The Global Chicago





Business Center of the Hemisphere



Requirements of Business

- A strongly pro-business environment
- Convenient access to global markets and financial centers
- A tolerant and culturally diverse city with the fullspectrum of ethnic amenities
- Easy access to Americas operations and customers



Chicago's Global Objective

"Twenty years hence, if we do the right things now, the region will be one of the ten or fifteen great metropolitan centers of the world economic order that is emerging."

"If we fail,... (it is) because [our] leaders lacked a sense of vision, because they failed to understand the altered structure of the world economy, and because they failed to develop and act on strategies for adapting to the new order."

-- Chicago Metropolis 2020



Our Economic Operating Principles

- Economic diversification is both the safest and the most fertile strategy
- Location and infrastructure are still strategic drivers
- Human capital is the *primary* economic driver
- A world-class quality of life is built on a prosperous middle class



World Center

- The east-west nexus joining the markets of Europe and Asia...and the north-south nexus of NAFTA and the Americas
- Our Central time zone facilitates business communication with Europe and Asia and is the middle time zone for the hemisphere



Global Reach: Air

- World's busiest airport, Chicago O'Hare
- World's only dual "dual-hub" airport system -- over 3,300 flights per day
- 428 nonstop flights to FTAA countries per week
- Nonstop global gateway to 42 international business capitals; 133 nonstop domestic routes
- Two major airports: Chicago O'Hare and Chicago Midway



As Big as a Country

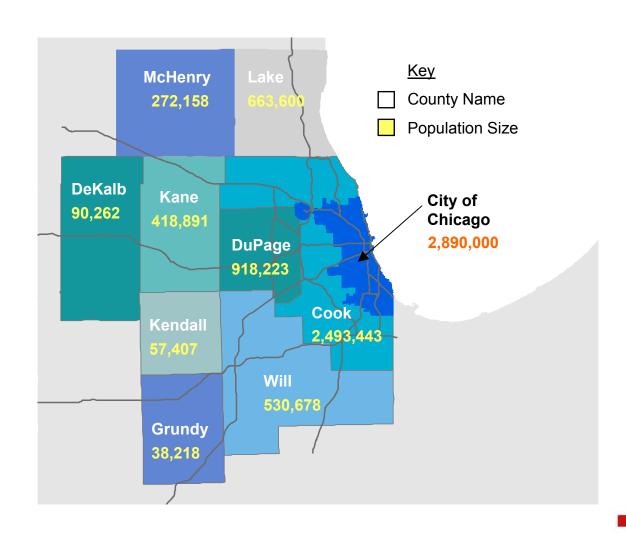
- 8.37 million population in metro area
 - 11.6% growth from 1990-2000*
 - added 861,910 people
 - 1.4% growth from 2000-2002
 - an additional 100,112 people
- 4.15 million workers
 - 14.6% growth from 1990-2000*
 - added 476,700 private sector jobs
 - -2.1% growth from 2000-2002
 - lost 78,000 private sector jobs



As Big as a Country

Chicago is the heart of a nine-county metropolitan area ... with an annual Gross Regional Product (GRP) of

\$350 billion





Economy Rivaling Nations

Rank	Country or Metro Area	Gross Product
		(\$ billions)
1	United States	10,446
2	Japan	3,996
3	Germany	1,993
4	United Kingdom	1,569
5	France	1,437
6	China	1,237
7	Italy	1,188
8	Canada	700
10	Mexico	636
12	Brazil	505
14	New York, NY PMSA	449
16	LA-Long Beach, CA PMSA	411
17	Australia	398
18	Chicago, IL PMSA	350
19	Russia	347
20	Taiwan	282
21	Switzerland	267



Economic Growth

Private Sector Jobs

<u>1990-2000</u> *	<u>Change</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>+/-</u>
Chicago	476,700	3,732,100	+14.6%
New York	213,100	3,615,400	+6.3%
Los Angeles	-102,700	3,490,800	-2.9%

