

FOOTWEAR INDUSTRY GUIDE

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Directories

Gebbie press: All –in-One Directory 2010 (Gebbie Press) [(B) DIR 338.761070572025 BUS]

The directory contains a publications index, a listing of publications by Industry sector and includes Footwear and Leather goods.

Docca: The Directory of Country Clothing, Footwear and Accessories 2009-2010 (Alibi Publishing Ltd) [(B) DIR 338.768702541 BUS]

This directory contains a list of businesses and organisations engaged in country trade. Lists retailers and suppliers and includes an index to brands.

Fashion Monitor - News and Events [April 2007] (The Profile Group) [(B) DIR 338.47391 BUS]

Contains fashion & beauty industry news, consultancy contacts for fashion and beauty brands including footwear, fashion stylists and make-up artists, UK and overseas media contacts, UK press contacts and dates for UK and overseas fashion events.

SHE: The Essential Guide to Safety, Health, Environment 2004 (Western Business Publishing) [(B) DIR 2004 AA 683 BUS]

The directory covers health and safety and UK suppliers of equipment including footwear. The directory also lists a product locator and useful contacts.

The Textile Institute Annual Directory and Review 2003 (Atalink Ltd) [(B) DIR AA 702 BUS]

Covers geographical indices of company patron members and individual members of the Chartered Institute for Textiles, Clothing and Footwear, also supplies news and features.

Business Advice Sources

British Footwear Association – SOU100/ February 2007 COBRA [Available on electronic resource]

The BFA represents British based footwear brands and manufacturers providing advice on health and safety, environmental, consumer and trade laws.

Textile Institute – SOU180 May 2007 COBRA [Available on electronic resource]
The Textile Institute promotes the development of sectors associated with textiles, clothing and footwear.

Footwear (Indication of Composition) Labelling Regulations 1995 –LEG170 July 2008 COBRA
[Available on electronic resource]
The report contains vital information regarding labelling requirements.

Designer Shoe shop – MBP404 September 2009 COBRA [Available on electronic resource]
Covers marketing and trading issues, also supplies sources of further information.

Shoe Shop – BOP218 January 2010 COBA [Available on electronic resource]
Covers legislation, trading and marketing issues. Also provides information on the necessary qualifications and skills which are required.

Market Research and Statistic's

Business ratio report: The footwear industry 2010
Key Note 2010 29th edition [(B) MKT 338.436853 BUS]
Contains company information and profiles, retailing, wholesale trading and distribution.

Sports market [Market Review] 2010
Key Note 2010 13^h edition [(B) MKT 338.47796094105 BUS]
Contains company information from the footwear and sportswear industry.
[Available on electronic resource]

Business ratio report: the sports equipment industry 2010
Key Note 2010 32nd edition [(B) MKT 338.4368876094105 BUS]
Contains company information, corporate performance and ranking for the footwear and sportswear industry.

Clothing & footwear industry 2010 [Market Review]
Key Note 2010 13^h edition [(B) MKT 338.47687 BUS]
Includes company information, retailing, brands, footwear, sportswear, distribution and corporate performance. [Available on electronic resource]

UK Footwear Retailers 2010: Stepping into a new era of competition April 2010. Contains market analysis, company data analysis and company overviews. [Available on Verdict electronic resource]

UK Consumer Insight 2010: Clarks Footwear March 2010. Provides details of Clarks' share of shoppers, shopper and demographic profiles, loyalty and competition. [Available on Verdict electronic resource]

UK Consumer Insight 2010: Marks and Spencer Footwear March 2010. Provides information on the share of shoppers, shopper and demographic profiles, loyalty and competition. [Available on Verdict electronic resource]

UK Consumer Insight 2010: New Look. March 2010. Provides information on the share of shoppers, shopper and demographic profiles, loyalty and competition. [Available on Verdict electronic resource]

UK Consumer Insight 2010: JD Sports Footwear. March 2010. Provides information on JD Sports Footwear's share of shoppers, shopper and demographic profiles, loyalty and competition. [Available on Verdict electronic resource]

UK Consumer Satisfaction Index 2010 Footwear January 2010. Verdict Research: Provides quantified information on satisfaction within the footwear industry. It also provides forecasts, analysis with information obtained from an annual survey. [Available on Verdict electronic resource]

Financial Survey Report: the footwear manufacturing industry 2009

(Key Note 2009 55th edition [(B) MKT 338.436853 BUS]

Financial survey report contains information on footwear distributors, and profiles for the footwear industry.

