

Academic Libraries 2015-16

2014-15 Data

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User ID: 29C0011

Overview**Academic Libraries Overview**

Welcome to the IPEDS Academic Libraries (AL) survey component. The purpose of the AL component of IPEDS is to collect information on library collections, library expenses, and library services for libraries in degree-granting postsecondary institutions.

Recent changes

There are a few changes to the 2015-16 Academic Libraries component from the 2014-15 collection. Visit the [Academic Libraries Resource](#) page for a list of the changes and additional reporting resources.

Data Reporting Reminders

Report all data for fiscal year (FY) 2015. Fiscal year 2015 is defined as the most recent 12-month period that ends before October 1, 2015, that corresponds to the institution's fiscal year.

Coverage:

Include data for the main or central academic library and all branch and independent libraries that were open all or part of the fiscal year 2015. Branch and independent libraries are defined as auxiliary library service outlets with quarters separate from the central library that houses the basic collection. The central library administers the branches. Libraries on branch campuses that have separate IPEDS unit identification numbers are reported as separate libraries.

Resources:

To download the survey materials for this component: [Survey Materials](#)
 To access your prior year data submission for this component: [Reported Data](#)
 For more information about the previous survey: [Academic Libraries Survey](#)

If you have questions about completing this survey, please contact the **IPEDS Help Desk at 1-877-225-2568**.

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Screening Questions

Were your annual total library expenses for Fiscal Year 2015:

<input type="radio"/>	Less than \$100,000	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Greater than or equal to \$100,000
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Is the library collection entirely electronic?

<input checked="" type="radio"/>	No	<input type="radio"/>	Yes
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Library Collections/Circulation

**Section I:
For all degree-granting institutions with
library expenses >0**

NOTE - This section of the survey collects data on selected types of material. It does not cover all materials. Report the total number of each category held at the END of Fiscal Year 2015.

<u>Library Collections</u>	Physical		Digital/Electronic		Total
		Prior Year Amount		Prior Year Amount	
Books	<input type="text" value="1,271,979"/>	1,263,647	 <input type="text" value="205,912"/>	151,945	
Databases			<input type="text" value="204"/>	213	
Media	<input type="text" value="4,072"/>	4,058	<input type="text" value="0"/>	0	
Total	1,276,051	1,267,705	 206,116	152,158	1,482,167
Library Circulation	<input type="text" value="42,463"/>	49,712	<input type="text" value="87"/>	0	42,550

You may use the space below to provide context for the data you've reported above.

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Expenses and Interlibrary Services

**Section II:
For degree-granting institutions with
library expenses >= \$100,000**

Library expenses should be reported for the most recent 12-month period that corresponds to your institution's fiscal year that ends before October 1, 2015.

		Prior Year Amount
? Indicate the number of <u>branch and independent libraries</u> (exclude the main or central library).		1
? Expenses		Amount
Total <u>salaries and wages</u> for the library staff		2,200,147
Are staff <u>fringe benefits</u> paid out of the library budget?		
<input type="radio"/>	No	
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Yes	703,293
Total Fringe benefits		703,293
Materials/services expenses		
One-time purchases of <u>books, serial backfiles</u> , and other materials	160,221	
<u>Ongoing commitments to subscriptions</u>	2,404,146	
All other materials/service cost	1,942	
Total materials/services expenses	2,566,309	2,210,499
Operations and maintenance expenses		
<u>Preservation services</u>	9,998	
All other operations and maintenance expenses	1,011,775	
Total operations and maintenance expenses	1,021,773	933,457
Total Expenses	6,391,521	6,047,396
Total Expenses (minus Fringe Benefits)	5,704,334	5,344,103
Interlibrary Services		Number
Total interlibrary loans and documents provided to other libraries	4,279	5,142
Total interlibrary loans and documents received	5,975	7,230
Does your library support <u>virtual reference services</u> ?		
<input type="radio"/>	No	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes

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Ongoing commitments to subscriptions is increased significantly because of SWETSbankruptcy. Paid SWETS and then had to pay EBSCO also.

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Summary**Academic Libraries Component Summary**

IPEDS collects important information regarding your institution. All data reported in IPEDS survey components become available in the IPEDS Data Center and appear as aggregated data in various Department of Education reports. Additionally, some of the reported data appears in your institution's Data Feedback Report (DFR). The purpose of this summary is to provide you an opportunity to view some of the data that, when accepted through the IPEDS quality control process, will appear on your DFR. Data Feedback Reports will be available through the [Data Center](#) and sent to your institution's CEO in November 2016.

Please review your data for accuracy. If you have questions about the data displayed below after reviewing the data reported on the survey screens, please contact the IPEDS Help Desk at: 1-877-225-2568 or ipedshelp@rti.org.

Library Collections/Circulation	Physical Collection	Digital/Electronic Collection
Books	1,271,979	205,912
Databases		204
Media	4,072	0
Total Collection	1,276,051	206,116
Total Circulation	42,463	87

Expenses	Amount
Salaries and wages	\$2,116,252
Fringe benefits	\$687,187
Materials/services expenses	\$2,566,309
Operations and maintenance expenses	\$1,021,773
Total expenses	\$6,391,521

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Edit Report

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Source	Description	Severity	Resolved	Options
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Screen: Collections/Circulation

Screen Entry	The number entered (205,912) is outside the expected range of between 106,362 and 197,528 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15015)	Explanation	Yes	
Reason:	The St. Louis campus purchased 7 collections of e-books from Springer in 2015, which added around 3,500 titles, plus both the Ebrary and EBSCO e-book collections have increased their content. The increase in the EBSCO collections we subscribe to through MOBIUS accounts for the majority of the increase.			
Screen Entry	The calculated value (206,116) is outside the expected range of between 106,511 and 197,805 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15027)	Explanation	Yes	
Reason:	The St. Louis campus purchased 7 collections of e-books from Springer in 2015, which added around 3,500 titles, plus both the Ebrary and EBSCO e-book collections have increased their content. The increase in the EBSCO collections we subscribe to through MOBIUS accounts for the majority of the increase.			