Gross Regional Product (\$ billion)

<u>1990-2000</u> *	<u>Change</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>+/-</u>
Chicago	83.99	335.11	+33.5%
New York	80.76	441.83	+22.4%
Los Angeles	23.56	374.05	+6.72%

^{*}Note, covers the preceding business cycle

International Business Leader

- Headquarters home to
 - **30** Fortune 500
 - 12 Fortune Global 500
 - 17 Financial TimesGlobal 500
- 107 Corporate Headquarters,
 2nd only to New York
- The Boeing Company chose Chicago for its World Headquarters in 2001: "in order to become a more global company"
- Chosen as U.S. Business Hub by the Swiss government









































International Business Community

- Over \$46 billion in foreign direct investment*
- 1,500 foreign firms in and around Chicago
- \$4 billion in direct imports from FTAA-eligible countries
- \$800 million in direct exports to FTAA-eligible countries
- 69 Consulates/Consuls General; 21 of the 33 FTAA eligible countries
- 100 different international trade organizations
- More than 30 international Chambers of Commerce



Hemispheric Business Community

- Chicago's Gross Regional Product of US\$350 Billion is larger than all but four of the FTAA economies
- There are 204 parent companies from the 33 FTAAarea countries, employing more than 23,000 at over 600 locations in the Chicago area
- Chicago area companies have 448 subsidiaries in the FTAA area, with 320 in Latin America and the Caribbean and 128 in Canada
- Chicago area companies have operations in 30 of the 34 FTAA-eligible nations



International Business Community

Leading business presence in the Chicago area, by country:

<u>Country</u>	Parent Companies	<u>Locations</u>
Japan	349	857
U.K.	230	841
Canada	184	584
Germany	154	434
France	92	322
Switzerland	88	283
Netherlands	72	510
Italy	39	144

Largest foreign-owned employer: ABN-AMRO, Netherlands



International Business Community

Leading foreign employers:

Country Company Name

Netherlands ABN-AMRO N.V.

Canada Bank of Montreal (Harris Bank)

Switzerland Zurich Group

U.K. BP Amoco

Germany Siemens AG

France Suez (ONDEO Nalco)
Japan Matsushita Electrical

Italy Fiat S.p.A. (Case Corp.)

Total FDI employment is 200,000+ (equals 5% of metro)



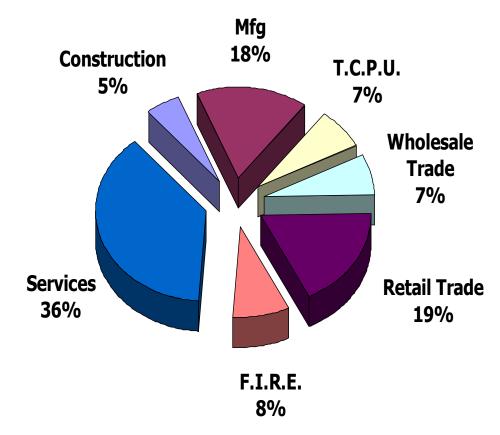
U.S. Leadership by Sector

- #1 city for air travel
- #1 private sector jobs
- #1 in business services employment
- #1 in high technology workforce
- #1 business travel destination
- #1 in manufacturing
- #1 distribution center
 - #1 truck, #1 intermodal, #1 rail, and #1air
- #1 convention destination
- #1 in data transmission by volume
- #1 urban medical center #1 in MDs
- #1 University (Chicago) in Nobel Prize winners 75



Diversified Economy

Chicago's labor pools rank in the top 5 largest for all but one of 22 major occupational groups





