

Guide to Using A to Z Databases

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A to Z Databases

- Multi-sourced database providing comprehensive business information
- Can be accessed through Boston Public Library, but requires a BPL card

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This login form requires your 4-digit PIN in addition to your BPL card number.

If you have never chosen a PIN or if you forget what it is, you may request a new one online.

For faster service, please visit any BPL location to choose your PIN in person.

Your BPL card number:	
Your 4-digit PIN:	
	Login



A to Z Databases Home Screen

- Search for a business name or click "Advanced Search"





Advanced Search Functions of Interest

 "Employee Size" allows users to select ranges of employees with the option to filter out location or corporate workers.

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Other Important Selects _		Number of PCs				

Search By

Geography
State
City
City
County
ZIP Code
Address
One Per Address or ZIP
Radius Around an Address or ZIP

Code
Map Based Search
Keyword / Business Type

Z Type of Records



Advanced Search Functions of Interest

- Location
- Business types
 - Public/Private
 - Non-Profit Indicator
 - Public Administration Industry Group







Number of PCs



Search Results for "Companies In Massachusetts Who Employ 100-250 People On-Location"

- Selected Delta Electronics Manufacturing in Beverly, MA
 - Yields detailed corporate data including revenue, SIC codes, and numbers of corporate and location employees including a chart showing employment data for the past four years.





Number of Employees	Number of Businesses
1-9	186,144
10-49	97,945
50-99	7,200
100-499	3,988
500+	668

- 63% of businesses in Massachusetts have 1-9 employees
- 33% have 10-49
- 2.5% have 50-100
- 1% have 100-500
- <1% have 500+