Pennsylvania Public Libraries

Quick Stats

Number of Public Libraries: 457
Number of Public Outlets: 634
Population Served: 11,971,443
Number of Full Time Equivalent Librarians: 1,446
Number of Full Time Equivalent Staff: 4,712

Public Library Outlets by Locality

- City: 42.90%
- Suburb: 22.51%
- Town: 18.58%
- Rural: 16.01%

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

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<th>Service</th>
<th>FY 2009</th>
<th>FY 2010</th>
<th>% Change</th>
<th>Regional*</th>
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<td>Circulation Per Capita</td>
<td>6.02</td>
<td>5.80</td>
<td>-3.6%</td>
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<td>Visits Per Capita</td>
<td>4.11</td>
<td>3.94</td>
<td>-4.2%</td>
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<td>Expenditures Per Capita</td>
<td>$28.30</td>
<td>$25.81</td>
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<td>Operating Revenue Per Capita</td>
<td>$29.32</td>
<td>$26.90</td>
<td>-8.2%</td>
<td>$48.06</td>
<td>$37.97</td>
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<td>Print Materials Per 1000 Population</td>
<td>2353.93</td>
<td>2321.38</td>
<td>-1.4%</td>
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<td>Public Use Internet PCs Per Capita</td>
<td>0.76</td>
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<td>-2.7%</td>
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For more information about regions see http://go.usa.gov/gppk.

Source: Public Library Survey FY 2001-2010.
Institute of Museum and Library Services/National Center for Education Statistics.