A Diverse Labor Pool

<u>US</u>		
Rank	Major Occupational Group	Employment
#1	Management Occupations	288,370
#1	Sales and Related Occupations	403,430
#1	Construction and Extraction Occupations	165,710
#1	Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	143,720
#2	Business and Finance Operations Occupations	185,180
#2	Computer and Mathematical Occupations	105,140
#2	Life, Physical and Social Science Occupations	31,890
#2	Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	189,920
#2	Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	261,680
#2	Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance Occupation	ons 136,060
#2	Personal Care and Service Occupations	82,700
#2	Production Occupations	391,340
#2	Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	306,060
#3	Community and Social Services Occupations	45,950
#3	Education, Training and Library Occupations	215,250
#3	Healthcare Support Occupations	76,390
#3	Protective Service Occupations	84,040
#3	Office and Administrative Support Occupations	758,260
#4	Legal Occupations	34,050
#4	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media Occupation	ons 48,610
#5	Architecture and Engineering Occupations	66,870



Leader in Business Services

<u>1990-2000</u>	Increase	Total Jobs	<u>+/-</u>
Chicago New York	254,700 123,600	565,800 515,900	+82% +32
2000-2002	<u>Decrease</u>	Total Jobs	<u>+/-</u>

^{*} SIC Codes 73 & 87 = computer systems design and management, accounting/auditing, engineering, consulting, software and programming, management services, human resources management, architecture, commercial research, testing laboratories, advertising/PR, etc.



Financial Services Power

- Global risk-management innovator and U.S. leader in options, futures and derivatives trading
- America's #2 financial services center
 - **27,000** new jobs 1990-2002
 - 22% growth
 - A total of 150,800 jobs
- New York
 - **45**,900 jobs lost
 - 14% decline since 1990
- Los Angeles
 - **2**4,200 jobs lost
 - 19% decline since 1990



Nation's Manufacturing Leader

- \$72.4 billion GRP (largest in the U.S.)
- #1 in Communications Equipment (40,846 workers)
- #1 in Heavy Machinery (14,149)
- #1 in Lighting & Electrical Equip. (30,429)
- #1 in Medical Devices (28,212)
- #1 in Metal Manufacturing (70,355)
- #1 in Plastics (43,432)
- #1 in Processed Food (68,634)
- #1 in Production Technology (33,731)

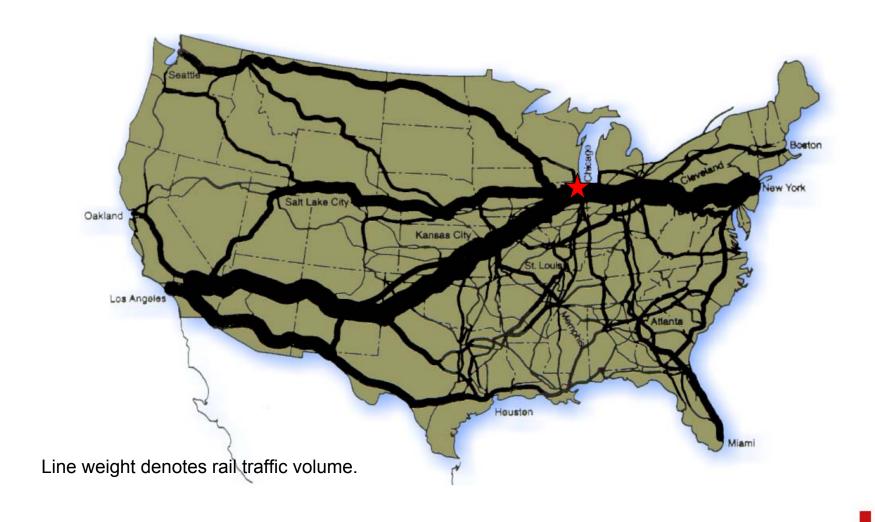


Technopolis Chicago

- #1 in U.S. high-tech and I-tech employment
 - 347,100 and 277,400 workers respectively (per University of Minnesota)
- \$35 billion high-tech production output
- Nearly 500 corporate R&D facilities and over 30 Federally funded research centers
- Notable R&D facilities include:
 - Argonne National Lab
 - Fermi Lab
 - Northwestern U. Center of Nanotechnology
 - National Center for Supercomputing Applications at U. of Illinois



