Footnotes to the ARL Academic Health Sciences Library Statistics 2004-05

Footnotes may also include errata and corrections to data not previously reported from prior years. Numbers in parentheses refer to columns in Library Data Tables and to Questionnaire numbers.

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<td>The library does not separate expenditures for audiovisual materials.</td>
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<td>19</td>
<td>Includes bibliographic utilities and literature searching.</td>
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<td>ALBERTA</td>
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<td>1</td>
<td>Includes 284 e-books.</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>Precise number of monographs purchased from 2000-01 onward is unavailable; all monographs purchased are included in gross volumes added (1.b.i).</td>
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<td>19, 20</td>
<td>Figures for other operating expenses for the J.W. Scott Health Sciences Library are not available because they are included as part of the larger University Library System.</td>
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<td>26</td>
<td>Excludes 1 recurring term person who is .33 FTE.</td>
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<td>26.c</td>
<td>Figure of zero is a result of the library system’s move to integration, and the pooling of staff across the system.</td>
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<td>29-31</td>
<td>Instruction statistics are not available for 2004-05 due to inconsistent methods of recording data. Statistics will be reported for 2005-06 and they will be based on sampling.</td>
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<td>33</td>
<td>Decrease due to more and more journals and books becoming available electronically.</td>
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<td>34, 35</td>
<td>This statistic is kept for the University of Alberta Library system as a whole, and, due to use of Relais for collecting statistics, all requests funnel through one search queue, which makes it difficult to provide a break-down by unit library.</td>
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<td>27</td>
<td>Includes IS desk, Loan desk, CTS, LRC.</td>
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<td>32, 33</td>
<td>Decrease due to previously <em>not</em> subtracting reserve and non-collection items.</td>
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<td>CALIFORNIA, DAVIS</td>
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<td>1.b</td>
<td>The Health Sciences Library canceled a number of titles which effectively reduced the number of volumes added to the collection.</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>There was an increase in the number of monographic sets received for the Health Sciences Library.</td>
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| 15.b | The Library prepaid serials for the Health Sciences in the amount of $539,058 in 2003-04. Actual costs for this item for
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2004-05 were $959,045. |  
16 The Health Sciences Library is now processing a larger number of items in-house. This allows items to be bound and made available to patrons in a timely manner. |  
32, 33 As the number of items available to patrons online increases, the circulation of printed material is experiencing a decline. |  
**CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO**  
Unless otherwise noted, all figures include both Biomedical Library and Medical Center Library. |  
15.b Includes monographic and publishers series. Includes all formats. Includes electronic databases subscribed to annually. |  
31 The Biomedical Library closed for construction in December 2004 and moved part of their main collection and service points into the main library. Usage fell during this relocation period. |  
**CASE WESTERN RESERVE**  
4.b Includes in-scope electronic journals also reported in the Main Library statistics. |  
15.d Figure reflects database expenditures (OhioLINK war chest group; Current Contents; MDConsult; Journal Citation Reports; eMedicine). |  
**CHICAGO**  
Data for the ARL survey are matched as closely as possible to data compiled and reported for the Association of Academic Health Sciences Libraries' (AAHSL) Annual Statistics of Medical School Libraries in the United States and Canada. |  
1.b Figure is the result of a decrease in periodical binding. |  
15b, 15c Print and electronic continuing expenditures are reported in (15b). One-time electronic purchases are reported in (15c). In FY 2003-04, one-time and continuing electronic expenditures were included in (15c). |  
15.c Print and electronic continuing expenditures are reported in 15b. In (15c) one-time electronic purchases are reported. In 2003-04, (15c) included one-time and continuing electronic expenditures. |  
31 2003-04 figure included directional questions; the corrected total is 3,685. Reference transactions include in-person, e-mail and written correspondence. |  
**CINCINNATI**  
4.a Decrease due to a high number of OhioLINK journals credited to the medical library last year. With the current submission model, it is not possible to credit the medical library with its access to OhioLINK journals separately. The OhioLINK component, therefore, is counted in the raw data only once, under the main library stats. That figure in 2004-05 is 4,663. |  
17a, 26a Professional IT personnel not included in 2003-04 are now included. |  
**CORNELL**  
Excludes the Medical College Library in New York, NY. |  
**DARTMOUTH**  
2 Figure is an estimate based on number of payments lines in 2004-05; includes serial backfiles. |  
4.a Only electronic journals purchased individually by the Biomedical library are counted here. Electronic journal titles purchased in packages appear only in Main library count. |  
17 2003-04 figures revised to: (17a) $580,429; (17b) $375,262; (17c) $49,767; (17) $1,005,458. |  
**EMORY**  
All figures are as of August 31, 2005. |
26.a Includes two grant-supported positions.

