

Top 50 Illinois Foundations by Assets, circa 2005

Foundation Name	Foundation Type ¹	Assets	Fiscal Date
1. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IN	\$5,490,449,000	12/31/2005
2. The Chicago Community Trust	CM	1,503,994,247	9/30/2005
3. The Joyce Foundation	IN	892,492,212	12/31/2005
4. Terra Foundation for the Arts	OP	429,232,056	6/30/2004
5. The Spencer Foundation	IN	411,018,768	3/31/2005
6. Polk Bros. Foundation, Inc.	IN	387,169,673	8/31/2005
7. Pritzker Foundation	IN	334,092,615	12/31/2004
8. The Clara Abbott Foundation	IN	274,447,766	12/31/2004
9. Arie and Ida Crown Memorial	IN	262,850,484	12/31/2004
10. Prince Charitable Trusts	IN	182,251,458	12/31/2004
11. Dr. Scholl Foundation	IN	170,428,674	12/31/2005
12. Lloyd A. Fry Foundation	IN	168,649,397	6/30/2005
13. The Retirement Research Foundation	IN	165,060,129	12/31/2005
14. The Coleman Foundation, Inc.	IN	157,066,582	12/31/2005
15. The Irving Harris Foundation	IN	153,596,227	12/31/2004
16. Dr. Ralph and Marian Falk Medical Research Trust	IN	152,900,071	11/30/2005
17. The Oprah Winfrey Foundation	IN	140,321,830	12/31/2004
18. Gaylord and Dorothy Donnelley Foundation	IN	140,003,213	12/31/2004
19. Alphawood Foundation	IN	136,084,139	2/28/2006
20. Howard G. Buffett Foundation	IN	129,950,979	12/31/2005
21. Davee Foundation	IN	129,871,161	12/31/2005
22. Illinois Children's Healthcare Foundation	IN	129,684,632	12/31/2005
23. Frank E. Payne and Seba B. Payne Foundation	IN	125,317,239	6/30/2005
24. Helen Brach Foundation	IN	122,361,458	3/31/2006
25. Abbott Laboratories Fund	CS	121,826,609	12/31/2005
26. Joseph and Bessie Feinberg Foundation	IN	121,670,214	10/31/2005
27. Grand Victoria Foundation	CS	118,765,585	12/31/2005
28. Michael Reese Health Trust	IN	109,628,378	6/30/2005
29. Westlake Health Foundation	IN	105,340,242	12/31/2005
30. The Offield Family Foundation	IN	101,000,616	6/30/2004
31. The Brinson Foundation	IN	97,370,571	12/31/2004
32. Circle of Service Foundation	IN	95,745,259	12/31/2005
33. Blum-Kovler Foundation	IN	92,630,380	12/31/2004
34. Searle Freedom Trust	IN	90,877,336	12/31/2005
35. The Arthur Foundation	IN	88,527,621	12/31/2004
36. Community Memorial Foundation	IN	86,038,181	12/31/2004
37. Dillon Foundation	IN	85,900,701	10/31/2005
38. Rice Foundation	IN	84,346,365	12/31/2005
39. The Regenstein Foundation	IN	75,171,237	12/31/2004
40. Tyndale House Foundation	IN	74,439,127	12/31/2004
41. Souers Charitable Trust	IN	74,399,593	12/31/2005
42. Motorola Foundation	CS	71,908,153	12/31/2005
43. Helen M. Galvin Charitable Trust	IN	69,672,592	12/31/2005
44. Wm. Wrigley Jr. Company Foundation	CS	67,443,792	12/31/2005
45. Woods Fund of Chicago	IN	67,268,475	12/31/2004
46. Ted Hanson Family Foundation	IN	66,111,001	6/30/2006
47. Chauncey and Marion Deering McCormick Foundation	IN	61,323,507	7/31/2005
48. Elizabeth Morse Genius Charitable Trust	IN	60,483,589	11/30/2004
49. George M. Eisenberg Foundation for Charities	IN	60,232,705	12/31/2005
50. The Richard H. Driehaus Foundation	IN	58,561,854	12/31/2004

Source: The Foundation Center, 2007.

¹IN = Independent Foundation; CM = Community Foundation; CS = Corporate Foundation; OP = Operating Foundation

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