

Dimensions and use of the scholarly information environment.

Question 17: Table 591

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Q17. What types of information content does your academic library offer that you find no longer necessary? Why isn't this information content necessary?

	Base	Faculty Member	Graduate Student	Faculty / Graduate Student	Under Graduate Student	Public	Private	Liberal Arts	Biological Sciences	Physical Sciences	Social Sciences	Arts and Humanities	Engineering	Business	Law	Undecided Major	Male	Female
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	
Base - Faculty and graduate students	983	453	530	983	0**	460	364	159	175	171	299	161	45	117	15*	0*	610	373
Can't think of anything /																		
Everything is useful	603	246	357	603	0	280	243	80	118	105	180	109	27	54	10	0	361	242
	61.3	54.2	67.4	61.3	0	60.9	66.6	50.5	67.3	61.4	60.4	67.4	60.4	46	65.6	0	59.2	64.8
			A			G	G		M	M	M	M	M		M			
Print materials (magazines, journals etc.)	93	70	23	93	0	37	22	35	13	23	23	12	3	17	2	0	73	20
	9.5	15.5	4.3	9.5	0	8	6	21.9	7.5	13.5	7.5	7.6	7.8	14.3	13.3	0	12	5.4
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Out of date materials	41	13	29	41	0	25	13	3	6	6	19	4	1	5	0	0	18	23
	4.2	2.8	5.4	4.2	0	5.5	3.7	1.8	3.5	3.5	6.3	2.8	2.6	4	1.1	0	3	6.2
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Microfiche	25	12	13	25	0	10	8	6	4	1	13	4	1	1	0	0	13	12
	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.5	0	2.2	2.3	3.9	2	0.6	4.4	2.8	3.2	0.8	2.2	0	2.1	3.2
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Card catalogues	19	5	14	19	0	10	6	2	4	1	8	4	0	1	0	0	14	5
	1.9	1	2.6	1.9	0	2.3	1.7	1.2	2.5	0.6	2.5	2.8	0.6	0.8	0	0	2.2	1.4
All Others	64	37	27	64	0	28	24	13	9	14	17	6	4	13	2	0	45	19
	6.5	8.2	5	6.5	0	6	6.5	7.9	5	8.2	5.7	3.5	9.1	11.1	10	0	7.3	5.1
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Don't Know/Refused	144	73	71	144	0	72	52	20	21	21	45	21	8	27	1	0	87	57
	14.7	16.1	13.5	14.7	0	15.6	14.3	12.8	12.1	12.3	15.1	13.2	16.9	23	7.8	0	14.2	15.4
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