Files with an extension of *.wks are data files in Lotus 1-2-3 format.
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Please see the print report for more comprehensive definitions.

FY2003 data will be available in early 2004.

FINST02 Financial Statistics File Data from this file was used to print the FY2002 Financial Statistics Report.

Field Name	Definition
TOWNSNAME	Name of the municipality in which the library is located
MULTIPLE	True value indicates multiple independent libraries within the municipality.
LIBCODE	Unique library identifier - usually, but not always, the name of the municipality.
LIBPOP	2000 population estimate
LIBGROUP	Population Grouping the library is in. A = 1 - 1,999 B = 2,000 - 4,999 C = 5,000 - 9,999 D = 10,000 - 14,999 E = 15,000 - 24,999 F = 25,000 - 49,999 G = 50,000 - 99,999 H = 100,000 +
REGION	Region in which the library is located. B = Boston C = Central M = Metrowest N = Northeast S = Southeastern W = Western

	FINST02
	Financial Statistics File
	Data from this file was used to print the FY2002 Financial Statistics Report.

Field Name	Definition
COUNTY	2-letter code representing the county in which the library is located. BA = Barnstable BE = Berkshire BR = Bristol DU = Dukes ES = Essex FR = Franklin HN = Hampden HS = Hampshire MI = Middlesex NA = Nantucket NO = Norfolk PL = Plymouth SU = Suffolk WO = Worcester
TAMILAST	Sum of revenue sources appropriated to library for operating.
TAMIPC	Per capita total appropriated municipal income.
TOILAST	Total Operating Income - Sum of appropriated and not appropriated revenues from all municipal funds, trust, gift and State Aid to Public Libraries Program monies.
TOIPC	Per capita total operating income.
TOELAST	Total operating expenditures.
TOEPC	Per capita total operating expenditures.
SALELAST	Salary expenditures.
SALEPC	Per capita salary expenditures.
SALEPERC	Percentage of total operating expenditures spent on salaries.
TMELAST	Materials expenditures.
TMEPC	Per capita materials expenditures.
TMEPERCEN	Percentage of total operating expenditures spent on materials.
TOOELAST	Other operating expenditures including building maintenance, energy, utilities and network membership.
TOOPC	Per capita other operating expenditures.

	FINST02 Financial Statistics File Data from this file was used to print the FY2002 Financial Statistics Report.
Field Name	Definition
TOOPERCENT	Percentage of total operating expenditures spent on items other than personnel and materials.
NETWEPC	Per capita network expenditures.
NETWELAST	Network expenditures - the cost of belonging to an automated resource sharing network paid from the library's budget.
ANNHRS	Number of hours the library (including branches and bookmobiles) was open during the fiscal year.
ATTENDANCE	Total annual library attendance (visits)

CIRCSE02 Circulation and Services Statistics File Data from this file was used to print the FY2002 Circulation and Holdings Report and the FY2002 Services Report	
Field Name	**Definition**
LIBCODE	Name of the municipality and for multiple libraries, partial library name.
TOWNSNAME	Name of the municipality the library is located in.
MULTIPLE	True value indicates multiple independent libraries within the municipality.
CONTRACTIN	True value indicates library contracts with the Board of Library Commissioners to provide various services to the region.
REGION	Region in which the library is located. 　　　B = Boston 　　　C = Central 　　　M = Metrowest 　　　N = Northeast 　　　S = Southeastern 　　　W = Western
LIBPOP	2000 population
LIBGROUP	Population Grouping the municipality is in. 　　　A =　　1 -　1,999 　　　B =　2,000 -　4,999 　　　C =　5,000 -　9,999 　　　D = 10,000 - 14,999 　　　E = 15,000 - 24,999 　　　F = 25,000 - 49,999 　　　G = 50,000 - 99,999 　　　H = 100,000 +
COUNTY	2-letter code representing the county in which the library is located. 　　　BA = Barnstable 　　　BE = Berkshire 　　　BR = Bristol 　　　DU = Dukes 　　　ES = Essex 　　　FR = Franklin 　　　HN = Hampden 　　　HS = Hampshire 　　　MI = Middlesex 　　　NA = Nantucket 　　　NO = Norfolk 　　　PL = Plymouth 　　　SU = Suffolk 　　　WO = Worcester

