

IPEDS 2022-23 Data Collection System

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Academic Libraries 2022-23

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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) 2022. Fiscal Year 2022 is defined as the most recent 12-month period that ends before October 1, 2022, that corresponds to the institution's fiscal year.

Changes to reporting for 2022-23:

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 2022. 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

1 Were your annual total library expenses (including staff salaries and wages) for Fiscal Year 2022:

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

Is the library collection entirely electronic?

- No Yes

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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 2022.

Library Collections	Physical		Digital/Electronic		Total
		Prior Year Amount		Prior Year Amount	
Books	229,804	291,744	942,372	781,708	
Databases			251	251	
Media	59,847	59,253	142,196	91,731	
Serials	5,759	6,354	97,024	81,448	
Total	295,410	357,351	1,181,843	955,138	1,477,253
i Library Circulation	7,466	6,942	26,207	23,446	33,673

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	977	992
Total interlibrary loans and documents received	1,303	1,726

Does your institution have Library Staff?

- No
- Yes

Library Staff	Number of FTEs	Prior Year Amount
Librarians	7.00	6.75
Other Professional Staff	7.00	7.00
All Other Paid Staff (Except Student Assistants)	7.75	7.50
Student Assistants	4.15	3.87
Total	25.90	25.12

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

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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, 2022.

		Prior Year Amount
i Indicate the number of branch and independent libraries (exclude the main or central library).		0
i Expenses		Amount
Total salaries and wages for the library staff		1,363,213
Total salaries and wages for the library staff		1,290,011
Are staff fringe benefits paid out of the library budget?		
<input type="radio"/> No		
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes		
Total Fringe benefits		383,012
Total Fringe benefits		352,148
Materials/services expenses		
One-time purchases of <u>books</u> , <u>serial back-files</u> , and other materials		50,145
<u>Ongoing commitments to subscriptions</u>		783,986
All other materials/services costs		45,673
Total materials/services expenses		879,804
Total materials/services expenses		817,877
Operations and maintenance expenses		
<u>Preservation services</u>		375
All other operations and maintenance expenses		261,430
Total operations and maintenance expenses		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 261,805
Total operations and maintenance expenses		161,705
Total Expenses		2,887,834
Total Expenses		2,621,741
Total Expenses (minus Fringe Benefits)		2,504,822
Total Expenses (minus Fringe Benefits)		2,269,593

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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"/>	HR Contact
<input type="radio"/>	Finance Contact	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Academic Library Contact	<input type="radio"/>	Other

Name:

Email:

How many staff from your institution only were involved in the data collection and reporting process of this survey component?

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?
 Exclude the hours spent collecting data for state and other reporting purposes.

Staff member	Collecting Data Needed	Revising Data to Match IPEDS Requirements	Entering Data	Revising and Locking Data
Your office	<input type="text" value="2.00"/> hours	<input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text" value="1.00"/> hours	<input type="text" value="1.00"/> hours
Other offices	<input type="text" value="10.00"/> hours	<input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> hours	<input type="text"/> hours

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Summary

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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 specifically for your institution through the College Navigator website and is included 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 the College Navigator website and/or your DFR. College Navigator is updated approximately three months after the data collection period closes and Data Feedback Reports will be available through the [Data Center](#) and sent to your institution's CEO in November 2023.

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.

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Materials/services expenses	\$879,804
Operations and maintenance expenses	\$261,805
Total expenses	\$2,887,834

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Edit Report

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Source	Description	Severity	Resolved	Options
Screen: Collections/Circulation/Interlibrary Loan Services and Staff				
Screen Entry	The number entered (142,196) is outside the expected range of between 64,212 and 119,250 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15015)	Explanation	Yes	
Reason	Increase in Media numbers due to adding catalog records for previously uncataloged streaming resources.			
Screen: Expenses				
Screen Entry	The calculated value (261,805) is outside the expected range of between 105,109 and 218,301 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15027)	Explanation	Yes	
Reason	Increase in Operations & Maintenance Expenses are due to 1) inflation; 2) a one-time purchase of two electronic journals that cost \$28,000; and 3) Job Applicant/Advertising expenses for two searches: Dean of the Library, and Research and Instruction Librarian.			