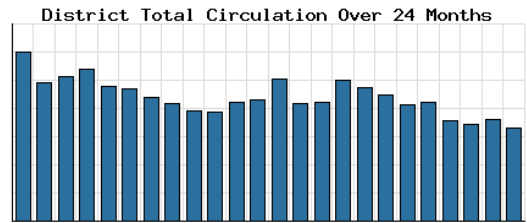
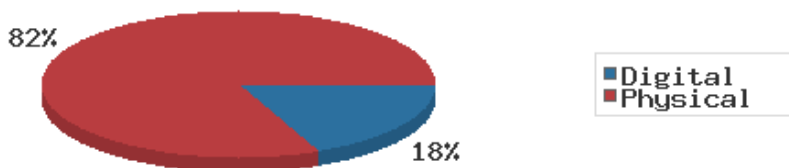


**Monthly Stats Brief Narrative**

In February 2018, the number of patrons entering our buildings somewhat decreased system-wide compared to this month the previous year. Combined physical and digital use of library materials decreased year-to-date compared to 2017. About 8% of our registered cardholders checked out a physical item this past month, while about 1% of registered cardholders checked out a digital item.



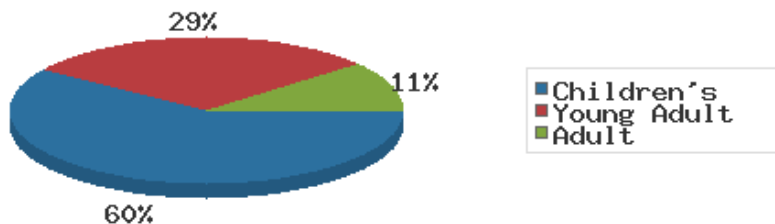
Digital vs. Physical Circulation



Digital usage comprised about 18% of total circulation in February 2018, and digital usage greatly decreased from this time in 2017.

In February 2018, BDL patrons saved \$137,279.30 by checking out 10,811 physical items from the library. Our programming for all ages and our digital services further increase the library's value to the community.

Programs Offered in 2018



Compared to this time in 2017, the number of programs BDL offered year-to-date has increased. Attendance at programs somewhat increased over this same period.

See the full statistical report, starting on the next page, for details and more graphs.

## Attendance

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Attendance</b>	275	1,908	8,199	638	945	1,800	13,765	28,424	193,922	201,109	195,735	167,414	171,507
<i>Previous Year</i>	319	2,065	9,747	794	858	2,053	15,836	31,231	201,109	195,735	167,414	171,507	196,465
<i>Change</i>	-14%	-8%	-16%	-20%	+10%	-12%	-13%	-9%	-4%	+3%	+17%	-2%	-13%
<b>Hours Open</b>	95.00	161.00	230.00	141.50	133.00	150.00	910.50	1,929.00	10,869.15	10,877.50	8,703.00	5,395.00	5,228.00
<i>Previous Year</i>	104.00	140.00	244.00	140.00	104.00	140.00	872.00	1,804.65	10,877.50	8,703.00	5,395.00	5,228.00	5,612.00
<i>Change</i>	-9%	+15%	-6%	+1%	+28%	+7%	+4%	+7%	-0%	+25%	+61%	+3%	-7%

# Patrons

February 2018

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Population in our Service Area (Tracking Since 2018)</b>							45,130		0	0	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>							0		0	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>													
<b>Patron Count</b>	382	3,353	16,296	2,861	504	2,374	25,770		25,685	24,899	23,974	22,879	21,771
<i>Previous Year</i>	366	3,246	15,869	2,803	475	2,233	24,992		24,899	23,974	22,879	21,771	20,674
<i>Change</i>	+4%	+3%	+3%	+2%	+6%	+6%	+3%		+3%	+4%	+5%	+5%	+5%
<b>Patrons Who Checked Out a Physical Item</b>	38	320	1,133	178	80	204	1,953		1,887	2,030	2,069	2,109	2,349
<i>Previous Year</i>	48	361	1,262	225	65	279	2,240		2,030	2,069	2,109	2,349	2,589
<i>Change</i>	-21%	-11%	-10%	-21%	+23%	-27%	-13%		-7%	-2%	-2%	-10%	-9%
<b>New Patrons Added</b>	0	7	35	1	2	7	52	101	844	989	1,086	1,390	1,142
<i>Previous Year</i>	1	11	30	5	2	7	56	125	989	1,086	1,390	1,142	1,338
<i>Change</i>		-36%	+17%	-80%			-7%	-19%	-15%	-9%	-22%	+22%	-15%
<b>In-House Holds Filled for Our Patrons</b>	16	112	462	104	64	99	857	1,815	11,650	10,407	10,225	9,546	11,327
<i>Previous Year</i>	29	208	500	169	39	98	1,043	2,007	10,407	10,225	9,546	11,327	12,928
<i>Change</i>	-45%	-46%	-8%	-38%	+64%	+1%	-18%	-10%	+12%	+2%	+7%	-16%	-12%
<b>Active Hoopla Users (Began 2016)</b>							230		189	129	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>							137		129	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>							+68%		+47%				
<b>Active OverDrive Users</b>							156		156	134	144	134	112
<i>Previous Year</i>							127		134	144	134	112	96
<i>Change</i>							+23%		+16%	-7%	+7%	+20%	+17%

## Physical Collection

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Physical Books and All other Print Materials in the Catalog (Tracking Since 8/2017)</b>	4,885	14,139	44,822	17,167	6,658	12,004	99,675		100,293	0	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>													
<b>Physical Audiobooks in the Catalog (Tracking Since 8/2017)</b>	35	106	1,371	290	3	59	1,864		1,852	0	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>													
<b>Physical Video Materials in the Catalog (Tracking Since 8/2017)</b>	806	1,338	3,887	1,740	1,348	1,298	10,417		10,519	0	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>													
<b>Physical Music Recordings in the Catalog (Tracking Since 8/2017)</b>	8	84	115	127	0	9	343		345	0	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>													
<b>TOTAL Physical Items in the Catalog</b>	<b>5,734</b>	<b>15,667</b>	<b>50,195</b>	<b>19,324</b>	<b>8,009</b>	<b>13,370</b>	<b>112,299</b>		<b>113,009</b>	<b>126,407</b>	<b>131,432</b>	<b>130,210</b>	<b>128,968</b>
<i>Previous Year</i>	<i>5,894</i>	<i>17,489</i>	<i>62,025</i>	<i>18,936</i>	<i>7,499</i>	<i>12,737</i>	<i>124,580</i>		<i>126,407</i>	<i>131,432</i>	<i>130,210</i>	<i>128,968</i>	<i>126,849</i>
<i>Change</i>	<i>-3%</i>	<i>-10%</i>	<i>-19%</i>	<i>+2%</i>	<i>+7%</i>	<i>+5%</i>	<i>-10%</i>		<i>-11%</i>	<i>-4%</i>	<i>+1%</i>	<i>+1%</i>	<i>+2%</i>



