

Table 13-5
Net value of book sales by customer category — Net value of book sales in Canada by publishers in the Prairies⁴

	2006	2008	2006	2008
	thousands of dollars		percent	
Exclusive agents, distributors or wholesalers	5,012	5,754	13.3	18.9
Bookstores and other trade sales ¹	17,589	15,115	46.7	49.7
Library sales, direct and wholesale ²	2,059	1,182	5.5	3.9
Educational institutions	6,823	3,429	18.1	11.3
General public	x	x	x	x
Other ³	x	x	x	x
Total	37,642	30,406	100.0	100.0

1. Includes warehouse clubs and discount stores which are primarily retail and department stores.
2. Includes educational libraries.
3. Includes Internet retailers.
4. Includes Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.