

Foundations Issuing Publications and Maintaining Web Sites by Region and Geographic Focus, 2009 (*New Criteria)

	No. of Foundations ¹	No. Issuing Publications	%	No. Issuing Annual Reports	%	No. Maintaining Web Sites	%
Total Surveyed Foundations	11,617	3,386	29.1	1,509	13	3,035	26.1
Region							
Northeast	3,630	909	25	378	10.4	829	22.8
Midwest	2,719	925	34	494	18.2	782	28.8
South	3,025	878	29	353	11.7	731	24.2
West	2,238	673	30.1	283	12.6	690	30.8
Geographic Orientation							
Local	10,377	2,976	28.7	1,354	13	2,575	24.8
National or Regional	1,240	410	33.1	155	12.5	460	37.1

Source: The Foundation Center, 2009.

*Figures include only foundations that receive the Foundation Center's annual Foundation Directory survey. The survey sample includes the top 1,000 foundations based on total giving; all corporate and community foundations; all PRI providers and celebrity foundations; prior survey respondents and foundations that provide information on their activities directly to the Center; and additional foundations ranked among the top 10,000 based on total giving.

¹Total figures includes 5 foundations based in U.S. territories.

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