## Total Collection

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Combined Physical Items</b>	5,734	15,667	50,195	19,324	8,009	13,370	112,299		113,009	126,407	131,432	130,210	128,968
<i>Previous Year</i>	5,894	17,489	62,025	18,936	7,499	12,737	124,580		126,407	131,432	130,210	128,968	126,849
<i>Change</i>	-3%	-10%	-19%	+2%	+7%	+5%	-10%		-11%	-4%	+1%	+1%	+2%
<b>Combined Digital Collections (Tracking Since 8/2017)</b>							591,410		579,037	0	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>							0		0	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>													
<b>TOTAL of all Collections</b>	<b>5,734</b>	<b>15,667</b>	<b>50,195</b>	<b>19,324</b>	<b>8,009</b>	<b>13,370</b>	<b>703,709</b>		<b>692,046</b>	<b>126,407</b>	<b>131,432</b>	<b>130,210</b>	<b>128,968</b>
<i>Previous Year</i>	5,894	17,489	62,025	18,936	7,499	12,737	124,580		126,407	131,432	130,210	128,968	126,849
<i>Change</i>	-3%	-10%	-19%	+2%	+7%	+5%	+465%		+447%	-4%	+1%	+1%	+2%

## Circulation of Physical Items

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Checkouts in Evergreen</b>	218	1,609	4,135	774	499	848	8,083	17,118	120,916	118,595	121,841	123,074	137,997
<i>Previous Year</i>	160	1,710	5,007	1,448	264	1,096	9,685	19,435	118,595	121,841	123,074	137,997	147,891
<i>Change</i>	+36%	-6%	-17%	-47%	+89%	-23%	-17%	-12%	+2%	-3%	-1%	-11%	-7%
<b>Renewals in Evergreen</b>	31	164	515	62	98	90	960	1,928	14,804	15,480	15,434	16,044	16,310
<i>Previous Year</i>	49	139	634	154	51	132	1,159	2,339	15,480	15,434	16,044	16,310	18,275
<i>Change</i>	-37%	+18%	-19%	-60%	+92%	-32%	-17%	-18%	-4%	+0%	-4%	-2%	-11%
<b>Checkouts of Uncataloged Items</b>	56	84	68	0	0	67	275	603	2,817	4,578	4,385	4,601	4,985
<i>Previous Year</i>	81	54	107	0	0	0	242	496	4,578	4,385	4,601	4,985	11,076
<i>Change</i>	-31%	+56%	-36%				+14%	+22%	-38%	+4%	-5%	-8%	-55%
<b>Requests from BDL Patrons for Items at Other MeLCat Libraries, Actually Fulfilled</b>							821	1,674	8,169	7,112	6,118	5,677	6,302
<i>Previous Year</i>							636	1,339	7,112	6,118	5,677	6,302	6,390
<i>Change</i>							+29%	+25%	+15%	+16%	+8%	-10%	-1%
<b>Requests from Other MeLCat Libraries for Items at BDL, Actually Fulfilled</b>							672	1,183	7,867	7,068	4,855	5,400	9,387
<i>Previous Year</i>							536	1,137	7,068	4,855	5,400	9,387	7,291
<i>Change</i>							+25%	+4%	+11%	+46%	-10%	-42%	+29%
<b>TOTAL of All Physical Circulation</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>1,857</b>	<b>4,718</b>	<b>836</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>1,005</b>	<b>10,811</b>	<b>22,506</b>	<b>154,573</b>	<b>152,833</b>	<b>152,633</b>	<b>154,796</b>	<b>174,981</b>
<i>Previous Year</i>	<b>290</b>	<b>1,903</b>	<b>5,748</b>	<b>1,602</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>1,228</b>	<b>12,258</b>	<b>24,746</b>	<b>152,833</b>	<b>152,633</b>	<b>154,796</b>	<b>174,981</b>	<b>190,923</b>
<i>Change</i>	<b>+5%</b>	<b>-2%</b>	<b>-18%</b>	<b>-48%</b>	<b>+90%</b>	<b>-18%</b>	<b>-12%</b>	<b>-9%</b>	<b>+1%</b>	<b>+0%</b>	<b>-1%</b>	<b>-12%</b>	<b>-8%</b>

## Use of Digital Resources

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>OverDrive Circulations</b>							617	1,264	7,823	7,502	7,380	6,615	5,632
<i>Previous Year</i>							573	1,251	7,502	7,380	6,615	5,632	5,228
<i>Change</i>							+8%	+1%	+4%	+2%	+12%	+17%	+8%
<b>Hoopla Circulations (Began 2016)</b>							1,011	2,062	10,669	5,432	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>							688	1,481	5,432	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>							+47%	+39%	+96%				
<b>NewsBank Searches (Began 2016)</b>							82	270	2,153	2,421	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>							137	352	2,421	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>							-40%	-23%	-11%				
<b>TumbleBooks Uses</b>							13	149	2,964	22,269	24,673	1,096	1,786
<i>Previous Year</i>							2	36	22,269	24,673	1,096	1,786	835
<i>Change</i>							+550%	+314%	-87%	-10%	+2,151%	-39%	+114%
<b>Mango Languages Uses</b>							52	118	1,024	538	617	1,180	1,241
<i>Previous Year</i>							175	350	538	617	1,180	1,241	723
<i>Change</i>							-70%	-66%	+90%	-13%	-48%	-5%	+72%
<b>Ancestry Searches</b>							516	1,055	26,546	36,332	20,275	12,755	8,935
<i>Previous Year</i>							3,418	5,904	36,332	20,275	12,755	8,935	8,635
<i>Change</i>							-85%	-82%	-27%	+79%	+59%	+43%	+3%
<b>Activities Completed on ABCMouse (Began 2016)</b>							72	161	1,251	1,130	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>							66	169	1,130	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>							+9%	-5%	+11%				
<b>Books Read on ABCMouse (Began 2016)</b>							2	11	109	98	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>							1	5	98	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>							+100%	+120%	+11%				
<b>TOTAL Use of Digital Resources</b>							<b>2,365</b>	<b>5,090</b>	<b>52,539</b>	<b>75,722</b>	<b>52,945</b>	<b>21,646</b>	<b>17,594</b>
<i>Previous Year</i>							<b>5,060</b>	<b>9,548</b>	<b>75,722</b>	<b>52,945</b>	<b>21,646</b>	<b>17,594</b>	<b>15,421</b>
<i>Change</i>							<b>-53%</b>	<b>-47%</b>	<b>-31%</b>	<b>+43%</b>	<b>+145%</b>	<b>+23%</b>	<b>+14%</b>



