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Gourmet Food





Website: wholefoodsmarket.com **Facebook:** .facebook.com/wholefoods

Instagram: @wholefoods **Twitter:** @wholefoods

Pinterest: pinterest.com/wholefoods **Corporate Structure:** Publicly Held **Headquarters Location:** Austin, Texas

Number of Stores: Over 470

Geographic Region: Across USA, Canada and the UK **Positioning Statement:** Selling The Highest Quality Natural

& Organic Products



TRADER JOE'S

Website: traderjoes.com Instagram: @traderjoes Twitter: @TJoes_official

Pinterest: pinterest.com/traderjoeslists
Corporate Structure: Privately Owned
Headquarters Location: Monrovia, California

Number of Stores: Over 47O Geographic Region: Across USA

Positioning Statement: Neighborhood Grocery Store





Website: marianos.com

Facebook: facebook.com/marianosfreshmarket

Instagram: @MarianosMarket
Twitter: @MarianosMarket

Pinterest: pinterest.com/marianosmarket Corporate Structure: Publicly Held

Headquarters Location: Milwaukee, Wisconsin **Number of Stores:** More than 150 and growing

Geographic Region: Chicagoland

Positioning Statement: Shop well. Eat well. Live well.





Website: vosgeschocolate.com

Facebook: facebook.com/VosgesChocolate

Instagram: @ vosgeshaut chocolate

Twitter: @vosges

Pinterest: pinterest.com/vosgeschocolate Corporate Structure: Privately Owned Headquarters Location: Chicago, Illinois

Number of Stores: 4

Geographic Region: Chicago, NYC, Las Vegas,

Beverly Hills

Positioning Statement: Peace, Love And Chocolate



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Crate&Barrel

Website: crateandbarrel.com

Facebook: facebook.com/crate and barrel

Instagram: @CrateandBarrel
Twitter: @CrateandBarrel

Pinterest: pinterest.com/crateandbarrel

Corporate Structure: Majority owned by Otto GmbH (Germany). Also own CB2 (young adults) and

Land of Nod (children).

Headquarters Location: Northbrook, Illinois

Number of Stores: 90

Geographic Region: Throughout USA & Canada. Independent franchise stores around the world.

Positioning Statement: For furniture, home decor, gifts, housewares, registry items and more, visit Crate and Barrel

today and look no further for style.



BEYOND Beyond any store of its kind.

Website: bedbathandbeyond.com

Facebook: facebook.com/BedBathandBeyond

Instagram: @bedbathbeyond
Twitter: @bedbathbeyond

Pinterest: pinterest.com/bedbathbeyond Corporate Structure: Publicly Held Headquarters Location: Union, New Jersey

Number of Stores: Over 1500

Geographic Region: Throughout USA, Canada, Puerto

Rico and Mexico

Positioning Statement: Beyond Any Store of Its Kind



WILLIAMS-SONOMA, INC.

Website: williams-sonoma.com

Facebook: facebook.com/WilliamsSonoma

Instagram: @williamssonoma
Twitter: @williamssonoma

 $\textbf{Pinterest:} \ pinterest.com/williamssonoma$

Corporate Structure: Publicly Held

Also own Pottery Barn, Pottery Barn Kids, PBteen, West Elm.

All stores are company owned and operated. **Headquarters Location:** San Francisco, California

Number of Stores: More than 600

 $\textbf{Geographic Region:} \ \textbf{Throughout USA} \ \& \ \textbf{Canada, Australia}.$

Independent franchise stores around the world. **Positioning Statement:** Williams-Sonoma is the premier

specialty retailer of home furnishings and gourmet cookware in the United States.



bloomingdales

Website: bloomingdales.com

Facebook: facebook.com/Bloomingdales

Instagram: @Bloomingdales **Twitter:** @Bloomingdales

Pinterest: pinterest.com/bloomingdales Corporate Structure: Owned by Macy's Inc Headquarters Location: New York, New York

Number of Stores: Over 35

 $\textbf{Geographic Region:} \ Throughout \ USA, \ Dubai \ \delta \ Kuwait.$

One Bloomingdale's Home store in Chicago

Positioning Statement: Like No Other Store In The World



POTTERYBARN

Website: potterybarn.com

Facebook: facebook.com/potterybarn

Instagram: @potterybarn **Twitter:** @potterybarn

Pinterest: pinterest.com/potterybarn

Corporate Structure: Owned by Williams-Sonoma Inc. Headquarters Location: San Francisco, California Number of Stores: Over 190 Pottery Barn stores, over 90 Pottery Barn Kids stores

Geographic Region: Throughout USA & Canada. Independent franchise stores around the world.

