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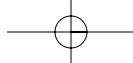
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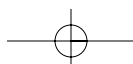
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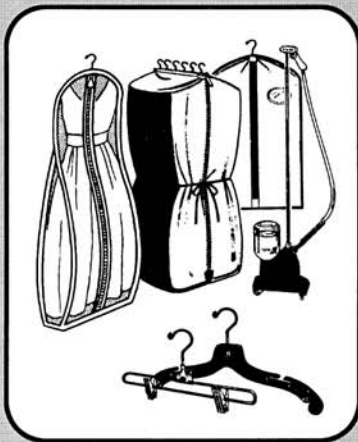
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Preface

The 2009-2010 edition of *Women's and Children's Wear Buyers*™ lists more than 13,800 buyers and executives for over 8,000 retail firms in the United States and Canada that sell women's & children's apparel, footwear, and accessory items.

Companies listed in the previous edition of the directory are sent fax questionnaires to update their listings. Those that do not respond are contacted by telephone for listing verification. Companies that could not be located were dropped from this edition. The editorial staff updated and obtained listings for this edition through publicly available sources.

ARRANGEMENT OF THE DIRECTORY

Company profiles are arranged geographically, beginning on page 3. In addition to the mailing address, telephone numbers, fax numbers and website addresses, company profiles include: the president or owner; merchandise managers(s) and buyer(s) of the items carried; the number of units; size and price ranges handled; approximate annual sales volume where known; the buying office(s) used by the firm; and parent corporations or divisions.

A sample entry describing the entry format and codes used in each listing can be found on pages xi and xii.

INDICES

Large & Plus Size Index: Beginning on page 523, this index lists retailers of Women's Large, Plus Size, and Half Size apparel. This includes firms that specialize in the market and firms who carry these sizes in addition to other merchandise.

Online Retailers Index: Beginning on page 513, this new index alphabetically lists women's and children's apparel retailers who sell their products directly to customers via the internet. This includes companies that have traditional retail stores as well as retailers who operate exclusively online.

Mail Order Index: Beginning on page 509, this index alphabetically lists companies that operate a mail order or catalog business in the women's & children's wear industry.

Buying Office Index: Beginning on page 517, this index alphabetically lists the buying offices for the store listings, including the city and state where the buying office is located.

Alphabetical Index to Companies: To assist the user in finding a company when its location is not known, an alphabetical index by company name is included in the back of the directory, starting on page 531. This index references the location of each company's full listing in the main section.

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Comments and suggestions are encouraged and should be directed to the editors, *Women's and Children's Wear Buyers*[™], *The Salesman's Guide*[™], 2807 N. Parham Rd., Suite 200, Richmond, VA, 23294.

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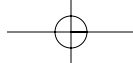
- Contact names and titles
- Merchandise bought – including store displays, fixtures & supplies
- Street & P.O. Box addresses
- Phone & fax numbers
- Website & E-mail addresses
- Approximate Annual Sales Volume
- Type of Store & number of stores
- Parent Company/D.B.A./buying offices



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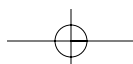
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TYPE OF BUSINESS CODES

AN.....	Army Navy Stores
BR.....	Bridal Boutiques
CBO.....	Corporate Buying Offices
CC.....	Catalog Coordinator
CLO.....	Family Clothing Stores
DEPT.....	Department Stores
DG.....	Dry Goods Stores
FW.....	Footwear Stores
GS.....	Gift Shops
JWLY.....	Jewelry Stores
KS.....	Children's Specialty Stores
MO.....	Mail Orders
MW.....	Men's Wear Stores
OL.....	Online Retailers
PX.....	Military Post Exchanges
RB.....	Resident Buying Offices
SP.....	Women's Specialty Stores
WW.....	Western Wear Stores

PRICE CODES OF THE MERCHANDISE CARRIED

des.....	Designer
b.....	Better
m.....	Moderate
p.....	Popular
bud.....	Budget



SAMPLE ENTRY

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³ 123 Trax Ave. (m-b)⁹

Iona, IL, 98051

¹⁰ (Henry Doneger)

⁴ 804-555-9990/ ⁵ FAX: 804-555-9999

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¹³ Retail Locations: NJ, NY, PA, VA

¹² PHILLIP DALE (President & C.E.O.)

