

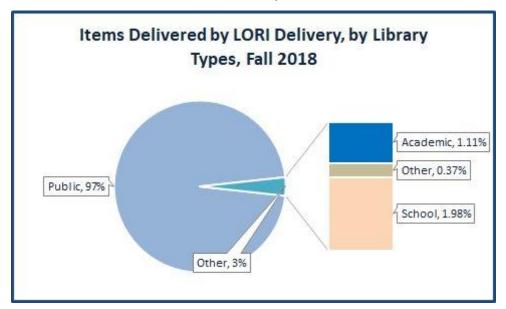
About the Survey

LORI libraries statewide participated in the biannual Delivery Items Count from October 14 through October 20, 2018. 208 library facilities that receive OLIS-LORI Delivery services recorded and reported their out-going items count. Altogether, 38,057 items were transported in the LORI Delivery system during the week.

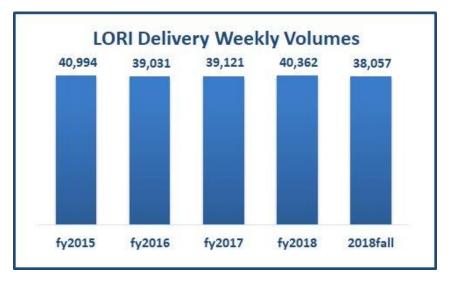
For most libraries, the heaviest delivery traffic occurs on Monday. On Monday, April 8th, 8,639 items were placed in delivery bins to be transported from LORI libraries.

Survey summaries

Of the 38,057 outgoing items, 38,349 (97%) came from public libraries while the remaining 3% came from academic, school, and special libraries.



An additional 1,003 items were shipped by South Kingstown and Cranston Public libraries. These two public library systems have an internal courier service to transport items among branches. During one week of LORI Delivery, the average number of items transported among member libraries.



The average number of outgoing items placed to the delivery system per day per library, based on the assumption that most libraries are open five days a week.