## Total Circulation

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Combined Circulation of Physical Items</b>	305	1,857	4,718	836	597	1,005	10,811	22,506	154,573	152,833	152,633	154,796	174,981
<i>Previous Year</i>	290	1,903	5,748	1,602	315	1,228	12,258	24,746	152,833	152,633	154,796	174,981	190,923
<i>Change</i>	+5%	-2%	-18%	-48%	+90%	-18%	-12%	-9%	+1%	+0%	-1%	-12%	-8%
<b>Combined Use of Digital Resources</b>							2,365	5,090	52,539	75,722	52,945	21,646	17,594
<i>Previous Year</i>							5,060	9,548	75,722	52,945	21,646	17,594	15,421
<i>Change</i>							-53%	-47%	-31%	+43%	+145%	+23%	+14%
<b>TOTAL BDL Circulation</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>1,857</b>	<b>4,718</b>	<b>836</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>1,005</b>	<b>13,176</b>	<b>27,596</b>	<b>207,112</b>	<b>228,555</b>	<b>205,578</b>	<b>176,442</b>	<b>192,575</b>
<i>Previous Year</i>	290	1,903	5,748	1,602	315	1,228	17,318	34,294	228,555	205,578	176,442	192,575	206,344
<i>Change</i>	+5%	-2%	-18%	-48%	+90%	-18%	-24%	-20%	-9%	+11%	+17%	-8%	-7%

## Cataloging

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Physical Items Added to the Catalog</b>	63	243	301	169	139	114	1,029	1,850	11,009	11,091	8,582	6,134	6,097
<i>Previous Year</i>	21	213	312	392	86	125	1,149	2,106	11,091	8,582	6,134	6,097	7,161
<i>Change</i>	+200%	+14%	-4%	-57%	+62%	-9%	-10%	-12%	-1%	+29%	+40%	+1%	-15%
<b>Physical Items Deleted from the Catalog</b>	28	144	421	137	86	68	884	2,516	24,366	15,968	8,668	6,186	4,751
<i>Previous Year</i>	3	89	917	223	60	218	1,510	3,892	15,968	8,668	6,186	4,751	7,269
<i>Change</i>	+833%	+62%	-54%	-39%	+43%	-69%	-41%	-35%	+53%	+84%	+40%	+30%	-35%

## Reference Questions

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>General Reference Questions in Person</b>	5	30	324	19	115	19	512	1,125	7,537	6,285	2,806	2,809	3,624
<i>Previous Year</i>	12	3	261	60	22	113	471	1,064	6,285	2,806	2,809	3,624	5,268
<i>Change</i>	-58%	+900%	+24%	-68%	+423%	-83%	+9%	+6%	+20%	+124%	-0%	-22%	-31%
<b>Questions via Telephone Calls</b>	1	12	274	11	27	29	354	807	5,079	4,622	2,885	2,872	2,430
<i>Previous Year</i>	4	3	326	25	10	64	432	834	4,622	2,885	2,872	2,430	4,580
<i>Change</i>	-75%	+300%	-16%	-56%	+170%	-55%	-18%	-3%	+10%	+60%	+0%	+18%	-47%
<b>Reference Questions Delivered Online</b>	0	0	14	3	0	0	17	26	233	304	227	128	45
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	11	3	0	2	16	31	304	227	128	45	35
<i>Change</i>			+27%				+6%	-16%	-23%	+34%	+77%	+184%	+29%
<b>In-Person Questions on Computer or Internet Use</b>	2	31	424	21	0	31	509	1,119	7,285	6,568	5,551	4,076	3,741
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	14	452	7	2	82	557	1,130	6,568	5,551	4,076	3,741	3,222
<i>Change</i>		+121%	-6%	+200%		-62%	-9%	-1%	+11%	+18%	+36%	+9%	+16%
<b>In-Person Questions about Our Online Databases</b>	0	0	26	10	0	0	36	62	363	170	92	121	206
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	1	31	1	0	2	35	64	170	92	121	206	118
<i>Change</i>			-16%	+900%			+3%	-3%	+114%	+85%	-24%	-41%	+75%
<b>In-Person Tax Form Questions</b>	0	10	201	21	0	10	242	326	493	473	579	560	531
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	12	150	30	1	21	214	332	473	579	560	531	515
<i>Change</i>		-17%	+34%	-30%		-52%	+13%	-2%	+4%	-18%	+3%	+5%	+3%
<b>TOTAL of All Reference Questions</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>1,263</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>1,670</b>	<b>3,465</b>	<b>20,990</b>	<b>18,422</b>	<b>12,140</b>	<b>10,566</b>	<b>10,577</b>
<i>Previous Year</i>	<b>16</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>1,231</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>1,725</b>	<b>3,455</b>	<b>18,422</b>	<b>12,140</b>	<b>10,566</b>	<b>10,577</b>	<b>13,738</b>
<i>Change</i>	<b>-50%</b>	<b>+152%</b>	<b>+3%</b>	<b>-33%</b>	<b>+306%</b>	<b>-69%</b>	<b>-3%</b>	<b>+0%</b>	<b>+14%</b>	<b>+52%</b>	<b>+15%</b>	<b>-0%</b>	<b>-23%</b>



# MeLCat

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Requests from BDL Patrons for Items at Other MeLCat Libraries</b>							876	1,764	8,699	7,643	7,280	6,708	7,329
<i>Previous Year</i>							659	1,424	7,643	7,280	6,708	7,329	7,727
<i>Change</i>							+33%	+24%	+14%	+5%	+9%	-8%	-5%
<b>Requests from BDL Patrons for Items at Other MeLCat Libraries, Actually Fulfilled</b>							821	1,674	8,169	7,112	6,118	5,677	6,302
<i>Previous Year</i>							636	1,339	7,112	6,118	5,677	6,302	6,390
<i>Change</i>							+29%	+25%	+15%	+16%	+8%	-10%	-1%
<b>Requests from Other MeLCat Libraries for Items at BDL</b>							657	1,257	7,994	7,096	5,989	6,619	9,848
<i>Previous Year</i>							572	1,167	7,096	5,989	6,619	9,848	7,910
<i>Change</i>							+15%	+8%	+13%	+18%	-10%	-33%	+25%
<b>Requests from Other MeLCat Libraries for Items at BDL, Actually Fulfilled</b>							672	1,183	7,867	7,068	4,855	5,400	9,387
<i>Previous Year</i>							536	1,137	7,068	4,855	5,400	9,387	7,291
<i>Change</i>							+25%	+4%	+11%	+46%	-10%	-42%	+29%
<b>BDL Items Sent to Other MeLCat Libraries</b>	37	75	0	91	71	96	370	699	4,739	3,986	3,394	3,548	5,915
<i>Previous Year</i>	41	43	0	145	29	56	314	654	3,986	3,394	3,548	5,915	4,898
<i>Change</i>	-10%	+74%		-37%	+145%	+71%	+18%	+7%	+19%	+17%	-4%	-40%	+21%
<b>Items from other MeLCat Libraries Checked out to OUR Patrons</b>	12	65	312	64	63	64	580	1,148	6,352	5,560	4,662	4,231	4,852
<i>Previous Year</i>	23	79	238	63	7	41	451	923	5,560	4,662	4,231	4,852	4,745
<i>Change</i>	-48%	-18%	+31%	+2%	+800%	+56%	+29%	+24%	+14%	+19%	+10%	-13%	+2%

