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ABSTRACT

An update of the 1973 Comparison of Guides to Non-Print Media, which lists guides and indexes to nonprint instructional media, has been compiled. The 1975 edition is cumulative, with 17 new indexes and guides included, and out-of-date indexes and guides excluded. Five comprehensive guides covering a number of content areas have been added, 2 have been deleted, for a total of 39. Twelve guides covering a specific subject area have been added, 4 have been deleted, for a total of 38. The specific subject areas covered are: ecology, ethnic studies, guidance, health and drug abuse, the sciences and technology, teacher training, vocational education, languages, social science, health and recreation, and women. An abstract is provided for each citation, accompanied by information on the type of media covered by the guide, the educational level for which it is pertinent, its price, and the frequency of publication. Also, notation is made of whether the guide is cross-indexed, and whether it contains publication dates, designates the intended audience, gives running times, provides content summaries and evaluations for its citations, and names the distributors and the prices and conditions of availability of the materials. (KKC)

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PREFACE
1975 EDITION

This updated edition of Comparison of Guides To Nonprint Media is meant to:

---include a number of new guides which were not cited in the first edition, either through oversight on the part of the compiler or because they have been newly published.

---make current, as much as possible, the information given for the guides included in the first edition.

Updated information has been added within the existing sections of the book, in a new separate section, and in this Preface.

As before, the primary purpose of the Comparison is to serve as a resource to those having responsibility for building and/or operating an educational media center. However, the publication of a number of new guides and other references, particularly in the field of professional training, will hopefully expand its usefulness to those who are involved in program planning and inservice training.

In addition to the guides to nonprint media included herein, there are a number of other types of reference with which the user of this Comparison may want to become familiar, even though they may not deal directly with listings and annotations of nonprint media.

---The Educational Resources Information Center (ERIC) collection includes a sizeable compilation of research and instructional materials in the general area of vocational and career education which are referred to as the AIM and ARM files, compiled by the Center for Vocational and Technical Education at Ohio State University. Many of the instructional materials within these files are of a multi-media nature. One convenient means of becoming familiar with this collection is through Abstracts of Instructional and Research Materials in Vocational and Technical Education, which is available through ERIC as (in its latest edition) ED 096 421 (75¢ in microfiche, \$9.00 in hardcopy).

---The Center for Science and Mathematics Education, 244 Arps Hall, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio 43210, has developed and annually updates "microlibraries" which include documents announced in Resources in Education. These "microlibraries" are in microfiche form, and include instructional materials, resource

materials, and research. A library has been developed in Environmental Education, one in Mathematics Education, and one in Science Education. Indices to these libraries, including abstracts of all documents included in each, are available from the publisher for \$7.00.

---The Council for Educational Development and Research, which is an organization of 20 educational research and development centers, publishes yearly a compilation of the projects and products of the R & D centers. Many of these products and projects include nonprint and multi-media materials and development. The publication, called the CEDaR Catalog, is available from ERIC as ED 091 383 (Vol. I, covering programs) (Microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$11.00) and ED 091 384 (Vol. II, anticipated products) (microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$19.80).

---The Introduction to the first edition of this Comparison make mention of the usefulness of examining the media catalogs of various universities as a means of becoming familiar with what types of multimedia items are available and being used. The growth of the ERIC collection and its increased accessibility now make it possible to examine the catalogs of a number of school district or regional agency collections, and these may also serve as a good source of the same type of information. As examples of two such catalogs in the area of Career Education, we might mention the WACOP (Westside Area Career/Occupation Project) Media Catalog for 1973, 1974 from Glendale, Arizona (ED 089 108, microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$6.00) and Media Resources: Career Education from the Fort Worth Public Schools (ED 089 080, microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$1.85).

---An exhaustive list of commercially-prepared references useful in the building and operation of a media collection would be beyond the scope of this publication. Without making any recommendations of any specific publication, we might mention as examples the Audiovisual Market Place 1974-1975: A Multimedia Guide from the R. R. Bowker Co., which lists software and hardware producers and distributors, and the Guide to Reference Books for School Media Centers by Christine Wyner (Libraries Unlimited, Inc., Littleton, Colorado), which annotates some 2500 reference works for the selection of educational materials.

---Few of the indices included in this guide provide reviews or evaluative comments, and even fewer provide information as to where such reviews can be found. However, a large number of periodicals do review non-print materials, particularly films.

A complete listing of such periodicals is outside the purview of this Comparison. Two excellent sources for locating periodicals which regularly review non-print media are: Media Review Digest (MRD) (Pierian Press, Ann Arbor) and International Index to Film Periodicals 1973 (R. R. Bowker Co., Ann Arbor).

Other review sources include the EFLA Film Evaluation Guide 1946-1964, with subsequent updating via Evaluation Cards. Contact Educational Film Library Association, 17 West 16th Street, New York, New York 10023.

Landers Film Review, P.O. Box 69760, Los Angeles, California 90060 offers a monthly periodical.

Every effort has been made to include as many guides as possible in this publication, and to assure the accuracy of the information given. Any important guides which have been overlooked, or any inadvertant errors in the publication are the responsibility of the compiler, who offers his apologies, if any are needed, to both producers and users.

--David E. Rawnsley
Compiler

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COMPREHENSIVE GUIDES ADDED - 1975 EDITION

MEDIA	LEVEL	ABSTRACT	AVAILABILITY PRICE
Multi	7-12	<p>CORE MEDIA COLLECTION FOR SECONDARY SCHOOLS, Lucille Brown, R. R. Bowker Co., P.O. Box 1385, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48106, 1974.</p> <p>This guide provides details on some 2,000 recommended non-print materials for use in grades 7-12.</p>	From Publisher \$16.50
Multi	K-12	<p>SELECTED FREE MATERIALS FOR CLASSROOM TEACHERS, (5th ed.), Ruth Aubrey, Fearon Publishers/Lear Siegler, Inc., 6 Davis Drive, Belmont, California 94002, 1974.</p> <p>This guide lists free instructional materials from such sources as government agencies, national associations, and manufacturers which can be used for complementing regular materials, and for assistance in the teaching of specialized subject matter</p>	From Publisher \$2.50
Television Films	All	<p>GUIDE BOOK 1975: TELEVISION INSTRUCTION, Agency for Instructional Television, Bloomington, Indiana, 1975.</p> <p>Descriptions of instructional television films produced by the Agency for Instructional Television (AIT) are presented. Included are film series relevant for elementary and secondary education; teacher inservice programs; and higher education.</p>	From Publisher Free From ERIC as IR 001 389* microfiche 75c, hardcopy \$1.85
Films	Child- ren	<p>FILMS KIDS LIKE: A CATALOG OF SHORT FILMS FOR CHILDREN, Susan Rice, Center for Understanding Media, 75 Horatio Street, New York, New York 10014, 1973.</p> <p>This publication includes information on some 220 children's films, and also includes background information about the Children's Film Theater. One section gives details on the mechanics of showing films for children, including equipment needs.</p>	From Publisher or The American Library Association \$4.95 (paper)
Games/ Simulations	All	<p>HANDBOOK OF GAMES AND SIMULATION EXERCISES, G.I. Gibbs, editor, Sage Publications, Inc., 275 South Beverly Drive, Beverly Hills, California 90212, 1974.</p> <p>Nearly 2,000 games and simulations are described ranging in level from those designed to teach young children to read to those intended for post-graduate study. The handbook also includes an introduction to the design and use of games.</p>	From Publisher \$12.00

*Document too new to have been assigned ED number at time of printing. Contact the Clearinghouse for ED number before ordering.

