

Supermarket Panel Data Request Form

Name of Principle Researcher:

Address:

Phone:

FAX:

E-mail Address:

Names of research collaborators (graduate students).

Data requested (request according to question numbers and/or the specific year(s) of data needed.)

Form in which data should be sent (electronically, CD, zip):

Agreement to adhere to The Food Industry Center's policies on sharing data. (See policy statements of seven points – attached.)

Signed by Principle Researcher

Date

If there is a charge as specified in the policy statement, we will invoice you for funds. Data will be sent when funds are received.

Funds to be transferred: \$ _____

The Supermarket Panel data are the property of The Food Industry Center. The data may not be transferred to or shared with unauthorized users.

Mail or fax this form to the The Food Industry Center, Att: Executive Administrator, 317 Classroom Office Building, 1994 Buford Ave. St. Paul, MN 55108 (Ph: 612-625-7019) (FAX: 612-625-2729)

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**The Food Industry Center, University of Minnesota,
Supermarket Panel Data**

Policy on sharing data with outside entities

Data users will agree to the following terms:

Academic Researchers:

TFIC will provide 1-3 years of data complete with weights and coding information to academic researchers who request it subject to:

1. Applicant provides a research proposal (up to 5 pages) specifying the purpose and type of research they will be doing, who the researchers will be and who is the audience for the output.
2. Applicant agrees to provide TFIC with a working paper for our publication after completing the research. (Subject to a quality check, TFIC will publish it.) If there is another type of work product, TFIC will receive copies of it and have a chance to publicize it.
3. TFIC is cited and acknowledged in all work output using the data.
4. If there is an active UMN collaborator working with the researcher off site, there will be no charge for the data.
5. If there is no active UMN collaborator, there will be a charge of \$5000 for one year's data and \$2000 for every extra year. (This is to cover the cost of preparing and sending the data to other sites and answering questions about its use.)
6. No "current year" data will be sent to other researchers until after the annual report is completed and mailed out. (Exceptions may be cases where another institution has collaborated with TFIC in the gathering of the data and paid for the adding questions to the survey.)
7. A material sharing of the data agreement stipulating that work with the data will be limited in scope to the proposal submitted initially.

Private firms:

1. Same as above except:

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2. Numbers #2 & #4. Number 5 would be replaced with a charge of \$10,000 for each year's worth of data already collected.