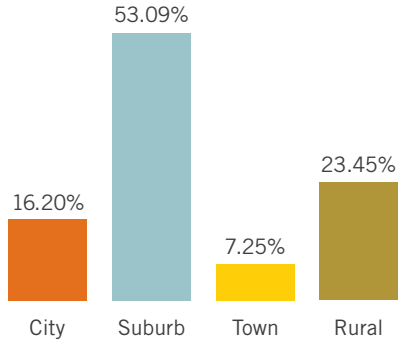
Massachusetts Public Libraries

FISCAL YEAR 2010

Quick Stats

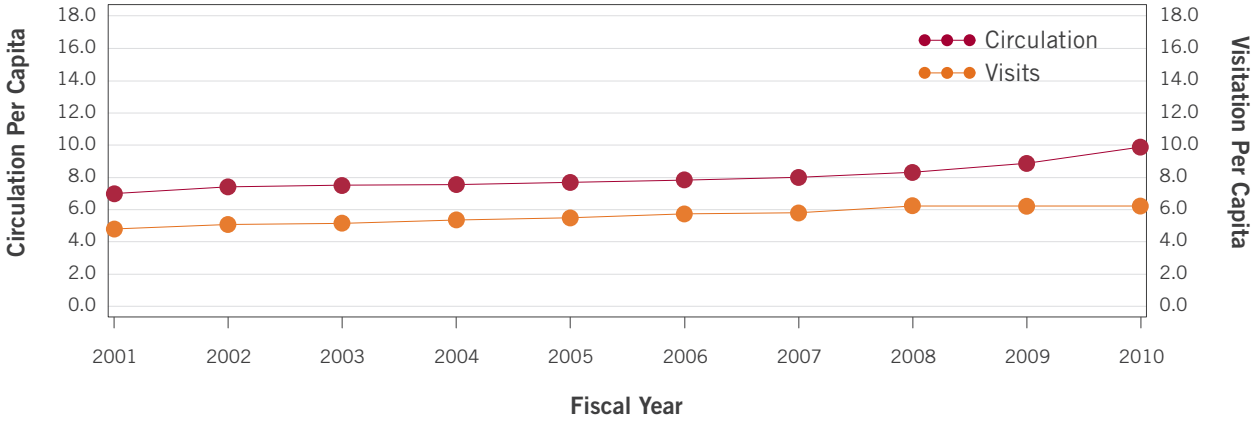
Number of Public Libraries	360
Number of Public Outlets	455
Population Served	6,584,234
Number of Full Time Equivalent Librarians	1,697
Number of Full Time Equivalent Staff	3,591

Public Library Outlets by Locality



Locality based on NCES locale codes.
For additional details see http://go.usa.gov/YPMW.

Visitation and Circulation Per Capita (FY 2001-2010)



In Comparison

	FY 2009	FY 2010	% Change	Regional*	National
Services					
Circulation Per Capita	8.91	9.83	▲ 10.3%	9.73	8.27
Visits Per Capita	6.51	6.52	▲ 0.1%	6.74	5.28
Finance					
Expenditures Per Capita	$43.10	$41.42	▼ -3.9%	$45.11	$36.18
Operating Revenue Per Capita	$41.35	$39.01	▼ -5.7%	$43.57	$37.97
Resources					
Print Materials Per 1000 Population	5081.29	4979.90	▼ -2.0%	4926.15	2716.07
Print Use Internet PCs Per Capita	1.35	1.29	▼ -5.2%	1.39	1.24

**The New England region includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont.*
For more information about regions see http://go.usa.gov/gppk.

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Source: Public Library Survey FY 2001-2010.
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