**Forbes Magazine Global 2000: Top 25 Key**

1. ICBC (China; banking)
2. China Construction Bank (China; banking)
3. JP Morgan Chase (U.S.; banking)
4. General Electric (U.S.; conglomerate, owns NBC & Comcast)
5. ExxonMobil (U.S.; oil/gas)
6. HSBCHoldings (U.K.; banking)
7. Royal Dutch Shell Oil (Netherlands; oil/gas)
8. Agricultural Bank of China (China; banking)
9. Petro China (China; oil)
10. Berkshire Hathaway (U.S.; diversified financial)
11. Bank of China (China; banking)
12. Wells Fargo (U.S.; banking)
13. Chevron (U.S.; oil/gas)
14. Volkswagen Group (Germany; world’s largest car manufacturer)
15. Apple (U.S.; tech hardware/equipment)
16. Wal-Mart (U.S.; retailing) tied with Apple for 15th place
17. Gazprom (Russia; oil/gas—largest producer in the world)
18. BP (U.K.; oil/gas)
19. Citigroup (U.S.; banking)
20. Petrobras (Brazil; oil/gas)

**Interpreted:**

Global 2000 companies:

Include 63 countries

$38 trillion in revenues

$159 trillion in assets

Employ 87million worldwide

Country ranking

U.S. (543 members)

Japan (251 members)

China (136 members)