**FLORIDA STATE**

Volumes held June 30, 2004 revised to 8,145.

**GEORGE WASHINGTON**

13 Includes MEDLINE, AMED, CINAHL, 4 EBM files, Hapi, Sportsoiseus, Up-to-Date, MDCONSULT, FIRST CONSULT, eMEDICINE, AFRICAL Health Line, OSH-ROM, Global Health, iMacW-MD.

15-25 Includes all of the above except MDCONSULT, First Consult, UP-to-Date, and eMEDICINE.

**GEORGETOWN**

Volumes held June 30, 2004 revised to 140,741.

**HARVARD**

1, 15, 21 Decreases reflect a collections policy change.

15 Reductions in expenditures for monographs and serials as well as increases in the "other" category reflect an emphasis on digital resources. See footnote 1.

17, 20, 26 The Countway Library of Medicine underwent a transition in leadership which resulted in organizational change.

24 Increased expenditures for information technology are attributable to the emphasis on digital resources.

25 Decrease reflects fewer transactions, and also a change in accounting systems.

33 Decrease in circulation of physical volumes reflects the emphasis on digital resources in medicine.

34, 35 Increased availability of digital resources reduces the demand for interlibrary loans.

**ILLINOIS, CHICAGO**

Volumes held June 30, 2004 revised to 703,120.

12 The Library of the Health Sciences withdrew most of its AV collection in 2004-05.

17 Library of the Health Sciences information included in all Daley salary and wage figures. Breakdown of data for both locations is unavailable.

**KANSAS**

Excludes University of Kansas School of Medicine, Farha Library, in Wichita, KS.

1.b.i Government Publications print is now included here.

1.b.ii Government Publications print withdrawn.

4 Figures reflect better counting methods.

7 Print items not counted in volumes added.

24 Unable to separate figure from computer purchases for the Libraries.

25 2003-04 included all postage and freight as it could not be separated by unit. In 2004-05 the charges could be separated.

1.b.ii Changes due to Medical Center library project of thinning collections in 2003-04.

4 2004-05 figures reflect the titles added to the system by using the Serials Solutions service for cataloging. It greatly facilitated adding many new titles from packages.
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15.a Some materials money was shifted from books to journals to cover the ongoing costs of journals.
15.c This is a reallocation of acquisitions money. The AV collection was moved into the main Dykes Library, and some supplementing was done.
17, 26a Additional professional positions were added, and some positions that had been open for some time were filled.
26.a Added some additional professional positions.
31 Activity at the public service has declined.

MCGILL

All figures are as of April 30, 2005.
Volumes held June 30, 2004 revised to 343,077.
15-25 Expenditures as reported in Canadian dollars: (15a) $201,462; (15b) $1,150,614; (15c) $155,159; (15d) $44,997; (15) $1,552,232; (16) $34,014; (17a) $490,835; (17b) $527,634; (17c) $49,837; (17) $1,068,306; (19) $283,163; (20) $2,937,715; (21) $139,012; (22) $780,124; (23a) UA/NA; (23b) $0; (24) $102,925; (25) $24,437.

McMASTER

All figures are as of April 30, 2005.
15-25 Expenditures as reported in Canadian dollars: (15a) $239,594; (15b) $1,111,307; (15c) $16,882; (15d) $40,886; (15) $1,408,669; (16) $30,228; (17a) $525,253; (17b) $675,116; (17c) $50,239; (17) $1,253,642; (19) $184,058; (20) $2,876,597; (21) $12,445; (22) $893,928; (23a) $16,885; (23b) $0; (24) $47,193; (25) $49,461.

MIAMI

All figures are as of May 31, 2005.
4, 15 Includes print serials only.
8, 13 Computer files (8) and all audiovisual materials [(10) through (13)] are included in the figure for (13).
15.c Includes expenditures for electronic serials.
17.a Excludes medical library director’s salary.
29, 30 In 2004 the medical library included both individual consultations and group presentations; in 2005 (as in years prior to 2004) only group presentations are included.

MINNESOTA

11-13 Aggregated data unavailable. Total audiovisual count for BioMedical Library is 1,622.
15, 22 Figures do not reflect expenses paid from non-Health Sciences Library budgets.
15.c Figure reflects increased expenditure on serial backfiles.
24 Decrease due to change in replacement cycle for equipment.

MONTREAL

All figures are as of May 31, 2005.
Volumes held June 30, 2004 revised to 327,352 due to a recounting operation of serials.
15-25 Expenditures as reported in Canadian dollars: (15a) $179,642; (15b) $1,969,427; (15c) $0; (15d) $0; (15) $2,149,069; (16) $37,737; (17a) $675,116; (17b) $1,139,068; (17c) $0; (17) $1,814,184; (19) $19,869; (20) $4,020,859; (21) UA/NA; (22) $1,619,404; (23a) UA/NA; (23b) UA/NA; (24) UA/NA; (25) UA/NA.