FREQUENCY OF PUBLICATION	CROSS-INDEXED?	publication dates?	primary audiences?	running times?	content summaries?	reviews/evaluations?	producers?	distributors?	special conditions of availability?	prices?
Cum	X		X	X	X		X	X	X	X
Cum	X		X		X		X	X	X	
Cum	X	X	X	X	X				X	X
Single			X	X	X		X	X	X	
Single	X				X		X	X	X	X

SPECIFIC GUIDES ADDED - 1975 EDITION

MEDIA	LEVEL	ABSTRACT	AVAILABILITY PRICE
<u>L A N G U A G E S</u>			
Film	College	<p>FILMS FOR FRENCH: A TEACHERS GUIDE, Sandra Savignon, editor, Visual Aids Service, Illinois University, Urbana, Illinois, 1973.</p> <p>More than 100 films selected for use in college-level French programs are evaluated. The guide includes teacher resource information relative to the cultural significance of the film and the linguistic difficulties students might encounter.</p>	<p>From ERIC as ED 081 268 microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$3.15</p>
<u>T E A C H E R T R A I N I N G</u>			
Multi		<p>THE BEHAVIOR MODIFICATION AUDIO-VISUAL DIRECTORY, Thomas Wilds, Special Education Instructional Materials Center, Texas University, Austin, Texas, 1974.</p> <p>Described in this directory are approximately 125 audiovisual aids that pertain to the area of behavior modification with handicapped children, including such matters as record-keeping and scheduling reinforcements.</p>	<p>From ERIC as ED 091 885 microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$3.15</p>
Multi	Preschool	<p>DIRECTORY OF HEAD START AUDIOVISUAL PROFESSIONAL TRAINING MATERIALS, Thomas Wilds, Head Start Information Project, Council for Exceptional Children, Reston, Virginia, 1973.</p> <p>This guide contains over 265 annotated listings of audiovisual professional training materials related to the education and care of preschool handicapped children.</p>	<p>From ERIC as ED 091 881 microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$5.40</p>
Multi	K-12	<p>COMPENDIUM OF NONCOMMERCIALY PREPARED NONPRINT RESOURCES IN EDUCATIONAL PERSONNEL PREPARATION, Wesley Meierhenry, ERIC Clearinghouse on Teacher Education, Number One Dupont Circle, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, 1974.</p> <p>This compendium is designed as a reference tool for the identification of nonprint educational materials produced by institutional or non-profit agencies. Materials listed include audio cassettes, tape reels and phonodiscs; games and simulations; films; multi-media items; slides, filmstrips and tapes; and video tapes. This publication will be particularly useful to those responsible for developing in-service training programs.</p>	<p>From ERIC as ED 092 485 microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$12.60</p>

FREQUENCY OF PUBLICATION	CROSS-INDEXED?	publication dates?	primary audiences?	running times?	content summaries?	reviews/evaluations?	producers?	distributors?	special conditions of availability?	prices?
Single	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	
Single		X		X	X		X	X	X	X
Single		X		X	X		X	X	X	X
Single		X	X	X	X		X	X	X	

SPECIFIC GUIDES ADDED - 1975 EDITION

MEDIA	LEVEL	ABSTRACT	AVAILABILITY PRICE
		<u>S C I E N C E A N D T E C H N O L O G Y</u>	
Multi	K-12	<p>EDUCATORS GUIDE TO FREE SCIENCE MATERIALS (14th ed.), Mary Saterstrom and John Renner, editors, Educators Progress Service, Inc., Randolph, Wisconsin 53956, 1974.</p> <p>Classifies and describes free films, filmstrips, tapes and other multi-media items related to science education which are available to educators. The guide also includes sample teaching units for all grade levels.</p>	From Publisher \$10.25
Multi	K-12	<p>A CATALOG OF NONPRINT MATERIALS USEFUL IN COMPUTER RELATED INSTRUCTION, Ben Jones, Lane County Intermediate School District, Eugene, Oregon, 1973.</p> <p>The catalog lists films, filmstrips, audio-tapes, and records useful to those in computer science education.</p>	From ERIC as ED 096 976 microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$3.15
		<u>S O C I A L S C I E N C E</u>	
Multi	K-12	<p>EDUCATORS GUIDE TO FREE SOCIAL STUDIES MATERIALS (13th ed.), Patricia Suttles and William Hartley, editors, Educators Progress Service, Inc., Randolph, Wisconsin 53956, 1974.</p> <p>Classifies and describes over 2,600 free films, filmstrips, tapes, scripts, charts, etc. available to educators.</p>	From Publisher \$10.25

FREQUENCY OF PUBLICATION	CROSS- INDEXED?	publication dates?	primary audiences?	running times?	content summaries?	reviews/ evaluations?	producers?	distributors?	special conditions of availability?	prices?
Cum	X			X	X			X	X	
Single	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X
Cum	X			X	X			X	X	

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SPECIFIC GUIDES ADDED - 1975 EDITION

MEDIA	LEVEL	ABSTRACT	AVAILABILITY PRICE
<u>E T H N I C</u>			
Film	K-12	<p>A FILMOGRAPHY FOR AMERICAN INDIAN EDUCATION, Carroll Williams and Gloria Bird, Zia Cine Inc., P.O. Box 493, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501, 1973.</p> <p>This filmography lists and describes approximately 550 films on American Indians, and includes an introduction on the use of the films in the curricula.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$5.00 From ERIC as ED 091 101, microfiche 75¢, not available in hardcopy</p>
Multi	K-12	<p>A RESOURCE GUIDE ON INDIAN ARTS AND CRAFTS FOR ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY TEACHERS, Madeleine Pagot, Indian Education Center, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona, 1974.</p> <p>American Indian arts and crafts reference materials published between 1923 and 1973 are listed in this annotated guide. Approximately 260 listings include both nonprint and print media.</p>	<p>From ERIC as ED 097 154 microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$3.15</p>
Multi	K-12	<p>GUIDE TO MEDIA ON ETHNIC MINORITIES, Harry Johnson, R. R. Bowker Co., P.O. Box 1385, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48106, 1975.</p> <p>Films, tapes, slides, etc. are listed and described in this guide according to the minority group to which they relate.</p>	<p>From Publisher, no price set</p>
<u>H E A L T H A N D R E C R E A T I O N</u>			
Film	All	<p>GUIDE TO FREE-LOAN SPORTS FILMS (16MM), Serina Press, 70 Kennedy Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22305, 1974.</p> <p>This catalog provides information on free films dealing with a wide variety of individual and team sports, general sports competition, and safety.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$6.95</p>
<u>W O M E N</u>			
Film	Adult College	<p>WOMEN AND FILM: A RESOURCE HANDBOOK, Project on the Status and Education of Women, Association of American Colleges, Washington, D.C.</p> <p>This handbook provides a summary of the media resources available concerning women, with emphasis on questions involved in planning a film festival using the films described.</p>	<p>From ERIC as ED 085 034 microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$1.85</p>

FREQUENCY OF PUBLICATION	CROSS- INDEXED?	publication dates?	primary audiences?	running times?	content summaries?	reviews/ evaluations?	producers?	distributors?	special features?	notes
Single	X	X		X	X		X	X	X	x
Single		X		X	X		X	X	X	
Cum	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	x
Single		X		X	X		X	X	X	
Single		X		X	X	X	X	X	X	

INTRODUCTION

1973 EDITION

ABOUT THIS PUBLICATION

This publication is directed primarily to those who have responsibility for building, expanding, or maintaining an up-to-date multi-media resource within an educational system, and primarily to those who are contemplating setting up a shelf of indices to instructional materials or revising their present resources. This paper's purpose is to provide comparative information about the various indices, guides, catalogs, and similar publications which describe, in varying degrees of completeness, instructional materials--films, recordings, video and audio tapes, programmed materials, and so forth.