Positioning Statement: For more than 20 years, we've been inspiring people to create inviting, comfortable surroundings that reflect their unique sense of style. We offer superior-quality furnishings and accessories for the entire home, all in timeless designs, so you'll be able to enjoy them every day.



Rising Stars



The Container Store®

Website: containerstore.com

Facebook: facebook.com/containerstore

Instagram: @ContainerStore **Twitter:** @ContainerStore

Pinterest: pinterest.com/containerstore **Corporate Structure:** Privately Owned **Headquarters Location:** Coppell, Texas

Number of Stores: 90 stores Geographic Region: Throughout USA

Positioning Statement: The Original Storage and

Organization Store



Sur la table

THE ART & SOUL OF COOKING

Website: surlatable.com

Facebook: facebook.com/SurLaTable

Instagram: @surlatable
Twitter: @sur_la_table

Pinterest: pinterest.com/surlatable

Corporate Structure: Privately owned. Key investors include Investcorp, the Behnke family and Freeman

Spogli & Co.

Headquarters Location: Seattle, Washington

Number of Stores: Over 120 Geographic Region: Across USA

Positioning Statement: The Art and Soul of Cooking





Website: cb2.com

Facebook: facebook.com/cb2

Instagram: @cb2
Twitter: @cb2tweets

Pinterest: pinterest.com/cb2pins

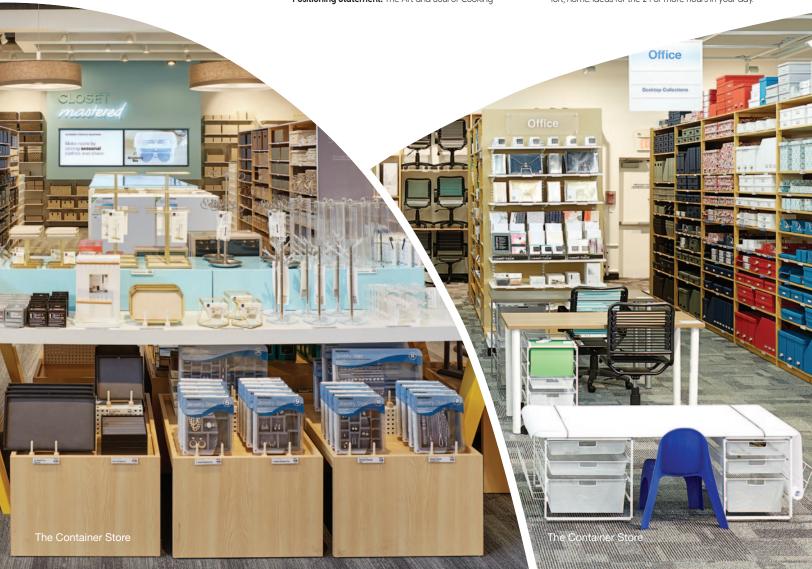
Corporate Structure: Owned by Crate and Barrel **Headquarters Location:** Northbrook, Illinois

Number of Stores: 18

Geographic Region: In the key cities across the USA.

Two stores in Canada

Positioning Statement: Modern furnishings for apartment, loft, home. Ideas for the 24 or more hours in your day.



