

Academic Libraries 2023-24

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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 staff, library expenses, and library services for libraries in degree-granting postsecondary institutions.

Data Reporting Reminders

- Report data to accurately reflect the time period corresponding with the IPEDS survey component, even if such reporting is seemingly inconsistent with prior-year reporting.
- Report all data for fiscal year (FY) 2023. Fiscal Year 2023 is defined as the most recent 12-month period that ends before October 1, 2023, that corresponds to the institution's fiscal year.

Changes to reporting for 2023-24:

There are no changes to this survey component.

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 2023. 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**.

Screening Questions

i Were your annual total library expenses (including staff salaries and wages) for Fiscal Year 2023:

- Less than \$100,000 Greater than or equal to \$100,000

Is the library collection entirely electronic?

- No Yes

Library Collections/Circulation, Interlibrary Loan Services, and Library Staff

Section I: For all degree-granting institutions with library expenses >0 and/or access to a library collection

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 2023.

Library Collections	Physical			Digital/Electronic		Total
		Prior Year Amount			Prior Year Amount	
Books	614,653	612,398	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,716,976	991,751	
Databases				429	363	
Media	67,515	67,116	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	348,866	103,416	
Serials	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 9,525	13,897		132,288	115,964	
Total	691,693	693,411		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2,198,559	1,211,494	2,890,252
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Library Circulation				840,494	944,242	866,287

Does your institution have Interlibrary Loan Services ?

- No
- Yes

Interlibrary Loan Services	Number	Prior Year Amount
Total interlibrary loans and documents provided to other libraries	3,046	2,855
Total interlibrary loans and documents received	2,045	2,276

Does your institution have Library Staff?

- No
- Yes

Library Staff	Number of FTEs	Prior Year Amount
Librarians	21.00	19.00
Other Professional Staff	2.50	2.50
All Other Paid Staff (Except Student Assistants)	32.00	25.00
Student Assistants	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 24.00	15.20
Total	79.50	61.70

You may use the box below to provide additional context for the data you have reported above.

Expenses

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, 2023.

		Prior Year Amount
i Indicate the number of <u>branch and independent libraries</u> (exclude the main or central library).		3
i Expenses		Amount
Total <u>salaries and wages</u> for the library staff		2,596,407
Are staff <u>fringe benefits</u> paid out of the library budget?		
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	No	
<input type="radio"/>	Yes	
Total Fringe benefits		0
Materials/services expenses		
One-time purchases of <u>books, serial back-files</u> , and other materials		649,964
<u>Ongoing commitments to subscriptions</u>		3,162,199
All other materials/services costs		43,108
Total materials/services expenses		3,855,271
Operations and maintenance expenses		
<u>Preservation services</u>		14,832
All other operations and maintenance expenses		733,542
Total operations and maintenance expenses		748,374
Total Expenses		7,200,052
Total Expenses (minus Fringe Benefits)		7,200,052

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

Prepared by

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Reporting Reminders:

- The name of the preparer is being collected so that we can follow up with the appropriate person in the event that there are questions concerning the data.
- The Keyholder will be copied on all email correspondence to other preparers.
- The time it took to prepare this component is being collected so that we can continue to improve our estimate of the reporting burden associated with IPEDS.
- Please include in your estimate the time it took for you to review instructions, query and search data sources, complete and review the component, and submit the data through the Data Collection System.
- Thank you for your assistance.

This survey component was prepared by:			
<input type="radio"/>	Keyholder	<input type="radio"/>	SFA Contact
<input type="radio"/>	Finance Contact	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Academic Library Contact
<input type="radio"/>		<input type="radio"/>	HR Contact
<input type="radio"/>		<input type="radio"/>	Other
Name:	<input type="text" value="Michael Hanson"/>		
Email:	<input type="text" value="hansonm@shsu.edu"/>		

How many staff from your institution only were involved in the data collection and reporting process of this survey component?
<input type="text" value="10.00"/> Number of Staff (including yourself)

How many hours did you and others from your institution only spend on each of the steps below when responding to this survey component? <i>Exclude the hours spent collecting data for state and other reporting purposes.</i>				
Staff member	Collecting Data Needed	Revising Data to Match IPEDS Requirements	Entering Data	Revising and Locking Data
Your office	<input type="text" value="60.00"/> hours	<input type="text" value="2.00"/> hours	<input type="text" value="0.50"/> hours	<input type="text" value="0.50"/> hours
Other offices	<input type="text" value="20.00"/> hours	<input type="text" value="0.00"/> hours	<input type="text" value="0.00"/> hours	<input type="text" value="0.00"/> hours

Summary

Academic Libraries Component Summary

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 the [College Navigator](#) website and/or your institution's Data Feedback Report (DFR). In addition, all data reported in IPEDS survey components become publicly available through the [IPEDS Use the Data](#) and appear as aggregated statistics in various Department of Education reports. [College Navigator](#) is updated approximately three months after the data collection period closes and DFRs will be available through the [IPEDS Use the Data](#) and sent to your institution's CEO at the end of 2024.

Please review your data for accuracy. If you have questions about the data displayed below or 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	Digital/Electronic
Books	614,653	1,716,976
<u>Databases</u>		429
<u>Media</u>	67,515	348,866
<u>Serials</u>	9,525	132,288
Total	691,693	2,198,559
Library Circulation	25,793	840,494

Interlibrary Loan Services	Total interlibrary loans and documents provided to other libraries : 3046 Total interlibrary loans and documents received : 2045 Librarians : 21.00
Library Staff	Other Professional Staff : 2.50 All Other Paid Staff (Except Student Assistants) : 32.00 Student Assistants : 24.00

Expenses	Amount
Branch and independent libraries	3
Salaries and wages	2,596,407
Fringe benefits	
Total materials/services expenses	3,855,271
Total operations and maintenance expenses	748,374
Total Expenses	7,200,052

Edit Report

Academic Libraries

Source	Description	Severity	Resolved	Options
Global Edits				
Perform Edits	You indicated that your institution has Library Staff in the Academic Libraries Component but entered 0 for Total Librarian Media and Collection Specialist 25-4020 in the Human Resources Component. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15808)	Explanation	Yes	
Reason	The Librarian Media and Collection Specialist job duties are help by the Director of Library Technical Services.			
Screen: Collections/Circulation/Interlibrary Loan Services and Staff				
Screen Entry	The number entered (25,793) is outside the expected range of between 13,086 and 24,302 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15015)	Explanation	Yes	
Reason	We saw significantly higher circulation this year than the past year.			
Screen Entry	The number entered (1,716,976) is outside the expected range of between 694,226 and 1,289,276 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15015)	Explanation	Yes	
Reason	Two of our PDA vendors significantly increased the numbers of titles in their catalog. Our eBooks number reflects this.			
Screen Entry	The calculated value (2,198,559) is outside the expected range of between 848,046 and 1,574,942 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15027)	Explanation	Yes	
Reason	We increased our collection titles by the means already indicated.			
Screen Entry	The Student Assistants(24.00) is outside the expected range compared to Student Assistants reported in the prior year(15.20). Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15815)	Explanation	Yes	
Reason	We changed how we calculated our student numbers. This is more reflective of our FTE for students.			
Screen Entry	The number entered (348,866) is outside the expected range of between 72,392 and 134,440 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15015)	Explanation	Yes	
Reason	We had not been recording the number of discs in our NAXOS subscription. This was corrected this year			
Screen Entry	The number entered (9,525) is outside the expected range of between 9,728 and 18,066 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15015)	Explanation	Yes	
Reason	We deselected many print journal titles and sent them to the Texas Joint Library facility.			