2009 Global Reputation Pulse

The World's Most Reputable Companies: Global Section

The World's Most Reputable Companies: An Online Study of Consumers in 32 Countries

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The Most Reputable Companies in the World

Study Overview

The Global Reputation Pulse 2009 is the fourth annual study of the reputations of the World's Largest Companies. The study was developed by Reputation Institute to provide executives with a high-level overview of their company's reputation with consumers. Over 70,000 online interviews with the general public in 32 countries on six continents were conducted in January and February 2009. More than 190,000 ratings were used to create reliable measures of the corporate reputation of more than 1,300 companies. *For a complete listing of companies measured please see the back of this report.*



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Reputation is Driven by 7 Dimensions



Defining Reputation

Research by Reputation Institute since 1999 shows that strong reputations are based on four key concepts; Admiration, Trust, Good Feelings, and Overall Esteem.

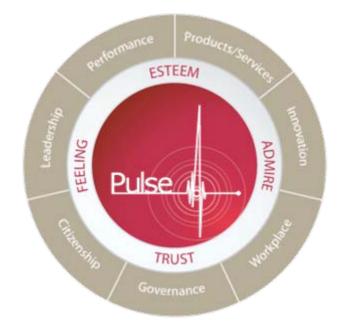
The Reputation Pulse Model

The Reputation Pulse Model measures the admiration, trust, and good feeling that stakeholders have towards a company. The Reputation Pulse is the beating heart of a company's reputation providing an overall assessment of the health of a company's reputation.

Reputation Institute's research indicates that a reputation is built on 7 pillars from which a company can create a strategic platform for communicating and engaging with its stakeholders.

The Reputation Pulse Model consists of 7 dimensions that were found from qualitative and quantitative research to best explain the reputation of a company.

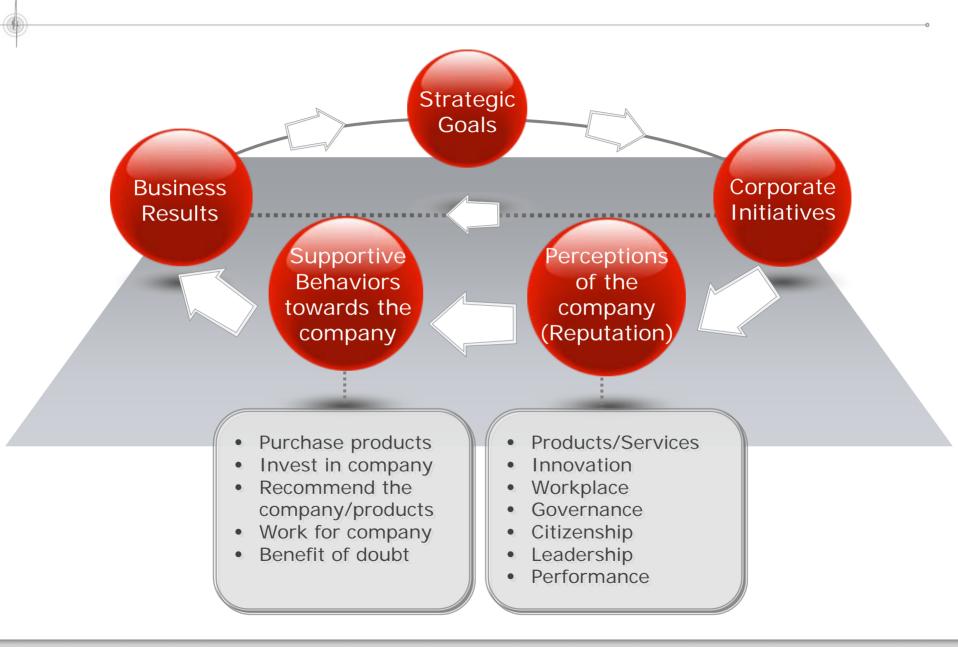
In the Global Reputation Pulse Study, Reputation Institute measured, not only perceptions of companies on the core Reputation Pulse attributes – the beating heart of the model-- but also asked respondents to rate the companies on the 7 key dimensions.



The Reputation Pulse Model

Reputation Management: "Below the line" Impact







Fact: Corporate Trust Higher in Emerging Markets, Lower in Industrialized Markets.

- **Trend:** Proportionally, the largest companies in Brazil, Russia, India and China enjoy a stronger emotional connection with consumers than the largest companies in the industrialized world.
- Action: Multi-national corporations should be wary of local competitors, and corporate managers can look to companies in these markets for models to build stronger relationships with consumers.

Fact: Demands are Higher Now – it is not Enough to Rely on Products and Services Alone.

- **Trend:** The most influential dimension on reputation is Product/Services, followed by Governance and Citizenship. In 2009, Governance takes over from Citizenship as the second most important driver, and other reputation dimensions are increasingly becoming more important.
- **Action:** Develop a Reputation Platform with 3 core pillars:
 - Deliver high quality, innovative products and services
 - Practice transparent and ethical business, treat employees well and engage with society
 - Articulate a clear vision for the future and deliver on financial expectations

Fact: Strong Relationship Between "Reputation" and "Recommendation" - If you Improve Reputation by 5 Points, Support Goes Up 6.75%.

- **Trend:** Across industries and stakeholders, there is an increasing link between reputation and behavior.
- Action: Activate stakeholder insight and engage business functions to help them drive growth, sales, customer loyalty and other business objectives.