Asia-Europe Container Hub





Intermodal Capital of the Hemisphere

- World's #3 intermodal container handler (after Hong Kong and Singapore)
- #1 in the Western Hemisphere
- Chicago handled 12.4 million twenty-foot equivalent units (TEUs) of intermodal freight
 - ■Twice as much as L.A./Long Beach
 - 4 times as much as NY/NJ
- America's only 50%/50% Asia/Europe transit point



Distribution Center

- 453.5 million sq. ft. of warehouse/distribution space operating in the Chicago area
- 46% of all available industrial real estate in Chicago is devoted to warehouse/distribution
- Consistent construction activity over the past eight years has grown this inventory by 10%
 - ■10.2 million sq. ft of warehouse/distribution space is currently under construction



Trucking Capital

- Over 200 truck terminals
- 52,000 truckloads of freight (1.76 million tons) are shipped from Chicago each day
- Chicago is served by six U.S. Interstates
 - ■3,138 miles of Interstate, local expressways and state highways in the metro area



The Leading Freight Handler

- Only gateway where all six Class-One North American railroads can interchange traffic
- 75% of U.S. rail freight passes through Chicago's rail yards
- 1,300 freight trains and 39,000 carloads of rail freight (i.e., 2.5+ million tons) leave Chicago each day
- 163,200 jobs projected for 2020 (42% increase)



Telecommunications Hub

- Railroad lines and highway corridors became the primary routes for optic infrastructure in the 1990s all telecom roads lead to Chicago
- The world's most advanced and globally interconnected digital communications switching infrastructure
- More than 50% of global Internet traffic routes through Chicago



Telecommunications Hub

- Chicago Network Access Point (NAP) world's largest Internet exchange point by volume (more than 10 terabytes per day)
- 40 North American Internet service providers connect directly to the Chicago NAP; all 46 have a point-of-presence here
- STAR TAP in downtown Chicago is the only facility in the world providing a cooperative interconnection point among international advanced telecommunication networks
 - 26 country specific networks connected including Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Venezuela

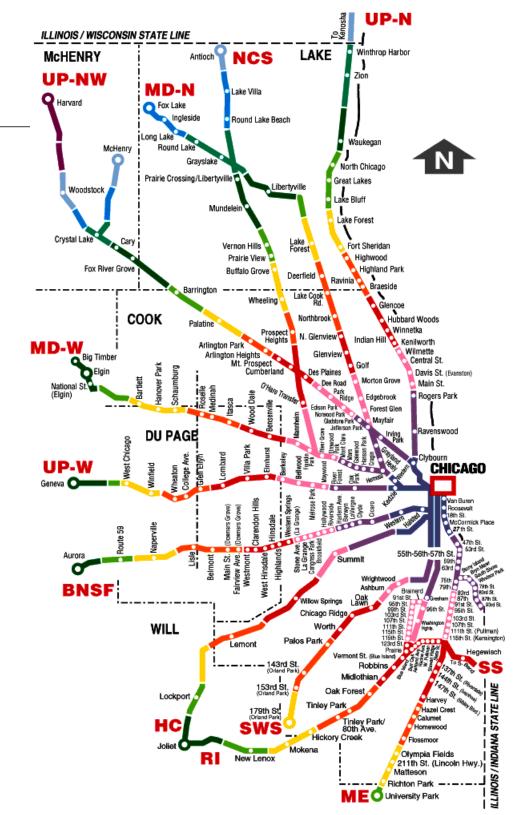
Dynamic Environment

- Chicago and New York are the only U.S. cities with the majority of their office space downtown
- 142M sq. ft. of (13.2M sq. m) office space with nearly 3.5M sq. ft. (0.33M sq. m) now under construction
- 666,400 people flow downtown each business day - 50% of whom arrive via mass transit
- Current plans forecast 32 million sq. ft. of office expansion and an increase of 188,000 employees by 2020