Footwear [Market Report plus] 2009

Key Note 2009 16th edition [(B) MKT 338.476853094105 BUS]

Contains company information, company profiles, brands and distribution etc. [Available on electronic resource]

Protective clothing & equipment [Market Report] 2009

Key Note 2009 7th edition [(B) MKT 338.4768716 BUS]

Contains information relating to footwear and health and safety, also provides company information and company profiles. [Available on electronic resource]

Sports clothing & footwear [Market Report] 2009

Key Note 2009 12th edition [(B) MKT 338.476870941 BUS]

Contains company information, company profiles, brands and distribution, retailing and sportswear information. [Available on electronic resource]

Financial survey report: footwear distributors 2009

Key Note 2009 35th edition [(B) MKT 381.456853 BUS]

Contains company information, company profiles and company performances from the footwear industry.

Financial survey report: the leather industry 2009

Key Note 2009 54^h edition [(B) MKT 338.43675094105 BUS]

Provides company information, company profiles, and corporate performance - Includes footwear industry.

UK footwear retailers 2009: Market heading for a major upheaval for specialists Verdict Research 2008 [(B) MKT 381.4568530941 BUS]

Provides Market analysis, company data analysis, outlook, company overview and market share for the footwear industry.

Consumer Satisfaction Index 2008 sector report: UK Footwear

Verdict Research 2008 [(B) MKT 381.453914130941 BUS]

Contains company information, company profiles and statistics from the footwear industry. [Available on electronic resource]

UK Retail Futures 2012 Clothing & footwear: annual forecasts to 2012

Verdict Research 2008 [(B) MKT 338.476870941 BUS]

Includes statistics, demographics, sales and marketing and distribution for the footwear industry. [Available on electronic resource]

UK Consumer Insights 2008: Brantano – Footwear Verdict Research Limited 2008

[(B) MKT 381.453914130941 BUS]

Provides consumers insight into the Brantano footwear company and contains a breakdown of share of shoppers by demographics and household. Also provides a profile of shoppers, covering customer loyalty and competition.

How Britain shops 2008: Footwear Verdict Research Limited 2008 [(B) MKT 381.453914130941 BUS]

Provides detailed information on consumer trends in footwear. Also contains executive summary, company profiles, table of contents and figures and conversion rates.

Retail review: British lifestyles UK [Special report] 2008 (Mintel March 2008)

[(B) MKT 381.10941 BUS]

Provides information on the retail industry including footwear. Covers key developments and innovations, profit, insight into trends, sales, issues in the market, company analysis, footwear retailers, and insights and opportunities.

Executive summary: Verdict forecasts Clothing & footwear 2007 Verdict 2007 [(B) MKT

338.476870941 BUS]

Provides information on market forecasts for the clothing and footwear industry.

Footwear retailers 2005, non-specialists' convenience- overcoming the challenge (Verdict Research,

2005) [(B) MKT 381.456853065 BUS] [Also available on electronic resource]

Provides market analysis, company data, smaller specialists and non-specialists of the footwear industry.

Trade Magazines and Newsletters

Footwear Business International (Satra, 1992 onwards) [(P) MR 04-E (4)] [Science 3]

Provides insight to the footwear market in particular countries and contains abstracts for major articles from general and trade journals.

American Shoemaking (Shoe Trade Publishing, 1984 onwards) [(P) MR 04-E (3)] [Science 3]

Provides information regarding the leather market and includes prices.

Footwear in Ireland (Futura Communications Ltd, 2000 onwards) [(P) MR 00-E (25)] [Science 3]

Provides information on Irish footwear including news on companies and products, shoe retailing and manufacturing.

Fashion Extras (Reflex Publishing, 1983 onwards) [Humanities P.443/488] [Must be ordered on the Integrated Catalogue]

Trade magazine for the fashion accessories and footwear industry. Covers luggage, handbags, shoes, boots, leather goods, bags, jewellery, travel goods, briefcases, hats, gloves, scarves, umbrellas, rainwear, sunglasses and materials.