The Top 50

Rank	Company	Global
Karik		Pulse Score
1	Ferrero (Italy)	85.17
2	Ikea (Sweden)	83.98
3	Johnson & Johnson (U.S.)	83.58
4	Petrobras (Brazil)	82.37
5	Sadia (Brazil)	82.06
6	Nintendo (Japan)	81.63
7	Christian Dior (France)	81.37
8	Kraft Foods (U.S.)	81.09
9	Mercadona (Spain)	80.99
10	Singapore Airlines (Singapore)	80.97
11	Tata (India)	80.89
12	UPS (U.S.)	80.84
13	General Mills (U.S.)	80.80
14	El Corte Inglés (Spain)	80.80
15	Matsushita Electric Ind. (Japan)	80.31
16	FedEx (U.S.)	80.30
17	Grupo Bimbo (Mexico)	80.22
18	Honda Motor (Japan)	79.86
19	Whirlpool (U.S.)	79.86
20	Votorantim (Brazil)	79.59
21	Walt Disney Co. (U.S.)	79.44
22	China Faw (China)	79.35
23	Google (U.S.)	78.80
24	China Merchants Bank (China)	78.72
25	Caterpillar (U.S.)	78.69
26	Costco Wholesale (U.S.)	78.53
27	Sberbank (Russia)	78.26
28	Vale (Brazil)	78.18
29	State Bank of India (India)	78.11
30	Microsoft (U.S.)	78.05
31	A.P. Møller-Maersk (Denmark)	78.04
32	3M (U.S.)	77.88
33	Philips (the Netherlands)	77.85
34	Haier (China)	77.80
35	Siam Cement (Thailand)	77.78
36	Colgate-Palmolive (U.S.)	77.65
37	Will-Bill-Dann Foods (Russia)	77.51
38	Kimberly-Clark (U.S.)	77.47
39	Infosys Tech. (India)	77.45
40	Raiffeisen Gp. (Switzerland)	77.37
41	Sharp (Japan)	77.29
42	William Morrison (U.K.)	77.16
43	POSCO (South Korea)	77.11
44	Procter & Gamble (U.S.)	77.08
45	Nokia (Finland)	76.75
46	PepsiCo (U.S.)	76.69
47	Larsen & Toubro (India)	76.58
48	Sainsbury (U.K.)	76.43
49	Maruti Udyog (Suzuki) (India)	76.26
50	General Electric (U.S.)	76.20

Ferrero, IKEA and Johnson & Johnson Have the Best Reputations Among the Largest 600 Companies in the World

Based on perceptions in their home countries, Italian chocolate maker **Ferrero**, Swedish home furniture producer **IKEA**, and the US consumer product giant **Johnson & Johnson** enjoy the most trust, admiration, good feeling and overall esteem in the world.

A group of 17 companies stand out with excellent reputations indicated by Reputation Pulse scores of 80 or above.

60 Point Difference from the Top to the Bottom

Reputation scores for the 600 largest companies range from **Ferrero** at the top with a pulse score of 85.17 to **UBS** in Switzerland who dropped to a poor reputation of 25.14.

Look to Corporate India to Find Trust, Admiration and Good Feeling

Corporate India has the best reputed companies. Of the 27 Indian companies ranked among the 600 largest in the world, almost 90% received scores above the global mean, with five ranking among the Top 50. Only the United States had more in the Top 50 (17 companies), but they had five times the number of companies on the list than India.

BRIC Companies Lead the Way

Of the 289 companies from the US, Japan, the UK, France and Germany, 45% have reputations below the global average, while only 34% of the 142 companies from Brazil, Russia, India and China have below-average reputations, with Chinese companies dragging down the BRIC average substantially. These results highlight that large companies in emerging countries have greater success in building relevance with the general public. It also points to the challenge of redefining stakeholder interactions that many companies face in more developed markets. For example, despite significant presence on the list (31 companies), no German company was among the global Top 50.

Excellent/Top Tier Strong/Robust	above 80 70-79	All Global Pulse scores that differ by more than +/-0.5 are significantly different at the 95% confidence level.
Average/Moderate	60-69	
Weak/Vulnerable Poor/Lowest Tier	40-59 below 40	Pulse scores are based on questions measuring Trust, Admiration & Respect, Good Feeling and Overall Esteem (captured in the Pulse score on a 0-100 scale).