NEW MEXICO

4.a Total represents the number of monographic titles.
8 Increase due to cataloging educational software on public workstations.
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23.a Includes back costs owed Illiad service. Figure does not include OPAC maintenance.

27 Includes one computer technical support desk.

NEW YORK

All figures are as of August 31, 2005.

NORTHERN

All figures are as of August 31, 2005.

OHIO STATE

Volumes held June 30, 2004 revised to 291,189.

23.b Funds are provided for the entire university and not broken down by individual libraries.

OKLAHOMA STATE

4.a Print and e-journals received, less aggregator packages such as LexisNexis, EBSCO, Proquest, etc.

PENNSYLVANIA

Volumes held June 30, 2004 revised to 196,474.

QUEEN'S

All figures are as of April 30, 2005.

15-25 Expenditures as reported in Canadian dollars: (15a) $175,803; (15b) $1,432,861; (15c) UA/NA; (15d) UA/NA; (15) $1,608,664; (16) $14,731; (17a) $263,235; (17b) $422,896; (17c) $45,389; (17) $731,520; (19) $2,696,645; (20) $1,103,296; (23) UA/NA; (23b) UA/NA; (24) UA/NA; (25) UA/NA.

ROCHESTER

Includes the Edward G Miner Library of the School of Medicine and Dentistry.

SASKATCHEWAN

All figures are as of April 30, 2005.

4 2,635 current serials received were included in figure for Main Library.

15-25 Expenditures as reported in Canadian dollars: (15a) $133,646; (15b) $923,355; (15c) UA/NA; (15d) UA/NA; (15) $1,057,001; (16) $16,818; (17a) $259,370; (17b) $230,155; (17c) $49,271; (17) $538,796; (19) UA/NA; (20) $1,612,615; (21) UA/NA; (22) UA/NA; (23a) UA/NA; (23b) UA/NA; (24) UA/NA; (25) UA/NA.

15.b Includes $217,960 provincial funding.

17.a Includes $60,986 in provincial government funding.

26.a Includes 2 positions funded by provincial grant.

SUNY-BUFFALO

15.b Decrease from 2003-04 due to money being moved from the HSL budget to the Main Libraries, to fund a portion of a consortial agreement for Science Direct.

TEMPLE

Volumes held June 30, 2004 revised to 133,207.

19 Ovid and ScienceDirect expenditures were previously reported here, rather than with serials expenditures (15b).

TENNESSEE

Includes the Preston Medical Center Library and the University of Tennessee at Memphis.

Volumes held June 30, 2004 revised to 208,587.
All figures are as of August 31, 2005.

4.a New software system allows for a more accurate count.

15.d Includes: Computer Equipment ($2,537); AMIGOS OCLC ($22,430); AMIGOS E-Reserve ($5,535); AMIGOS First Search ($678); Cybertools ($26,340); Exam Master ($2,250); First Consult ($20,000); Gold Rush ($3,600); Images MD ($2,583); Info POEMS ($5,846); Journal Citation Reports ($3,932); MD Consult ($85,120); Micro Medex ($34,457); Natural Medicines ($1,494); Natural Medicine Comprehensive Database ($1,416); Occupational Therapy ($795); OVID ($39,679); RefWorks ($2,550); TexShare ($2,500).

20 Includes Harrington Library of the Health Sciences, TTUHSC/Amarill; Montes-Gallo Library of the Health Sciences, TTUHSC/El Paso; Library of the Health Sciences, TTUHSC/Odessa.

TULANE

Due to damage inflicted by Hurricane Katrina, Tulane University was unable to submit data for the 2004-05 ARL Statistics. The 2003-04 data have been used instead, with the library’s permission.

UTAH

19 The Health Sciences Library has several subcontracts within the Regional Medical Library contract. Each year the subcontract payments make up a large portion of grants and contracts expenditures. Please note that $776,925 represents subcontract payments for 2004-05.

24 Two Big Buy computer purchases were made during 2003-04; no Big Buy computer purchase was made during 2004-05.

WASHINGTON U.-ST. LOUIS

11 Figure reflects the total number of slide sets. Although in the past these were reported as individual items to maintain consistency, the slide set count is more appropriate and will be used as the count going forward.

19 Includes $1,047,315 in fringes.

YALE

Volumes held June 30, 2004 revised to 444,498.

4 The figure of 9,272 total serials includes 2,029 print and 7,243 electronic subscriptions.