



The Libraries as Information Hub. Vital Signs 2013

Descriptive Data (including Law)

Total Volumes (including e-books)	7,298,138
Total Serials (print&electronic)	131,347
Total Expenditures (excludes allocated costs and benefits)	\$53,833,324
Total Materials Expenditures	\$17,058,174
Professional Staff (FTE)	153
Support Staff (FTE)	188
Student Workers	96
Total Staff	437

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Visits	1.55M
Visits to www.library (excludes indexing)	6.7M
Web pages served (excludes indexing)	18.9M
Use of the ebook collection (sessions--"virtual check-outs")	49,103
Use of the licensed journal collection (article views)	6,387,462
Use of licensed databases (sessions)	2,989,970
Use of physical collection (items in all formats borrowed locally & by partners)	483,166
Attendance at library instructional workshops (excluding Law)	18,735

Library Resources, a Long-range Snapshot

	1990	2013
Print Volumes added (gross)	98,659	83,971
E-books	0	1,106,704
Current Serials	31,887	131,347
E-journals	0	116,272
Reference Databases	4	1,309
In-house Digital Image Scans	0	2,084,127
Videos	0	33,835
Microforms	2,427,600	4,231,628

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Library Use, a Long-range Snapshot

	<u>1990</u>	<u>2013</u>
E-journal article views	0	6,387,462
General Circulation	373,657	264,319
Reserve Circulation [†]	104,516	37,028
Faculty Express items delivered	0	18,218
Courseware sites	0	4,646
Resource sharing – what we borrowed:		
Items borrowed	11,461	70,403
Photocopies received	10,691	49,368
Resource sharing – what we lent:		
Items lent	7,902	57,933
Photocopies sent	13,485	26,664
Total resource sharing activity	43,539	204,368
Instructional sessions/participants	424 / 6,785	1,343 / 18,735

[†] Does not include use of the Rosengarten and Lippincott open reserve stacks or laptops.

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