## Programs Held

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Juvenile Programs Held</b>	3	11	37	2	8	8	69	130	720	604	575	482	470
<i>Previous Year</i>	1	13	36	4	0	8	62	120	604	575	482	470	433
<i>Change</i>	+200%	-15%	+3%	-50%			+11%	+8%	+19%	+5%	+19%	+3%	+9%
<b>Young Adult Programs Held</b>	0	8	8	3	11	6	36	63	248	163	151	126	49
<i>Previous Year</i>	3	3	3	2	4	0	15	34	163	151	126	49	37
<i>Change</i>		+167%	+167%	+50%	+175%		+140%	+85%	+52%	+8%	+20%	+157%	+32%
<b>Adult Programs Held</b>	0	7	3	1	2	0	13	20	146	220	157	125	87
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	8	6	2	0	0	16	26	220	157	125	87	76
<i>Change</i>		-13%	-50%	-50%			-19%	-23%	-34%	+40%	+26%	+44%	+14%
<b>Juvenile Summer Reading Events Held</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	95	89	84	78	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	89	84	78	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+7%	+6%	+8%		
<b>Young Adult Summer Reading Events Held</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	57	29	85	30	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	85	30	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+97%	-66%	+183%		
<b>Adult Summer Reading Events Held</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	4	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	4	0	0
<i>Change</i>										-40%	+25%		
<b>Computer Classes Held</b>	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	4	22	14	22	24	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	22	24	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+57%	-36%	-8%		
<b>TOTAL of All Programs</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>1,288</b>	<b>1,122</b>	<b>1,079</b>	<b>869</b>	<b>606</b>
<i>Previous Year</i>	4	24	45	8	4	8	93	180	1,122	1,079	869	606	546
<i>Change</i>	-25%	+8%	+11%	-25%	+425%	+75%	+29%	+21%	+15%	+4%	+24%	+43%	+11%

## Program Attendance

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Attendees at Juvenile Programs</b>	10	171	671	15	72	139	1,078	2,047	15,351	10,371	8,415	7,857	8,859
<i>Previous Year</i>	3	378	585	32	0	173	1,171	2,083	10,371	8,415	7,857	8,859	8,391
<i>Change</i>	+233%	-55%	+15%	-53%		-20%	-8%	-2%	+48%	+23%	+7%	-11%	+6%
<b>Attendees at Young Adult Programs</b>	0	75	83	7	31	18	214	491	4,520	1,011	884	641	473
<i>Previous Year</i>	7	24	88	12	55	0	186	249	1,011	884	641	473	462
<i>Change</i>		+213%	-6%	-42%	-44%		+15%	+97%	+347%	+14%	+38%	+36%	+2%
<b>Attendees at Adult Programs</b>	0	48	36	0	12	0	96	280	1,979	2,048	2,157	1,310	1,108
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	95	53	105	0	0	253	315	2,048	2,157	1,310	1,108	967
<i>Change</i>		-49%	-32%				-62%	-11%	-3%	-5%	+65%	+18%	+15%
<b>Attendees at Juvenile Summer Reading Events</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,116	3,904	2,499	3,159	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,904	2,499	3,159	0	0
<i>Change</i>									-20%	+56%	-21%		
<b>Attendees at Young Adult Summer Reading Events</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	671	295	259	307	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	295	259	307	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+127%	+14%	-16%		
<b>Attendees at Adult Summer Reading Events</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	77	111	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	77	111	0	0
<i>Change</i>										-73%	-31%		
<b>Attendees at Computer Classes</b>	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	4	21	12	29	28	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	29	28	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+75%	-59%	+4%		
<b>TOTAL of All Program Attendance</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>792</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>1,390</b>	<b>2,822</b>	<b>25,658</b>	<b>17,662</b>	<b>14,320</b>	<b>13,413</b>	<b>10,440</b>
<i>Previous Year</i>	<b>10</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>726</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>1,610</b>	<b>2,647</b>	<b>17,662</b>	<b>14,320</b>	<b>13,413</b>	<b>10,440</b>	<b>9,820</b>
<i>Change</i>		<b>-41%</b>	<b>+9%</b>	<b>-85%</b>	<b>+109%</b>	<b>-9%</b>	<b>-14%</b>	<b>+7%</b>	<b>+45%</b>	<b>+23%</b>	<b>+7%</b>	<b>+28%</b>	<b>+6%</b>

## Summer Reading Program Signups

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Juveniles Signed Up for Summer Reading Program</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,153	967	859	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	967	859	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+19%	+13%			
<b>Young Adults Signed up for Summer Reading Program</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	385	113	311	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	113	311	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+241%	-64%			
<b>Adults Signed Up for Summer Reading Program</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	117	86	85	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	86	85	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+36%	+1%			
<b>TOTAL Summer Reading Program Signups</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,655</b>	<b>1,166</b>	<b>1,255</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,166	1,255	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+42%	-7%			

# Summer Reading Program Completions

February 2018

	Algansee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Juveniles who Completed Summer Reading Program</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	518	459	512	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	459	512	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+13%	-10%			
<b>Young Adults who Completed Summer Reading Program</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	268	62	122	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62	122	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+332%	-49%			
<b>Adults who Completed Summer Reading Program</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	96	60	56	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	56	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+60%	+7%			
<b>TOTAL Summer Reading Program Completions</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>882</b>	<b>581</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	581	690	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>									+52%	-16%			



## Library-Provided Computer Services

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>One-hour sessions on Library Wifi</b>	514	8,517	25,940	2,446	1,172	2,165	40,754	78,994	425,714	410,437	351,423	298,098	217,215
<i>Previous Year</i>	809	6,703	23,438	1,506	1,036	2,224	35,716	71,106	410,437	351,423	298,098	217,215	151,938
<i>Change</i>	-36%	+27%	+11%	+62%	+13%	-3%	+14%	+11%	+4%	+17%	+18%	+37%	+43%
<b>Computers Available for Public Use</b>	5	16	27	8	6	11	73		73	73	73	73	73
<i>Previous Year</i>	5	16	27	8	6	11	73		73	73	73	73	73
<i>Change</i>													
<b>Use of Library-Provided Computers</b>	53	519	2,008	70	101	290	3,041	6,185	44,181	41,513	46,405	43,756	46,559
<i>Previous Year</i>	61	544	2,111	107	100	302	3,225	6,694	41,513	46,405	43,756	46,559	51,549
<i>Change</i>	-13%	-5%	-5%	-35%	+1%	-4%	-6%	-8%	+6%	-11%	+6%	-6%	-10%
<b>Computers Available for Staff Use</b>	1	6	27	3	2	3	42		41	41	41	41	41
<i>Previous Year</i>	1	6	26	3	2	3	41		41	41	41	41	41
<i>Change</i>			+4%				+2%						