The World's Most Reputable Companies, 2009

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ink	Company	Global Pulse Score	Rank	Company	Global Pulse Score	Rank	Company	Globa Pulse Sc
51	LG Electronics (South Korea)	76.19	101	Bombardier (Canada)	73.36	151	Galanz (China)	71.05
52	Apple (U.S.)	76.15	102	Legend Holdings (China)	73.35		China Construction Bank (CCB) (China)	71.04
53	Deutsche Lufthansa (Germany)	75.96	103	Canara Bank (India)	73.34		Grupo Maseca (Mexico)	70.89
	Kroger (U.S.)	75.89	104	MTS (Russia)	73.31		Uni-President Enterprise Co. (Taiwan)	70.87
	Amazon.com (U.S.)	75.74	105	IBM (U.S.)	73.25		Nestlé (Switzerland)	70.84
56	LVMH Group	75.67		Peugeot (France)	73.23		Wolseley (U.K.)	70.72
	Delhaize (Belgium)	75.64		Dell (U.S.)	73.22		Dongfeng Motor (China)	70.60
58	FEMSA (Mexico)	75.62	107	Cemex (Mexico)	73.17		Intel (U.S.)	70.5
	Toyota (Japan)	75.60		GlaxoSmithKline (U.K.)	73.16		Tukiye Is Bankasi (Turkey)	70.5
9 0	Inditex (Zara) (Spain)	75.36	110	Voestalpine (Austria)	73.14		Bosideng (China)	70.5
	Lowe's (Home Improvement) (U.S.)	75.33		Robert Bosch (Germany)	73.14		DuPont (U.S.)	70.3
2	L'Oreal (France)	75.26		Hindustan Petroleum (India)	73.08		Staples (U.S.)	70.4
	Hydro (Norway)	75.15	113	Indian Oil (IOC) (India)	73.01		KDDI (Japan)	70.3
	Gerdau (Brazil)	75.14		Pão de Açúcar (Brazil)	72.94		Bharti Airtel . (India)	70.3
	Bridgestone (Japan)	75.09		Formosa Petrochemi (Taiwan)	72.91		Office Depot (U.S.)	70.2
	Berkshire Hathaway (U.S.)	75.03	116	ALDI (Germany)	72.84		Royal Bank of Canada (Canada)	70.2
	Volkswagen (Germany)	75.03		Wipro (India)	72.77		George Weston Limited (Weston) (Canada)	70.2
	Publix Super Markets (U.S.)	75.02		Eni (Italy)	72.75		Aflac (U.S.)	70.1
	Lukoil (Russia)	75.01		Shanghai Automobile Industry Group (China)	72.72		Motorola (U.S.)	70.0
)	Hindustan Unilever (India)	74.99	120	Best Buy (U.S.)	72.44		Acer (Taiwan)	70.0
	Michelin (France)	74.98	121	Coop (Italy) (Italy)	72.39	171	Mapfre (Spain)	69.9
	Kamaz (Russia)	74.86	122	Severstal (Russia)	72.29	172	COFCO (China)	69.8
	EDF (France)	74.83	123	Tesco (U.K.)	72.29	173	Rite Aid (U.S.)	69.8
Ļ	Texas Instruments (U.S.)	74.70	124	Toys 'R' Us (U.S.)	72.27	174	Boeing (U.S.)	69.8
;	Samsung Electronics (South Korea)	74.63	125	Banco do Brasil (Brazil)	72.26		Bank of Baroda (India)	69.8
	Haci Omer Sabanci Holding (Turkey)	74.62	126	Volvo bilar (Sweden)	72.24		Bharat Petroleum (BPCL) (India)	69.
	Hewlett-Packard (U.S.)	74.59		Sony (Japan)	72.21		Nike (U.S.)	69.0
3	John Deere (U.S.)	74.47		Walgreen (U.S.)	72.21		Punjab National Bank (India)	69.0
	Kohl's (U.S.)	74.37		Weyhaeuser (U.S.)	72.19		Shanghai Pudong Development Bank (China)	69.0
	Coca-Cola Company (U.S.)	74.33		Bank of Communications (China)	72.17		Youngor (China)	69.
	Seven & I Holdings (Japan)	74.33		Medtronic (U.S.)	72.17		CSN (Brazil)	69.
	SAB Miller (U.K.)	74.25	132	Vimpel Communications (Russia)	72.05		Midea Group (China)	69.
	Hitachi (Japan)	74.23		Reliance Group (India)	72.03		Kookmin Bank (South Korea)	69.
			133		72.03			69.
	Air France-KLM (France)	74.23		Denso (Japan)			CITIC (China)	
	Usiminas (Brazil)	74.10		StatoilHydro (Norway)	71.75		Garanti Bank (Turkey)	69.
	Meijer (U.S.)	74.05	136	Target (U.S.)	71.74		Sears (U.S.)	69.
	Wuliangye Group (China)	73.96		Rosneft (Russia)	71.72		Vodafone-Panafon (U.K.)	69.
	Kirin Holdings Company (Japan)	73.90	138	Mahindra & Mahindra (India)	71.61		Abbott Laboratories (U.S.)	69.
	Xerox (U.S.)	73.82		Baltika (Russia)	71.52		PTT (Thailand)	69.
	VTB Bank (Russia)	73.75		Union Pacific Railroad (U.S.)	71.40		China Southern Airline (China)	69.3
	Pirelli (Italy)	73.71		Fujifilm (Japan)	71.39		Toshiba (Japan)	69.
	BHP Billiton (U.K.)	73.69	142	AstraZeneca (U.K.)	71.39		State Farm Insurance (U.S.)	69.
	JC Penney (U.S.)	73.68	143	Charoen Pokphand Group (Thailand)	71.37		Canon (Japan)	69.
	Unilever (U.K.)	73.60	144	Unilever (Netherlands)	71.34		Bank of China (China)	69.0
	LALA (Mexico)	73.52	145	Wilmar International (China)	71.33	195	Woolworths (Australia)	69.0
	ITC Limited (India)	73.50	146	CRH (Ireland)	71.28	196	Ford Otomotiv Sanayi (Turkey)	69.0
	Gazprom (Russia)	73.45	147	Ahold (Netherlands)	71.27		Toronto-Dominion Bank (TD) (Canada)	68.
	Goodyear (U.S.)	73.45	148	ICBC-Industrial and Comm Bank of China (Chir	71.26		Embraer (Brazil)	68.
	Cisco (U.S.)	73.44		Norilsk Nickel (Russia)	71.24		New Hope Group (China)	68.9
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What Drives Reputation Around the World?



Each of the Seven Dimensions of the RepTrak[™] Model Drive Corporate Reputation

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To earn trust, admiration, good feeling and support companies need to address all seven dimensions. Each one alone accounts for over 12% of reputation across the 32 countries included in Global Reputation Pulse 2009.

Products/Services, Governance, and Citizenship Stand Out as Key Drivers

The most influential dimension on reputation is Product/Services, followed by Governance and Citizenship. In 2009, Governance takes over from Citizenship as the second most important driver. If companies can make the general public perceive them well on these dimensions overall reputation and support will go up; if companies do not perform on these dimensions stakeholder support will decrease.

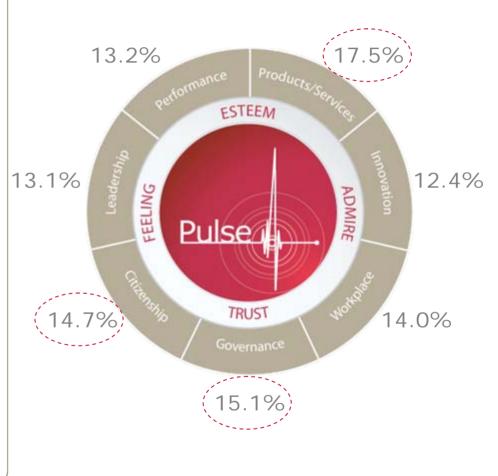
Financial Performance and Leadership Increase in Importance

The public wants to see the companies lead the way with strong visions and stable performance. These two dimensions saw the largest increase in driver weight from 2008 to 2009 indicating that companies need to communicate to the public about how they will ensure a successful future.

What is your Reputation Platform?

Leading companies address these seven dimensions through a reputation platform that makes them relevant to their stakeholders.