The indices and catalogs included in this Comparison were gathered, primarily but not exclusively, from an extensive search of Research in Education, which the reader will recognize as the index to the ERIC (Educational Resources Information Center) document collection.

Two main criteria were used in screening indices and catalogs. First, no publications published before 1970 have been included, unless they have been updated. This was done in order to assure timeliness of the information. Second, since the Comparison is directed toward users in educational settings, we have not included indices to non-print materials in specialized areas which would appear to have limited use to the general educational community. For example, we have not included catalogs of feature films published for use by theatre or TV programmers, although a number of such catalogs are available.

The information about each index or catalog was taken from the abstract of the document as cited in RIE, from other descriptions of the publication (such as publishers' advertising materials or the ALERT Sourcebook of Elementary Curricula Programs and Projects, published by the Far West Laboratory for Educational Research and Development), or by direct examination of the index. In the majority of cases, this information has been rechecked with the publisher to assure accuracy and timeliness.

This Comparison will be most useful when used in conjunction with other sources of information in the instructional technology field, such as guides to equipment, manuals for developing AV programs, and similar publications. One excellent companion

1975 updating has been done throughout this section.²

publication which gives references and abstracts of such materials is Instructional Materials in the Classroom: A Basic Reference Shelf, recently published by the ERIC Clearinghouse on Media and Technology.*

Another valuable publication is Media Indexes and Review Sources by Margaret E. Chisholm, School of Library and Information Sciences, University of Maryland, 1972. This publication serves as a guide for the librarian to locate reviews of media; as a buying list from which a librarian can identify review tools to purchase; and as a study guide and reference source for classes.**

OBSERVATIONS ON SELECTING A GUIDE OR INDEX

One of the basic problems in building or expanding a collection of non-print instructional materials, or in otherwise servicing the needs of the users of such materials, is that of finding out what is available among the vast number of materials constantly being produced. You must discover what materials are generally available in various subjects, and who (in terms of producers and distributors) is most likely to have materials in the content areas and in the media types which interest you.

Along with the indices described in the publication, two other sources can be most helpful in this process:

1. University catalogs describing the collection of a particular library or IMC are generally free or relatively inexpensive.

*Available for \$2.00 from: Box E, School of Education, Stanford University, Stanford, California 94305. Checks must be included with your order and made payable to "Box E." Also available from ERIC as ED 082 495 for 75¢ in microfiche and \$1.50 in hardcopy.

**Available for \$4.75 from Student Supply Store, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland 20742.

A few such catalogs are included in the Comparison. Even if you do not have access to the collection described, examination of such a catalog can provide an overview of who is producing what, and for what purposes.

2. Publishers' catalogs are readily available, and examination of them can give the user insights into the types of materials a particular publisher is inclined to produce. Another benefit to becoming familiar with the catalogs of publishing firms is timeliness. No matter how much effort goes into the production of the indices described in this Comparison, such publications are in effect out-dated the moment they come off the presses. The "very latest thing" produced last month can't conceivably be included in an index published once a year. For obvious reasons, such is not the case with the lists of publishers, who are eager to sell or rent you their materials.

However, neither of these two useful sources can replace a good comprehensive index to the type of non-print materials you are interested in.

Four criteria have been suggested for selecting such an index:

Comprehensiveness. Does the publication cover the field, or does it give only a limited sample of the materials available? One obvious measure of comprehensiveness is simply the number of items included in the index, compared to another index covering the same area. ALL OTHER THINGS BEING EQUAL, the index with the most citations can be assumed to be the most comprehensive, but you must be certain all other things are in fact equal. Comprehensiveness also can refer to whether or not the information is adequate enough to be useful. Someone might conceivably put together a list of the titles of all the 8mm films ever published and call such a list comprehensive, but it would be of little use to anyone unless other information (availability, cost, primary audience) was included.

Another factor should be kept in mind in relation to comprehensiveness. If you are looking for non-print materials in a specific area, and are fortunate enough to come across an index of selected materials in that area compiled by an agency or individual whose judgement you trust (and who provides in the index the basis on which the selections were made), you may have come across an index which is comprehensive enough for your purposes, and which almost always will be less expensive than a non-selective publication.

Reliability. Of the four criteria suggested here, reliability is certainly the most subjective, and one which cannot be judged by physical examination of the index. Reliability means, of course, the extent to which the information in the index is accurate and current. Judging reliability requires experience in using various indices and other sources. Perhaps the best suggestion for short-cutting the pain and agony of going through such experience yourself would be to contact someone experienced in the field and ask what publishers of

indices and guides they have found most reliable over time. Begin with indices from those publishers until more experience is gained.

Usability. The primary concern here is the relative ease (or un-ease) with which the user can start with relatively little information (e.g. the subject and primary audience for which a film is desired) and find the citations for relevant materials. The usual method for providing access to citations from many angles is cross-indexing. As a general rule, the more cross-indices provided, the better off the user is. Another aspect of usability refers to the clarity of the information given in a citation: There are cases in which citations are so full of codes and references to appended lists that the user can become highly frustrated. However, what is confusing to one user may be perfectly straightforward to another, so this aspect of usability can really only be judged through experience with various publications.

Timeliness. We've already mentioned the impossibility of printing an annual guide which will include each month's productions. Perhaps someday a computer-based service will be developed which will solve this problem, but until that time there will always be at least a few months' lag before available items are included in an index. Many publishers included herein update their indices at varying intervals. Before committing your agency to the use of one or more guides, a judgement should be made based on the nature of your agency and its clientele as to the importance of timeliness relative to other criteria upon which a selection might be made. Obviously, no one wants a completely out-of-date index, but within reasonable limits one may want to emphasize other considerations over timeliness.

Publishers generally use one of two methods for updating their indices. One approach is to reprint the index, with new materials integrated into it at some interval. The second approach is to publish a supplement to the original index, generally on a yearly basis. The former method involves the user in purchasing a whole new guide periodically, while the latter may involve buying the original guide and a number of supplements in order to keep a comprehensive index on hand. Once again, you must make a judgement involving the purposes to which your agency will put the index, whether or not "all other things are equal" and, of course, the budget.

ORGANIZATION OF THIS COMPARISON

This Comparison is divided into two main sections. The first, "Comprehensive Guides," includes publications which cover a number of content areas, although each index may or may not be specialized in terms of the media covered. The title "Comprehensive" may be somewhat misleading, insofar as all guides included in this

section may not cover all the content areas of interest to educators. In all cases where information is available, the content areas are noted in the abstract included with each title.

The second section, "Specific Subject Area Guides," includes publications which cover only a single subject area, regardless, again, of the media involved.