Workforce Access

- Public transit networks cover the entire Chicago region, providing
 1.5 million rides a day in the City of Chicago, and 430,000 rides/day in suburban communities
- Chicago area commuters have a variety of transit choices not available in most U.S. cities: Long distance rail, short distance rail, bus, private vehicle – and even seasonal river taxis from trains
- Map at right: Inter-city commuter rail network radiating up to 70 miles (110 km) from central Chicago



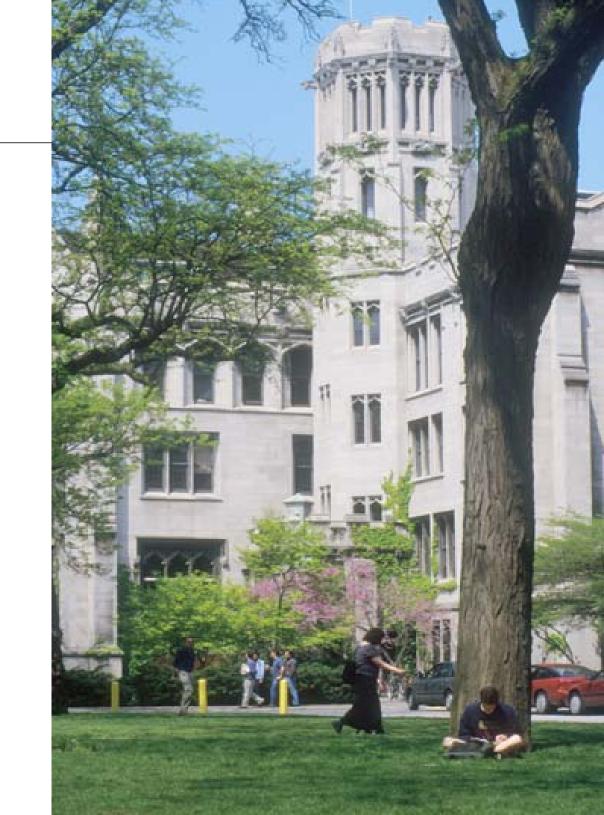
Dynamic Environment

- Over 299,500 people live in the neighborhoods in and around the central business district
- The population of the central business district is projected to grow by 50% this decade
- 39% have a bachelors degree2.5 times the national average
- 30% have graduate degrees3.3 times the national average
- 50,000 students attend college downtown



Higher Education Excellence

- 487,000 students enrolled in 98 higher education institutions including colleges, universities, community colleges, and independent institutions
- 6 medical schools, including nation's largest, and 31 teaching hospitals
- Over 20,500 Master's degrees, 4,000 Professional Degrees, and 1,850 Doctoral degrees awarded annually
- Illinois institutions of higher education host more than 26,000 foreign students





Nobel-Laureate Universities

- University of Chicago has generated more Nobel
 Laureates (75) than any other American university
 - Overall, Chicago has a total of 81 Nobel Prize winners
- The renowned University of Chicago Center for Latin American Studies began in 1968
 - Buenos Aires Study Abroad Program
- The Economist 2002 MBA Global Rankings
 - #1 Kellogg School of Management, NU
 - #4 Graduate School of Business, U of C



Continuing Achievement

3 of top 10 part-time M.B.A. programs

- University of Chicago #2 Part-time M.B.A.
- Northwestern University #3 Part-time M.B.A.
- DePaul University #9 Part-time M.B.A.

Source: U.S. News & World Report



The World's City

- Chicago speaks over 100 languages and communicates through more than 130 foreign-language media
 - 18 Latin American media outlets
- Immigrants from over 200 different nations and territories have been welcomed to Chicago during the past 30 years
- 9-1-1 Center answers emergency calls in 27 languages



The Hemisphere's City

- 1.3 million people of Latin American and Caribbean ethnicity; 26 different ethnic groups with a population greater than 25,000
- More than 90 local organizations represent ethnic groups from FTAA area countries
- More than 27,000 Hispanic-owned businesses
- 23 Sister and Friendship Cities including Mexico City and Toronto
- State of Illinois Latin America office in Mexico City, Canada office in Toronto

Building America's Best City

Under Mayor Daley's leadership, the City of Chicago has invested \$11 billion in public infrastructure since 1989, to ensure Chicago's preeminence as a leading global city for the future.