## Website Stats

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Monthly Website Sessions</b>							3,012	7,145	73,326	75,139	72,706	68,773	813,995,593
<i>Previous Year</i>							5,128	11,612	75,139	72,706	68,773	813,995,593	0
<i>Change</i>							-41%	-38%	-2%	+3%	+6%	-100%	
<b>Monthly Website Page Views</b>							7,930	17,418	177,799	182,084	169,630	163,277	162,300
<i>Previous Year</i>							13,314	29,576	182,084	169,630	163,277	162,300	0
<i>Change</i>							-40%	-41%	-2%	+7%	+4%	+1%	

## Faxes, Prints, and Sales

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Fax Pages Received</b>	0	0	29	0	0	1	30	80	260	219	173	168	140
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	11	15	0	0	26	46	219	173	168	140	185
<i>Change</i>			+164%				+15%	+74%	+19%	+27%	+3%	+20%	-24%
<b>Fax Pages Sent</b>	8	77	418	12	1	86	602	1,255	3,879	1,741	1,882	1,353	1,346
<i>Previous Year</i>	5	23	87	41	1	37	194	420	1,741	1,882	1,353	1,346	1,682
<i>Change</i>	+60%	+235%	+380%	-71%		+132%	+210%	+199%	+123%	-7%	+39%	+1%	-20%
<b>Free Prints for Job Seekers</b>	10	0	131	0	44	78	263	613	3,128	2,878	2,335	3,024	3,834
<i>Previous Year</i>	5	2	169	7	20	3	206	520	2,878	2,335	3,024	3,834	3,816
<i>Change</i>	+100%		-22%		+120%	+2,500%	+28%	+18%	+9%	+23%	-23%	-21%	+0%
<b>Black and White Patron Prints (Tracking Since 6/2016)</b>	218	782	4,777	356	28	593	6,754	13,580	75,606	35,561	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	413	824	4,068	194	27	480	6,006	11,347	35,561	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>	-47%	-5%	+17%	+84%	+4%	+24%	+12%	+20%	+113%				
<b>Color Patron Prints (Tracking Since 6/2016)</b>	55	126	352	73	16	10	632	1,486	10,253	4,036	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	19	83	312	19	38	59	530	1,065	4,036	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>	+189%	+52%	+13%	+284%	-58%	-83%	+19%	+40%	+154%				
<b>Flash Drives Sold (Tracking Since 6/2016)</b>	0	2	3	0	0	0	5	8	56	54	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	3	2	0	0	5	13	54	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>								-38%	+4%				
<b>Earbuds Sold (Tracking Since 6/2016)</b>	0	7	23	0	3	3	36	74	416	166	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	2	11	0	0	0	13	38	166	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>		+250%	+109%				+177%	+95%	+151%				

## Fines and Fees

Overdue Fines Dropped in 2017

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Fines and Fees Payments Received</b>	\$ 0.00	\$ 58.95	\$ 107.25	\$ 24.99	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 191.19	\$ 602.15	\$ 7,628.31	\$ 10,062.96	\$ 14,448.76	\$ 14,827.36	\$ 15,371.10
<i>Previous Year</i>	\$ 1.60	\$ 117.00	\$ 370.46	\$ 51.45	\$ 56.76	\$ 115.36	\$ 712.63	\$ 1,499.46	\$ 10,062.96	\$ 14,448.76	\$ 14,827.36	\$ 15,371.10	\$ 18,047.66
<i>Change</i>		-50%	-71%	-53%			-73%	-60%	-24%	-30%	-3%	-4%	-15%
<b>Outstanding Fines and Fees</b>	\$ 182.00	\$ 9,255.96	\$ 33,762.55	\$ 3,803.06	\$ 1,326.30	\$ 5,297.57	\$ 53,627.44		84,232.33	228,102.90	221,076.26	209,842.19	201,353.05
<i>Previous Year</i>	\$ 1,152.82	\$ 34,143.33	\$ 154,992.73	\$ 20,417.33	\$ 4,404.11	\$ 14,188.91	\$ 229,299.23		228,102.90	221,076.26	209,842.19	201,353.05	188,798.85
<i>Change</i>	-84%	-73%	-78%	-81%	-70%	-63%	-77%		-63%	+3%	+5%	+4%	+7%

## Debt Collections

Unique Management Services, Inc.

Tracking Since 2014

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Fine Payments as a Result of Collection Agency's Efforts</b>							\$ 0.00	\$ 131.45	\$ 229.00	\$ 947.13	\$ 818.48	\$ 809.51	\$ 0.00
<i>Previous Year</i>							\$ 0.00	\$ 46.00	\$ 947.13	\$ 818.48	\$ 809.51	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<i>Change</i>								+185%	-76%	+16%	+1%		
<b>Library Materials Returned as a Result of Collection Agency's Efforts</b>							\$ 131.00	\$ 323.00	\$ 888.95	\$ 1,317.93	\$ 1,346.89	\$ 1,864.69	\$ 0.00
<i>Previous Year</i>							\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 1,317.93	\$ 1,346.89	\$ 1,864.69	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<i>Change</i>							+555%	+1,515%	-33%	-2%	-28%		
<b>What We Paid Collection Agency for Their Services</b>							\$ 0.00	\$ 58.18	\$ 558.08	\$ 1,022.23	\$ 1,051.42	\$ 753.88	\$ 0.00
<i>Previous Year</i>							\$ 8.00	\$ 8.00	\$ 1,022.23	\$ 1,051.42	\$ 753.88	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
<i>Change</i>								+625%	-45%	-3%	+40%		

## Value to Our Service Area

Physical Item Circulation Only

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>What It Would Cost if All the Physical Items Checked Out by Our Patrons Had Been Purchased by Them</b>							\$ 137,279.30	\$ 291,203.50	\$ 2,135,671.28	\$ 2,132,387.79	\$ 2,167,140.68	\$ 2,167,024.48	\$ 2,373,675.70
<i>Previous Year</i>							\$ 182,312.57	\$ 364,867.02	\$ 2,132,387.79	\$ 2,167,140.68	\$ 2,167,024.48	\$ 2,373,675.70	\$ 2,554,108.00
<i>Change</i>							-25%	-20%	+0%	-2%	+0%	-9%	-7%









## Seed Exchange

Began 3/2017 at Coldwater Only (Stats part of circulation totals above.)

February 2018

	Alganssee	Bronson	Coldwater	Quincy	Sherwood	Union Twp.	BDL Monthly Total	BDL YTD	BDL Year End				
									2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Seed Exchange</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	185	0	0	0	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<i>Change</i>													

## Heritage Room

Stats part of Coldwater Branch totals above; shown here for convenience.

