

Business and Economic Resources

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Newspapers/ Online News/ Magazines

These can be a good source of secondary information, always check sources of facts. International, national and local.

In Print:

Daily Newspapers: *The Irish Times*, *The Guardian*, *Irish Independent*

The Economist

Harvard Business Review

Fortune Magazine

Time Magazine

Online

- Financial Times: <http://www.FT.com>
- The Economist <http://www.economist.com>
- Irish Independent Business <https://www.independent.ie/business/>
- Irish Times Business <https://www.irishtimes.com/business>

International

<http://www.onlinenewspapers.com/>

<https://libraries.dlrcoco.ie/online-library/read-newspapers-online> - you need to be a member of Dun Laoghaire library to access

National

Irish Newspaper Archive: (www.irishnewsarchive.com)

Irish Times Archive (www.irishtimes.com)

Local

National Library of Ireland Newspaper Database

<http://www.nli.ie/en/catalogues-and-databases-printed-newspapers.aspx>



Websites/Search Engines

General

- **Google Scholar:** <https://scholar.google.com/> Scholarly articles (not always full text access)
- **Scoilnet** <http://www.scoilnet.ie> Run by the Department of Education and Skills where you can browse resources by topic and subject.

Business/ Economics

- **RePEc: Research Papers in Economics:** <http://repec.org/>
A database of economics-related working papers, journal articles, books, books chapters and software components.
- **National Bureau for Economic Research:** publishes research on economics in the form of working papers <https://nber.org/>
- **BBC World News: Business Daily**
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p002vsxs>
- RTE News Business <https://www.rte.ie/news/business/>
- **Channel 4 News Business** <https://www.channel4.com/news/business>
- **BBC News Business** <https://www.bbc.com/news/business>
- **Enterprise Ireland** <https://www.enterprise-ireland.com/en/> Government organization responsible for and development of Irish enterprises in World markets
- **Citizens Information**
https://www.citizensinformation.ie/en/employment/types_of_employment/self_employment/setting_up_a_business_in_ireland.html How to set up a business
- **BBC Bitesize Business** <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zpsvr82>
- **BBC Bitesize Business Management** <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zw26n39>

Repositories:

Repositories are the intellectual output of an institution, this can include white papers, journal articles and Master's & PhD Theses.

- **Rian** <http://rian.ie/> (Irish Research publications – from Institutional Repositories)
- **DART Europe** <http://www.dart-europe.eu> (European E-theses portal)
- Each individual University in Ireland has their own individual repositories.



Ireland

- **Central Statistics Office (CSO):** <http://www.cso.ie>
Databases including StatBank; Census of Population, Agriculture and several other public sector areas. Includes statistical databases from International Organizations such as Eurostat, ECB, OECD, UNECE, UNSC, & IMF.
- **Department of Finance:** <http://www.finance.gov.ie/>
Guidelines, reports, statistical information, and the Department's monthly Economic Bulletin.
- **ESRI (Economic & Social Research Institute):** <http://www.esri.ie/>
A leading European research centre in the social sciences focusing on economic and social change in Ireland

European

- **Eurostat:** <http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat>
The Statistical Office of the European Union. Provides high-quality statistical information on the EU Member states. Data is charged for but some key indicator snapshots are free to view.
- **UK Data Archive (UKDA):** <http://www.data-archive.ac.uk/>
Contains the largest collection of digital data in the Social Sciences and Humanities in the U.K

International

- **International Statistical Agency:** <https://www.bls.gov/bls/other.htm>
Compiled by the US Department of Labor. Useful starting point for finding further data on specific countries.
- **Global Economic Monitor:**
<http://www.worldbank.org/en/research/brief/economic-monitoring>
A portal for analysis of current economic trends, and economic and financial indicators. It features up-to-date analysis on global economic conditions with daily briefs, datasets via Quick Query, commodity prices and main macroeconomic indicators for over 130 countries.
- **Global Forecasting Unit:** <http://gfs.eiu.com/>
From the Economist Intelligence Unit, a market-leading forecasting tool for the world economy. It predicts and explains the key issues and trends in important developed and emerging markets, spelling out their implications for business and the world economy over the next five years.