

How to Choose a Company Name

The following words and characters are not considered distinguishable:

Company Designations or Abbreviations	Singular vs. Plural	Punctuation, Special Characters, and Other Words		
Corporation or Corp	Property vs. Properties	Company or Co		
Limited Liability Company, Ltd Liability Co, Limited Company, LC, or LLC	Goose vs. Geese	The		
Limited Partnership or LP	Child vs. Children	And or &		
Incorporated or Inc	Cactus vs. Cacti	A*		
Limited or Ltd	Cat vs. Cats	Spacing: Wildwood vs. Wild Wood		
Statutory Trust	Search ALL singular/plural variations.	Capitalization: Jack vs. jack		
Statutory Foundation	<u>unations</u>	All punctuation is non- distinguishable.		
L3C or DAO or LAO		All special characters* are non- distinguishable.		
Searching a business name is the responsibly of the filer. If the filer forms a business entity using a				
name which is not distinguishable, additional paperwork and fees may be required.				
*Business names beginning with	the letter "A" or names which cc paper filed.	ntain special characters must be		

To see if a name is available:

Search and compare only the distinguishable words and characters in the name you have in mind. The grayed words and characters below indicate that they are not distinguishable. In each of these names we are left with only "X Y Z" to compare. Be sure to click the "Contains" bubble.

XYZ Inc.	X Y Z Corporation	on XYZ LLC	¡XYZ! LLC
X	YZ LLC X-Y-Z Limi	ited Liability Com	pany
XY an	d Z Limited Partnership	The XYZ Comp	any Ltd.
х	. Y. & Z. LLC XYZ Limit	ed Liability Comp	any
	XYZ's Co. XYZ ³ L	LC XYZ\$Co	rp
	Filing Name		
	XYZ		
	 Starts With 	Contains	
XX7 LLC 2042 (00622064 (LLC)		Status: Active
XYZ, LLC - 2012-0 Standing - Tax: Good	00022304 (LLC)	Standing - RA: Good	Status: Active



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None of the names contained on the previous page are available.

(Note that this company status is "Active." For "Inactive" companies, the name becomes available two years after the Inactive Date, which shows up if you click on the result. A name designated "(Old Name)" is no longer held for that company.)

To make a name distinguishable:

Add at least one distinguishable character such as a numeral, a distinguishable letter, or an additional word:

XYZ 2 LLC WXYZ LLC XYZ Ranch LLC

Numerals, Roman Numerals, and number words are considered distinguishable from one another:

XYZ 3 LLCXYZ III LLCXYZ Three LLC

Name requirements for different entity types:

Many entity types have specific requirements for the entity name, such as: a **limited liability company** name <u>must</u> contain a form of "**LLC**"; a **corporation** name <u>may</u> contain "**Inc.**" but is not required to, etc. Please check the appropriate <u>form</u> for your entity type for details.

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<u>Words or names that</u> require additional review:

(Names containing these words may not be filed online; Paper forms must be mailed to our office. Filing may be delayed due to the approval process.)