KEY TO THE TABLES

Starting from left to right, each column contains the following information for each guide:

1. **MEDIA**--Indicates the general type of media covered by the index or guide, such as film, audio-tapes. The title of the guide or the abstract will indicate any further degree of specialization, such as 8mm film. **Multi**--indicates that the index covers a range of media, although it should not be assumed that it will include all media.

2. **LEVEL**--Indicates the general educational or levels to which the guide is directed.

3. **ABSTRACT**--Indicates the title, date (including date of latest supplement if appropriate), compiler, publisher, and a brief description of the guide.

4. **AVAILABILITY PRICE**--Indicates the source or sources of the index, the latest price information available to the compiler at the time of publication of this Comparison.

5. **FREQUENCY OF PUBLICATION**--Indicates whether the index is cumulative, supplemented, or single-edition, using the following code:

Cum--Cumulative. That is, reprinted in whole with new items at some interval.

Supp--Supplemented. That is, updated with a supplement of new items at some interval.

Single--Single Edition. That is, compiled and published once, with no regular updating.

6. **CROSS-INDEXED**--Indicates that the index includes one or more cross-indices such as a subject or author index.

7. **PUBLICATION DATES**--An X indicates that the publication date is given for each cited item.

8. **PRIMARY AUDIENCES**--An X indicates that each citation in the index includes the primary audience for which the item was designed/produced.

9. **RUNNING TIMES**--An X indicates inclusion of information as to how long the cited item takes to be shown, heard, or other wise used.

10. **CONTENT SUMMARIES**--An X indicates that each citation includes a summary of the content of the item.

11. **REVIEWS/EVALUATIONS**--An X indicates that the index either includes reviews of each item cited (beyond the content summary) or reference sources for reviews.

12. **PRODUCERS**--An X indicates that the citations include references to the producer of the item.

13. **DISTRIBUTORS**--An X indicates that citations include the name and address of the distributor of the item.

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15. **PRICES**--An X indicates that the price of each item is given.

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Apologies are offered in advance to users of the Comparison and to publishers of indices and guides for any inadvertent omissions. A sincere effort has been made to include as many relevant indices as possible.

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COMPREHENSIVE GUIDES

COMPREHENSIVE Guides

MEDIA	LEVEL	ABSTRACT	AVAILABILITY PRICE
Multi	All	<p>AUDIO-VISUAL RESOURCE GUIDE. 9TH EDITION, Nick Abrams, editor, Friendship Press, P.O. Box 37844, Cincinnati, Ohio 45237, 1972.</p> <p>The National Council of Churches has assembled this guide for the benefit of schools, churches and community organizations. The guide is divided into 14 conceptual areas ranging from "God and the Church" to science, and is intended to be secular in application.</p>	From Publisher \$8.95 + 50¢ postage
Games	All	<p>CONTEMPORARY GAMES. A DIRECTORY COVERING GAMES AND PLAY SITUATIONS OR SIMULATIONS USED FOR INSTRUCTION AND TRAINING BY SCHOOLS, COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES, GOVERNMENT, BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT, VOLUME I, DIRECTORY, Jean Belch, compiler, Gale Research Company, Book Tower, Detroit, Michigan 48226, 1973.</p> <p>This directory lists approximately 900 games, covering almost all subject matter fields, which have sufficient intellectual content to be used for educational purposes by students.</p>	From Publisher \$35.00
Audio-cassettes	College Adult Secondary	<p>DIRECTORY OF SPOKEN-VOICE AUDIO-CASSETTES, Gerald McKee, editor, Cassette Information Services, Box 17727, Los Angeles, California 90057, 1974.</p> <p>Most listings in the catalog are for programs of college or adult level interest, with the exception of the "Careers" listings geared toward high school students. The catalog also has lists of producers of children's cassettes.</p>	From Publisher \$5.00
Film	K-12	<p>EDUCATORS GUIDE TO FREE FILMS. THIRTY-FOURTH ANNUAL EDITION, Mary Foley Horkhimer and John C. Diffor, editors and compilers, Educators Progress Service, Inc., Randolph, Wisconsin 53956, 1974.</p> <p>This Annual Guide is a cumulative catalog of 5,000 free films in education and recreation.</p>	From Publisher \$12.75

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Single			X	X	X		X	X	X	X
Cum	X	X		X	X		X	X	X	X

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MEDIA	LEVEL	ABSTRACT	AVAILABILITY PRICE
Film- strips	K-12	<p>EDUCATORS GUIDE TO FREE FILMSTRIPS, TWENTY-FIFTH EDITION, Mary Foley Horkheimer and John C. Diffor, editors and compilers, Educators Progress Service, Inc., Randolph, Wisconsin 53956, 1974.</p> <p>More than 500 filmstrips for teaching a wide range of educational topics which are available to schools in the U.S. without charge are listed. The filmstrips are classified in 17 topic areas.</p>	From Publisher \$9.25
Multi	K-12	<p>EDUCATORS GUIDE TO FREE TAPES, SCRIPTS, AND TRANSCRIPTIONS, 20th ed., Walter A. Wittich, editor and compiler, Educators Progress Service, Randolph, Wisconsin 53956, 1974.</p> <p>The free audiotapes, videotapes, scripts, and transcriptions referenced in this twentieth edition of the guide were assembled to help teachers and librarians select materials which encourage students to inquire, discover, and develop the ideas which will enable them to contribute to society. Entries are listed under curricular areas: accident prevention and safety, aerospace education, business education, clubs, communications and transportation, environmental education, fine arts, guidance, health education, home economics, industrial education, language arts, religion, science, social studies, and teacher reference and growth materials.</p>	From Publisher \$9.50
Film	All	<p>8MM FILM DIRECTORY, Grace Ann Kone, editor and compiler, Comprehensive Service Corporation, 250 West 64th Street, New York, New York 10023, 1969.</p> <p>All 8mm films in general distribution in the United States, regardless of length or subject, are listed in this directory: Standard or Super 8, silent or sound, cartridge or reel-to-reel. The films and film series are entered under the headings of Arts, Education, Fiction, Language, Recreation, Religion, Sciences, Society and Environment, and Technology.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$8.50</p> <p>OUT OF PRINT</p>
Computer Programs	Higher Educa- tion	<p>EIN SOFTWARE CATALOG; ENTRIES, VOLUMES I-III, Interuniversity Communications Council (EDUCOM), Boston, Massachusetts 02114, 1972.</p> <p>EIN (Educational Information Network) is a nonprofit operation which coordinates the sharing of educational computing resources. The catalog describes the network and its functions, and the entry catalogs describe software available through the network. Programs are divided into 13 areas of application.</p>	<p>Catalog from ERIC as ED 064 956, microfiche \$1.05, hardcopy \$29.40</p> <p>Entries Vol. I from ERIC as ED 064 957, microfiche 90¢, hardcopy \$27.00</p> <p>Entries Vol. II from ERIC as ED 064 958, microfiche \$1.20, hardcopy \$36.60</p> <p>Entries Vol. III from ERIC as ED 064 960, microfiche 90¢, hardcopy \$27.00</p>

