

Sharing Innovation

The Ontario Pockets of Innovation Webinar Series

- What would you do if you could find a way to provide all your students with all their essential learning resources, reduce the per student cost, make it easier for students waiting for student loans to be processed, address issues related to accessibility, and provide enhanced learning opportunities?
 - The process of introducing the e-texts, including the negotiations with publishers
 - The benefits for, and response, from the students
 - The benefits for, and response, from faculty
 - How your students and institution might benefit
 - What's next???
- The webinar features a 25 minute presentation followed by 20 minute question and answer session.





Pockets of Innovation

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Training Opportunities

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Pockets of Innovation

e-Textbooks at Algonquin College

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100% of the students with 100% of their resources 100% of the time

The initial steps Algonquin College in Ottawa took to become a Digital College are outlined in **Digital College – Organizational change for enhanced student learning and engagement** in Contact North | Contact Nord's Pockets of Innovation Series. Among the initiatives is the Mobile Learning Project, requiring all incoming students to have a mobile device that matches the requirements of their program. Recent research shows that students have an average of 2.5 mobile devices.

Consistent with its goal to embrace digital education and mobile learning, Algonquin has also launched an e-textbook initiative that is targeted to provide 100% of the students with 100% of their resources 100% of the time. The goals of the initiative are:

- To provide savings for students, with a goal of 50% savings on textbooks costs;
- To make the e-resources available from day one of their classes; and
- To make the resources available on multiple devices, both on- and offline.

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Digital Directions

- **Hybrid Courses and Programs**
 - 20% online moving to 25%
- **Mobile Learning Programs**
 - 15,200 students in 173 programs
 - Conversion of 200+ eclassrooms to mClassrooms
 - PC and Mac laptops, iPads, android devices..and more
 - MS Office, MS OS, Adobe Creative Cloud, Lynda.Com...



Digital Directions

- **eText Initiative**

- 83 Programs, 9,800 students, \$3.5M in resources provided and over \$2.0M saved compared to hard copy texts
- 2015/2016...125 programs, 13,000 students, early projections indicated total savings of \$3.0
- Students own the etext (not a lease). Right to print is included

- **Changing the way we do business**

- Student services, ITS, Ancillary Services, HR, Finance, Marketing and Recruitment, Alumni Relations, Physical Resources....and....well...everything



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eText Project – Algonquin College

Accessibility

Achievement

Affordability

- 100% of students should have all required digital resources on the first day of class.
- 100% of students should have access to their resources, on-line or off-line at anytime of the day
- 100% of resources should be available on a mobile device type of their choice.
- Students save 40% – 60% on the cost of their required resources



Two main objectives

- It was about providing options:
 - However
 - Wherever
 - Whenever
- Provide essential learning resources
 - 100% of the students had access to;
 - 100% of their required resources;
 - 100% of the time;
 - at 50% of the traditional cost (**missed this one**)



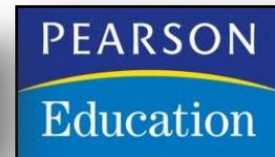
eText Project – January 2013

The following first level, Winter Intake Programs were involved in the eText Project in January 2013

1. Business Mgt. & Entrepreneurship
2. Business Administration
3. Computer Engineering Technology
4. Computer Programmer
5. Computer Systems Technician
6. Event Management

The following textbook partners were involved in the eText Pilot

- Pearson Publishing
- Nelson Publishing
- McGraw Hill
- Wiley



eText Project – January 2013

Connecting

- 750 students
- 6 Programs
- 27 courses
- 44 sections
- 26 Instructors
- 2283 Student eTextbooks
 - 120 – Wiley
 - 1008 - Pearson
 - 345 - McGraw
 - 810 – Nelson



eText Project – Fall 2013 (Phase 1)

Fall 2013eTextbook Project Outline

- 34 Programs
- 363 courses
- 3600 students
- 16,000 eTextbooks
 - Wiley
 - Pearson
 - McGraw
 - Nelson
 - + 10 other Publishers



eText Project – Fall 2014 (Phase 2)

