

FORBES Global 2000 Recap

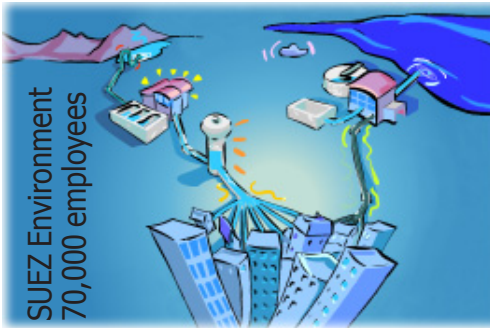
SUEZ ranks among world's biggest

The SUEZ Group is one of the world's largest companies, with two distinct business interests.

SUEZ Energy is engaged in the production, operation, design and construction, trading and sale of electricity and natural gas, in addition to the transport and distribution of

natural gas. Energy services include facilities design, construction and management.

SUEZ Environment is engaged in sustainable solutions for essential environmental services (water, sanitation and waste services) to industrial and individual customers around the world.



The BIGGEST "REP" Family Tree*

As part of the SUEZ Group, SUEZ Energy Resources NA is a subsidiary of the largest holding company that serves commercial and industrial customers in the US as a retail electricity provider (REP).

	Holding Company	Sales (\$ bil)	Assets (\$ bil)
1	SUEZ Group	55.28	85.45
2	Duke Energy-Cinergy	16.75	54.59
3	Dominion Resources	18.04	52.58
4	Exelon	15.36	42.39
5	Centrica	23.11	22.33
6	TXU	10.44	24.91
7	FirstEnergy	11.99	31.84
8	FPL Group	11.85	33
9	Pub Svc Enterprise	12.43	29.82
10	Entergy	10.11	29.97

*based on FORBES Global 2000 data.

BIGGER, if not better known

As reported by FORBES, the SUEZ Group ranks higher on The Global 2000 than some companies that may be better known.

- 090 SUEZ Group
- 092 Washington Mutual
- 093 Boeing
- 100 Sprint Nextel
- 106 Dow Chemical
- 107 Sony
- 109 UPS
- 117 Walt Disney
- 124 Motorola
- 127 Caterpillar
- 128 PepsiCo
- 133 Ford Motor
- 138 Target
- 144 Coca-Cola
- 147 Dell
- 179 McDonald's

BIG, and getting BIGGER

SUEZ and Gaz de France have announced intentions to merge. The planned merger has been approved by the Boards of SUEZ and Gaz de France, with a tentative close in late 2006. Pending all necessary approvals, the merged entity will be a global energy and environment leader. The chart to the right shows where the new company would rank according to FORBES Global 2000.

Rank	Name	Sales (\$ bil)	Profits (\$ bil)	Assets (\$ bil)	Mkt Value (\$ bil)
1	Citigroup	120.32	24.64	1,494.04	230.93
2	General Electric	149.70	16.35	673.30	348.45
3	Bank of America	85.39	16.47	1,291.80	184.17
12	Toyota Motor	173.09	10.93	227.05	175.54
13	Wal-Mart Stores	312.43	11.23	138.17	188.86
49	AT&T	43.86	4.79	145.63	107.04
55	Microsoft	41.36	13.06	67.26	279.02
68	NEWCO*	79.88	3.87	130.85	80.86
69	Time Warner	43.65	2.91	122.48	79.37
72	Home Depot	81.51	5.84	44.48	89.53
74	Prudential Financial	31.71	3.54	417.78	39.70
75	Intel	38.83	8.66	48.31	121.19
83	GlaxoSmithKline	37.22	8.06	42.93	147.42
92	Washington Mutual	21.23	3.43	343.12	42.44
93	Boeing	54.85	2.56	60.06	59.58

*Combined SUEZ Group and Gaz de France figures as reported in FORBES Global 2000, 2006