbook.

National Consumer Finance Association, Washington, D.C. 1961-1975

Section I: Trade and Business Associations; 1st-15th; The yearbook offers a convenient reference source for information on the size and composition of the population, income, expenditures and savings. The use of credit in the consumer sector with information on the credit industry is provided through charts and statistics. Each issue also includes a bibliography.

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Financial Analysis of a Group of Petroleum Companies.
Chase Manhattan Bank, New York. 1945-1975
Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; V. 1-31; Summarizes the results of Chase's annual study of the financial performance of the major petroleum companies. The companies studied are identified each year and referred to as "the Group" in the results. Over the years the Group has changed due to additions or mergers. Current developments are compared with those of former years. Tables, charts, commentaries on operations, income, revenue and charges against revenue source and use of fund, balance sheets and other statistics are presented.

Financial Analysis of the Motor Carrier Industry.
American Trucking Association, Inc., Washington, D.C. 1953-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; 1st-23rd;
Note: Title varies, 1953-72 Banker's Analysis of the Motor Carrier Industry.; An annual fiscal analysis based on the categorization of motor carriers into groups according to gross revenues received. Each issue offers a general review of the year, followed by a composite analysis of all groups. It also contains an analysis by carrier group class. Statistics on revenues, assets and liabilities, liquidity, leverage and debt service, and operating performance are provided. A glossary of terms is included.

Financial Facts About the Meatpacking Industry.
American Meat Institute, Washington, D.C. 1947-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 1-28;
An annual report which provides a summary statement for the year on sales, costs expenses and net earnings, statistics on financial results for the entire industry for the year including sales, earnings, operating expenses, assets, liabilities, etc. Part II deals with financial data for participating companies, i.e. employment benefit programs and ownership and number of stockholders. Part III offers basic statistics of the meat and livestock industry.

Gas Facts; a Statistical Record of the Gas Utility Industry.
American Gas Association, Arlington, VA. 1945-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V 1-31;
An annual presentation of tables, charts and commentary on the natural gas utilities. It provides statistics for the most recent, comparative data for the preceding year and historical data going back to 1945, in some cases. Covers energy reserves, natural gas production, transmission and distribution, underground storage, customers, sales and revenues, new security issued, construction expenditures, labor, prices and appliance data.

Glass Containers.
Glass Container Manufacturers Institute, Inc., New York. 1956-1975

Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V 1-20;
An annual fact book containing statistics on total shipments, domestic shipments by type of use, closure shipments, value of packaging and a listing of glass container closure manufacturers and allied manufacturers.

Insurance Facts: Selected Data of General Interest Relating to Property and Liability Insurance.
Insurance Information Institute, New York. 1963-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; A
Yearbook intended to provide basic facts relating to the property and liability insurance business for editors, writers, teachers, and insurance people. Charts and statistics on assets and surplus for the year, property liability insurance companies by state, property and liability, premiums by type, e.g. automobile, fire, marine, municipal bonds, etc. Facts about losses, e.g., fire statistics, natural disasters, aircraft disasters, health insurance, etc. Each issue includes a glossary. As of 1967, each issue also includes a directory of national insurance service organizations.

Lead Industries Association. Annual Review: U.S. Lead Industry.
New York. 1964-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 1-11;
Current and retrospective statistics on domestic production prices, inventories, consumption, and imports. Each issue has a review of lead research during the year, as well as statistics on lead production and consumption in Europe and developing countries.

Life Insurance Fact Book.
Institute of Life Insurance Statistical Division, New York. 1946-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; 1st-30th;
"A statistical portrait of the life insurance business ... of all U.S. legal reserve life insurance companies operating in the U.S. and the foreign business of U.S. companies. Covers pension and retirement programs, annuities, life insurance purchases, life insurance in various countries, life insurance organizations and a glossary and index.