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Single	X	X			X		X	X	X	X

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Film/ Film- strips	All	<p>FILMS: 1973 SUPPLEMENT TO THE 1971/72 CATALOG OF FILMS, FILM LOOPS AND FILMSTRIPS FOR SCHOOLS, COLLEGES AND LIBRARIES, Learning Corporation of America, 711 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York 10022, 1973.</p> <p>The films in this catalog for elementary grades are available for use in the language arts and social studies classes. For junior and senior high, college, and adult courses, films are listed for instruction in art, music, and dance; environmental studies; United States history; world history and culture; guidance; social comment; literature and drama; and film as art. Also listed are filmstrips and film loops for use with primary and younger children. Filmstrip subjects include animals, the sea, basic concepts in social studies, listening, storytelling, and preparation for reading. Filmstrips on inventions and technology in American history are intended for intermediate grades through high school.</p>	From Publisher \$1.50
Film	All	<p>FILMS--TOO GOOD FOR WORDS. A DIRECTORY OF NONNARRATED 16MM FILMS, Salvatore J. Parlato, Jr., R. R. Bowker Co., 1180 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10036, 1973.</p> <p>A nonnarrated film is one that communicates pictorially on the strength of its visual unity, continuity, and coherence without relying on narration or dialogue. This directory lists 1,000 such 16mm films, mostly curriculum-oriented educational films, in three main parts. The first part describes films under subject headings such as the arts, other places and customs, science, nature, expression, city and suburb, values, fun, action, war and peace, fantasy, and literature.</p>	From Publisher \$12.50

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Single	X	X		X	X		X	X		

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Film	Adult	<p>GUIDE TO GOVERNMENT-LOAN FILM (16MM). THIRD EDITION, Serina Press, 70 Kennedy Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22305, 1974.</p> <p>Films are listed which are available from United States organizations.</p>	From Publisher \$9.95
Simulations/ Games	All	<p>THE GUIDE TO SIMULATIONS/GAMES, David W. Zuckerman and Robert E. Horn, Information Resources, Inc., P.O. Box 417, Lexington, Massachusetts 02173, Summer 1975.</p> <p>The guide includes detailed descriptions on 25 different factors for over 600 simulations and games and also includes chapters on instructional use of simulations/games, how they can be developed, a demonstration session for use in introducing simulations/games to staff, parents and students, and new trends and novelties in the field.</p>	From Publisher \$25.00
Computer Software	All	<p>INDEX TO COMPUTER ASSISTED INSTRUCTION, Helen A. Lekan, editor, Sterling Institute, 3750 Prudential Tower, Boston, Massachusetts 62199, 1970.</p> <p>The index reports 910 programs which are available from various developers and suppliers. Of these, 6 are appropriate for pre-K, 59 for primary grades, 90 for intermediate, 72 for junior high, 346 for senior high, and 650 for university and other adult education purposes. The total exceeds 910 because many programs are appropriate for more than one level.</p>	From Publisher \$19.50 OUT OF PRINT
Computer Programs	All	<p>INDEX TO COMPUTER BASED LEARNING, Robert E. Hoyer and Anastasia C. Wang, editors, Educational Technology Publications, 140 Sylvan Avenue, Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey 07632, 1973.</p> <p>The guidebook contains data on more than 1750 computer based courses and course modules covering scores of subjects at all levels of education and training. Former editions were titled <u>Index to Computer Assisted Instruction</u>.</p>	From Publisher \$18.95
Audio- tapes	All	<p>INDEX TO EDUCATIONAL AUDIO TAPES (3rd ed.), National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1974.</p> <p>This index lists and describes the educational content of over 20,000 audio tapes. See also NICEM's UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	From Publisher \$42.50 Microfilm - \$28.50

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Cum	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
Single	X	X	X		X		X	X		X
Cum	X		X		X		X	X		
Cum	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		

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Transparencies	All	<p>INDEX TO EDUCATIONAL OVERHEAD TRANSPARENCIES, 2 v. (4th ed.), National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1974.</p> <p>This index lists and describes over 50,000 educational transparencies. See also NICEM's UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$68.50 Microfiche - \$49.50</p>
Records	All	<p>INDEX TO EDUCATIONAL RECORDS (3rd ed.), National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1974.</p> <p>This index lists and describes over 22,000 educational records. See also NICEM's UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$42.50 Microfiche - \$28.50</p>
Slides	All	<p>INDEX TO EDUCATIONAL SLIDES (2nd ed.), National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1974.</p> <p>This index lists and describes over 18,000 educational slide sets, including information about physical size and the number of slides/set. See also NICEM's UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$38.50 Microfiche - \$26.50</p>
Video-tapes	All	<p>INDEX TO EDUCATIONAL VIDEO TAPES (3rd ed.), National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1974.</p> <p>This index lists and describes the educational content of over 12,000 video tapes. See also NICEM's UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$26.50 Microfiche - \$18.50</p>
Film	All	<p>INDEX TO 8MM MOTION CARTRIDGES (4th ed.), National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1974.</p> <p>This index lists and describes over 22,000 educational 8mm motion cartridges. See also NICEM's UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$42.50 Microfiche - \$28.50</p>
Film	All	<p>INDEX TO 16MM EDUCATIONAL FILMS (3 vol., 5th ed.), National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1974.</p> <p>This index contains approximately 90,000 annotated entries. See also NICEM's UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$99.50 Microfiche - \$79.50</p>

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MEDIA	LEVEL	ABSTRACT	AVAILABILITY PRICE
Film- strips	All	<p>INDEX TO 35MM FILMSTRIPS (2 vols., 5th ed.), National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1974.</p> <p>This index lists and describes 52,000 filmstrips useful in education. See also NICEM's UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$78.50 Microfiche - \$59.50</p>
Film	All	<p>INTERNATIONAL INDEX TO MULTI-MEDIA INFORMATION, Audio-Visual Associates, 180 East California Boulevard, Pasadena, California 91105, 1974.</p> <p>This catalog indexes quarterly approximately 100 publications that review all formats of multimedia materials. The Index includes four distinct sections in each issue: the Publications Directory, the Title Section, the Subject Guide, and the Distributor and Producer Directory.</p>	<p>From Publisher (quarterly) \$30/year</p>
Multi	All	<p>LEARNING DIRECTORY 1972-73. A COMPREHENSIVE GUIDE TO INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS IN ALL MEDIA (8v.) Westinghouse Learning Corporation, 100 Park Avenue, New York, New York 10017, 1972.</p> <p>Over 200,000 distinct items of instructional material are indexed in this seven volume annual directory. Information in the directory is divided into two sections: the instructional materials index and the source index. The source index provides names, addresses, and telephone numbers for each publisher, producer, or exclusive distributor whose offerings are included in the instructional materials index. Information request cards are bound into each volume to aid in contacting sources for information catalogs, or samples.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$99.50</p>
Audio- tapes	All	<p>NATIONAL CENTER FOR AUDIO TAPES 1974-1976 CATALOG, Colorado University, Boulder, Colorado Bureau of Audiovisual Instruction.</p> <p>Over 12,000 audio tapes are listed in this catalog under one of seven headings: arts, education, language and literature, mathematics-science, physical-recreational activities, social studies, and vocational-technical training. Information on each tape includes its Library of Congress subject classification, grade level, series title and description, producer, production date, individual program title, running time, series stock number, Library of Congress number, and individual program title stock number.</p>	<p>From National Center for Audio Tapes, University of Colorado, Stadium Building, Boulder, Colorado 80302 \$4.50</p>