Hardware/Garden Centers





Website: homedepot.com

Facebook: facebook.com/homedepot

Instagram: @homedepot **Twitter:** @homedepot

Pinterest: pinterest.com/homedepot Corporate Structure: Publicly Held Headquarters Location: Atlanta, Georgia

Number of Stores: Over 2,200

 $\mbox{\bf Geographic Region:} \mbox{ Across USA, Canada } \Xi \mbox{ Mexico} \\ \mbox{\bf Positioning Statement:} \mbox{ Home Improvement Made Easy} \\$



MENARDS"

Website: menards.com

Facebook: facebook.com/menardshome improvement

Instagram: @menardshomeimprovement

Twitter: @menards

Pinterest: pinterest.com/menards **Corporate Structure:** Publicly Held

Headquarters Location: Eau Claire, Wisconsin

Number of Stores: More than 300

Geographic Region: Throughout the Midwest

Positioning Statement: Dedicated to Service and Quality





Website: truevalue.com

Facebook: facebook.com/TrueValue

Instagram: @TrueValue
Twitter: @TrueValue

Pinterest: pinterest.com/truevalue Corporate Structure: Privately Owned Headquarters Location: Chicago, Illinois

Number of Stores: Over 4,000 Geographic Region: Across the USA. Stores in over 60

countries around the world.

Positioning Statement: Local Home Improvement Experts





Website: lowes.com

Facebook: facebook.com/lowes **Instagram:** @loweshomeimprovement

Twitter: @lowes

Pinterest: pinterest.com/lowes **Corporate Structure:** Publicly Held

Headquarters Location: Mooresville, North Carolina

Number of Stores: Over 1,800

Geographic Region: Throughout USA, Canada and

Mexico

Positioning Statement: Never Stop Improving





Website: acehardware.com

Facebook: facebook.com/acehardware

Instagram: @AceHardware
Twitter: @AceHardware

Pinterest: pinterest.com/acehardware Corporate Structure: Privately Owned Headquarters Location: Oakbrook, Illinois

Number of Stores: Over 4,800

Geographic Region: Throughout the USA and over 60

countries internationally

Positioning Statement: The Helpful Place

City Escape Garden Center and Design Studio

Website: cityescape.biz

Facebook: facebook.com/cityescapechicago Corporate Structure: Privately Held Headquarters Location: Chicago, Illinois

Number of Stores: 1

Gethsemane Garden Center

Website: gethsemanegardens.com

Facebook: facebook.com/Gethsemane-Garden-

Center/316505770524 **Twitter:** @GrowGethsemane

Pinterest: pinterest.com/GethsemaneGC Corporate Structure: Privately Held Headquarters Location: Chicago, Illinois

Number of Stores: 1

Farmer's Market Garden Center

Website: gardenchicago.com

Facebook: facebook.com/fmgchicago

Instagram: @fmgchicago

Corporate Structure: Privately Held Headquarters Location: Chicago, Illinois

Number of Stores: 1

Unique Concepts





Website: amazon.com

Facebook: amazon.com/facebook

Twitter: @amazon Instagram: @amazon

Pinterest: pinterest.com/pinterest Corporate Structure: Publicly held

Headquarters Location: Seattle, Washington

Number of Stores: 12

Geographic Region: Seattle, Chicago, New York, and San

Francisco

Positioning Statement: No line, no checkout – just grab





Website: eataly.com/chicago

Facebook: facebook.com/EatalyChicago

Instagram: @eatalychicago Twitter: @eatalychicago

Pinterest: pinterest.com/eatalynyc Corporate Structure: Privately Owned

Headquarters Location: Italy Number of Stores: 31

Geographic Region: Chicago, NYC, Boston, L.A., throughout

Europe, Asia and the Middle East

Positioning Statement: Chicago's Italian superstore





we'll get you cooking

Website: thechoppingblock.com

Facebook: facebook.com/thechoppingblock

Instagram: @the_chopping_block Twitter: @TheChoppingBloc

Pinterest: pinterest.com/thechoppingbloc Corporate Structure: Privately Owned Headquarters Location: Chicago, Illinois

Number of Stores: 2 Geographic Region: Chicago

Positioning Statement: We'll get you cooking. The Chopping Block, Chicago's largest recreational cooking school and gourmet retail store, offers demonstration and hands-on cooking classes, as well as wine classes, private cooking parties and corporate team

building events.





