

WPLC: Moving Forward



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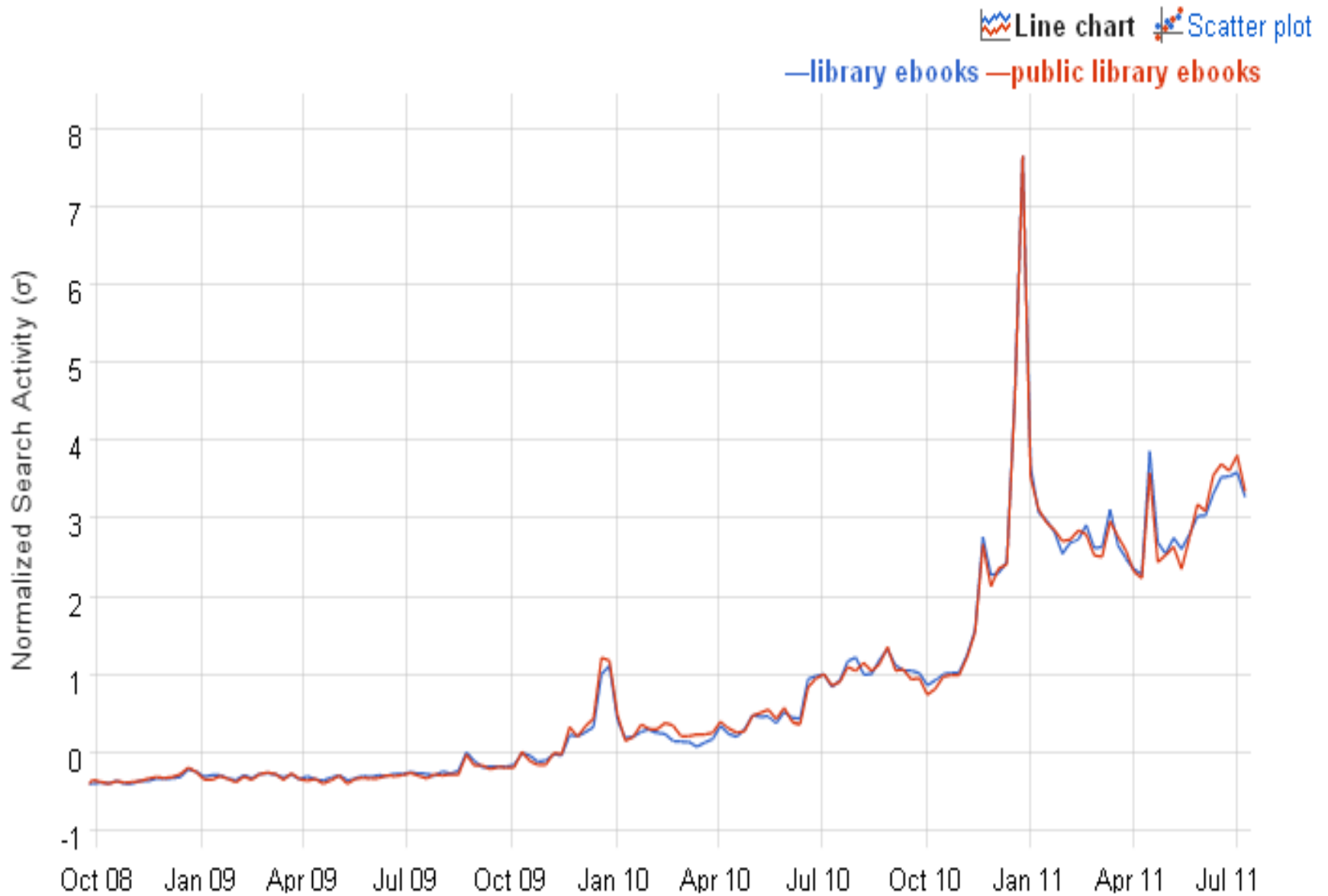
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What I Learned