Fall 2014eText rollout Phase 2

- 83 Programs
- 303 unique courses, over 800 sections
- 9500 students
- Over 31,000 eTexts made available in September

Algonquin Publishing Centre, Cengage Learning, Challenge Press, Elsevier, Emond Montgomery, First Class Press, Focal Press, Forum for International Trade Training, Green Ink, Highland Press, Human Kinetics, Janet Underwood, Jones & Bartlett Learning (Nelson), Lippincott, McGraw-Hill, Nelson, Pearson, Wiley, Wiley-Blackwell.



eText Project

Pilot January 2013

- 750 students
- 6 programs
- 27 courses
- 32 Instructors
- Level 1 only
- 2,300 eTexts
- eReader platforms were CourseSmart and VitalSource

Fall 2013 Phase #1

- 3600 students
- 34 programs
- 180 courses
- 450 sections
- 160 Instructors
- Level 1
- 16,800 eTexts
- VitalSource Bookshelf

Winter 2014 Phase #2

- 3400 students
- 34 programs
- 160 courses
- 420 sections
- 140 Instructors
- Levels 1 & 2
Students
- 14,000 eTexts
- VitalSource Bookshelf



eText Project

Fall 2014

- 9,900 students
- 100 programs
- 600 courses
- 1,450 sections
- 300+ Instructors
- Levels 1/2/3
- 32,000 eTexts
- VitalSource Bookshelf

Winter 2015

- 8,000 students
- 90 programs
- 450 courses
- 1,050 sections
- 300+ Instructors
- Levels 1/2/3/4
- 18,000 eTexts
- VitalSource Bookshelf

Fall 2015

- 14,00 students
- 130 programs
- 800 courses
- 2,250 sections
- 500+ Instructors
- Levels 1/2/3/4/5
- 50,000 eTexts
- Will test new eReader solutions available.



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standard MOU to
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the contract or be
used as base for
the contract

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Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for the acquisition and provisioning of resources to students in "eText Programs"

Between:

Party A: **Algonquin College/Connections Campus Store**

And

Party B: **Publisher Partner ##**

This document outlines the general terms of an agreement between "Algonquin College", hereinafter called AC and Publisher Partner ## who provides Textbooks, eTexts and other Digital Course Materials to the College. A Contract and associated Service Level Agreement between Algonquin College and Publisher Partner ## may be used to outline the specific details associated with the provision and use of digital resources by Algonquin staff and students however this MOU will serve as a general guide.

Definitions, terms, and process explanation:

- **Authorized Users:** means students, staff, faculty, and administration of Algonquin College, authenticated by the College and permitted to access the Digital Content and Resources, and to whom College has issued a unique passcode or other verifiable, industry standard authentication system.
- **eText:** a digital version of a published work in a format (ePub3 or pdf with xml markup) that are appropriately displayed when downloaded to various mobile devices.
- **Digital Course Materials:** digital materials, websites, and software applications that support or augment the eText.
- **Access Term:** with respect to each eText and associated Digital Course Materials the term length for access through the internet will be a minimum of 3 years from the date of first access by the authorized user. For eTexts that have been downloaded to a personal device for offline access the term length will be "in perpetuity" on the device provided the device has been registered and the download has occurred within the online access term.
- **Suggested Retail Price (SRP):** The published Canadian price of the textbook, eText, or supporting course materials as referenced in the publisher's catalogue or website.
- **eReader Platform:** The eReader Platform provides access to eTextbooks as provisioned by publishers through a single unified platform. The system functions to control Digital Rights Management system (DRM) and allows for Full-book (complete titles or Custom titles) downloads to a device specific eReader application resident on the students or staffs computer and mobile device.
- **Connections:** Algonquin College Campus Store
- **Student Print Option:** Through the eReader application, students may elect to print pages of the eText on personal printers or on college printers while drawing down on the page allocations provided to them through the Colleges IT Fee. There shall be no restrictions on page prints per session, however it is understood that each student may only print the entirety of the eText no more than 1.5 times.
- **Print on Demand (POD):** Students may elect to request a Black & White, 3-Hole punched (binder ready) copy that is printed on Campus or provided by the publisher. The publisher's royalty will be negotiated on a title by title basis with the campus bookstore.
- **Institutional pay model:** Publishers providing print based textbooks eTextbooks and Digital Course Materials to be used in courses involved in the College's eText initiative will receive payment directly from the College for 100% of the resources accessed or redeemed by students who are enrolled in the course after the College's 10 day add/drop period.



