# A SURVEY OF MUSEUMS WITH HISTORICAL ELECTRICAL COLLECTIONS

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### The 1977 Booklet

- US & Canada
- Ca. 300 entries
- 1/2 were private collections



# Subsequent Data Collection

- Ignore private collections
- Letters & phone calls
- Personal knowledge & consultations
- AAM guide
- More recently, World Wide Web



## **Current Status**

- 750 Museums
- 350 from US & Canada
- Different Categories:
  - -National or Regional Historical
  - -National or Regional Technical
  - -Specific Technology/Inventor
  - -Military
  - -Corporate



### Possible Products

- Draft Booklet
- Polished travel guide
- Web-based delivery? See Session 5!