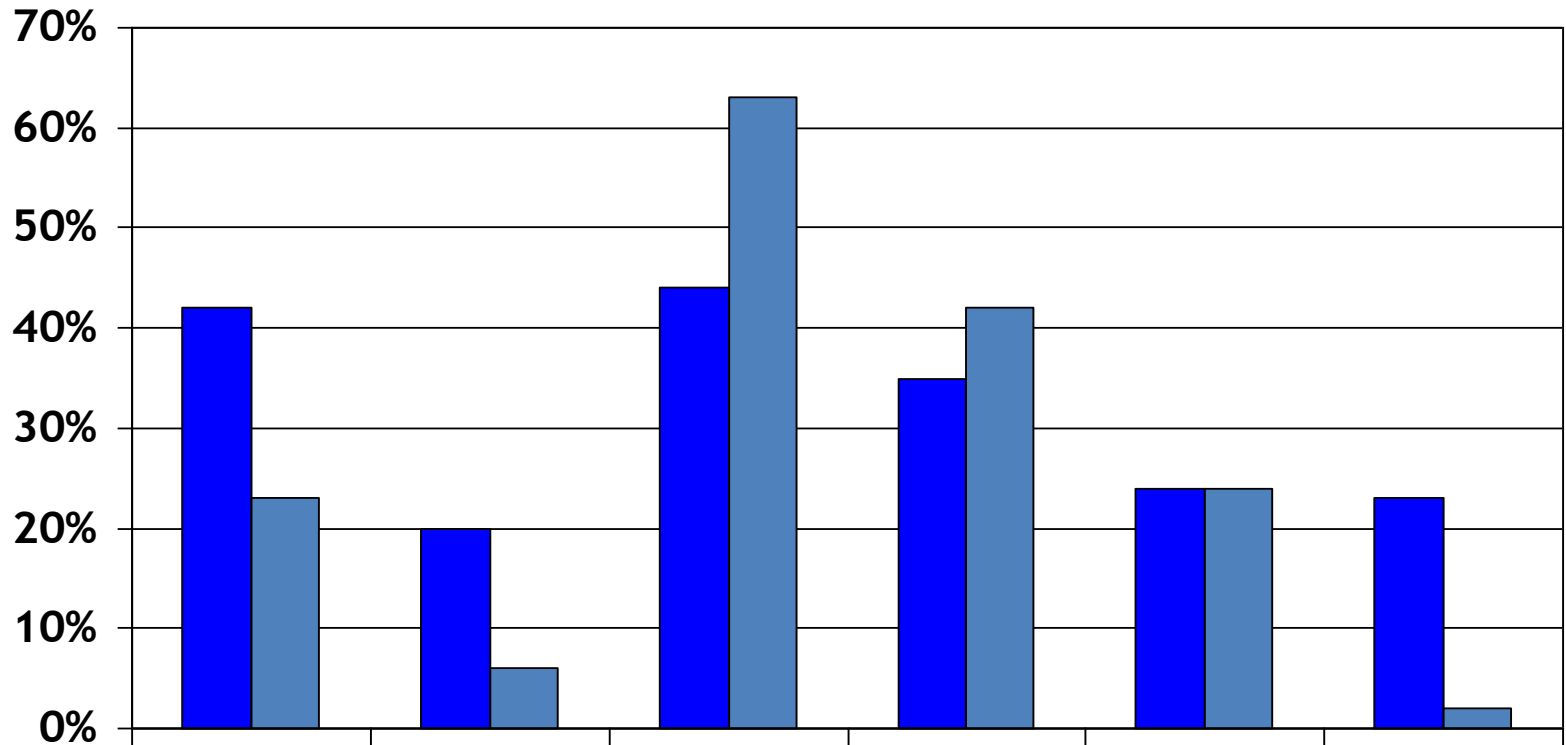
- Demand for ebooks will increase 100x (or more) with the intro of Kindles
- Libraries are in a unique position to leverage our skills at matching books with readers.
- If this business was easy, there would be more players.