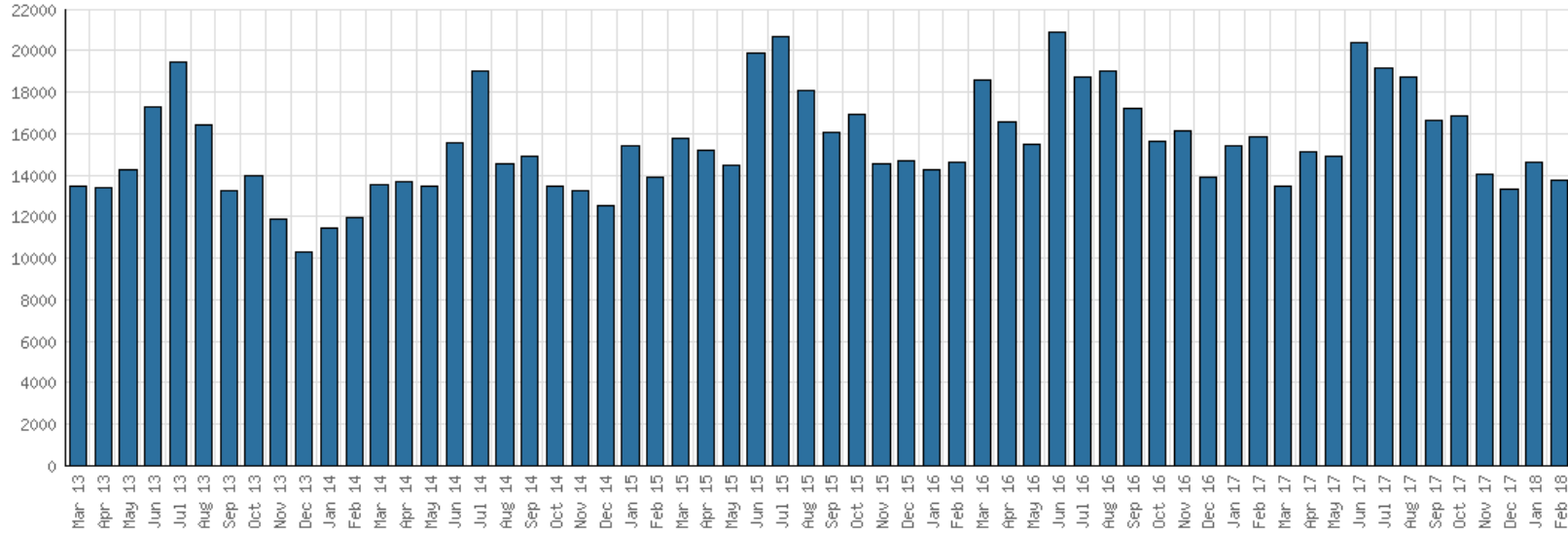
February 2018

	Heritage Room	YTD	Year End				
			2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
<b>Heritage Room Attendance</b>	53	124	658	705	468	312	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	48	105	705	468	312	0	0
<i>Change</i>	+10%	+18%	-7%	+51%	+50%		
<b>In-Person Reference Questions</b>	54	110	550	72	30	41	24
<i>Previous Year</i>	48	83	72	30	41	24	50
<i>Change</i>	+13%	+33%	+664%	+140%	-27%	+71%	-52%
<b>Reference Telephone Calls</b>	25	60	433	376	206	84	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	77	106	376	206	84	0	0
<i>Change</i>	-68%	-43%	+15%	+83%	+145%		
<b>Online Reference Questions</b>	11	17	63	83	77	43	0
<i>Previous Year</i>	11	16	83	77	43	0	0
<i>Change</i>		+6%	-24%	+8%	+79%		

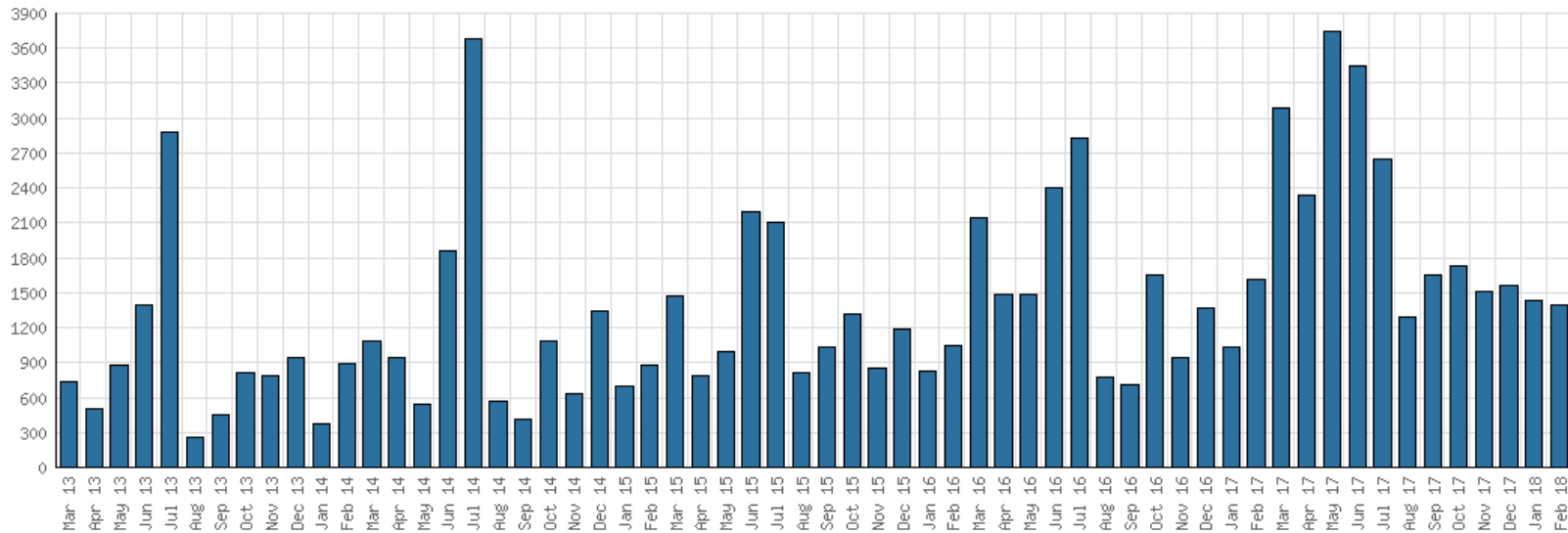
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5-year Monthly Trends