MOU Length of Term

- **Terms of Agreement:**
- This MOU term is June 1st, 2015 through end date May 30th, 2018 (3 academic years).
- This MOU term is June 1st, 2015 through end date May 30th, 2017 (2 academic years).
- This MOU term is June 1st, 2015 through end date May 30th, 2016 (1 academic year).



MOU Pricing Policy

Pricing policy for Institutional Pay Model

The fee per digital resource provisioned to students and covered through the Institutional Pay Model will be set at **XX.X** % of the publisher's SRP for the printed textbook or **XX%** of the 6 month eText lease rate (whichever is less). For the eText bundled with digital course materials (homework resources), the fee will be set at XX% of the SRP for the printed textbook SRP or XX% of the bundled package SRP, or XX% of the 6 month access fee for the published package price (whichever is less).



MOU Payment Policy

Publishers will receive payment from the College for each student in a course who has obtained the permanent access code for an eText and or Digital Course Materials and who is still registered in the course following the Colleges 10 day add/drop period. It is understood that all students will be provided temporary access codes, good for the first 30 days of each semester and that students registered in the course after the College's 10 day add/drop period will be required to obtain a second access code that allows for continued access to the resources for the agreed upon length of term.



eText Project @ Algonquin College

eText Advisory Group – Monthly Meetings

- Student Association
- College Faculty
- Student Council Representatives
- Library Resources
- Registrar's Office
- Blackboard Support
- IT Support
- AODA Officers
- College Bookstore
- College Print Centre
- Student Success Specialists
- Centre for Students with Disabilities



eText Project – Fall 2014

Digital Resource Portal

A student program specific resource portal was created to facilitate in the deployment of resources to Faculty and Students

The student portal login system included:

- All required eTexts for 9200 students in 83 programs

- Microsoft Office 2013

- Adobe Software

- BOYD program specific details

- Distribution of eText Access Codes

- Initial 30 Day Access Code

- Permanent Validation Code

- Full storefront eCommerce offeringscomputers, accessories etc.



www.algonquincollege.com/etextbooks/

The screenshot shows the homepage of the Algonquin College eTextbooks website. At the top is a dark navigation bar with the Algonquin College logo and Ottawa location, and links for Future Students, Current Students, International, Online, Faculty & Staff, Schools & Institutes, Alumni, and About. A search icon is also present. Below this is a large banner with the Algonquin College logo and the text 'eTextbooks'. Underneath the banner is a secondary navigation bar with links for Home, eTextbook Programs, New/Current Students, Faculty Information, FAQs, Quick Links, and Contact Us. The main content area features a video player on the left showing a student using a laptop, with a play button and the text 'Algonquin College is Going Digital'. To the right of the video is a vertical list of numbers 1 through 4, with the number 1 highlighted in green. To the right of the list is a dark grey box containing the text 'By Fall 2014, over 100 programs will use eTextbooks' and a blue button labeled 'eTextbook Programs Fall 2014 (Level 1)'. The bottom of the page features a green footer with the Algonquin College logo on the left and the text 'ALGONQUIN COLLEGE' on the right.

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eTextbook Programs Fall 2014 (Level 1)

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Access your Digital Resources including:

- eText
- BYOD Software
- Specialized, program specific software

... and more

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Click [here](#) for complete instructions on installing, retrieving, redeeming, and downloading your eTexts.



My Software

Click [here](#) for complete instructions on redeeming, downloading and installing Microsoft and Adobe Software.



My Device

If you are in a Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) program, log in above to find the required mobile device for your program and preorder it from our Campus Store.