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Video- tapes	All	<p>VIDEOPLAY PROGRAM SOURCE GUIDE, C.S. Tepfer Publishing Company Inc., 607 Main Street, Ridgefield, Connecticut 06877, 1974.</p> <p>Among the over 6,100 videocassette programs covered by this new guide are such subjects as recreation, music, art, elementary, secondary school and college instruction, drug abuse, ecology, human relations, cartoons, a series on reading for pre-schoolers, and lessons on belly dancing.</p>	From Publisher \$2.50
Film/ Video- tapes	All	<p>1975 RECORDED VISUAL INSTRUCTION, University of Nebraska, P.O. Box 80669, Lincoln, Nebraska 68501, 1975.</p> <p>Virtually all materials currently offered by Great Plains National Instructional Television Library (GPN) are described in this catalog. Included are more than 100 videotape recordings of courses which may be leased and/or sold to the educational user. In addition, materials on 16mm film and microscope and 3/4-U videocassette are included which may also be leased or purchased.</p>	<p>From Publisher (single copy on request) and From ERIC as IR 001 416* microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$9.00</p>
Audio- tapes	All	<p>PACIFICA PROGRAMS, Pacifica Tape Library, 5316 Venice Blvd., Los Angeles, California 90019, 1973.</p> <p>Audio tapes and cassettes that are available from the Pacifica Tape Library, Los Angeles, California, are listed in this 60-page catalog. Tapes are classified according to 31 subjects, including alternative education, the peace movement, technology and the human future, science and scientists, and repression and conspiracy.</p>	From Publisher Free
Programmed Instruction	All	<p>PROGRAMMED LEARNING: A BIBLIOGRAPHY OF PROGRAMS AND PRESENTATION DEVICES (5th ed.), Carl H. Hendershot, Hendershot Programmed Learning Consultants, 4114 Ridgewood Drive, Bay City, Michigan 48706, 1973.</p> <p>Over 3,500 commercial programs for use in programmed instruction are listed by subject and publisher. The 55 subject areas include the liberal arts; technical, vocational, and professional training; and miscellaneous topics like bridge, chess, and boating. In addition, devices for use in the presentation of programs, multimedia instruction kits, and educational systems are listed by manufacturer.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$32.75 (with subscription to annual supplements \$58.00)</p>

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Cum	X	X	X	X	X		X		X	X
Single				X	X		X	X	X	X
Supp	X		X	X	X		X	X		X

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MEDIA	LEVEL	ABSTRACT	AVAILABILITY PRICE
Multi	K-8	<p>RESOURCES FOR LEARNING: A CORE MEDIA COLLECTION FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, R. R. Bowker Company, P.O. Box 1807, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48106, 1971.</p> <p>An attempt has been made to provide a list of films, tapes, slides, records, etc. which are likely to be of instructional use in elementary schools. A nucleus group of 576 titles is indicated which are recommended for early acquisition.</p>	From Publisher \$16.50
Film	All	<p>16MM FILMS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AND RENTAL IN THE UNITED STATES, National Film Board of Canada, 16th Floor, 1251 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10020, 1973.</p> <p>This catalog lists and describes films produced by the National Film Board of Canada which are available for purchase and rental in the United States through various commercial distributors. Films are arranged under several broad topics--the arts; people, places and history; health; science; social science; and sports and recreation, and by subtopic within each of those broad classifications.</p>	From Publisher Free
Multi	All	<p>UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA, National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007.</p> <p>The Update is a subscription service published 4 times annually which updates and supplements all previous NICEM indices. Each edition provides information about 3000-4000 entries. (See other NICEM publications described in this guide.)</p>	Included with index subscriptions
Multi	All	<p>A CATALOG OF UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT PRODUCED AUDIOVISUAL MATERIALS, Information Branch, National Audiovisual Center (GSA), Washington, D.C. 20409, 1974.</p> <p>Containing 4,500 audiovisual materials available for sale and/or rent, this catalog lists 16mm films, motion cartridges, audiodiscs, audiotapes, slide sets, and film strips available through the National Audiovisual Center of the General Services Administration.</p>	<p>From Publisher Free</p> <p>From ERIC as IR 001 614* for 75¢ in microfiche, \$18.60 in hardcopy</p> <p>*Document too new to have been assigned ED number at time of printing. Contact the Clearinghouse for ED number before ordering.</p>

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Supp	X			X	X		X	X	X	X

SPECIFIC GUIDES

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MEDIA	LEVEL	ABSTRACT	AVAILABILITY PRICE
		<u>ECOLOGY</u>	
Film	All	<p>THE ENVIRONMENT FILM REVIEW. A CRITICAL GUIDE TO ECOLOGY FILMS, Environment Information Center Inc., 124 East 39th Street, New York, New York 10016, 1972.</p> <p>Films providing a comprehensive menu of selections covering all major aspects of environmental affairs are referenced and reviewed in this guide. Major subject categories under which films are listed include air pollution, chemical and biological contamination, energy, environmental education, environmental design, food and drugs, land use, noise pollution, non-renewable resources, oceans and estuaries, population planning and control, radiological contamination, renewable resources, solid waste, transportation, water pollution, weather modification, and geophysical change, and wildlife.</p>	From Publisher \$20.00
Film	All	<p>FOREST SERVICE FILMS AVAILABLE ON LOAN FOR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES TO SCHOOLS, CIVIC GROUPS, CHURCHES, TELEVISION, Forest Service (DOA), Washington, D.C., 1973.</p> <p>Over 100 films prepared by the Forest Service are listed in this catalog. Sixty-five general interest films and seven "Smkey the Bear" fire prevention films are available. Twenty-nine Forest Service training films are also listed which are not available for public use except under special circumstances. All films are sound-on-film. The topics of the films range from historical descriptions of National Forests, to land management, fire fighting, and sound logging practices.</p>	From ERIC as ED 051 677, microfiche 75¢, hardcopy \$1.85
Film	All	<p>GUIDE TO FILMS (16MM) ABOUT ECOLOGY, ADAPTATION AND POLLUTION, Serina Press, 70 Kennedy Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22305, 1971.</p> <p>Synopses of 350 films (16mm) on ecology, adaptation of plants and animals to their environment, and environment pollution are listed alphabetically by title in this guide. Some sample titles are: Chain of Life; Animals Protect Themselves; Balance in Nature; Heredity and Adaptive Change; Population Ecology; Effects of Air Pollution; The Garbage Explosion; and Silent Spring of Rachel Carson.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$2.95</p> <p>OUT OF PRINT</p>
Multi	All	<p>INDEX TO ECOLOGY--MULTIMEDIA (2nd ed.), National Information Center for Education Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1973.</p> <p>This index covers over 11,000 titles dealing with the preservation of the environment. See also NICEM's UPDATE TO NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	From Publisher \$19.50