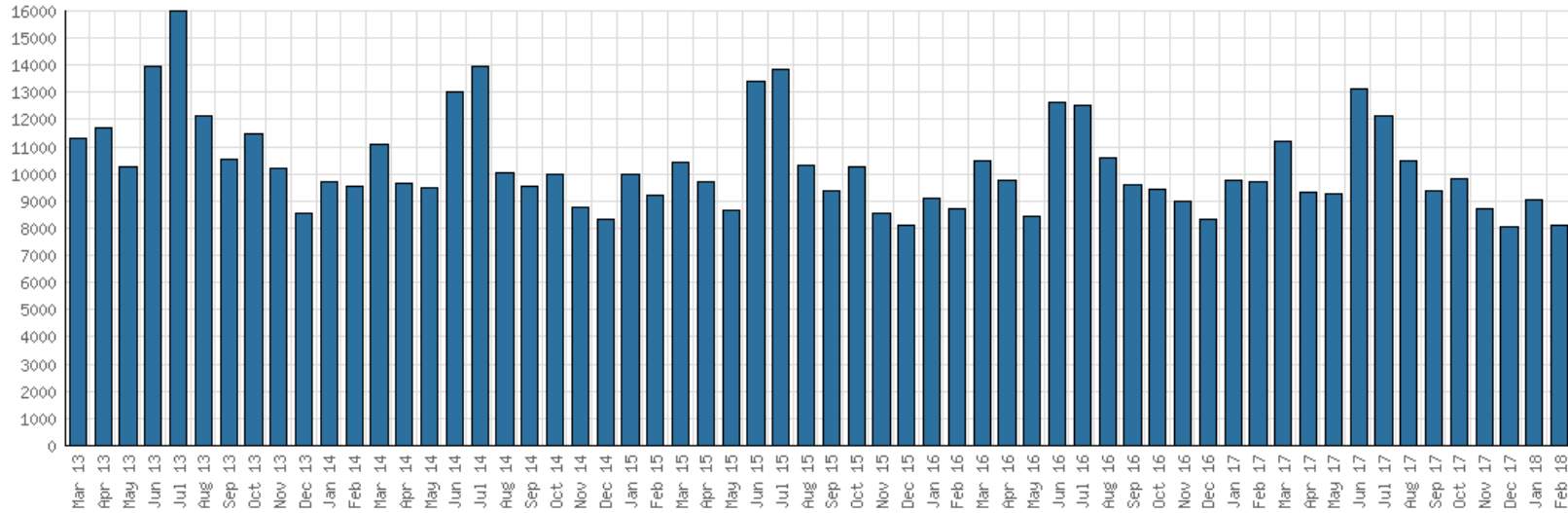
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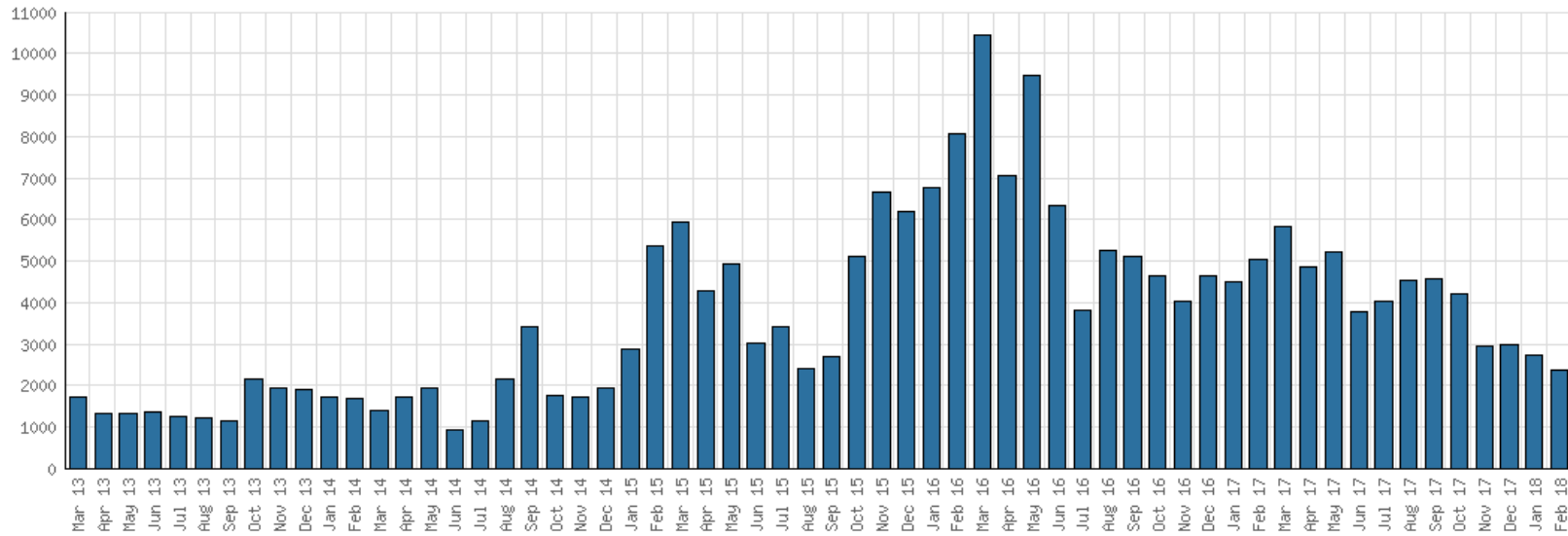
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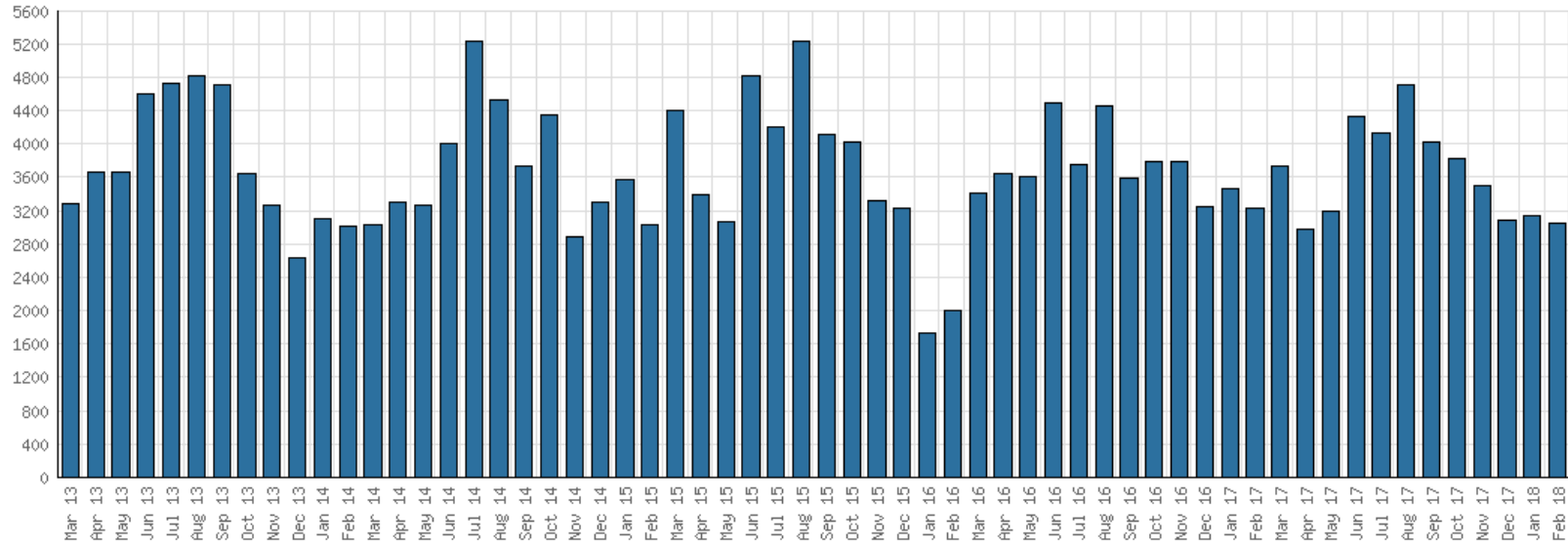
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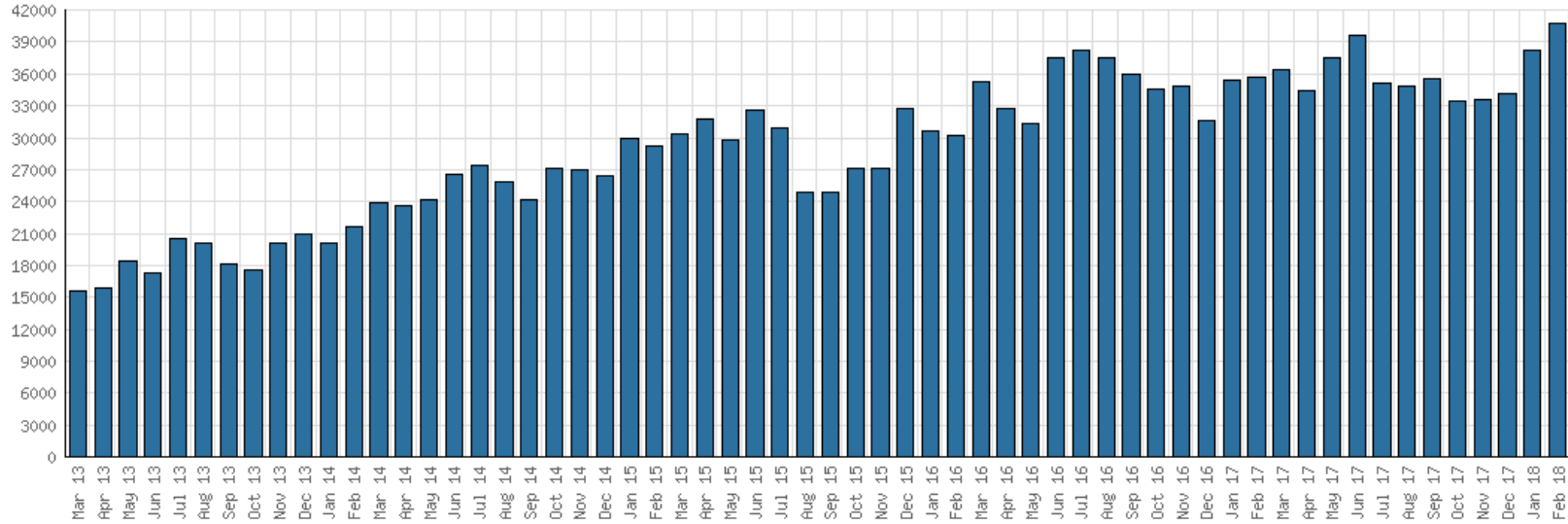
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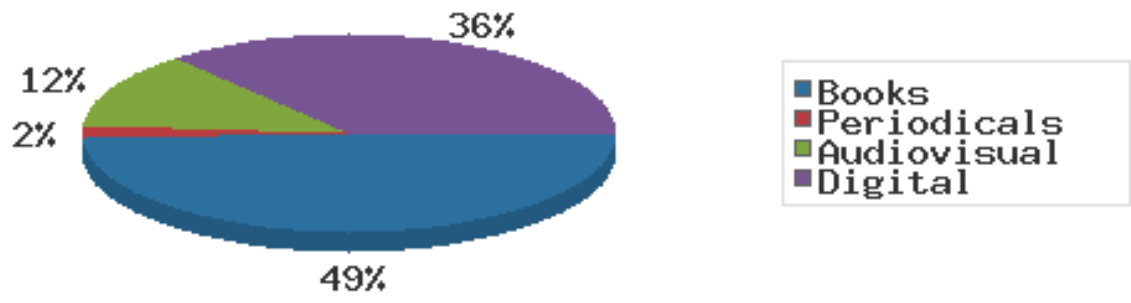