Your Program Essentials

Your Software



Your Program Essentials

Winter 2015 

Program(s): Bachelor of Hospitality & Tourism Management 6225X03FWO

Course Section(s): Business Communications - Section 010 ENL6101_010 | Financial Accounting - Section 310 ACC6104_310 | Hotel Operations - Section 010 HOS6102_010

Textbooks

Note that some resources may be delayed. Please return here within the first week of classes for updates.

Technology

Following the College drop/add date, return to your Digital Resource Portal to claim your permanent license codes.

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Business Communication Essentials, 3rd

Required

Course Section(s): ENL6101_010

eText - Temporary License

Prepaid

Add



College Accounting: A Practical Approach, VitalSource for Algonquin College, 12th

Required

Course Section(s): ACC6104_310

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Add

Course Section(s):

Computer Applications - Section 300 DAT6107_300 | Food and Beverage Studies - Section 300 FOD6101_300 | Foundations Hospitality and Tourism - Section 300 HOS6100_300 | Microeconomics - Section 010 ESC4102_010

Textbooks

eTexts are included in your tuition; print editions will cost extra. You can get either an eText or print edition, but not both.

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Exploring Microeconomics, 3rd

Required

Course Section(s): ESC4102_010

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Go! All in One: Computer Concepts and Applications, 2nd

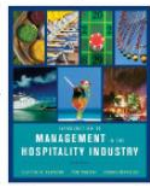
Required

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Introduction to Management in the Hospitality industry, 10th

Required

Course Section(s): HOS6100_300

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The Bar and Beverage Book, 5th

Required

Course Section(s): FOD6101_300

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Add

Print Edition - Mail Order

\$116.15
(\$47.94 after credit) ?

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Print Edition - Pickup

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Your Program Essentials

Your Software

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

eText Handbook

Do you want to learn more about the VitalSource Bookshelf and how to get the most out of your eTexts? The eText handbook is available in both pdf and ePub formats.

- [Download eText Student Handbook](#) 
- [Download eText Handbook \(ePub\)](#)

Winter 2015 eText Program List

Student Resources

-  Getting Started
-  How-Tos
-  Support
-  FAQs

Faculty Support

Getting Started with eTexts – Faculty

To access your Faculty eText desk copy follow the steps below. If you would like to request a sample eText, contact your publisher representative.

1. INSTALL

Install VitalSource Bookshelf software and create an account on your desktop computer or laptop.

[Install VitalSource Bookshelf >](#)

2. RETRIEVE

Log in to the Faculty eText Portal to retrieve your temporary access code(s).

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3. REDEEM & DOWNLOAD

Redeem your access code(s) and download your eTexts in VitalSource Bookshelf by selecting **Account > Redeem Code**. You can download your eTexts on up to 4 devices.