Footprint: The journal of Independent footwear Retailers Association (IFRA, 1995 onwards)

[ZK.9.b.8686] [Must be ordered on the Integrated Catalogue]

This journal is written for owners of shoe shops. Covers all types of footwear including sports, children's, women's, men's, fashion, shoe care /cleaning. Includes information on accessories and new products and company news.

Out on a limb: Footwear and accessories (C1 Publishing, 2000 onwards) [(P) MR 00- E (23)]

[Science 3]

Contains new products report for men's and women's shoes, trainers, boots, sports footwear, handbags, sunglasses, gloves, travel bags and leather goods.

World Sports active wear: the international magazine for sports textiles and apparel (Textile Trade Publishing, 1995 onwards) [(P) MQ 71 – E (3)] [Science 3]

Includes information on sports clothing and footwear, particularly for outdoor sports (climbing, camping, walking, exploration, water sports, rowing, canoeing, skiing, snow boarding, and golf.) Also includes some news about other products.

Shoe Repairer (FSRS, 1999 onwards) [(P) MR 09 – E (1)] [Science 3]

Covers shoe repairs, shoe care, key cutting, engraving, shoe retailing and watch repairs. It also includes information on cleaning products and machinery

CWB: Childrenswear buyer (RAS Publishing Ltd, 1999 onwards) [(P) 513/2632] [Must be ordered on the Integrated Catalogue]

Provides information for retailers and wholesalers of children's clothing including school wear, baby clothes, accessories, footwear, bags and nightwear. Includes new products, promotions, shop and retailer profiles and chain stores.

SGB Sport and outdoor (Datateam Publishing Ltd) [(P) 338.47796094105-E (TBA) BUS] Last 4 years (2007-)

Formerly SGB Outdoor (AK 76 E3) Trade magazine for the sports equipment, clothing and footwear industry. Contains information on health and fitness equipment, leisurewear, sports retailers, company profiles, swimwear and new products. Also covers; football, tennis, rugby, athletics, running, hiking, cricket, golf and many other sports and leisure activities. Also available via website at: <http://www.sgb-sports.com>

SGB UK (Datateam Publishing Ltd) [(P) AK 83-E (19) BUS] 1999 onwards

Formerly Harpers Sports & Leisure – Incorporating; Sports Update. (Note: directory shelved at (B) AA 663) covers sports equipment and clothing, fitness equipment, sponsorship, sports footwear (trainers etc.)

Internet Sources

Independent Footwear Retailers' Association

Specifically aimed at helping members of the public throughout the UK and Republic of Ireland to seek quality, responsible and reliable shoe shops. Included is a directory, searchable by region. The shoe shops are members of the IFRA and agree to abide by a code of conduct.

<http://www.shoeshop.org.uk/>

British Footwear Association

Part of the site is available to non members and includes information about hard to find footwear. A guide to consumer rights and a directory of suppliers/designers. There is also a 'Knowledge Area' which provides answers to frequently answered questions and gives some marketing statistics.

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

British Companies

This site contains information on footwear. Provides lists of governing bodies/institutions/associations, top companies. Also provides lists of retailers, large sized shoe specialists, footwear manufacturers/wholesalers and importers. (Please note that some of the lists which can be compiled will be charged for.)

<http://www.britishcompanies.co.uk/>

Children's Foot Health Register

Companies which become members are committed to the highest standard of shoe fitting for young growing feet. The site provides a list of members searchable by area. There is also information about the way in which children's feet develop.

<http://www.shoe-shop.org.uk/>

KFAT

KFAT is the knitwear, footwear, and textiles workers' union. Its membership includes non-production staff like managers, administrators and designers. Included on the web site are news items, up-dates on campaigns and projects, information about rights at work and industry briefings.

<http://www.poptel.org.uk/kfat/>

SATRA Technology Centre

This web site contains technical articles, industry reports, news items and information about SATRA products and services, courses and publications.

www.satra.co.uk

Shoeworld.com

This website covers a wide range of topics including size charts, companies providing online shopping services, information and tips on fashion and the right type of shoe to wear, reading lists, UK footwear schools, industry predictions, world wide events, links to related databases and share prices.

<http://www.shoeworld.com>

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