WorldCat gets one new record every second

480 million records
2.9 billion holdings

As of June 2020

OCLC Cataloging Community Meeting 2020
WorldCat is global

483 languages represented in WorldCat

### Top 10 languages

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<tr>
<th>Language</th>
<th>Percentage</th>
<th>Count</th>
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<tr>
<td>English</td>
<td>39%</td>
<td>183 million</td>
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<td>German</td>
<td>12%</td>
<td>58 million</td>
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<td>French</td>
<td>9%</td>
<td>42 million</td>
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<td>Spanish</td>
<td>5%</td>
<td>23 million</td>
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<td>Chinese</td>
<td>3%</td>
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<td>Japanese</td>
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<td>Italian</td>
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<td>Dutch</td>
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WorldShare® Record Manager

- Record-at-a-time cataloging for physical and electronic resources
- Streamline metadata management workflows
- Manage records quickly and easily

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The power of cooperative cataloging

In the past year, OCLC member libraries copy cataloged 94% of their items from WorldCat, saving an average of 10 minutes per title.
AskQC

Find AskQC office hour information, recordings, and supporting materials.

AskQC@oclc.org (Ask Quality Control) is the longstanding email address to which catalogers can send questions to OCLC Metadata Quality staff about cataloging policies, standards, and practices.

AskQC office hours

Join OCLC Metadata Quality staff to discuss WorldCat quality issues and cataloging questions.

Time and call-in information for AskQC office hours

AskQC office hours. Return here for notification of time and date changes.
Member Merge activities through May 2020

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<td>MMP retained records</td>
<td>4,623</td>
<td>6,684</td>
<td>5,980</td>
<td>3,511</td>
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<td>MMP deleted records</td>
<td>7,317</td>
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<td>9,627</td>
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<td>MMP processed records</td>
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<td>15,607</td>
<td>8,763</td>
<td>50,747</td>
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Source: OCLC Metadata Quality Statistics
OCLC replace activities through May 2020

OCLC replaces

Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4
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July | August | September | October | November | December | January | February | March | April | May | June

Source: OCLC Metadata Quality Statistics
WC counts & DDR activities through May 2020

WC record counts

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<th>Total WC LBD count</th>
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<td>Total WC LHRD count</td>
<td>166,562,570</td>
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<td>Total WC LHRS count</td>
<td>145,972,175</td>
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<td>Total WC bib count</td>
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<td>Total WC holdings count</td>
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Duplicate Detection and Resolution (DDR)

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<th>Records reviewed</th>
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<td>Records processed</td>
<td>10,548,996</td>
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<td>% processed of reviewed</td>
<td>20.32%</td>
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Source: OCLC Metadata Quality Statistics
Shared Print

Research

Registration

Analytics

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WorldCat item formats

Physical items

- Books: 292 million
- Journals: 13 million
- Music scores: 9 million
- Images: 7 million
- Maps: 5 million
- DVD/Blu-Rays: 4 million
- Compact discs: 4 million

Electronic items

- E-books: 37 million
- Audio books: 3 million
- E-journals: 3 million
- Streaming videos: 964 thousand
- Streaming music: 730 thousand
- Digital music scores: 392 thousand
- Digital maps: 239 thousand

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Sources of recent bibliographic records in WorldCat

- OCLC and member libraries: 63.5%
- National libraries: 21.0%
- Vendors/publishers: 12.8%
- Library of Congress: 2.7%

Items published since 2010, as of January 2020
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- Stay informed with updates from OCLC on releases and events
- Collaborate on new ideas and product enhancements
- Get involved with focus groups and feedback sessions

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