Marketing Research Study of the Housewares.
National Housewares Manufacturers Association.
Prepared by Bee Angell and Associates, Chicago. 1967-1975
Section I: Trade and Business Associations; 1st-9th;
An annual marketing study compiled through surveys of exhibitors in the National Housewares Exposition. Annual responses ranged from 25% to 31%. Each report incorporates trends from previous years wherever possible. Data is provided on distribution of manufacturer sales by product category, size of manufacturer by sales volume, distribution of dollar sales by areas of the country, distribution of sales by type of outlet, color preferences, raw material shortages and price increases.

Motor Truck Facts.

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Motor Vehicle Manufacturers Association of the U.S. Inc., Detroit. 1966-1975

Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 1-10; An annual review. Provides charts and statistics on production, registration, usage, ownership, vehicle miles of travel, employment, payrolls, taxes, safety, economic impact, highway trust and receipts and disbursements. Each issue has an index.

Mutual Fund Fact Book.

Investment Company Institute, Washington, D.C. 1966-1975

Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 1-10; An annual review of mutual fund sales, growth, management and assets. Each issue contains a historical review of the industry as well as a glossary. An appendix provides a detailed analysis of the types of accounts, assets and cash position by fund characteristics. Total purchases, total sales and net purchase data is also provided.

National Fact Book of Mutual Savings Bank.
National Association of Mutual Savings Banks, New York and Washington, D.C. 1960-1975

Section I: Trade and Business Associations; 1st-15th; An annual fact book "organized into seven major sections on the structure and operations of the savings bank industry and its role in savings and mortgage markets." The sections are as follows: Financial structure and organization of mutual savings, banks, deposits and general reserve accounts, capital market investments, income and expenses, mutual savings banks in the savings market, savings bank life insurance and a technical description of trends followed by detailed tables and charts.

New York Stock Exchange Fact Book.

New York. 1956-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; 1st-20th; This annual fact book summarizes various statistical series issued daily, weekly and monthly by the exchange. Historical data for many important series is also given. Data on market activity, listed companies, securities market credit shareowners and capital markets is also provided. The fact book also includes data on the New York Stock Exchange Index for the 30 years. Each issue also features an organization chart of the New York Stock Exchange.

Public Revenues From Alcoholic Beverages.
Distilled Spirits Council of the United States,
Washington, D.C. 1936-1975

Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 1-43; A compilation of public revenues from alcoholic beverages received by federal, state and local governments for the year. Includes federal excise, rectification and occupational taxes, import duties and miscellaneous direct levies, State and local revenues include excise and sales taxes, license fees and brand registration fees. In all cases, alcoholic beverages refers to an aggregation of distilled spirits, beer and wine. The first section lists total annual public revenues received by all levels of government from 1933 through the year of the issue. The second section summarizes these revenues by each level of government. State by state analysis indicates the method of control in each state, local collections and allocations of revenue from alcoholic beverages for each state, where available.

Reserves of Crude Oil, Natural Gas Liquids and Natural Gas in the United States and Canada.

American Gas Association, American Petroleum Institute and the Canadian Petroleum Association, Arlington, VA. 1946-1975

Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 1-30; Note: Title varies slightly.; An annual estimate of reserves, prepared by petroleum engineers and geologists together with additional information pertaining to reserves in the U.S. A brief summary comparing proven hydrocarbon reserves in the U.S. and Canada as of the year of the report and of the previous year is presented first. The major share of the report deals with reserves and production, concepts and definitions including data on proven reserves, recovery techniques and offshore reserves. Considerable historical and regional data is provided as well. "An extremely comprehensive review."

Restaurant Operations.

Laventhol & Horwath, Philadelphia. 1958-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; 1st-17th; Note: Author and title vary through 1970, Laventhol, Krekstein, Horwath, & Horwath, Restaurant, Country Clubs and City Clubs.; An annual report on restaurant operations in the U.S. provides a "year-in-review" commentary and data on costs, operating expenses, payroll, occupancy costs and depreciation, income and expenses ratio to sales, and a discussion of restaurant financial ratios and analysis.