- Q: Product/Services: 'Company' offers high quality products and services -- it offers excellent products and reliable services
- Q: Innovation: 'Company' is an innovative company -- it makes or sells innovative products or innovates in the way it does business
- Q: Workplace: 'Company' is an appealing place to work -- it treats its employees well
- Q: Governance: 'Company' is a responsibly-run company -- it behaves ethically and is open & transparent in its business dealings
- Q: Citizenship: 'Company' is a good corporate citizen -- it supports good causes & protects the environment
- Q: Leadership: 'Company' is a company with strong leadership -- it has visible leaders & is managed effectively
- Q: Performance: 'Company' is a high-performance company -- it delivers good financial results

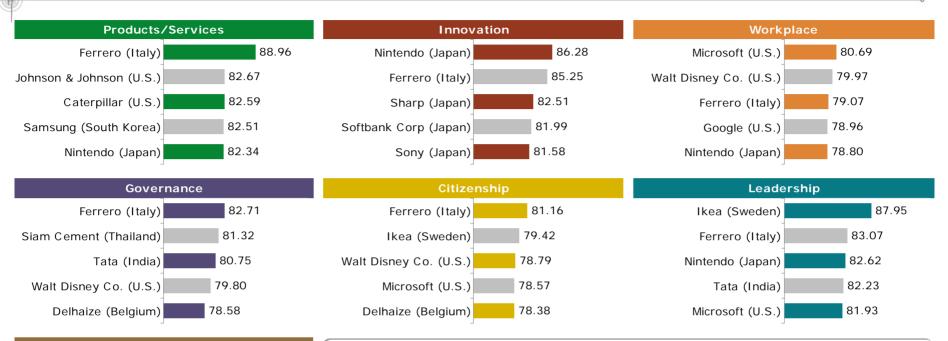


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Global Leaders on the Seven Reputation Dimensions



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Having a Broad Reputation Platform Reduces Risk

Companies build their reputations on different platforms, but all platforms should communicate strength across a number of dimensions. A diverse image reduces reputation risk and provides a stronger platform for support.

16 companies excel across the various dimensions of reputation. **Ferrero** is the only company that is in the top five on all seven dimensions which explains why the Italians trust, admire, and feel good about this company.

To break into the top five on any dimension, a company needed a score close to 80, which indicates exceptional strength in that area.

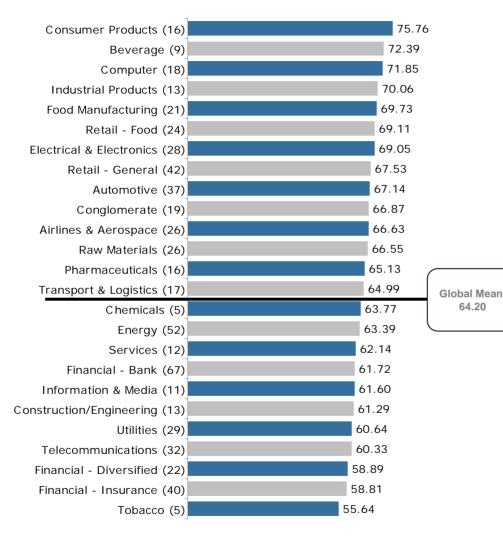
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Global Industry Reputations



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Is your Industry Helping or Hurting You?

Companies are evaluated by the general public based on what they do. But the behavior of industry peers also impacts perceptions.

Some industries have cultivated a strong connection with the general public while others struggle against negative bias. Companies should be sensitive to these industry perceptions in tailoring communciation and actions.

Consumer Product Companies are Trusted

Consumer product companies are generally trusted, admired, and respected. Corporate messages multiply in the form of recommendations and positive comments and recalls are mitigated by benefit of the doubt. Strong past performance has set the bar high for established veterans and fresh-faced challengers in this industry.

Financial Service and Tobacco Companies are Least Trusted

Financial Services finds itself at the bottom together with the Tobacco companies. The Financial Service companies will have a challenging job communicating new initiatives since people are less willing to trust what they say. Sophisticated communication strategies are needed, backed by third-party support, to regain credibility and trust from customers and the general public.

Telecom and Utilities are two other industries that are struggling with trust, admiration and good feelings among the general public around the world.

 Excellent/Top Tier
 above 80
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 Strong/Robust
 70-79
 the 95% confidence level.

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 60-69

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Having a Strong Reputation Improves Support

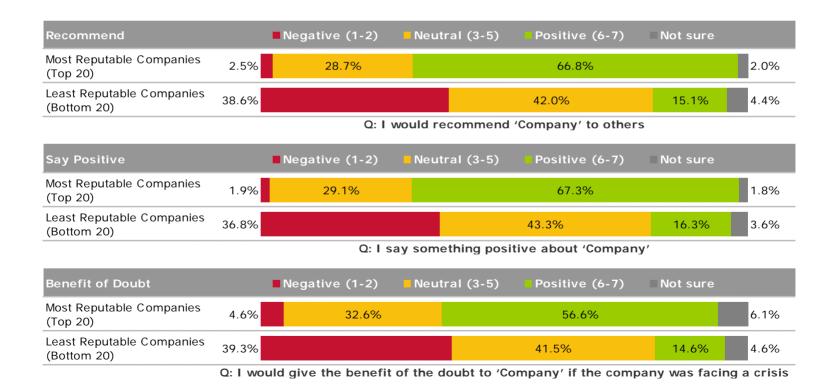


Companies with a Strong Reputation Get All the Support

Companies that have built a strong reputation spark positive word-of-mouth: 90-97% of the general public is positive or neutral about recommending, saying something positive and giving them the benefit of the doubt in a crisis.

Improve Reputation by 5 points and Increase Support by 6.75%

Companies can improve support through reputation. If companies improve their reputation pulse score by 5 points support will go up by 6.75% on average across the 32 countries. Some countries see a stronger effect others a weaker, but in all countries we see a direct link between reputation and support.



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Relationship of Corporate Reputation on Recommendation

For Top 20 reputation in the world



7 out of 10 people will recommend the company

For Bottom 20 reputation in the world

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2 out of 10 people will recommend the company and 4 out of 10 refuse to support them Move Reputation and Support Will Follow – Both Up and Down

FEMSA (Mexico)	2008	2009
Reputation Pulse	67.7	75.6
% who would definitely recommend company	66.2%	81.9%

Walmart : (United States)	2008	2009
Reputation Pulse	53.0	65.2
% who would definitely recommend company	41.0%	51.1%

CREDIT SUISSE (Switzerland)	2008	2009
Reputation Pulse	54.7	42.0
% who would definitely recommend company	29.9%	12.2%

Posteitaliane (Italy)	2008	2009
Reputation Pulse	54.7	65.0
% who would definitely recommend company	32.0%	43.5%

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Moolworth (Australia)	2008	2009
Reputation Pulse	63.8	69.1
% who would definitely recommend company	26.6%	33.0%

(United States)	2008	2009
Reputation Pulse	61.8	34.3
% who would definitely recommend company	33.3%	13.0%

Unlock the Power of Your Reputation



Customers – Can I trust what the company is promising?

