

2014-15 Data

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 .

Institution: University of Missouri-Columbia (178396)

User ID: 29C0011

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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Expenses and Interlibrary Services

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Summary

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IPEDS collects important information regarding your institution. All data reported in IPEDS survey is reported in IPEDS

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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 (404,062) is outside the expected range of between 23,516 and 43,670 compared to the prior year value. Please correct your data or explain. (Error #15015)	Explanation	Yes	
Reason:	The difference in the numbers is due to a change in the ALS instructions, which last year excluded microforms, and this year included them.			