



## Bowker's Book Analysis System (BBAS)

### About

BBAS is an online tool that allows you to easily compare the titles owned by Trexler Library against those listed in *Resources for College Libraries*, which is the premier core selection list for college libraries. The resource covers 58 curriculum-specific subject areas and the hand-selected list is built with the input of over 300 subject editors and contributors. The list consists mostly of books but other formats are included, including websites.

### Use BBAS

You must have access to the internet. Please follow these instructions:

1. Go to: <http://www.bowkersbookanalysis.com/bbas/>
2. Click on "GO TO BOOK ANALYSIS" at the top of the screen
3. Login as User: general  
Password: logmein
4. On the screen headed "Compare your Collection to..." click the box to select "Resources for College Libraries". Click GO.
5. You should now see a yellow box on the screen with lots of choices. To get a comparison of all our titles to RCL, you only need to decide which Subject Classification you would like to use to sort the list.

Use the drop down menu to select one Subject Classification System:  
RCL (Resource for College Libraries subject classifications),  
LC (Library of Congress classification number subjects)  
DEWEY (Dewey Decimal Classification subjects)

After you select, click GO.

6. You should now see a table with 5 columns.
  - a. Column 1: **Dewey/RCL/LC**: the first column shows the list of subjects for the subject class you chose.
  - b. Column 2: **Core Titles in Library**: the second column represents those titles that are listed in *Resources for College Libraries (RCL)* and are also owned by Trexler Library for that subject area.
  - c. Column 3: **Core Titles NOT in Library**: the third column represents those titles that are listed in *RCL* but are NOT available in Trexler Library for that subject area.
  - d. Column 4: **Total # of Core Titles**: the fourth column represents the total number of titles that are listed in *RCL* for that subject area.
  - e. Column 5: **% of Core Titles Held**: the fifth column represents the percentage of *RCL* titles Trexler Library owns.

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### Percentages of Core Lists Selected

Total Records: 59,274

Core Lists: Resources for College Libraries

**Your File:** Muhlenberg MARC Records **Subject Classification System:** DEWEY

These limiters will help you narrow the scope of your comparison:

<b>Awards:</b> Any Award AAASS/Orbis Books Prize for Polish Studies	<b>Review Source:</b> Any Source API Reviews	<b>RCL Audience:</b> Any Audience Upper Undergrad.	<b>RCL Format:</b> Any Format Book
<input type="checkbox"/> Winners <input type="checkbox"/> Nominees <input type="checkbox"/> E-book only <input type="checkbox"/> In Print Title only <input type="checkbox"/> Exact Match Only			
<b>Publication Year (YYYY)</b> from <input type="text"/> to <input type="text"/>			<input type="button" value="CLEAR"/> <input type="button" value="GO"/>

**LEGEND:**

Expand

Collapse

Expand Entire Subject

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Dewey Decimal Classification	Core Titles in Library	Core Titles NOT in Library	Total # of Core Titles	% of Core Titles Held
<b>Grand Totals:</b>	<b>14,038</b>	<b>45,236</b>	<b>59,274</b>	<b>23.68%</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> (000) Computer science, information & general works	240	785	1,025	23.41%
<input type="checkbox"/> (100) Philosophy & psychology	858	1,717	2,575	33.32%
<input type="checkbox"/> (200) Religion	738	1,739	2,477	29.79%
<input type="checkbox"/> (300) Social sciences	3,421	11,679	15,100	22.66%
<input type="checkbox"/> (400) Language	95	600	695	13.67%
<input type="checkbox"/> (500) Science	894	3,861	4,755	18.80%
<input type="checkbox"/> (600) Technology	405	3,376	3,781	10.71%
<input type="checkbox"/> (700) Arts & recreation	1,652	5,350	7,002	23.59%
<input type="checkbox"/> (800) Literature	3,711	9,556	13,267	27.97%
<input type="checkbox"/> (900) History & geography	1,961	6,457	8,418	23.30%

7. You can limit the list to only titles that meet certain criteria. Choose limits from the following categories: Awards, Review source, RCL audience, RCL Format. There are additional individual limits available on the screen.