	CIRCSE02 Circulation and Services Statistics File Data from this file was used to print the FY2002 Circulation and Holdings Report and the FY2002 Services Report
Field Name	Definition
PRINTTOTCI	Total number of print adult and juvenile volumes lent.
AUDIOCIRC	Total number of CD's and audio tapes lent.
VIDEOCIRC	Total number of video tapes and video discs lent.
DIRCIRC	Total Direct Circulation: total number print or non-print items circulated directly to borrowers. Includes: circulation of above plus periodicals, audio tapes, video tapes, multimedia items, framed art and other miscellaneous items.
TCIRC	Total circulation activity: total items circulated including to borrowers directly, and to other libraries, via interlibrary loan and network transfers.
NRCTOT	Nonresident circulation total - Total number of items circulated to nonresidents of the municipality. This includes the figures for residents of Massachusetts municipalities certified for state aid as well as loans to residents of Massachusetts municipalities not certified for state aid and persons from outside Massachusetts.
TOTHOURS	Total number of hours worked by all employees.
NCUSTFTE	Full-time equivalencies excluding custodians. Calculated by totaling the number of hours worked by all staff except custodial staff and dividing by 35.
CIRCFTE	Total Circulation per FTE. (TCIRC/FTE)
CIRCPC	Total circulation activity per capita. (TCIRC/POP)
ANNHRSMAIN	Total annual hours the library was open (main library if there are branches).
ANNHRSBRAN	Total annual hours any/all branch libraries were open.
ANNHRSBKMB	Total annual hours any/all bookmobiles were open
CIRCHOUR	Total Circulation activity per hour open.
LOANTO	Interlibrary loans provided to another library.
LOANFROM	Interlibrary loans received from another library.
REGISNUM	Number of people registered to use the library at the end of the fiscal year.
TOTSUBS	Total subscriptions
PRINTTOT	Total print holdings
NONPRINTOT	Total nonprint holdings

	CIRCSE02 Circulation and Services Statistics File Data from this file was used to print the FY2002 Circulation and Holdings Report and the FY2002 Services Report
Field Name	Definition
HOLD	Sum of print, non-print and computer materials owned by the library.
HOLDPC	Holdings per capita. (HOLD/POP)
COMPACCINT	Number of public use computers that have access to the Internet.
COMPACCING	Number of public use computers that have access to the Internet and use a graphic interface
ATTENDANCE	Total annual library attendance.
REFERENCE	Total annual number of reference transactions.
TOTSATS	Number of Saturdays open during the fiscal year.
TOTSUNS	Number of Sundays open during the fiscal year.
HRSSATS	Annual number of hours open on Saturdays.
HRSSUNS	Annual number of hours open on Sundays.
BRANCHES	Number of auxiliary libraries operating during fiscal year. These are libraries with separate quarters, a permanent basic collection, a permanent staff, and a regular schedule, but administered from a central unit.
JUPROG	Number of programs designed for children offered by the library.
JUATTEND	Number of people attending programs designed for children.
ADPROG	Number of programs designed for adults offered by the library.
ADATTEND	Number of people attending programs designed for adults.
MTRMUSES	Number of times meeting rooms were used.
CADAP	"Y" indicates the library provided adaptive technology in the library for patrons.
CBUSDEV	"Y" indicates the library had a Business Development Area with a collection.
CJOBCAR	"Y" indicates the library had a Job/Career Development Area with a collection.

