GLOBAL STANDARDIZED AND COMMON-SIZED FINANCIALS

Expand and strengthen your financial research and analysis with Mergent Online's Global Standardized and Common-Sized Financials. As the preferred source for business data, subscribers can access these in-depth financial statements that were created to establish accurate comparisons between multiple companies, industry sectors, regions, exchanges and time frames.

Derived from an extensive collection of "as-reported" company financial statements, Mergent Online’s Global Standardized and Common-Sized Financials module was developed by, adopting and utilizing the standards of the eXtensible Business Reporting Language (XBRL) taxonomies. With an increasing push towards efficiency and data reliability, the XBRL taxonomies have been a critical element in the preparation, analysis and communication of company financial statements. More importantly, the development of XBRL were lead by accounting experts and government agencies in accordance with U.S. GAAP and global/local accounting standards, thus creating a more powerful and flexible financial company database. The Global Standardized Financials also takes into consideration the taxonomies within specific industries, categorizing them into various sectors such as commercial/industrial, banking/finance and insurance.

Supplementing the Global Standardized Financials are the Common-Sized Financials, which highlight the individual account (total assets in a balance sheet, total revenues in a P/L or income statement) and breaks it down into a percentage of the common base, with relationships within and across statements. As a result, these Common-Sized Financials enable business researchers to determine the underlying financial position relative to its peers as well as its own operating performance.

Key features:
> Provides clarity on every standardized financial account line by having a fully linked definition to facilitate a clear understanding of data item.
> Traces back to the original "as-reported" company financials, allowing for transparency and data confidence.
> Exports standardized and common-sized financials into a spreadsheet application enabling further data manipulation and analysis.
> Single platform availability eliminates the need to utilize multiple business resources in order to maximize critical research time.

Data coverage includes:
> Over 15 years of standardized and common-sized annual and quarterly income statements and balances sheets on more than 35,000 publicly traded companies in over 100 countries
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Standardized Financials - Easily toggle between "as-reported" and standardized financial statements while looking up account line definitions for data clarity.

Common-Sized Financials - Quickly screen various account lines for any potential trends and operating performances changes from year-to-year or company-to-company.