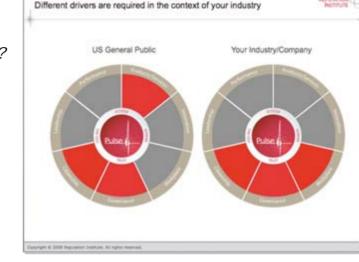
Investors – Can I count on the financial predictions?

Employees – Will the company honor their word?

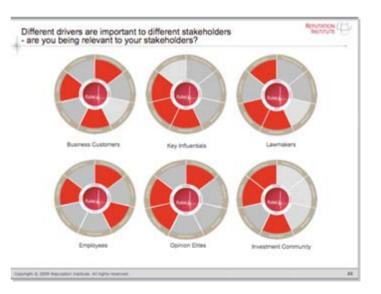
CEOs – Will the world admire my leadership?

Through a Systematic Approach, You Can Leverage Reputation as a Powerful Asset

- Reputation management is more than a list and a ranking.
- The **RepTrak[™] System** enables you:
 - Understand what your stakeholders want from you
 - How they perceive you today
 - What you can do to close the gaps to create support

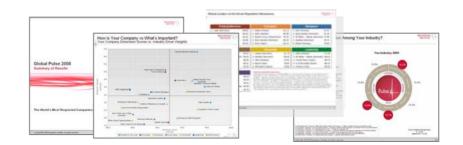


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Next Steps – 3 Ways to Better Understand Your Reputation

- Reputation Landscape engage with Reputation Institute (RI) to begin a Systematic Approach to reputation. Rely on existing information (RI's and yours) to: map your stakeholders, identify strengths, weaknesses, knowledge gaps, and develop a framework for ongoing Reputation Management
- Stakeholder-Specific Deep Dive identify a stakeholder that is critical to your business and analyze using the power of the full RepTrak[™] model to develop actionable insights into drivers of reputation and supportive behavior (combine with sales data for Rate of Return analysis)
- 3. Access the Global Pulse Study purchase a custom Reputation Pulse Report:
 - Get your company-specific results identifying dimension strengths and weaknesses over time as well as verbatim consumer suggestions
 - Map your reputation against global leaders in your industry and selected benchmarks
 - See industry-specific drivers and trend data
 - Understand the value of your current reputation and the potential impact of change
 - Start the internal dialogue about building a reputation system



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Methodology and Respondents Profile



The Global Reputation Pulse Study Measures Corporate Reputations Worldwide

The Global Reputation Pulse 2009 is the fourth annual study of the reputations of the World's Largest Companies. The study was developed by Reputation Institute to provide executives with a high-level overview of their company's reputation with consumers. The Global Reputation Pulse 2009 questionnaire is a 10 minute online survey that invites respondents to describe their perceptions of companies in their home market.

Global Respondents Profile

A total of 191,072 ratings were obtained from a global sample of 73,177 online members of the general public.

Ratings are statistically significant at a 95% confidence level with a margin of error +/- 0.5. In other words, companies within countries have significantly different results when their Reputation Pulse is greater than 0.5 points apart.

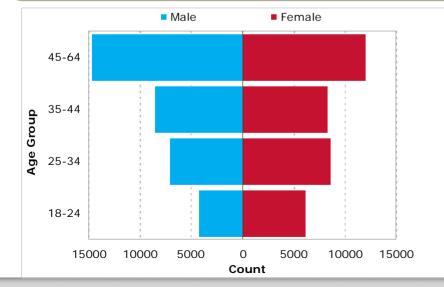
Respondents distribution was balanced to the country population on age and gender.

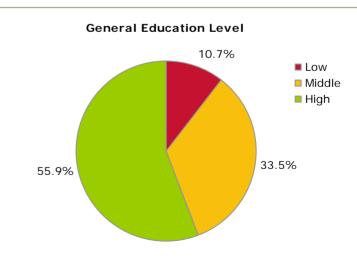


The Global Reputation Pulse 2009 was conducted online in all countries, except South Africa. The Global Pulse is a measure of corporate reputation calculated by averaging perceptions of 4 indicators of trust, esteem, admiration, and good feeling obtained from a representative sample of at least 100 local respondents who were familiar with the company. All Global Reputation Pulse scores are standardized on both the country and global level. Scores range from a low of 0 to a high of 100.

Companies Selected for Inclusion in the 2009 Global Reputation Pulse Study Met the Following Criteria:

- 1. They were the largest companies in their country of origin based on the most recent record of their total revenues.
- 2. They engaged in commercial activities were not purely investment trusts or holding companies.
- 3. They were not wholly-owned subsidiaries of another foreign company.
- If they were large business-to-business companies, they were only included if they had reasonably high familiarity to the public.





All Scores are Standardized



Global Reputation Pulse Scores - Standardized and Comparable

Market research shows that people are inclined to rate companies more or less favorably in different countries, or when they are asked questions directly or online. When asked in a personal interview, for example, it's known that people tend to give a company higher ratings than when they are asked by phone, or when they are asked to answer questions about the company online. This is a well-established source of 'systematic bias'. Another source of systematic bias comes from national culture --in some countries, people are universally more positive in their responses than in other countries. In statistical terms, it means that the entire distribution of scores in a 'positive' country is artificially 'shifted' because of this propensity for people in that country to give higher ratings to all companies, good or bad. The distribution of scores in that country may also be more 'spread out' than in another because people have more information and are able to make more subtle differences between companies.

To overcome these sources of systematic bias, Reputation Institute's policy is to adjust reputation scores by standardizing them against the aggregate distribution of all scores obtained from the RI's annual Global Reputation Pulse study. Standardization has the effect of lowering scores in countries where consumers tend to over-rate companies, and has the effect of raising scores for companies in countries in which consumers tend to rate companies more negatively.