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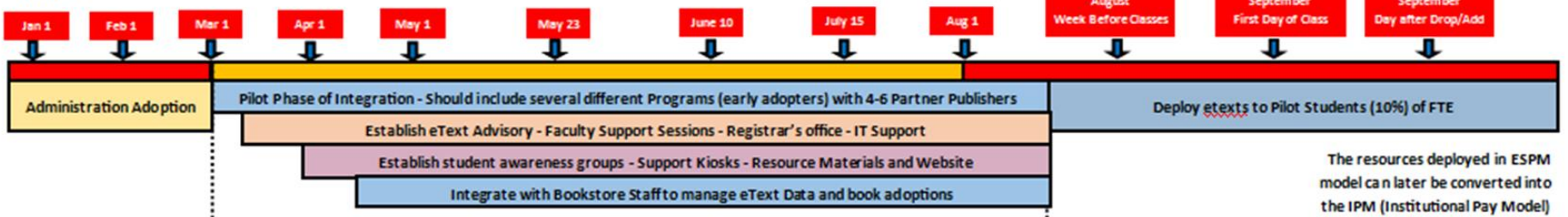
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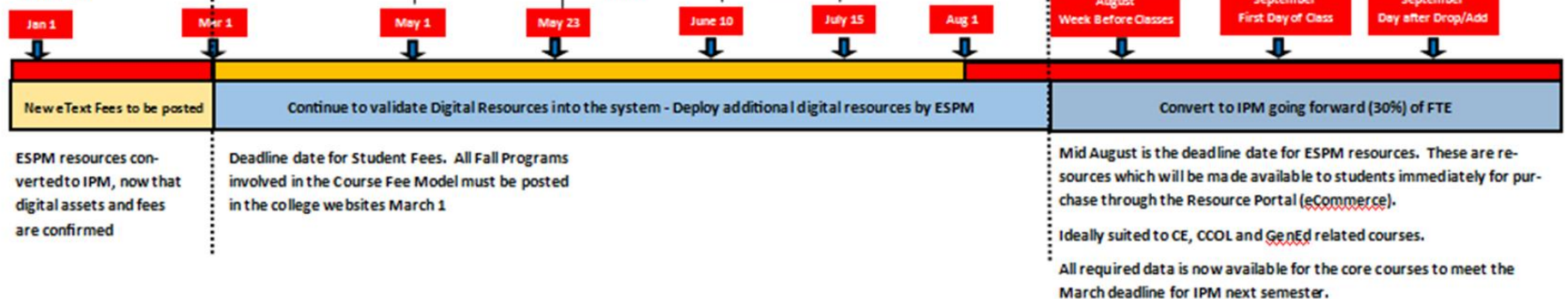
