

Table 4.7**USA Libraries Holdings****Fiscal Years 2020-21 through 2024-25**

	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
Education and Outreach Services					
Sessions: University Libraries Totals					
USA Class Face to Face Presentations - Biomedical*	18	28	28	14	21
USA Class Online Instruction -- Biomedical	-	5	6	2	13
USA Class Presentations Face to Face - Marx	18	20	20	28	58
USA Class Presentations Online -- Marx	13	16	18	2	4
USA Class Presentations - McCall**	6	6	5	6	7
USA Class Presentations - MCOB**	19	22	13	16	23
Total	74	97	90	68	126
Outreach Presentations - Biomedical*	8	27	33	37	50
Outreach Presentations - Marx	11	10	50	55	71
Outreach Presentations - McCall**	5	12	8	8	16
Outreach Presentations - MCOB**	1	0	0	0	32
Total	25	49	91	100	169
Instruction & Outreach attendees (all formats)					
Biomedical attendees*	643	994	1,195	2,103	2,223
Marx attendees	503	1,908	4,009	5,961	8,112
McCall attendees**	98	347	672	224	306
MCOB attendees**	589	544	429	457	1,631
Total	1,833	3,793	6,305	8,745	12,272

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Library Space Use/Door Count					
Biomedical Library Door Count*	21,035	37,238	37,625	34,791	30,795
Marx Library Door Count	100,900	344,774	335,840	347,528	360,481
Marx Library Auditorium Door Count	742	4,910	10,292	9,305	9,202
McCall Library Door Count**	126	599	414	338	257
MCOB Learning Resource Center Door Count**	5,594	8,742	9,243	8,859	9,138
Graduate Lounge Visits	n/a	n/a	1,225	1,272	966
Learning Commons Visits	-	-	23,832	22,950	23,697
Total	128,397	396,263	418,471	425,043	434,536
Auditorium bookings	24	77	156	158	134
Meeting Room Bookings - Marx	109	571	528	657	691
Total	133	648	684	815	825
Student Engagement and Social Media					
Number of Social Media Followers-Biomedical	-	-	1,141	1,207	1,305
Number of Social Media Followers-Marx	-	3,005	3,424	3,815	4,226
Number of Social Media Followers-McCall	-	1,387	1,647	1,800	1,900
Total	-	4,392	6,212	6,822	7,431
Number of posts-Biomedical	-	-	795	1,026	638
Number of posts-Marx	-	292	592	914	249
Total	-	292	1,387	1,940	887
Total Post reach-Biomedical	-	-	6,624	10,072	79,383
Total Post reach-Marx	-	-	101,624	90,990	109,500
Total	-	-	108,248	101,062	188,883
Student Engagement Programs					
Marx Libray Programs	-	-	19	26	30
Biomedical Libray Programs*	-	-	-	21	12
MCOB Library Programs	-	-	-	-	29
Total	-	-	19	47	71

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Student Engagement Program Participation					
Marx attendance	-	-	984	2,859	3,211
Biomedical attendance	-	-	-	512	500
MCOB attendance	-	-	-	-	1,300
Total	-	-	984	3,371	5,011
Course and Subject Guides					
Number of Course and Subject Guides	626	647	515	382	387
Number of Views of Course and Subject Guides	113,886	106,489	115,274	107,677	112,935
Reference Transactions (all formats)					
Biomedical*	802	399	305	374	294
Marx	834	2,463	2,266	1,306	1,321
McCall**	541	1,033	807	601	567
MCOB**	185	171	178	180	168
Total	2,362	4,066	3,556	2,461	2,350
Circulation					
Print check outs and renewals	9,725	5,188	5,727	5,590	3,683
Ebook Usage***	101,305	55,705	57,458	113,134	268,483
Streaming Video	7,800	7,699	6,671	9,725	10,029
Number of Database and E-Journal Resources Accessed***	818,526	850,990	780,072	1,028,882	1,392,716
Total	937,356	919,582	849,928	1,157,331	1,674,911
Institutional Respository: JagWorks@USA					
Items held in JagWorks	n/a	1,188	4,236	4,957	5,408
Item Usage from JagWorks	n/a	12,132	61,534	98,998	195,899
Citations from JagWorks items	n/a	378	1,126	678	1,744

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InterLibrary Loan					
Borrowed (Incoming) - Biomedical*	604	1,209	1,212	825	290
Borrowed (Incoming) - Marx/MCOB**	2,500	2,770	2,438	2,083	1,857
Total	3,104	3,979	3,650	2,908	2,147
Loaned (Outgoing) - Biomedical*	875	1,336	1,342	856	509
Loaned (Outgoing) - Marx/MCOB**	4,585	5,750	5,283	3,876	1,574
Total	5,460	7,086	6,625	4,732	2,083
Collections					
Total Physical Volumes: Print Journals and Books (includes Government Documents)	442,166	444,051	433,679	430,071	426,741
Total Monograph Titles (Print; includes government documents)	368,573	366,405	375,842	373,826	371,257
Total Images (McCall)	3,424,918	3,424,918	4,100,158	4.2 M	4.2 M
Total Special Collections in Linear Feet (McCall) (Subset of Manuscript Collections)	777	777	777	1,106	1,106
Total Manuscript Collections in Linear Feet (McCall)	4,539.8	4,813	6,522	5,957	5,957.25
Total Image Collections in Linear Feet (McCall)****	907	1,131	1,198	1,134	653
Total Electronic Book Titles including purchased titles and subscription packages	344,718	376,088	578,577	756,986	779,722
Total Physical Media (includes microforms)	22,000	28,817	23,181	19,495	16,814
Total Electronic Media	64,877	69,844	75,945	76,359	75,877
Total Serial Titles (Electronic and Print)	55,261	55,514	93,898	127,522	116,433
Total Databases	199	199	218	216	220

NOTE: The University of South Alabama Libraries include the Biomedical Library, Marx Library (general library on the main campus), Doy Leale McCall Rare Book and Manuscript Library (housed in the Marx Library), and Joseph and Rebecca Mitchell Learning Resource Center (located in the Mitchell College of Business).

*The Biomedical Library merged with the University Libraries in October 2017. Prior to that there were two separate Fact Book tables (Table 4.7 for the Marx Library and Table 4.8 for the Biomedical Library) often with different data fields. The Biomedical Library serves the curricula, research, and patient care needs of the College of Medicine, Covey College of Allied Health Professions, College of Nursing, and USA Health.

**In the past MCOB and McCall were not included in all aspects of Table 4.7 data collection. Dashes indicate the fiscal years for which they did not collect or provide data.

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***The metric used to calculate electronic usage/circulation has changed. In 2025 the metric was updated from COUNTER 5 to COUNTER 5.1. [Primary changes](#) to the metric code that can impact statistics are: items have become the unit of reporting to facilitate better usage reporting for Open Access resources and data types have been expanded and their definitions clarified. Publisher compliance with COUNTER 5.1 is not mandatory until Spring of 2026 which may have led to inconsistent reporting for 2025.

****As of 2024-25, this number now only includes occupied space.

n/a describes a period where that service did not yet exist.