Two Adjustments are Made for Every Global Reputation Pulse Score

Reputation Institute uses its cumulative database of reputation scores measured internationally to carry out two adjustments:

1) **Country Adjustment**: All scores derived from surveys are standardized by subtracting the country mean and dividing by the standard deviation of all known scores previously obtained in that country. In statistical terms, this adjustment 'normalizes' the distribution of scores in the country to a mean of 0 and a standard deviation of 1, producing a 'z-score' for the company.

2) **Global Adjustment**: A global mean and standard deviation are calculated from all of the country-adjusted ratings. A Global Reputation Pulse score is scaled back by multiplying each company's z-score by the global standard deviation and adding back the global mean. The resulting number is the Global Reputation Pulse or Dimension score that is reported.

As additional global research comes in, Reputation Institute regularly updates the country and global distributions that are used to create our standardized RepTrak scores. All RepTrak results are therefore comparable across industries, countries, and over time.

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3M (U.S.) A.P. Møller-Maersk (Denmark) ABB (Switzerland) Abbott Laboratories (U.S.) Acciona (Spain) Acer (Taiwan) ACS Group (Spain) Adecco (Switzerland) Aegon (Netherlands) AEON (Japan) Aeroflot (Russia) AES (U.S.) Aetna (U.S.) Aflac (U.S.) Agricultural Bank of China (China) Ahold (Netherlands) AIG (U.S.) Air China Group (China) Air France-KLM (France) Airbus (France) Akbank (Turkey) Alcoa (U.S.) ALDI (Germany) Alfa (Mexico) Allianz (Germany) Allied Irish Banks (Ireland) Allstate (U.S.) Altria (U.S.) Amazon.com (U.S.) America Movil (Mexico) American Airlines (U.S.) American Electric (U.S.) American Express (U.S.) Amgen (U.S.) Anglo American (South Africa) Anglo American (U.K.) ANZ (Australia) Apple (U.S.) Archer Daniels Midland (U.S.) AstraZeneca (U.K.)

Asustek Computer Inc. (Taiwan) AT&T (U.S.) AutoNation (U.S.) Aux Group (China) Aviva (U.K.) Avtovaz (Russia) AXA Insurance (France) BAE Systems (U.K.) Bailain Group (China) Baltika (Russia) Banco do Brasil (Brazil) Banco Itaú (Brazil) Banco Popolare (Italy) Banco Santander (Spain) Bank Austria (Austria) Bank of America (U.S.) Bank of Baroda (India) Bank of China (China) Bank of Communications (China) Bank of Montreal (Canada) Bank of Moscow (Russia) Bank of New York Mellon (U.S.) Barclays (U.K.) BASF (Germany) Bayer (Germany) BBVA (Spain) Bell Canada (Canada) Berkshire Hathaway (U.S.) Bertelsmann (Germany) Best Buy (U.S.) Bharat Heavy Electricals (India) Bharat Petroleum (BPCL) (India) Bharti Airtel . (India) BHP Billiton (Australia) BHP Billiton (U.K.) Bidvest (South Africa) BMW (Germany) BNP Paribas (France) Boeing (U.S.) Bombardier (Canada)

Bosideng (China) Bouygues (France) BP (U.K.) Bradesco (Brazil) Brasil Telecom (Brazil) Braskem (Brazil) Bridgestone (Japan) Brightfood Group (China) Brilliance Automobile (China) Bristol-Myers Squibb (U.S.) BT (U.K.) BNSF Railway (U.S.) Camargo Corrêa (Brazil) Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (Canada) Canara Bank (India) Canon (Japan) Capital One Financial (U.S.) Cardinal Health (U.S.) Carrefour (France) Casas Bahia (Brazil) Casino Groupe (France) Caterpillar (U.S.) CBS Broadcasting (U.S.) Cemex (Mexico) Cemig (Brazil) Cencosud (Chile) Centres E. Leclerc (France) Centrica (U.K.) Cepsa (Spain) CFE (Mexico) Changhong (China) Charoen Pokphand Group (Thailand) Chennai Petroleum Corporation (India) Cherry Auto (China) Chevron (U.S.) China Construction Bank (CCB) (China) China Eastern Airline (China) China Faw (China) China Guangsha (China) China Life Insurance (China)

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China Merchants Bank (China) China Minsheng Bank (China) China Mobile (China) China OCT (China) China Southern Airline (China) China Telecom (China) Christian Dior (France) Chubb (U.S.) Chubu Electric Power (Japan) CIC (China) CIGNA (U.S.) Cisco (U.S.) CITGO (U.S.) CITIC (China) Citigroup (U.S.) CNC (China) CNP Assurances (France) Coca-Cola Company (U.S.) Codelco (Chile) COFCO (China) Colgate-Palmolive (U.S.) Comcast (U.S.) Commerzbank (Germany) Commonwealth Bank of Australia (Australia) Compal Electronics (Taiwan) Computer Sciences Corporation (U.S.) ConocoPhillips (U.S.) Continental (Germany) Continental Airlines (U.S.) Controladora Comercial Mexicana (Mexico) Coop (Italy) (Italy) Copec (Chile) Cosmo Oil (Japan) Costco Wholesale (U.S.) Couche-Tard (Canada) CPIC (China) Credit Agricole (France) Credit Suisse (Switzerland) CRH (Ireland) CSN (Brazil)

CVS Caremark (U.S.) Daihatsu Motor (Japan) Dai-Ichi Mutual Life Insurance (Japan) Daimler (Germany) Danske Bank (Denmark) Delhaize (Belgium) Dell (U.S.) Delta Air Lines (U.S.) Denso (Japan) Deutsche Bahn (Germany) Deutsche Bank (Germany) Deutsche Lufthansa (Germany) Deutsche Post (Germany) Deutsche Telekom (Germany) Dexia (Belgium) DirecTV (U.S.) Dogan Group (Turkey) Dongfeng Motor (China) Dow Chemical (U.S.) DuPont (U.S.) E.ON (Germany) East Japan Railway (Japan) Edeka Zentrale (Germany) EDF (France) EDISON (Italy) EDP - Energias de Portugal (Portugal) El Corte Inglés (Spain) El Puerto De Liverpool (Mexico) Elektra (Mexico) Eletropaulo (Brazil) Eli Lilly (U.S.) Embraer (Brazil) Emerson Electric (U.S.) EnCana (Canada) Endesa (Spain) Enel (Italy) Eni (Italy) ERG (Italy) ERGO Insurance (Germany) Ericsson (Sweden)

