# SCIMP/SCANP THESAURUS 1980

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## P R E F A C E

The 1980 edition of the SCIMP/SCANP Thesaurus incorporates
the supplement which was issued in July 1979.  It also       .
includes 186 new terms which have been added mainly as a
result of suggestions made by the librarians of the twelve
business schools who participate in the indexing work for
SCIMP.  Many more relationship terms have been added and
another comparison has been made with the second edition
of the London Classification of Business Studies.  This
comparison was useful for establishing some of the new
relationship terms and for amending others.  The computer
version of the SCANP Thesaurus has also been used to expand
the number of relationship terms and the total is now
nearly 6000 main and related terms.

As in the previous edition the names of countries have been
taken from the Statesman's Yearbook.  Large international
organizations are included, but national organizations are
excluded.  Industry names have been included when obviously
necessary.  The usual abbreviations have been used as
follows:  BT = broader term, NT = narrower term, RT = related
term, and SN = scope note.

Although the thesaurus is primarily an indexing tool for
SCIMP and SCANP, and our intention is to update it annually
with half-yearly supplements, it is also intended for use
in retrieving information on-line from the SCIMP/SCANP data
base held on the computer at the Helsinki School of Economics.

Steve Newman from the LBS Library, has been responsible for
the task of amending the thesaurus which is stored on the
School's computer;  while I have been responsible for the
editorial work.  We are grateful for the advice and
assistance of our colleagues in the LBS Computing Services.


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