Field Name	Definition
	PERS02 **Personnel Statistics File** Data from this file was used to print the 7-1-2002 Public Library Salaries Report and the 7-1-2002 Education and Staffing Report.
Field Name	**Definition**
LIBCODE	Unique identifier for each library - Code contains the name of the municipality and for municipalities with multiple independent libraries, part of the library name.
TOWNSNAME	Name of the municipality in which the library is located.
POP	2000 census population .
LIBGROUP	Population Grouping the municipality is in. A = 1 - 1,999 B = 2,000 - 4,999 C = 5,000 - 9,999 D = 10,000 - 14,999 E = 15,000 - 24,999 F = 25,000 - 49,999 G = 50,000 - 99,999 H = 100,000 +
REGION	Library region in which municipality is located. B = Boston C = Central M = Metrowest N = Northeast S = Southeastern W = Western
COUNTY	2-letter code representing the county in which the municipality is located. BA = Barnstable BE = Berkshire BR = Bristol DU = Dukes ES = Essex FR = Franklin HN = Hampden HS = Hampshire MI = Middlesex NA = Nantucket NO = Norfolk PL = Plymouth SU = Suffolk WO = Worcester

PERS02 Personnel Statistics File Data from this file was used to print the 7-1-2002 Public Library Salaries Report and the 7-1-2002 Education and Staffing Report.	
Field Name	Definition
MULTIPLE	Indicates multiple independent libraries within the municipality.
DIRSAL	Director's actual annual salary as of 7/1/2001.
DIRHRS	Director's Weekly Hours - total number of paid hours worked by the library director in a typical week.
DIRED	Director education - Highest education level completed by the Library Director as of 7/1/2001.
DLSMLS	Number of staff holding Doctorate or Masters' in Library Science degrees as the highest education level completed.
BLS	Number of staff holding BLS degree as highest educational level completed.
ASSOC	Number of staff having completed two or more years of college, but not holding a Bachelors degree.
HSGRAD	Number of staff having completed high school as their highest educational level completed.
OTHGRAD	Number of staff holding Doctorate or Masters' degrees other than MLS as highest education level completed.
BSBA	Number of staff holding Bachelors degrees other than BLS as their highest educational level completed.
COLL2	Number of staff having completed some college but less than two years of college.
OTHERUNK	Number of staff with other or unknown education levels.
MLSHRS	Number of hours worked in a normal week by all staff holding MLS degrees.
PROFHRS	Full-time equivalency for persons listed as holding librarian positions. This is computed by adding hours worked by all librarians and dividing by 35.
CHILHRS	Full-time equivalency for children's librarians. This is computed by adding hours worked by children's librarians and dividing by 35.
NCUSTHRS	Full-time equivalency for employees in noncustodial positions. This is computed by adding hours worked by all noncustodial employees and dividing by 35.

Field Name	Definition
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Field Name	Definition
FTE	Full-time equivalency. This is computed by adding hours worked by all employees and dividing by 35.
FT	Number of full-time (35 or more hours per week) employees.
PT	Number of part-time (less than 35 hours per week) employees.
ANNHRSMAIN	Number of hours the library (or main library) was open during the fiscal year.
ANNHRSBRAN	Number of hours the branch library(s) was open during the fiscal year.
ANNHRSBKMB	Number of hours the bookmobile(s) was open during the fiscal year.
VOLHOURSYR	Number of hours volunteered in fiscal year.
MLS	"MLS" in this field indicates the director on 7/1/2001 holds an MLS degree.
xxMIN	Minimum hourly compensation in the range reported by the library. When this field is blank and xxMAX contains a value, only one hourly figure was reported. List of codes substituted for xx follows: LD = Library Director AD = Assistant Director SL = Senior Librarian BL = Branch Librarian AL = Adult Reference Services - Staff Librarian CL = Children's Ref. Services - Staff Librarian XL = Circulation Services - Staff Librarian TL = Technical Services - Staff Librarian YL = YA Services - Staff Librarian OL = Other Staff Librarian ST = Library Assoc./Senior Library Technician LT = Library Technician PA = Pages AA = Administrative Assistant CS = Clerical Staff OS = Other Staff CU = Custodial Staff
xxMAX	Maximum hourly compensation in the range reported by the library. See above position list to substitute for xx.