Erste Bank (Austria) Eureko (the Netherlands) Eurobank Efg (Greece) Exxon Mobil (U.S.) FCC (Fomento de Construcciones y Contratas) (Spain) FedEx (U.S.) FEMSA (Mexico) Ferrero (Italy) Ferrovial (Spain) FGC UES (Russia) Fiat (Italy) Fondiaria-SAI (Italy) Ford (U.S.) Ford Otomotiv Sanavi (Turkev) Formosa Petrochemi (Taiwan) Fortis (Belgium) Fortis (the Netherlands) FPL GROUP (Florida Power & Light) (U.S.) France Telecom (France) Franz Haniel (CELESIO) (Germany) Fujifilm (Japan) Fujitsu (Japan) GAIL (India) (India) Galanz (China) Galp Energia (Portugal) Gap (U.S.) Garanti Bank (Turkey) Gazprom (Russia) GDF (France) General Dynamics (U.S.) General Electric (U.S.) General Mills (U.S.) General Motors (U.S.) Generali Group (Italy) George Weston Limited (Weston) (Canada) Gerdau (Brazil) Ghuangzhou Pharma (China) GlaxoSmithKline (U.K.) Goldman Sachs (U.S.) Gome (China)

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Goodyear (U.S.) Google (U.S.) Grasim Industries (India) Groupama (France) Grupo Bimbo (Mexico) Grupo Financiero Banorte (Mexico) Grupo Maseca (Mexico) Grupo Modelo (Mexico) GS Holdings (South Korea) Guangdong Development Bank (China) Guangzhou Automobile (China) Haci Omer Sabanci Holding (Turkey) Haier (China) Hainan Airline (China) Halliburton (U.S.) HCL Infosystems (India) Hellenic Petroleum (Greece) Hess (U.S.) Hewlett-Packard (U.S.) Hindalco Industries (India) Hindustan Petroleum (India) Hindustan Unilever (India) Hisense (China) Hitachi (Japan) Holcim (Switzerland) Home Depot (U.S.) Hon Hai Precision Industry (Taiwan) Honda Motor (Japan) Honeywell International (U.S.) Hongdou (China) Hongta Tobacco (China) Hongyun (China) Hospital Corporation of America (HCA) (U.S.) HSBC (U.K.) Huawei (China) Humana (U.S.) Hydro (Norway) HypoVereinskBank (Germany) Hvundai (South Korea) Iberdrola (Spain)

IBM (U.S.) Kohl's (U.S.) ICBC-Industrial and Comm Bank of China (Chir Kookmin Bank (South Korea) ICICI Bank (India) Kraft Foods (U.S.) Idemitsu Kosan (Japan) Kroaer (U.S.) Ikea (Sweden) KT (South Korea) Indian Oil (IOC) (India) La Poste (France) Inditex (Zara) (Spain) LALA (Mexico) Industrial Bank (China) Landesbank Baden-Wurttemberg (Germany) Infosys Technologies (India) Larsen & Toubro (India) ING (Netherlands) Legal & General (U.K.) Intel (U.S.) Legend Holdings (China) Intermarche (France) LG Electronics (South Korea) International Paper (U.S.) Liberty Mutual Insurance (U.S.) Intesa San Paolo (Italy) Llovds Tsb (U.K.) Inventec (Taiwan) Lockheed Martin (U.S.) IRPC (Thailand) L'Oreal (France) Lowe's (Home Improvement) (U.S.) ISUZU Motors (Japan) Italmobiliare (Italy) Lukoil (Russia) LVMH Group (Moët Hennessy - Louis Vuitton) (France) ITC Limited (India) JAC Motors (China) Macy's (U.S.) Magnitogorsk Iron and Steel Works OAO (Russia) Japan Airlines (Japan) Japan Post Holdings (Japan) Mahindra & Mahindra (India) Japan Tobacco (Japan) Manpower (U.S.) JC Penney (U.S.) Manulife (Canada) John Deere (U.S.) Mapfre (Spain) Johnson & Johnson (U.S.) Marathon Oil (U.S.) JPMorgan Chase (U.S.) Maruti Udyog (Suzuki) (India) JSW Steel (India) Matsushita Electric Industrial (Japan) Mazda Motor (Japan) Kamaz (Russia) Kansai Electric Power Co. (KEPCO) (Japan) McDonald's (U.S.) KBC (Belgium) McKesson (U.S.) KDDI (Japan) Medco Health Solutions (U.S.) KEPCO - Korea Electric Power (South Korea) Medtronic (U.S.) KFW Bankengruppe (Germany) Meijer (U.S.) Kia Motor (South Korea) Mengniu (China) Mercadona (Spain) Kimberly-Clark (U.S.) Kirin Holdings Company (Japan) Merck (U.S.) Koc Holding (Turkey) MetLife (U.S.) Koch USA (U.S.) Metro (Germany) KOGAS - Korea Gas Corporation (South Korea) Michelin (France)

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Microsoft (U.S.) Midea Group (China) Mitsubishi Electric (Japan) Mitsubishi Motors (Japan) Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group (Japan) Mizuho (Japan) Monte Dei Paschi Siena (Italy) Morgan Stanley (U.S.) Motorola (U.S.) MTS (Russia) Murphy Oil (U.S.) National Australia Bank (Australia) National Bank Of Greece (Greece) National Grid (U.K.) NEC Corp. (Japan) Nestlé (Switzerland) New China Life (China) New Hope Group (China) News Corporation (U.S.) Nike (U.S.) Nintendo (Japan) Nippon Express (Japan) Nippon Life Insurance (Japan) Nippon Oil (Japan) Nippon Telegraph & Telephone (NTT) (Japan) Nissan (Japan) NLMK (Russia) Nokia (Finland) Nordea (Sweden) Norilsk Nickel (Russia) Northrop Grumman (U.S.) Novartis (Switzerland) Occidental Petroleum (U.S.) Odebrecht (Brazil) Office Depot (U.S.) Oi (Brazil) Oil & Natural Gas Corp (India) OMV (Austria) ONEOK (U.S.) Oracle (U.S.)

Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U.S.) Pão de Açúcar (Brazil) PEMEX (Mexico) PepsiCo (U.S.) Petrobras (Brazil) Petro-Canada (Canada) Petrol Ofisi (Turkev) Peugeot (France) Pfizer (U.S.) Philips (Netherlands) PICC (China) PIK Group (trademark KuPIKvartiru) (Russia) Pingan Life Insurance (China) Pirelli (Italy) Portugal Telecom (Portugal) POSCO (South Korea) Poste Italiane (Italy) Power Corp. (Canada) PPR - Pinault Printemps Redoute (France) Procter & Gamble (U.S.) Progressive (U.S.) Prudential (U.K.) Prudential (U.S.) PTT (Thailand) Public Power Corporation (Greece) Publix Super Markets (U.S.) Punjab National Bank (India) Qantas (Australia) Quanta Computer (Taiwan) Qwest Communications (U.S.) Raiffeisen Group (Switzerland) Raytheon (U.S.) Reliance Group (India) Renault (France) Repsol (Spain) Ricoh (Japan) Rio Tinto (U.K.) Rite Aid (U.S.) Robert Bosch (Germany) Roche (Switzerland)

Rosneft (Russia) Royal Bank of Canada (Canada) Royal Bank Of Scotland (U.K.) Rusal (Russia) RWE (Germany) RZD (Russia) SAB Miller (South Africa) SAB Miller (U.K.) Sadia (Brazil) Safeway (U.S.) Sainsbury (U.K.) Samsung C&T (South Korea) Samsung Electronics (South Korea) Sanofi-Aventis (France) SANYO Electric (Japan) Sasol (South Africa) Sberbank (Russia) Schwarz Group (Lidl) (Germany) Scotiabank - Bank of Nova Scotia (Canada) Scottish & Southern Energy (U.K.) Sears (U.S.) Seven & I Holdings (Japan) Severstal (Russia) Shandong Liuhe (China) Shanghai Automobile Industry Group (China) Shanghai Greenland Group (China) Shanghai Pudong Development Bank (China) Shanghai Tobacco (China) Sharp (Japan) Shell (the Netherlands) Shell (U.K.) Shinhan Financial Group (South Korea) Shuanghui (China) Siam Cement (Thailand) Siemens (Germany) Singapore Airlines (Singapore) SingTel - Singapore Telecommunications (Singapore) SK Holdings (South Korea) SNCF (France) Societe Generale (France)

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Softbank Corp (Japan) S-Oil (South Korea) Sompo Japan (Japan) Sony (Japan) SORIANA (Mexico) Southern Company (U.S.) Sprint Nextel (U.S.) Standard Bank (South Africa) Staples (U.S.) State Bank of India (India) State Farm Insurance (U.S.) StatoilHydro (Norway) Sterlite Industries (India) Stora Enso (Finland) SUEZ (France) Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group (Japan) Sun Life Financial (Canada) Suning (China) Sunoco (U.S.) SunTrust Banks (U.S.) Supervalu (U.S.) Surgutneftegas (Russia) Suzuki Motor (Japan) Taiping Life (China) Talanx (Germany) Target (U.S.) Tata (India) Tatneft (Russia) TCL (China) Telecom Italia (Italy) Telefónica (Spain) Telenor (Norway) Televisa (Mexico) Telmex (Mexico) Telstra (Australia) Tengelmann (Germany) Tesco (U.K.) Texas Instruments (U.S.) Textron (U.S.) Thai Airways (Thailand)

Thai Oil (Thailand) The Hartford Financial Services Group (U.S.) ThyssenKrupp (Germany) Tiens (China) Time Warner (U.S.) TJX Companies (U.S.) TNK BP (Russia) Tohoku Electric Power (Japan) Tokio Marine (Japan) Tokyo Electric Power Company (Japan) Tongwei (China) Toronto-Dominion Bank (TD) (Canada) Toshiba (Japan) TOTAL (France) Toyota (Japan) Toys 'R' Us (U.S.) Travelers (U.S.) TUI (Germany) Tukive Is Bankasi (Turkev) Tupras-Turkiye Petrol (Turkey) Turkcell (Turkey) Tyco International Ltd. . (U.S.) Tyson Foods (U.S.) UBS (Switzerland) Unibanco (Brazil) Unicredit Group (Italy) Unilever (the Netherlands) Unilever (U.K.) Union Pacific Railroad (U.S.) Unione Di Banche Italiane (Italy) Unipol (Italy) Uni-President Enterprise Co. (Taiwan) United Airlines (U.S.) United Technologies (U.S.) UnitedHealth Group (U.S.) UPS (U.S.) US Bancorp (U.S.) US Postal Service (U.S.) Usiminas (Brazil) Vale (Brazil)

Valero Energy (U.S.) Vanke (China) Veolia Environnement (France) Verizon Communications (U.S.) Viacom (U.S.) Vimpel Communications (Russia) Vivendi (France) Vodafone-Panafon (U.K.) Voestalpine (Austria) Volkswagen (Germany) Volvo bilar (Sweden) Votorantim (Brazil) VTB Bank (Russia) Wahaha (China) Walgreen (U.S.) Wal-Mart (U.S.) Walt Disney Company (U.S.) WellPoint (U.S.) Wells Fargo (U.S.) Westfarmers (Australia) Westpac (Australia) Weyhaeuser (U.S.) Whirlpool (U.S.) Will-Bill-Dann Foods (Russia) William Morrison Supermarkets (U.K.) Wilmar International (China) Wilmar International (Singapore) Wipro (India) Wolseley (U.K.) Woolworths (Australia) Wuliangye Group (China) Wumart (China) Wyeth (U.S.) Xerox (U.S.) Yamada Denki (Japan) Yili (China) Youngor (China) Yurun Group (China) ZTE (China) Zurich Financial Services (Switzerland)

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