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Single		X	X	X	X			X	X	X
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MEDIA	LEVEL	ABSTRACT	AVAILABILITY PRICE
Multi	K-12	<p>WHAT IS A CITY? A MULTI-MEDIA GUIDE ON URBAN LIVING, Boston Public Library, P.O. Box 286, Boston, Massachusetts 02117, 1969.</p> <p>Books, pamphlets, periodicals, films, filmstrips, loops, recordings, and realia are catalogued in this multi-media guide on urban living. Materials are suggested which could be used effectively with inner-city young people or in explaining city problems to affluent suburban youth, pre-school through high school age. Items are evaluated for their usefulness as an interpretation of all aspects of city living with the basic criteria for inclusion being how well a facet of city life is explained or illuminated. Contemporary themes and issues are the primary emphasis although some feature of historical development are treated.</p>	From Publisher \$2.00 (payable with order)
Multi	All	<p><u>ETHNIC STUDIES</u></p> <p>BIBLIOGRAPHY OF NONPRINT INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS ON THE AMERICAN INDIAN, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, Institute of American Indian Studies, 1972.</p> <p>References to approximately 1400 nonprint instructional materials on the American Indian are included in this bibliography, including 16mm motion pictures, 8mm film loops, filmstrips, 35mm slides, overhead transparencies, study prints, maps, charts, audio recordings, and multimedia kits.</p>	From Brigham Young University Printing Service, Provo, Utah 84601
Film	All	<p>GUIDE TO FILMS (16MM) ABOUT NEGROES (1st ed.), Serina Press, 70 Kennedy Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22305, 1970.</p> <p>Over 740 films (16mm) concerning the lives, culture, history, and problems of Black people in the United States and in Africa are listed. The films cover a wide variety of subjects including racial discrimination and prejudice; ghetto life; ancient cultures of Africa; the civil rights movement; militancy and Black power; segregation and desegregation; political, economic, and social developments in Africa; and biographies of such well know Black people as Stokely Carmichael, Huey Newton, and Booker T. Washington.</p>	From Publisher \$3.95 OUT OF PRINT
Multi	All	<p>INDEX TO BLACK HISTORY AND STUDIES: MULTIMEDIA (2nd ed.), National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1973.</p> <p>This index lists and describes over 10,000 non-book titles dealing with the history and contributions of the black minority in America. See also NICEM's UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	From Publisher \$19.50

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Single	x	x	x	x	x		x	x		
Single	x			x	x		x	x	x	
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Multi	All	<p>MULTIMEDIA MATERIALS FOR AFRO-AMERICAN STUDIES. A CURRICULUM ORIENTATION AND ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHY OF RESOURCES, R. R. Bowker Company, P.O. Box 1385, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48106, 1971.</p> <p>An extensive annotated list of non-print media, plus a bibliography of 100 paperback books, provides a body of instructional materials for teaching about the contributions of Afro-American culture and heritage. A second media list concentrates on the study of the people and states of Africa. Of the non-print materials listed in the two sections, over 700 titles are films; the remainder are records, filmstrips, multimedia kits, audiotapes, videotapes, kinescopes, transparencies, slides, photographs, posters, and graphics.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>GUIDANCE</u></p>	From Publisher \$21.00
Multi	K-12	<p>EDUCATORS GUIDE TO FREE GUIDANCE MATERIALS. TWELFTH EDITION, Mary H. Saterstrom and Joe A. Steph, editors and compilers, Educators Progress Service, Inc., Randolph, Wisconsin 53956, 1974.</p> <p>More than 1,000 films, filmstrips, audiotapes and other media that are available without charge to schools and guidance counselors are listed. Listings are classified into one of four categories: career planning, social and personal, responsibility to self and others, and use of leisure time.</p>	From Publisher \$9.75
Multi	All	<p>INDEX TO PSYCHOLOGY - MULTIMEDIA (2nd ed.), National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1974.</p> <p>This index lists and describes over 18,000 non-book titles dealing with the general and specific area of psychology. See also NICEM's UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	From Publisher \$26.50 Microfiche - \$18.50
Multi	Secondary/ Higher Education/ Adult	<p>THE MULTIMEDIA STORE CATALOG, American Personnel and Guidance Association, Subscription Department, 1607 New Hampshire Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20009, 1973.</p> <p>This catalog lists a variety of films, cassettes, and printed material produced by the American Personnel and Guidance Association.</p>	From Publisher Free

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MEDIA	LEVEL	ABSTRACTS	AVAILABILITY PRICE
<u>HEALTH AND DRUG ABUSE</u>			
Multi	All	<p>DRUG ABUSE FILMS, National Institute of Mental Health (DHEW), Bethesda, Maryland, 1970.</p> <p>Films and other audiovisuals were evaluated both for scientific accuracy and effectiveness as a communications tool. Four categories are used for descriptive purposes: films rated scientifically acceptable, scientifically unacceptable, and other audiovisuals rated scientifically acceptable and scientifically unacceptable.</p>	<p>From National Coordinating Council on Drug Abuse, 1211 Connecticut Avenue, N. W., Washington, D.C. 20036.</p> <p>\$2.00</p>
Multi	All	<p>EDUCATORS GUIDE TO FREE HEALTH, PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND RECREATION MATERIALS; A MULTIMEDIA GUIDE. SIXTH EDITION, Foley A. Horkheimer and Louis Alley, Educators Progress Service, Inc., Randolph, Wisconsin 53956, 1974.</p> <p>The guide lists 2,955 free items relevant to health, physical education, and recreation.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$10.00</p>
Film/ Film- strips	All	<p>GUIDE TO FILMS (16MM) ABOUT THE USE OF DANGEROUS DRUGS, NARCOTICS, ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO, Serina Press, 70 Kennedy Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22305, 1971.</p> <p>About 230 films and 60 filmstrips dealing with drugs, narcotics, alcohol, and tobacco are synopsized. Approximately half the listings deal with alcohol, a quarter concern tobacco, and the rest deal with drugs.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$2.95</p> <p>OUT OF PRINT</p>
Multi	All	<p>INDEX TO HEALTH AND SAFETY EDUCATION - MULTIMEDIA (2nd ed.), National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1974.</p> <p>Gives the user access to over 18,000 titles dealing with general and very specific areas of health and safety education. See also NICEM's UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$26.50</p> <p>Microfiche - \$18.50</p>
Film/ Video- tapes	College Adult	<p>SOCIAL FACTORS IN HEALTH CARE: AN EVALUATION OF SELECTED FILMS AND VIDEOTAPES, Gerald J. Hunt and Allen S. Mondell, Dr. Gerald J. Hunt, Department of Psychiatry, University of Maryland, School of Medicine, 645 West Redwood Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201, 1972.</p> <p>Reviews of selected films and videotapes which illustrate the relationship between social factors and health care are presented in this catalog. The films relate to two areas of health care: the delivery of health services by the government or private parties and the problem areas of medical care such as alcoholism, birth, death, drug abuse, suicide, patient-doctor interaction, and general hospital critique.</p>	<p>From Publisher \$2.00</p>

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<u>SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY</u>			
Film	Higher Educa- tion	<p>AN ANNOTATED BIBLIOGRAPHY OF 16MM FILMS USEFUL IN COLLEGE LEVEL GEOLOGY AND EARTH SCIENCE COURSES, Noel Potter, Jr. and others, American Geological Institute, 2201 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037, 1971.</p> <p>The approximately 300 films reviewed for this bibliography are placed into three categories: those considered appropriate for undergraduate courses in geology or earth science; those considered not appropriate for this use; and those judged to be too elementary. The 160 films considered appropriate are listed alphabetically by title with biographic information. Films are listed by courses, by subjects, and by geographic area (states and countries) as well as by title.</p>	From Publisher Free
Film	Adult	<p>AUDIOVISUAL MEDIA FOR COMPUTER EDUCATION, H. J. Van Der Aa, editor, Netherlands Centre for Informatics, Amsterdam and Netherlands Institute for Audiovisual Media, the Hague, 1970.</p> <p>The result of an international survey, this catalog lists over 450 films dealing with computing methods and automation and is intended for those who wish to use audiovisual displays as a means of instruction of computer education.</p>	<p>From Science Associates/ International, Inc., 23 East 26th Street, New York, New York 10010 \$5.00</p>
Film	All	<p>COMBINED FILM CATALOG 1972. UNITED STATES ATOMIC ENERGY, Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D. C., Office of Information Service, 1972.</p> <p>This catalog lists 232 films available free to non-profit public groups from the United States Atomic Energy Commission. Some date back as far as 1948, but the vast majority are from 1968 on. The Education-Information collection contains 134 films on these subjects: biology, agriculture, careers, environment, ecology, industrial applications, international affairs, medicine, national laboratory activities, nuclear activities and uses, power reactors, atomic energy research, radiation, space, and uranium. These are designed for the general public, television, and instructional levels from elementary schools to college. The Technical-Professional collection has 98 films for professional audiences on the following topics: anthropology, biology, agriculture, data processing, engineering, fuels, metallurgy, industrial applications, medicine, nuclear power, physics, chemistry, power reactors, transportation, space, and radiation.</p>	<p>From Audio-Visual Section, Office of Infor- mation Services, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D.C. 20545 Free</p>