US Web Search activity for **library ebooks** and **public library ebooks** ($r=0.9981$)



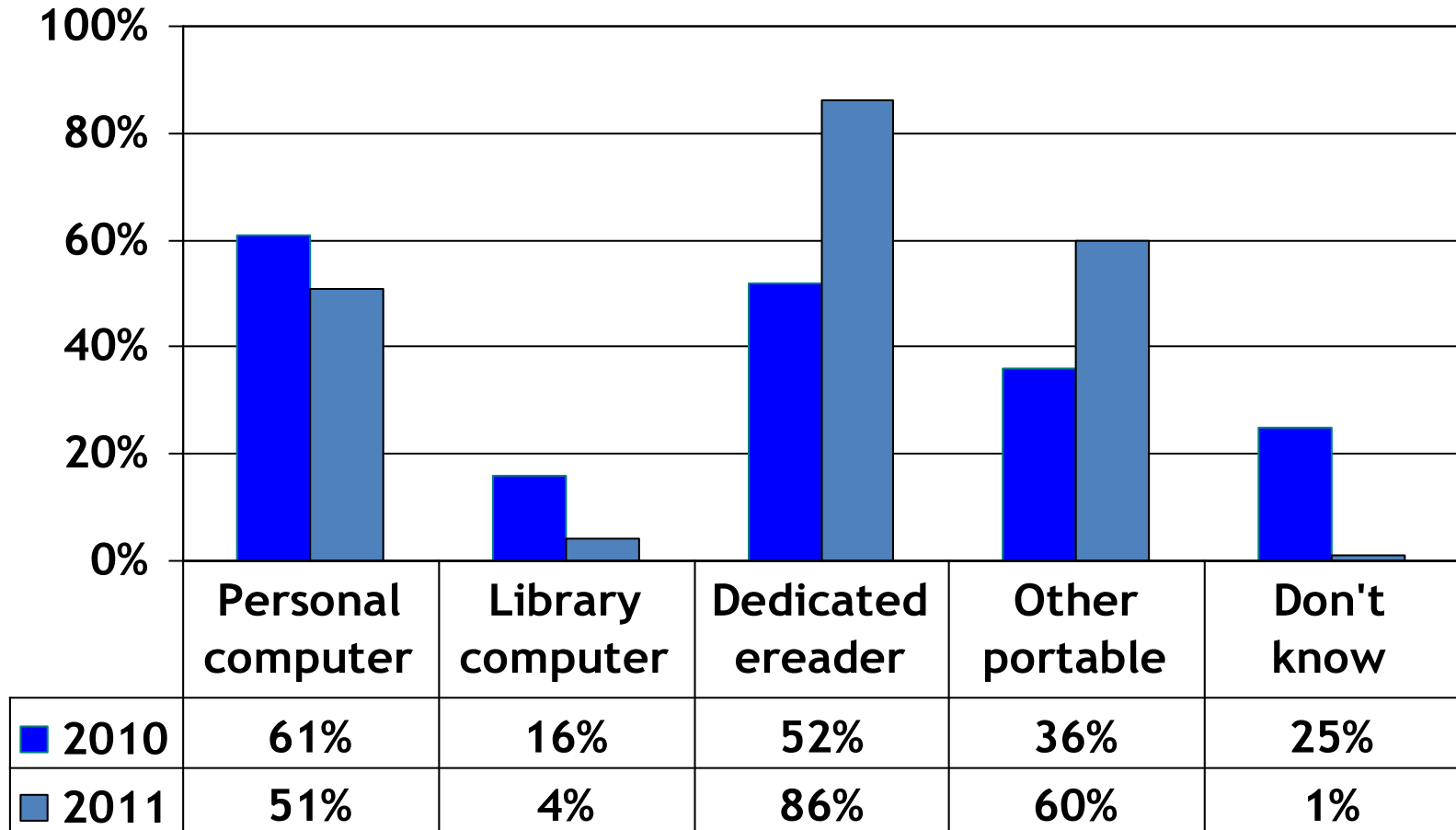
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Patron preferred file format



