Appendix

Common Sources of Economic, Industry, and Market Data

Economic Information

*Business Cycle Development* (U.S. Department of Commerce)

*Current Business Reports* (U.S. Department of Commerce)

*Economic Indicators* (U.S. Department of Commerce)

*Economic Report of the President to the Congress* (U.S. Government Printing Office)

*Long-Term Economic Growth* (U.S. Department of Commerce)

Regional statistics and forecasts from large commercial banks

*Monthly Labor Review* (U.S. Department of Labor)

*Monthly Bulletin of Statistics* (United Nations)

Overseas Business Reports (By country, published by U.S. Department of Commerce)

*World Trade Annual* (United Nations)

*U.S. Industrial Outlook* (U.S. Department of Commerce)

*Survey of Current Business* (U.S. Department of Commerce)

*Statistical Yearbook* (United Nations)

*Statistical Abstract of the United States* (U.S. Department of Commerce)

Industry Information

*Forbes* (Mid-January issues provides performance data on firms in various industries)

*Bloomberg BusinessWeek* (Provides weekly economic and business information, and quarterly profit and sales rankings of corporations)

*Fortune* (April issues include listings of financial information on corporations within selected industries)

*Industry Survey* (Published quarterly by Standard and Poor's Corporation)

*Industry Week* (March–April issue provides information on 14 industry groups)

*Inc.* (May and December issues give information on entrepreneurial firms)

Directories of National Trade Associations

*Encyclopedia of Associations*

Funk and Scott's *Index of Corporations and Industries*

Thomas' *Register of American Manufacturers*

*Wall Street Journal* Index