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Data Items	Source	Notes on access
Exchange Rates	Datastream	Available from business library or computer lab only. Limited to one user at a time during day; unlimited after 5PM and weekends
	Representative Exchange Rates (IMF)	Free web site. Downloadable, includes archives back to 1995
	For remote access to more historical exchange rates: http://www.oanda.com/convert/fxhistory	Free web site. Some currencies back to 1970; most mid-90s.
Country Data	Datastream	Available from business library or computer lab only. Limited to one user at a time during day; unlimited after 5PM and weekends
	EIU Country Reports sample headings: China at a glance: 2006-07 Summary Political structure Economic structure Outlook for 2006-07 The political scene Economic policy The domestic economy Foreign trade and payments	Choose latest report in html (not pdf) if you want to see headings at left
	ISI Emerging Markets	60 countries; click on country of choice then choose from Financial Markets or Macroeconomics on blue tool bar at top of page
	Country Profile in Mergent Brief country statistical data and country maps	Choose from country drop down list on right side of opening screen
	World Development Indicators WDI includes more than 800 indicators in 83 tables organized in 6 sections: World View, People, Environment, Economy, States and Markets, and Global Links.	Print copies available at Olin (main) Library Reference; limited set is available online.
	OECD country data Covers 30 member countries	Click on country of choice, then choose Statistics to get to Country statistical profile
	GlobalEDGE™ Created by the Center for International Business Education and Research at Michigan State University (MSU-CIBER), GlobalEDGE™ is a knowledge web-portal that connects international business professionals worldwide to information, insights, and learning resources on global business activities.	Over 190 country reports from pull-down menu on home page

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Stock Prices of international companies	Datastream	Available from business library or computer lab only. Limited to one user at a time during day; unlimited after 5PM and weekends
	Mergent Covers about 25,00 non-U.S. public companies	Available remotely to business students
Derivatives prices	Datastream	Available from business library or computer lab only. Limited to one user at a time during day; unlimited after 5PM and weekends
	Bloomberg –options for last 6 months	Available at designated stations in business library
Indexes like MSCI: matrix of country and industry	Datastream	Available from business library or computer lab only. Limited to one user at a time during day; unlimited after 5PM and weekends
	MSCI online gives some free access to data, but it's limited to sector, industry group and industry indices for 5 regions (All country World Index, World, Emerging Markets, Europe, EMU)	Still must register on MSCI site to download limited free data
International company financials	Thomson Research	Available remotely to business students
	Mergent Covers about 25,00 non-U.S. public companies	Available remotely to business students
Corporate transactions like issuing of stocks, IPOs, bonds and mergers	SDC Platinum (Thomson Research)	Available from business library or computer lab only. Limited to one user at a time during day; unlimited after 5PM and weekends
Useful Portals	Data on the Net	
	OFF-STATS	
	Statistical Resources on the Web	

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