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Multi	K-8	<p>CURRICULUM PROJECTS AND MATERIALS IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES, American Psychological Association, Washington, D.C., Clearinghouse on Precollege Psychology, 1972.</p> <p>The objective of the summary sheets is to inform teachers and educators about available instructional materials for elementary school behavioral sciences. Emphasis in this first compilation is upon presenting projects, but a few games are included. Selection criterion is based upon whether the study of human behavior is the central focus, and whether elementary students are target audiences for the materials.</p>	From ERIC as ED 067 358, microfiche 65¢, Xerox hardcopy \$3.29
Film	College	<p>DIRECTORY OF MARINE AND MARINE-RELATED INFORMATION RESOURCES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN. PART II, LIBRARY AND FILM RESOURCES, John R. Luedtke, Wisconsin University, Madison, 1970.</p> <p>This directory is the second volume of a two-volume marine directory set. The listings identify and locate periodicals, indices and abstracts, bibliographies, monographs, films, and filmstrips available within the University of Wisconsin network.</p>	From ERIC as ED 061 045, microfiche 65¢, Xerox hardcopy \$6.58
Multi	Adult	<p>SELECTED INSTRUMENTATION FILMS 1971-1972, Raymond L. Simmons, editor, Instrument Society of America, 400 Stanwix Street, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15222, 1971.</p> <p>Revised and enlarged, this directory describes 387 instrumentation and automatic control films and filmstrips currently available from 118 sources in science, industry, education, and government in addition to ISA. The directory is helpful to industrial training departments, educational institutions, technical societies and others responsible for curriculum and course planning. The new edition contains 10 subject categories: principles of measurement and basic measurements; analysis instrumentation; automation and automatic control; computers, computation, data processing, numerical control; nuclear science and engineering; space vehicles, space science, aircraft; science and basic scientific principles and devices; biomedical engineering; oceanography; earth sciences, air and ground transportation and traffic, textiles, pulp and paper, pollution control, and general interest. New features of the directory include a classification chart that lists each film alphabetically and tells the reader at a glance which of the 10 categories the film covers, and a section on teaching aids including transparencies, wall charts, and literature on experiments, theory and demonstrations.</p>	From Publisher \$5.00 (students and educational institutions) \$7.00 (others)

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		<u>TEACHER TRAINING</u>	
Multi	Adult	<p>AUDIOVISUAL RESOURCES FOR TEACHING INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNOLOGY: AN ANNOTATED LIST OF MATERIALS, Donald P. Ely and Albert Beilby, editors, Syracuse University, New York, Center for Instructional Communications, 1971.</p> <p>The audiovisual resources listed in this catalog cover 10 instructional-technology topics: administration; facilities; instructional design; learning and communication; media equipment; media production; media utilization; research; instructional techniques; and society.</p>	<p>From Marketing Division, Film Rental Library, 1455 East Colvin Street, Syracuse, New York 13210 \$3.60</p>
Film	All	<p>FILMS AND PUBLICATIONS; OPEN EDUCATION AT EDC, 1973, Education Development Center, Inc., 55 Chapel Street, Newton, Massachusetts 02160, 1973.</p> <p>Open education is not a single formula or philosophy--it is a process and a style of schooling that assumes that children can learn best at their own rate, following their own curiosity and desire to learn; that the young learn responsibility by making real choices; that a teacher serves best by helping children follow through on their questions and choices; and that schools should be flexible learning centers. The more than 20 films and nearly 30 publications listed in this catalog were produced to help define and bolster the open education movement.</p>	From Publisher
Film	K-8 Secondary	<p>IMC/RMC NETWORK PROFESSIONAL FILM COLLECTION. SECOND EDITION, CEC Information Center, The ERIC Clearinghouse on Exceptional Children, 1411 South Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 900, Arlington, Virginia 22202, 1973</p> <p>This catalog was produced to list films available through the IMC/RMC Network dealing with exceptional child education and covers a wide range of topics from the gifted, disadvantaged, or handicapped to emotionally disturbed. Because of recent restructuring of the IMC/RMC Network, some films now are available only from the original sources which are cited.</p>	From Publisher Free

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Multi	Adult	<p>TEACHER TRAINING FILMS: A GUIDE. PRE-SERVICE AND IN-SERVICE, Carole M. Kirkton, compiler, National Council of Teachers of English and ERIC Clearinghouse on the Teaching of English, 1971.</p> <p>This selected bibliography attempts to gather in one place recent audio-visual materials for training teachers of English. It identifies films, filmstrips and videotapes which could be used either in in-service education or English methods courses. Some of the items fall into specifically English-oriented areas: language, literature, reading, oral and written expression, and creative dramatics; others focus on topics such as teacher-student relationships, student behavior, and educational innovations and trends.</p> <p><u>VOCATIONAL EDUCATION</u></p>	From National Council of Teachers of English, 1111 Kenyon Road, Urbana, Illinois 61801, 75¢
Film	All	<p>GUIDE TO FREE-LOAN TRAINING FILMS (16MM). FIRST EDITION, Serina Press, 70 Kennedy Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22305, 1970.</p> <p>Synopses are provided for over 1,950 16mm films available for public and non-profit exhibition. Most of the films pertain to vocational education, industrial arts, safety, or office management. The films are listed under headings that cover a broad range of specific subjects, such as driver education, business practices, data processing, industrial arts, first-aid, and career guidance.</p>	From Publisher \$5.95 OUT OF PRINT
Multi	All	<p>INDEX TO VOCATIONAL AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION - MULTIMEDIA (2nd ed.), National Information Center for Educational Media (NICEM), University of Southern California, University Park, Los Angeles, California 90007, 1974.</p> <p>A source to over 18,000 titles in seven media areas dealing with general and specific areas of vocational and technical education. See also NICEM's UPDATE OF NON-BOOK MEDIA.</p>	From Publisher \$26.50 Microfiche - \$18.50
Multi	Secondary Adult	<p>TRAINING FILM PROFILES, VOLUMES I-VI (1968-1974), Olympic Media Information, 161 West 22nd Street, New York, New York 10011, 1973.</p> <p>Approximately 1,450 instructional films, filmstrips, videotapes, media kits, sound-slide programs and the like which are now in commercial distribution are described in six volumes. The emphasis is on the skills and understandings related to successful performance in the world of work-career selection, job readiness, communication skills, job orientation, training the disadvantaged, and administration.</p>	From Publisher \$300.00 for set of six volumes

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