Website: poshchicago.com

Facebook: facebook.com/POSHChicago

Instagram: @poshchicago Twitter: @poshchicago

Pinterest: pinterest.com/poshchicagoshop Corporate Structure: Privately Owned Headquarters Location: Chicago, Illinois

Number of Stores: 1

Geographic Region: Chicago

Positioning Statement: Tableware That Tell a Story





Website: jaysonhome.com

Facebook: facebook.com/JaysonHome

Instagram: @JaysonHome Twitter: @Jayson_Home

Pinterest: pinterest.com/jaysonhome Corporate Structure: Privately Owned Headquarters Location: Chicago, Illinois

Number of Stores: 2

Geographic Region: Chicago and New York City

Positioning Statement: Jayson Home sells sophisticated δ unique furnishings from around the world along with a variety of plants δ flowers. We are dedicated to helping our customers live beautifully.





Website: dylanscandybar.com

Facebook: facebook.com/DylansCandy

Instagram: @dylanscandybar Twitter: @DylansCandyBar

Pinterest: pinterest.com/dylanscandybar Corporate Structure: Privately Owned Headquarters Location: New York, New York

Number of Stores: 23

Geographic Region: Throughout the USA

Unique Concepts









Website: sprinkles.com

Facebook: facebook.com/sprinkleschicago

Instagram: @sprinklescupcakes

Twitter: @sprinkles

Corporate Structure: Privately Owned Headquarters Location: Beverly Hills, California

Number of Stores: 24

Geographic Region: Throughout the USA



Website: americangirl.com

Facebook: facebook.com/americangirl

Instagram: @americangirlbrand

Twitter: @American_girl

Pinterest: pinterest.com/agofficial Corporate Structure: Publicly held

Headquarters Location: Middleton, Wisconsin

Number of Stores: 21

Geographic Region: Throughout the USA, Canada and

Mexico

Positioning Statement: Together with a friend forever.



Website: buildabear.com

Facebook: facebook.com/buildabear

Instagram: @buildabear Twitter: @buildabear

Corporate Structure: Publicly held Headquarters Location: St. Louis, Missouri

Number of Stores: More than 400

Geographic Region: Throughout the USA, Canada, the United Kingdom and Ireland, and franchise stores in Europe, Asia, Australia, Africa, the Middle East, Mexico and

the South America.



Global Products





Website: worldmarket.com

Facebook: facebook.com/worldmarket

Instagram: @worldmarket **Twitter:** @worldmarket

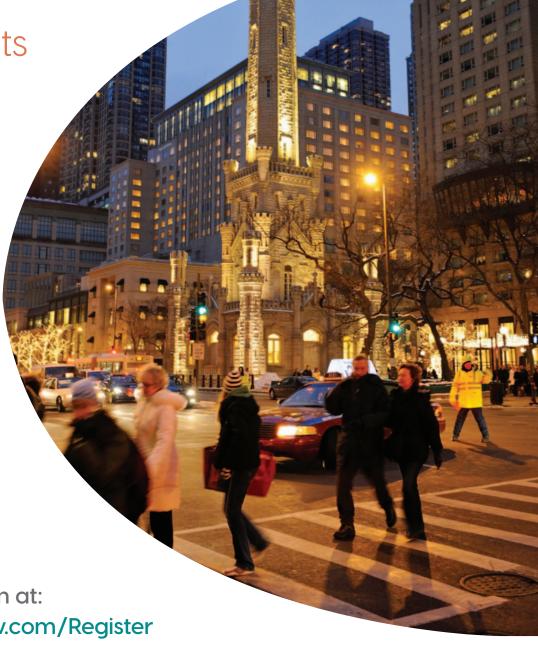
Pinterest: pinterest.com/worldmarket

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Corporate Structure:} Owned by Bed Bath α Beyond \\ \textbf{Headquarters Location:} San Francisco, California \\ \end{tabular}$

Number of Stores: More than 275 **Geographic Region:** Throughout USA

Positioning Statement: Unique, authentic, and always

affordable



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