The Silver Market. Annual Review.

Handy & Harman, New York. 1916-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; 1st-60th; Highlights of the silver market for the year. It features the New York Market, silver futures, industrial consumption, imports and exports, review of other markets (Europe, Japan, India and Mexico). Provides a summary of world stocks and statistical tables.

Source Book of Health Insurance Data.

Health Insurance Institute, New York. 1959-1975/6

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Section I: Trade and Business Associations; 1st-16th; Provides the most recent information on the major forms of health insurance, hospital, surgical, regular medical, major medical, disability and dental insurance. Contains information on medical care costs of morbidity. Data is presented under categories of key health insurance statistics, the role of private health insurance, health insurance benefit payments, health insurance premium, income, medical care costs and trends in morbidity. A glossary and index are also included.

Statistical Trends in Broadcasting.

John Blair & Co., New York. 1965-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; 1st-11th; An "exclusive management service" on advertising trends in television and radio through statistical tables and graphs. Television and radio annual growth rates, distribution of spot revenues by fiscal month, the number of color TV households, cable television growth and other similar data are provided.

Supply and Demand for Credit.

Salomon Brothers, New York. 1970-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; Note: Title varies. 1970, Comments on Credit.; An annual review for those interested in the supply and demand for credit. Reviews net demand and supply over a five-year period. An extensive commentary on the economy for the year and estimates for the forthcoming year are provided. Detailed tables are given on mortgages, mortgage funds, corporate bonds, corporate bonds by type, corporate sources and uses corporate stock issues, state and local securities, foreign bonds, U.S. Treasury debt, federal agency debt, open market paper loans, institutional loans and other sources.

Tax Foundation Facts and Figures on Government Finance.

New York. 1941-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; 1st-18th; The biennial report provides statistics on the fiscal activities of federal, state and local governments in terms of expenditures, revenues and taxation, debt, and taxation by local government for education. A glossary and topical index are included. Data on the federal government and the economy is provided in summary format.

Transit Fact Book.

American Transit Association. 1943-1975

Section I: Trade and Business Associations; 1st-32nd; An annual summary of the transit industry, providing data for all public and privately owned services providing urban mass transportation. Each issue presents a "review of the year" and data on transit taxes, revenue passengers, operating revenue and costs, employees, energy efficiency, new equipment, electric power and motor fuel consumption.

Truck Taxes by States.

National Trucking Association. 1952-1976

Section I: Trade and Business Associations; 1st-25th; An annual state by state breakdown of taxes collected by each state, showing the portion of these taxes paid by motor trucks. The review also provides a comparison of taxes paid by trucks with the total cost of highways.

U.S. Lodging Industry.

Laventhol & Horwath, Philadelphia. 1932-1975

Section II: Research Organizations and Financial Institutions; 1st-43rd; Note: Author and title vary, through 1974, Laventhol, Krekstein, Horwath & Horwath, The Lodging Industry.; An annual report on the lodging industry in the U.S. Contains commentary, statistical tables and graphs. Each issue features the highlights of the year, forecasts, income, expenses and balance sheet items, trends, significance of various statistics and a glossary of terms.

Year-End Summary of the Electric Power Situation in the United States.

Edison Electric Institute, New York. 1957-1975

Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. I-19; An annual summary of accomplishments, statistics, graphs and commentary on electric power supply. Covers peak capabilities and loads, relationship between summer and winter loads, additions to electric generating capacity and nuclear electric power. The section on manufacture of heavy electric power equipment includes data on the manufacture of generators, turbines and nuclear power reactors. An appendix describing additions to electric generating capacity is also provided.

Zinc Institute Annual Review: U.S. Zinc Industry.
New York. 1964-1975

Section I: Trade and Business Associations; V. 19; Current and retrospective statistics on production, consumption and imports. Statements from Europe and developing countries on the aforementioned topics.