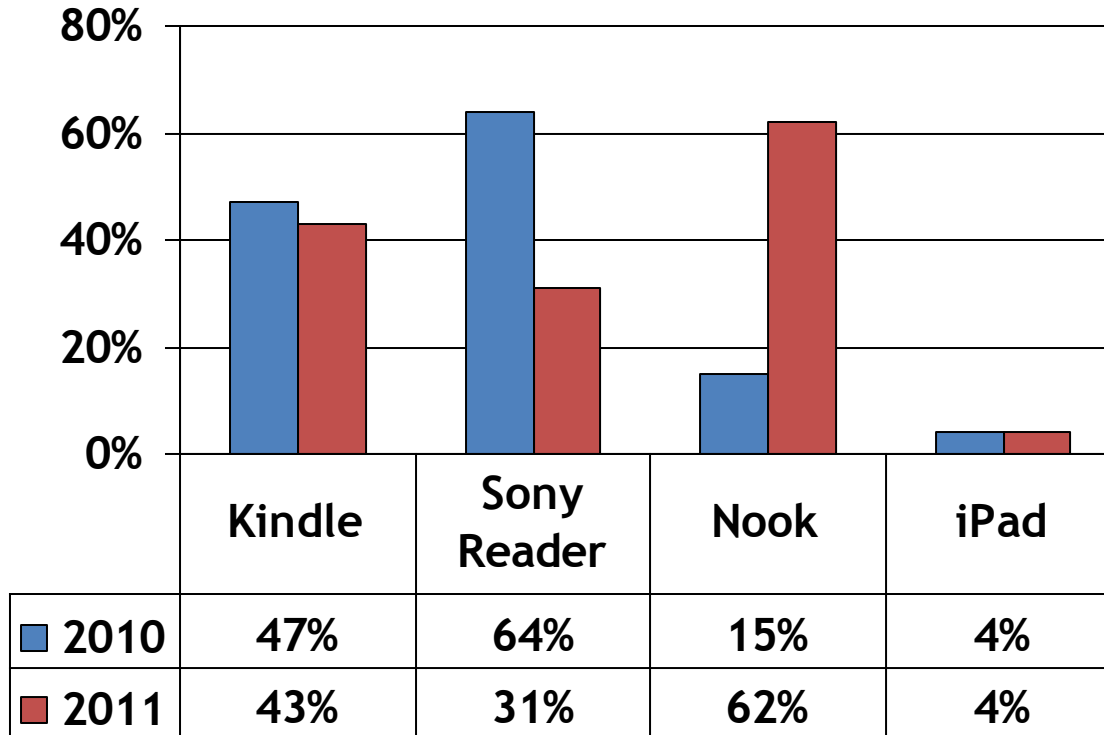
	PDF	Full-text HTML	ePub	Dedicated ereader format	Other mobile device	Don't know
■ 2010	42%	20%	44%	35%	24%	23%
■ 2011	23%	6%	63%	42%	24%	2%