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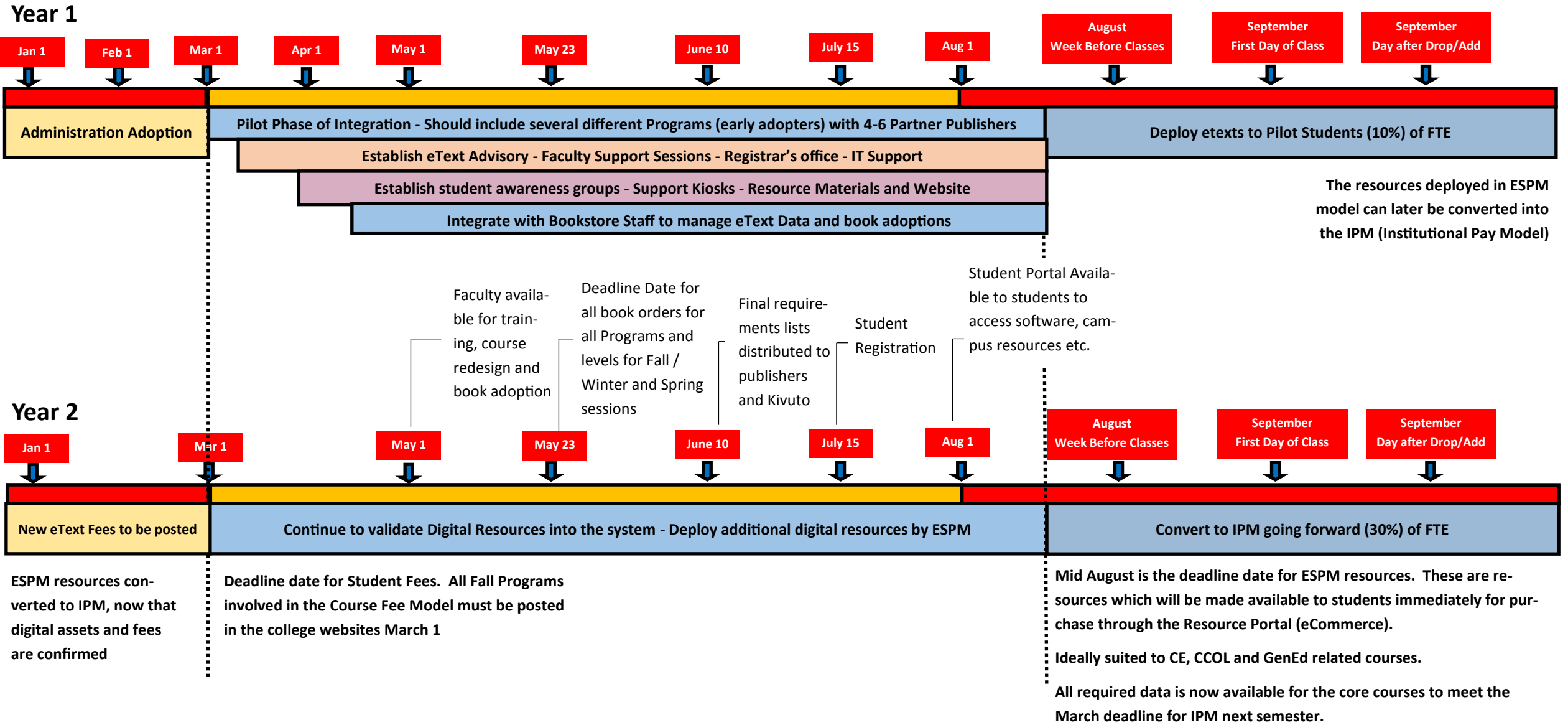
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