

Top 50 Minnesota Foundations by Assets, circa 2004

Foundation Name	Foundation		
	Type ¹	Assets	Fiscal Date
1. The McKnight Foundation	IN	\$2,073,754,860	12/31/2004
2. Bush Foundation	IN	732,455,635	11/30/2004
3. Andersen Foundation	IN	662,906,121	12/31/2004
4. The Minneapolis Foundation	CM	597,646,545	3/31/2005
5. The Saint Paul Foundation, Inc.	CM	594,648,660	12/31/2004
6. Otto Bremer Foundation	IN	495,972,124	12/31/2004
7. Northwest Area Foundation	IN	452,533,605	3/31/2005
8. The Blandin Foundation	IN	413,253,276	12/31/2004
9. The Jay and Rose Phillips Family Foundation	IN	197,132,702	12/31/2004
10. J.A. Wedum Foundation	IN	162,915,223	12/31/2003
11. F. R. Bigelow Foundation	IN	145,815,420	12/31/2004
12. WEM Foundation	IN	122,452,399	12/31/2004
13. Charles and Ellora Alliss Educational Foundation	IN	103,496,505	12/31/2004
14. Minnesota Community Foundation	CM	99,570,423	12/31/2004
15. I. A. O'Shaughnessy Foundation, Inc.	IN	93,426,655	12/31/2004
16. The Cargill Foundation	CS	79,555,105	12/31/2004
17. Hugh J. Andersen Foundation	IN	77,751,037	2/28/2005
18. Jerome Foundation	IN	77,092,175	4/30/2005
19. St. Croix Foundation	IN	67,267,257	12/31/2004
20. The Curtis L. Carlson Foundation	IN	67,150,544	12/31/2003
21. U.S. Bancorp Foundation, Inc.	CS	66,175,095	12/31/2003
22. The Andreas Foundation	IN	61,845,854	11/30/2004
23. Patrick and Aimee Butler Family Foundation	IN	60,399,814	12/31/2004
24. Mardag Foundation	IN	54,168,203	12/31/2004
25. Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota Foundation, Inc.	CS	52,048,310	12/31/2004
26. The Wasie Foundation	IN	49,509,288	12/31/2004
27. The Bayport Foundation of Andersen Corporation	CS	45,948,670	11/30/2004
28. The Cafesjian Family Foundation, Inc.	IN	44,138,570	12/31/2004
29. Central Minnesota Community Foundation	CM	42,451,244	6/30/2004
30. Transafrican Education Network	IN	41,776,321	6/30/2004
31. Ted and Roberta Mann Foundation of Minnesota	IN	39,806,565	12/31/2003
32. George Family Foundation	IN	39,770,736	12/31/2004
33. Ida C. Koran Trust	IN	39,764,035	12/31/2004
34. Edelstein Family Foundation	IN	39,753,748	12/31/2004
35. Ordean Foundation	IN	38,971,415	12/31/2004
36. 3M Foundation	CS	38,724,763	12/31/2003
37. Duluth-Superior Area Community Foundation	CM	37,984,757	12/31/2004
38. West Central Initiative	CM	37,357,302	6/30/2004
39. Dr. C. C. and Mabel L. Criss Memorial Foundation	IN	37,105,563	2/29/2004
40. The Sabes Family Foundation	IN	36,857,204	6/30/2003
41. Initiative Foundation	CM	36,309,311	6/30/2004
42. Carolyn Foundation	IN	36,262,379	12/31/2004
43. Northwest Minnesota Foundation (NWMF)	CM	35,256,914	6/30/2004
44. Kopp Family Foundation	IN	34,649,166	12/31/2004
45. Securian Foundation	CS	34,139,775	12/31/2004
46. Prospect Creek Foundation	IN	33,245,722	12/31/2004
47. The Phileona Foundation	IN	32,085,413	9/30/2004
48. Margaret Rivers Fund	IN	32,070,522	12/31/2004
49. Opus Foundation	CS	31,040,486	12/31/2003
50. Deluxe Corporation Foundation	CS	30,876,019	12/31/2003

Source: The Foundation Center.

¹IN = Independent Foundation; CM = Community Foundation; CS = Corporate Foundation; OP = Operating Foundation.

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