Winning Results

- Chicago has been the number one U.S. metro area for business expansions in 2001, 2002, and 2003 (Site Selection Magazine)
 - 2002: \$13 billion invested in Chicago projects vs. \$5.6 billion in New York
- Chicago has dominated *Inc.* Magazine's "Inner City 100" listings of sustained high-growth inner city businesses for the past three years



World's Destination

- 14 million business travelers (#1 destination in U.S.)
- 33 million leisure travelers
- 1 million international travelers
- 6.9 million conventioneers
- The largest convention center (McCormick Place)
 - 2.2 million square feet of exhibit halls
 - 3 million attendees
 - Just 2 miles (3 km) south of downtown's nearly 29,000 hotel rooms



Worldly Amenities

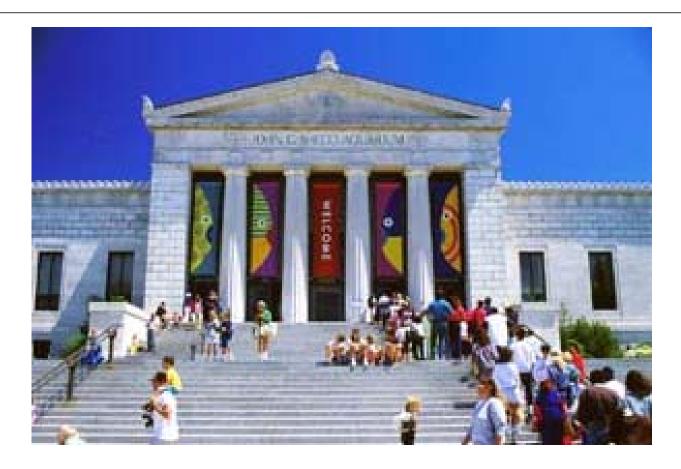
- 3 of Zagat's top 5 U.S. hotels are in downtown Chicago
 - Peninsula Chicago (1)
 - Four Seasons (2)
 - Ritz-Carlton (4)
- Five Star Restaurants: Charlie Trotter's, Trio
 - Eight Four Star restaurants (Mobil Travel Guide)
- Only city with three Tony-Award winning theater companies
 - 2,000 theater companies
- World famous "high" culture, world famous "low" culture

The Lakefront

- 29 miles of shoreline and 16 miles of beaches
- A vast fresh water sea
- 5000+ boat slips, the most public boat slips in the US
- Museum Campus Field Natural History Museum, Shedd Aquarium, Adler Planetarium
- Newly renovated Soldier Field
- Grant Park, Millennium Park, Lincoln Park
- Lake Shore Drive



A Great Place to Live



- Home to world-renowned Chicago Symphony, Lyric Opera and Joffrey Ballet
- 46 museums, including Art Institute of Chicago (finest Impressionist collection outside Paris)
- 200+ theater companies, 7,000 restaurants
- Winner Money Magazine "Best Places to Live" 2002

Recreational Amenities

- Places Rated Almanac gives
 Chicago a 97.16 out of 100
- 6 of the top 100 golf courses in the nation, according to Golf Digest
- Chicago has the best public golf courses in America (Golfweek and Golf Digest)
- A top-10 bicycling city (Bicycling Magazine)
- Top 10 walking city (Chicago and Naperville)
- 832 movie theater screens
- 4 amusement parks
- 8 casinos
- Horse racing (thoroughbred & harness)
- 6 Major League sports franchises
- Chicago Fire of Major League Soccer





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