Summary of OCLC WorldShare Interlibrary Loan Statistics by Library Type and Federation, FY216-FY18

Across all library types there was an overall 24% decrease in the use of OCLC Interlibrary Loan from FY16-FY18.

Use by Type

Publics: Borrowing decreased by 7% during this period, from 23,409 in FY16 to 21,849 in FY18; lending decreased by 3%, from 16,362 in FY16 to 15,813 in FY18.

Academics: Borrowing decreased by 38% during this period, from 15,883 in FY16 to 9,866 in FY18; lending decreased by 3%, from 16,782 in FY16 to 16,326 in FY18.

Schools: Insignificant use of OCLC ILL.

Specials: Borrowing decreased by 4.5% during this period, from 925 in FY16 to 883 in FY18; lending decreased by 19% from 5,032 in FY16 to 4,060 in FY18.

Estimate of average cost per item borrowed in FY18, based on half of annual subscription fee

By Library Type

Publics: average \$12.60 per item borrowed; 63 public libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18

- Broad Valleys: average \$3.18 per item borrowed; 14 public libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18
- Golden Plains: average \$8.73 per item borrowed; 4 public libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18
- Pathfinder: average \$28.07 per item borrowed; 12 public libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18
- Sagebrush: average \$3.67 per item borrowed; 10 public libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18
- South Central: average \$18.97 per item borrowed; 12 public libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18
- Tamarack: average \$10.28 per item borrowed; 11 public libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18

Academics: average \$12.38 per item borrowed; 14 academic libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18

 Broad Valleys: average \$8.75 per item borrowed; 4 academic libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18

- Golden Plains: average \$3.59 per item borrowed; 1 academic library borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18
- Pathfinder: average \$20.63 per item borrowed; 5 academic libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18
- Sagebrush: no use in FY18
- South Central: average \$9.31 per item borrowed; 2 academic libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18
- Tamarack: average \$6.50 per item borrowed; 2 academic libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18

Schools: no items borrowed in FY18

Specials: average \$12.57 per item borrowed; 7 special libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18

- Broad Valleys: average \$15.09 per item borrowed; 4 special libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18
- South Central: average \$23.30 per item borrowed; 1 special library borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18
- Tamarack: average \$1.97 per item borrowed; 2 special libraries borrowed an item via OCLC in FY18