To narrow your list using the limits in the yellow box:

- a. Highlight the category you would like to choose. Click GO to regenerate the list using your selected limits.
- b. To select more than one limit from the same list, hold down the Ctrl key while you are making the selections with the mouse.
- c. To clear the limits you've chosen, click CLEAR and then click GO.

8. You can drill down to more specific subjects by clicking on the "+". This will expand the listing to the second level. For some of these subject areas, you will see another plus which means you can drill down to a third level.

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(110) Metaphysics	40	92	132	30.30%
(120) Epistemology	97	117	214	45.33%
(130) Parapsychology & occultism	11	36	47	23.40%
(140) Philosophical schools of thought	48	96	144	33.33%
(150) Psychology	222	544	766	28.98%
(150) Psychology	50	122	172	29.07%
(152) Perception, movement, emotions & drives	31	68	99	31.31%
(153) Mental processes & intelligence	53	125	178	30.64%
(154) Subconscious & altered states	1	11	12	8.33%
(155) Differential & developmental psychology	74	166	240	30.83%
(156) Comparative psychology	3	8	11	27.27%
(158) Applied psychology	10	49	59	16.95%
(160) Logic	33	37	70	47.14%
(170) Ethics	115	203	318	36.16%
(180) Ancient, medieval & eastern philosophy	91	185	276	32.97%
(190) Modern western philosophy	183	369	552	33.15%
(200) Religion	738	1,731	2,477	29.79%

9. The numbers in the columns are in hyperlink format and will link you to the detailed results page which shows basic information for each title included in the count. On the **Detailed Results** page, you can:
- Limit** the number of fields that display for the results page. Simply uncheck the boxes of the fields you don't wish to display on this page and click **GO**.
  - Sort** the list by any of the column headings. Click on the column heading to sort. To reverse the order of the list, click on the column heading again after the initial sort finishes.

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**Core Titles NOT in Library, Muhlenberg MARC Records**  
**Core Lists: Resources for College Libraries**  
 Subject: Subconscious & altered states

1-11 of 11 rows (Click on any header to sort this report)

**CHOOSE FIELDS TO SHOW:**

ISBN Level:  Publisher  DEWEY#  LC Class  ISBN10  ISBN13  Price  Format

Core Lists:  (C)hildrens  (M)iddle and Junior High  (S)enior High School  (P)ublic  (F)iction  (R)CL

RCL Audience:  (U)pper Undergrad.  (L)ower Undergrad.  (Fa)culity  (G)eneral

Title Level:  (eBk)eBook  Status  Awards  Reviewed

**GO**

Title	Author	Publisher	Dewey	LC Class	ISBN13	Price	Format	Pub Year	RCL Format	B	U	L	F
<a href="#">Alterations of Consciousness: An Empirical Analysis for Social Scientists</a>	Baruess, Imants	AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION	154.4	BF1045.A48B37 2003	978-1-55798-993-2	USD 49.95	Trade Cloth	2003	Book	Y	Y	Y	
<a href="#">Dreams and Nightmares: The Origin and Meaning of Dreams</a>	Hartmann, Ernest	BASIC BOOKS	154.6/3	BF1091	978-0-7382-0359-1	USD 17.00	Trade Paper	2000	Book	Y		Y	
<a href="#">Hidden Depths: The Story of Hypnosis</a>	Waterfield, Robin	MACMILLAN PUBLISHERS LIMITED	154.7/09	RC495.W345 2002	978-0-333-77949-1	USD 34.95	Trade Cloth	2002	Book	Y	Y	Y	

10. Each title is hyperlinked to Books in Print where you will find a description of the item, reviews, and other information.
11. You can breakout a subject into its own window by clicking on the bullet (•) next to the "+". The search limit options will not be available in this breakout.

### Download a list to Excel

You can download any of the lists to save in an Excel file on your computer. Click on the "Download" link which is near the top of the screen on the right side. Follow the pop-up box instructions to save or open the file on your computer.

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 (S)enior High School   
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