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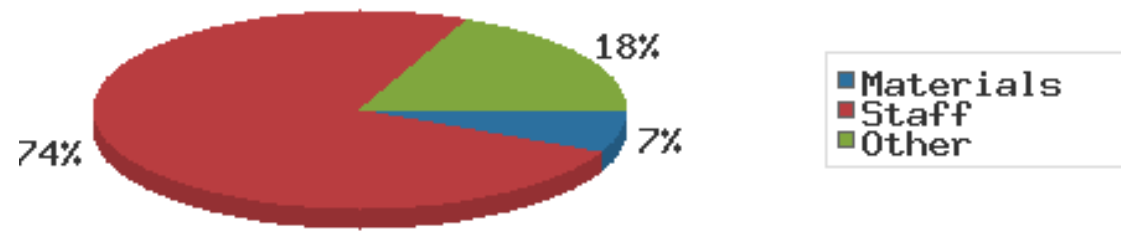
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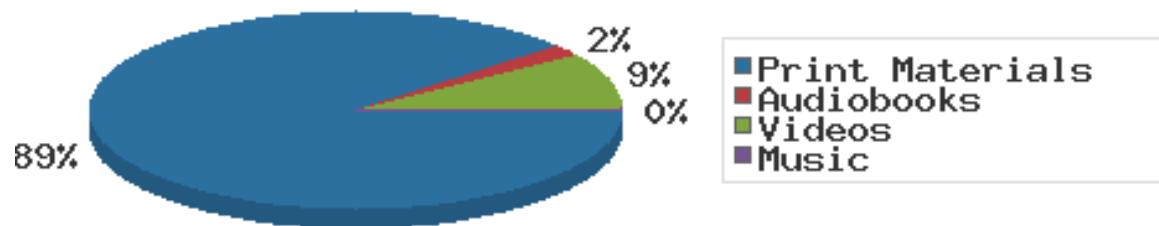
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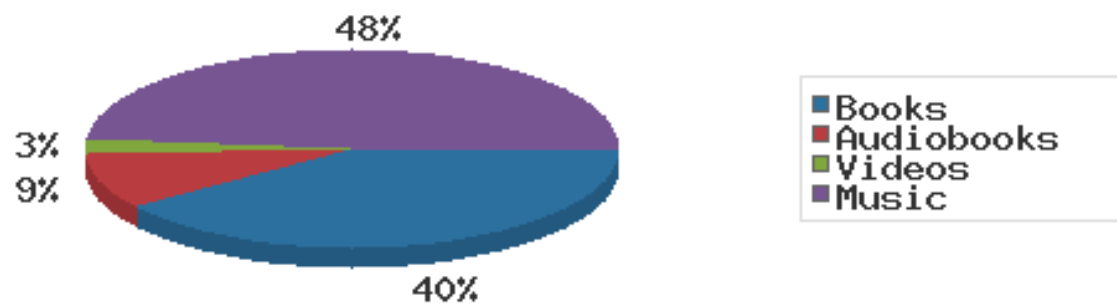
YTD Expenditures in all Categories



Physical Collection



Digital Collection



### YTD Usage Breakdown of Digital Services

