

Featured Resources for Faculty of Applied Sciences & Textiles

From time to time, researchers and students of Institute of Textiles and Clothing seek information on the global apparel market and financial performance of listed companies in the fashion business. Our Library subscribes to the following e-resources that are widely used by academics and commercial practitioners to gather critical information:

Passport (formerly Global Market Information Database)

It gives us comprehensive analysis on market size and market shares of consumer products, consumer trends across almost all countries. There are categories of industry on apparel, menswear, women's clothing, footwear, etc.

Footwear in China
Category Briefing | 16 May 2013

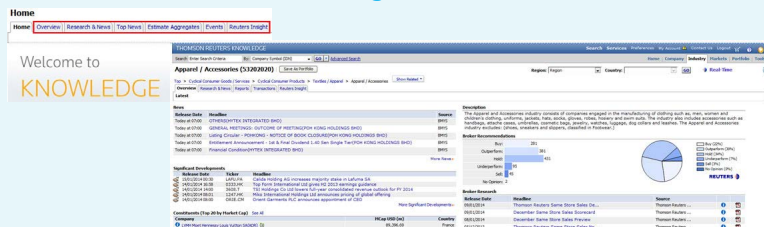
CATEGORY DATA
Table 1 Sales of Footwear by Category, Volume 2007-2012

| Category | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 |
|---------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Children's Footwear | 439.7 | 472.8 | 503.4 | 527.6 | 554.0 | 584.5 |
| Men's Footwear | 585.9 | 660.7 | 724.9 | 770.1 | 821.0 | 868.7 |
| Women's Footwear | 967.4 | 1,074.8 | 1,170.8 | 1,272.8 | 1,373.5 | 1,476.5 |
| Footwear | 1,993.1 | 2,208.3 | 2,399.1 | 2,570.4 | 2,748.6 | 2,929.7 |

Table 2 Sales of Footwear by Category Value 2007-2012

| Category | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 |
|---------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Children's Footwear | 22,400.9 | 23,268.3 | 24,007.3 | 25,096.5 | 25,438.6 | 26,595.8 |
| Men's Footwear | 65,428.5 | 71,368.6 | 76,866.9 | 84,862.4 | 95,079.9 | 104,587.9 |

Thomson Reuters Knowledge



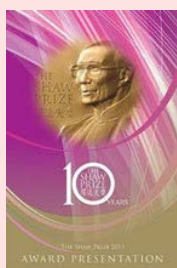
It is a global investment information and analytics database, providing historical fundamental data, financial ratios, consensus estimates, ownership, latest equities market information, industry comparison, news, research articles and more. You may easily search the categories on "Textiles/Apparel".

Business Source Complete

It is particularly useful to find case studies, investment research reports, industry reports, market research reports, country reports, company profiles, SWOT analyses and more.



Media Resource



The Shaw Prize 2013 & Features Programme on Shaw Laureates Q180.C6 S53 2013 DVD

This is the 10th year for the Shaw Prize which has awarded 54 laureates in the fields of astronomy, life science & medicine and mathematical sciences. This programme shows the new discovery in genetics, astrophysics and mathematics by the laureates of this year and recalls how the philanthropist Sir Run Run Shaw and cohorts set up the award and how some laureates have spent their prize purse.

Databases on Trial

China : Culture and Society (The Watson Pamphlet Collection, Cornell University)

(Expiry: 28 Feb 2014)

A digital collection of pamphlets housed in the Cornell University Library. These rare pamphlets are mostly in English and published between c.1750 and 1929.

Global Commodities : Trade, Exploration and Cultural Exchange

(Expiry: 28 Feb 2014)

This resource brings together manuscripts, printed and visual primary source materials for the study of global commodities in world history. About 14 commodities, including tea, coffee, spices, opium, etc are featured in the database.

Oxford Bibliographies: Social Work

(Expiry: 3 Mar 2014)

An annotated bibliography of core resources in social work.