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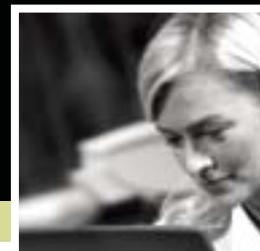
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Confident Decisions are Made with Precise Facts

How often do you find yourself looking for information on the free Web, only to turn up with irrelevant results or without a complete historical perspective? That's why it's important for executives, professional searchers, and the entire workforce to research across accurate and relevant facts—resulting in confident and informed business decisions.

As a world-class, global content provider, Factiva, a Dow Jones & Reuters Company, provides Research products that enable single-click access to a deep archive with a historical, global, and local perspective. Factiva[®] helps you uncover essential information on your prospects, partners or customers—easily. ■■





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information to keep
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and members
well informed.”*

Eunice Sarif, Corporate Librarian
for the Australian Institute of
Company Directors

Reliable Information to Support Your Role

“As a professional searcher I need fast, powerful access to all of the most important sources.”

- The most experienced and demanding searchers rely on Factiva’s Research products for accuracy and targeted results. With Factiva Intelligent Indexing™, Factiva’s business-focused taxonomy applied across the entire content set, you will get faster access to answers and search results of greater relevancy — making Factiva the new standard in business information.

“In business development, I need to rapidly investigate a company.”

- Streamline the way you research a company through the news, on the Web, from its financial statements, and through its annual reports with a single point of access to all. Factiva brings it all together with personalization and customization features, so you can organize your most important information onto one page.

“As a marketing manager, I need to know all of the economic issues that could affect our regional offices.”

- For companies doing business globally, both individual users and workgroups can now locate valuable information without facing language barriers — choose from nine language interfaces and view content in 22 languages from 118 countries. With Factiva’s Research products, you’re connected to the world’s most powerful business information source available – acting as a single link to influential local, national, and international newspapers, many of the world’s leading business magazines, trade publications, and newswires.

“A new version of our intranet is launching, and a key requirement is to provide the entire company with access to external news.”

- By embedding a research capability into employees’ everyday applications, such as portals or a customer relationship management (CRM) system, everyone saves valuable time because they no longer need to leave their corporate desktop environment in search of specific information on companies, industries, or subjects of their interest.

“As a compliance officer, I need to know the identities of senior foreign political figures.”

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Factiva Research Products —

Setting a New Standard



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Anthony Wood, Business
Information Searcher

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500+ Newswires

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