

Number of Grantmaking Foundations, Assets, Total Giving, and Gifts Received, 1975 to 2005

Year	No. of Foundations	Index (1975=100)	Assets	Index (1975=100)	Total Giving ¹	Index (1975=100)	Gifts Received	Index (1978=100)
1975	21,877	100.0	\$30.13	100.0	\$1.94	100.0	--	--
1976	21,447	98.0	34.78	115.5	2.23	114.6	--	--
1977	22,152	101.3	35.37	117.4	2.35	120.7	--	--
1978	22,484	102.8	37.27	123.7	2.55	131.0	\$1.61	100.0
1979	22,535	103.0	41.59	138.1	2.85	146.4	2.21	137.5
1980	22,088	101.0	48.17	159.9	3.43	176.6	1.98	123.3
1981	21,967	100.4	47.57	157.9	3.79	195.1	2.39	148.6
1982	23,770	108.7	58.67	194.7	4.49	230.9	4.00	248.7
1983	24,261	110.9	67.87	224.3	4.48	230.3	2.71	168.1
1984	24,859	113.6	74.05	245.8	5.04	259.3	3.36	208.6
1985	25,639	117.2	102.06	338.8	6.03	309.9	5.18	321.7
1986	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
1987	27,661	126.4	115.44	383.2	6.66	342.4	4.96	307.9
1988	30,338	138.7	122.08	405.2	7.42	381.3	5.16	320.4
1989	31,990	146.2	137.54	456.5	7.91	406.8	5.52	343.0
1990	32,401	148.1	142.48	472.9	8.68	446.1	4.97	308.8
1991	33,356	152.5	162.91	540.7	9.21	473.6	5.47	339.5
1992	35,765	163.5	176.82	586.9	10.21	524.9	6.18	383.8
1993	37,571	171.7	189.21	628.0	11.11	571.4	7.76	481.8
1994	38,807	177.4	195.79	649.8	11.29	580.5	8.08	502.0
1995	40,140	183.5	226.74	752.5	12.26	630.5	10.26	637.3
1996	41,588	190.1	267.58	888.1	13.84	711.4	16.02	995.0
1997	44,146	201.8	329.91	1,095.0	15.99	821.9	15.83	983.4
1998	46,832	214.1	385.05	1,278.0	19.46	1,000.4	22.57	1,402.1
1999	50,201	229.5	448.61	1,489.0	23.32	1,199.1	32.08	1,992.3
2000	56,582	258.6	486.09	1,613.3	27.56	1,417.2	27.61	1,715.1
2001	61,810	282.5	467.34	1,551.1	30.50	1,568.4	28.71	1,783.5
2002	64,843	296.4	435.19	1,444.4	30.43	1,564.7	22.16	1,376.6
2003	66,398	303.5	476.71	1,582.2	30.31	1,558.4	24.86	1,544.0
2004	67,736	309.6	510.48	1,694.3	31.84	1,637.3	23.99	1,490.0
2005	71,095	325.0	550.55	1,827.3	36.40	1,871.7	31.46	1,954.3

Source: The Foundation Center, 2007. Years are approximate; reporting years varied. Dollars in billions.

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¹Includes grants, scholarships, and employee matching gifts; excludes set-asides, loans, PRIs, and program expenses.