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Business Resource List
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Job Outlook
Occupational Outlook Handbook (Dept. of Labor)
http://www.bls.gov/ooh
Agricultural Workers

Databases from Libraryvisit.org (Must have a Public Library of Youngstown and Mahoning County Card)
Business Insights: Global
News stories from around the world
Business Source Premier
SWOT Analysis of Publicly Traded Companies, Business News
Demographics NOW
Demographic information
Age by Sex Comparison
Consumer Expenditure Comparison
Daytime Population Comparison
Household Comparison
Population Comparison
Gale Directory Library
Associations, Trade shows
Gale Virtual Reference Library
Industry Reports, Business Plans
Keyword –bee
Mergent Intellect
Global companies (Suppliers, Distributors, Competition)
ReferenceUSA
Industry Maps, Competition

Websites
Suppliers http://www.thomasnet.com
American Bee Keeping Federation- http://www.abfnet.org/
American Honey Producers Association -http://www.ahpanet.com/
National Honey Board- http://www.honey.com/
Local Help/Resources
Mahoning Valley is for Entrepreneurs

Periodicals and Newsletters
American Bee Journal. Dadant and Sons Inc.
URL: http://www.dadant.com

URL: http://www.abfnet.org

URL: http://www.ibra.org.uk
Quarterly. Publishes original research articles, original theoretical papers, notes, comments and authoritative reviews on scientific aspects of the biology, ecology, natural history, conservation and culture of all types of bees.

Research Centers and Institutes
Agricultural Research Service, Pacific West Area - Carl Hayden Bee Research Center - Honey Bee Research Unit.
URL: http://www.ars.usda.gov/main/site_main.htm?modecode=53-42-03-00
Biology of honey bees, including: biochemistry and physiology of bees to determine specific requirements for individual and colony growth, development, and reproduction; role of mites and microorganisms in the physiology of bees; behavior of bees, including modes of communication, structure and function of sensory receptors, and identification and roles of pheromones; pollination ecology and colony foraging dynamics of bees in crop ecosystems; development of computer simulated models; and remote sensing using radar, microwave frequencies, and other techniques to monitor the activities of bees.

Agricultural Research Service, Southern Plains Area - Kika de la Garza Subtropical Agricultural Research Center.
URL: http://www.ars.usda.gov

Utah State University - Bee Biology and Systematics Laboratory.
URL: http://www.loganbeelab.usu.edu

Trade/Professional Associations
National Honey Packers and Dealers Association.
URL: http://www.nhpda.org
Represents cooperative and independent processors, packers, and dealers of honey at either the wholesale or retail level. Offers members information on testing facilities for honey analysis. Consults with Department of Agriculture on research programs in the field of honey marketing.