Preferred reading devices

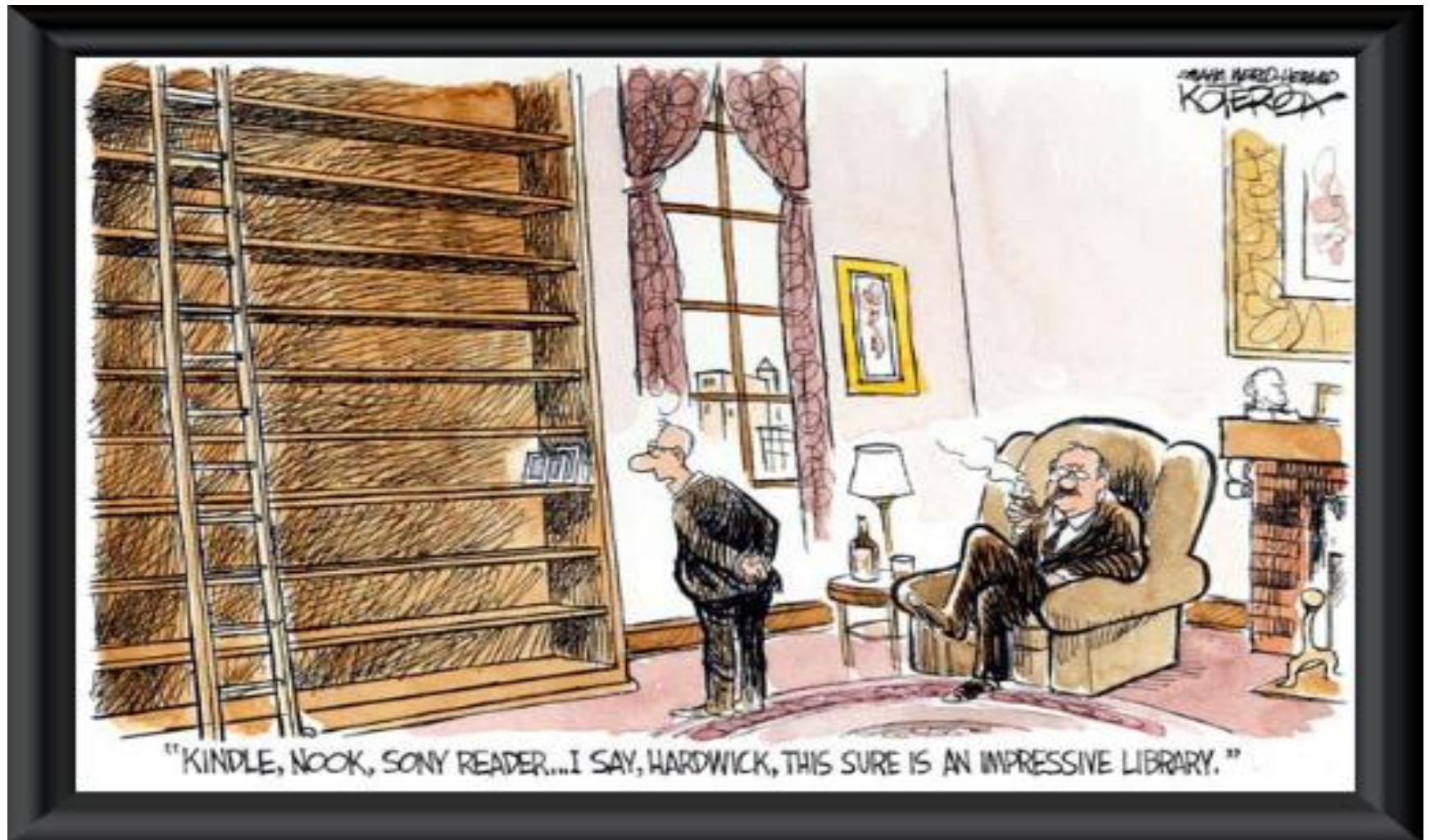


<http://www.thedigitalshift.com/research/>

Circulating ereaders



Publishers Need Libraries





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- For discovering titles & authors
- To build fan bases through backlist
- To support the value of reading

Why Did OverDrive Do That?!

- Agents determine more than anything else what titles get released and when
- What is good for libraries is often not for publishers and vice versa
- Communication builds better relationships

WPLC Collection Today



Home Marketplace Collection **Reports** Users Approval Plan Profile News Support Logout

Digital Library Statistics

From inception to now | [Select Date Range](#)

- **Purchased Titles in Collection** (counting each format of a title only once): 10,006
 - Adobe EPUB eBook: 2,969
 - Adobe PDF eBook: 349
 - OverDrive MP3 Audiobook: 554
 - OverDrive WMA Audiobook: 5,625
 - OverDrive Music: 178
 - OverDrive Video: 318
 - Mobipocket eBook: 2

Please note the 'Purchased Titles' do not include Max Access subscription titles.
- **Purchased Copies in Collection** (counting each copy of each format of a title): 16,136
 - Adobe EPUB eBook: 5,576
 - Adobe PDF eBook: 435
 - OverDrive MP3 Audiobook: 1,044
 - OverDrive WMA Audiobook: 8,560
 - OverDrive Music: 178
 - OverDrive Video: 320
 - Mobipocket eBook: 2

Please note the 'Purchased Copies' do not include Max Access subscription titles.
- **HarperCollins Licensed eBooks in Collection** (counting each format of a title only once): 10

Library

Growing by Leaps and Bounds

- Collection Budget of \$1 million next year
- 70/30 Rule
- Average Prices: eBook \$12.00 Audio \$50.00
- Vendor Selection Committee formed to explore all available digital media providers

Support for Your Libraries

- September is OverDrive Training Month
- WPLC Blog <http://www.wplc.info/>
- WPLC Listserv
<http://lists.scls.lib.wi.us/mailman/listinfo/wplc>
- BadgerLearn <http://badgerlearn.dpi.wi.gov/>

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BadgerLearn | a collaborative learning space

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