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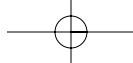
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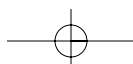
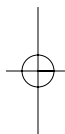
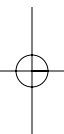
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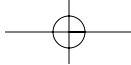
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1. Company Name.
2. Divisions - May include alternate names under which the firm does business, or the firm's parent corporation.
3. Address - Where applicable, a mailing address will appear first, followed by a corresponding street address.
4. Telephone Number.
5. Fax Number.
6. Type(s) of Business.
7. Number(s) of Retail Units.
8. Sales Volume - Annual sales volume category reported by the firm listed.
9. Price Point(s) of the Merchandise Carried.
10. Buying Office Used.
11. Web site Address.
12. Executives and Buyers - Individuals at the firms who are responsible for the buying of women's and children's apparel, or who supervise buying and merchandising.
13. Geographic Retail Analysis — Indicates in which states the company has a retail operation.

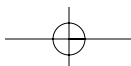
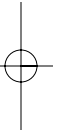
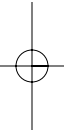


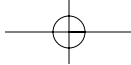
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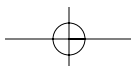
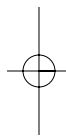
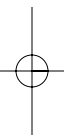


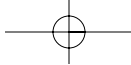
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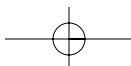
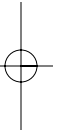
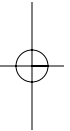


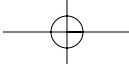
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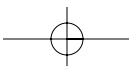
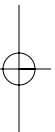
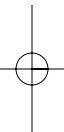


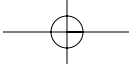
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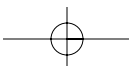
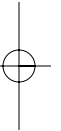
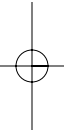


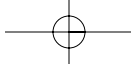
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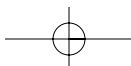
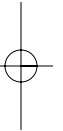
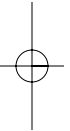


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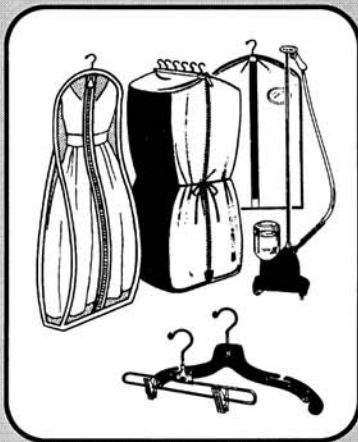


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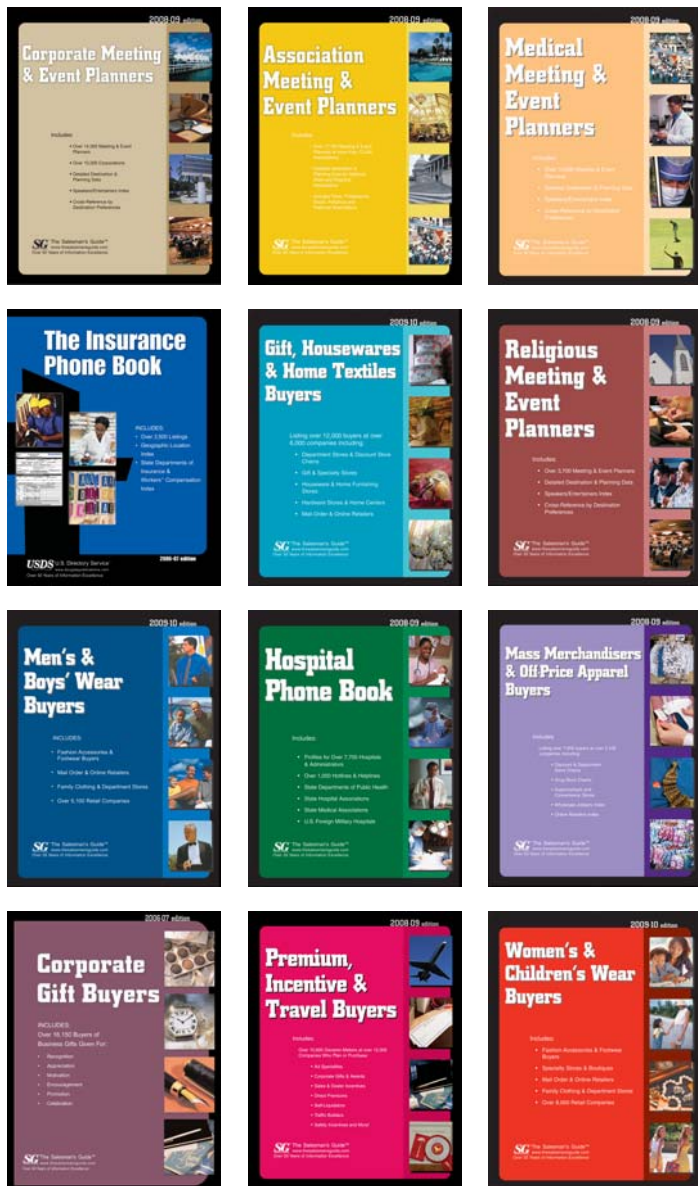
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