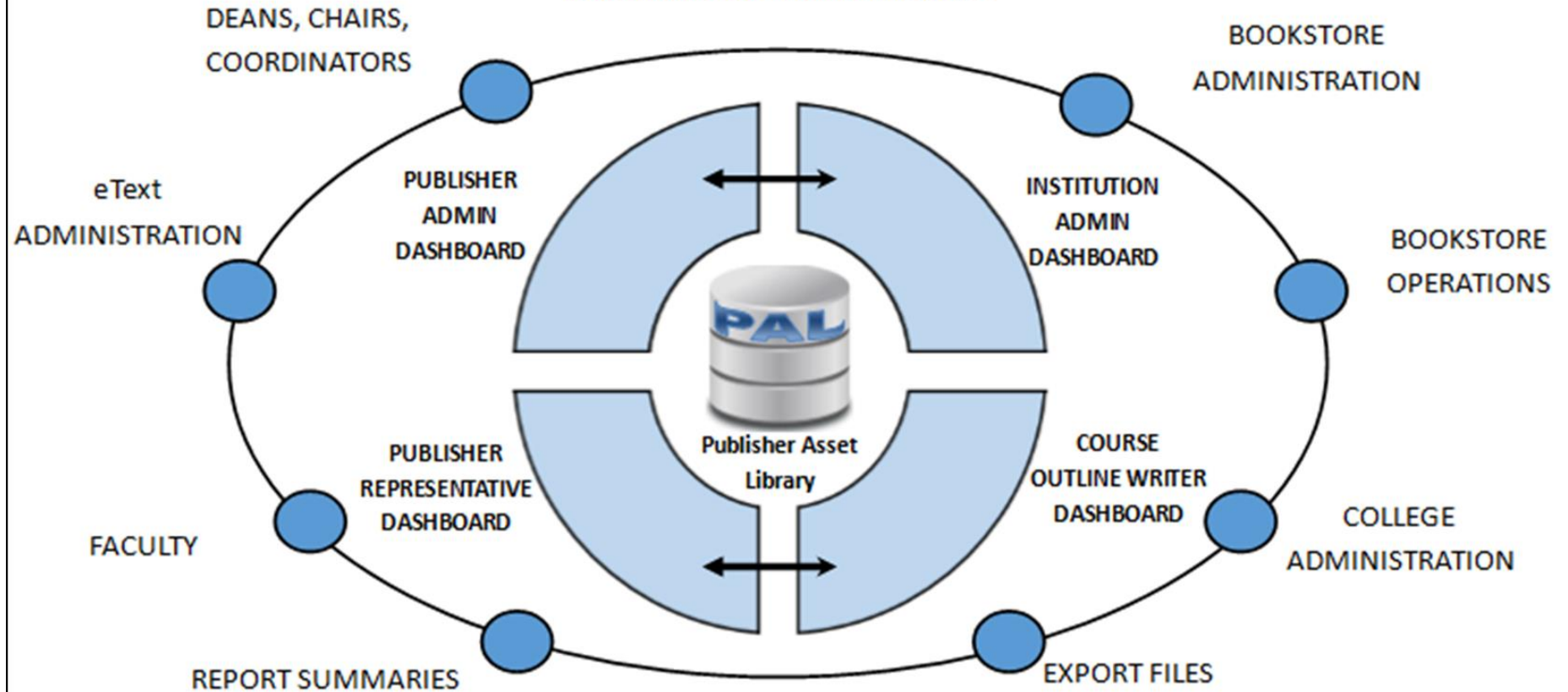
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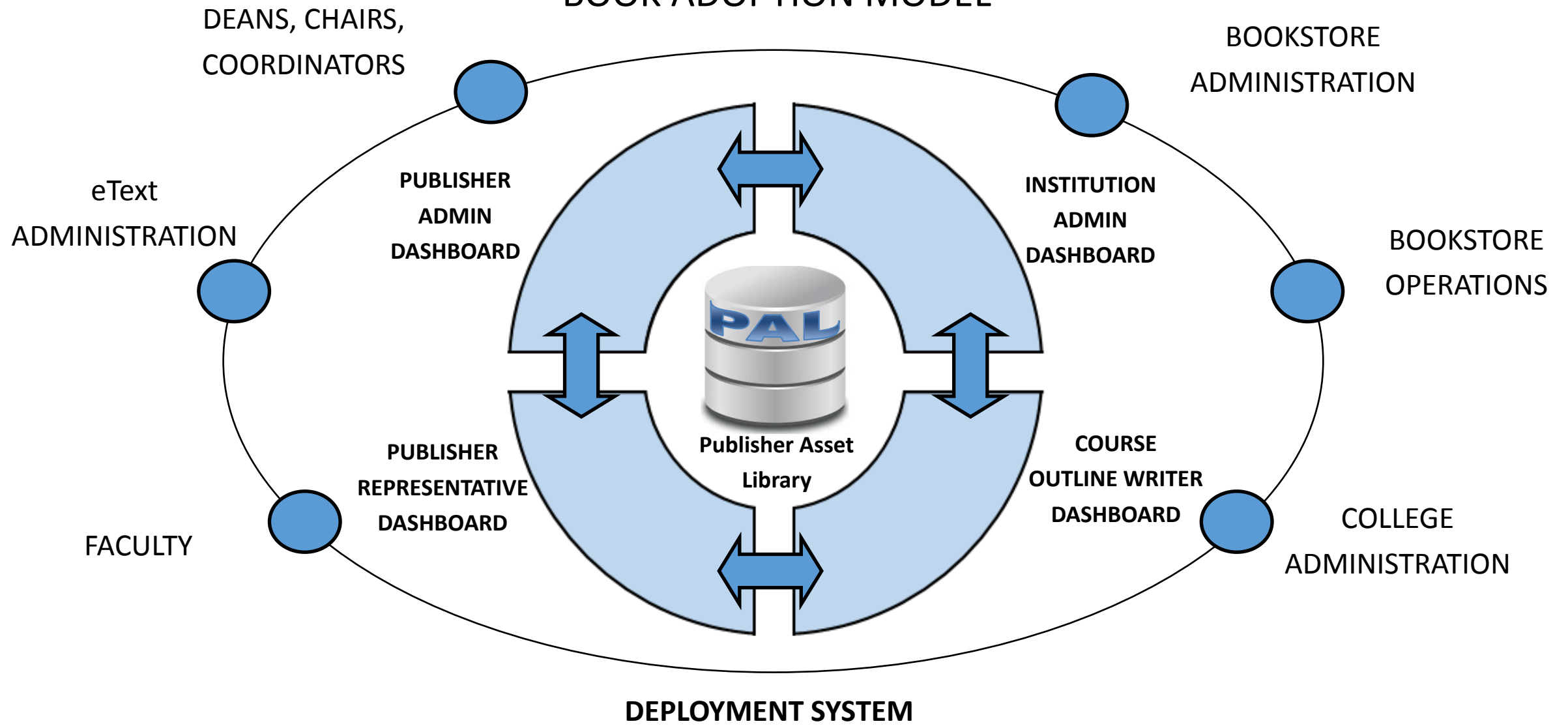
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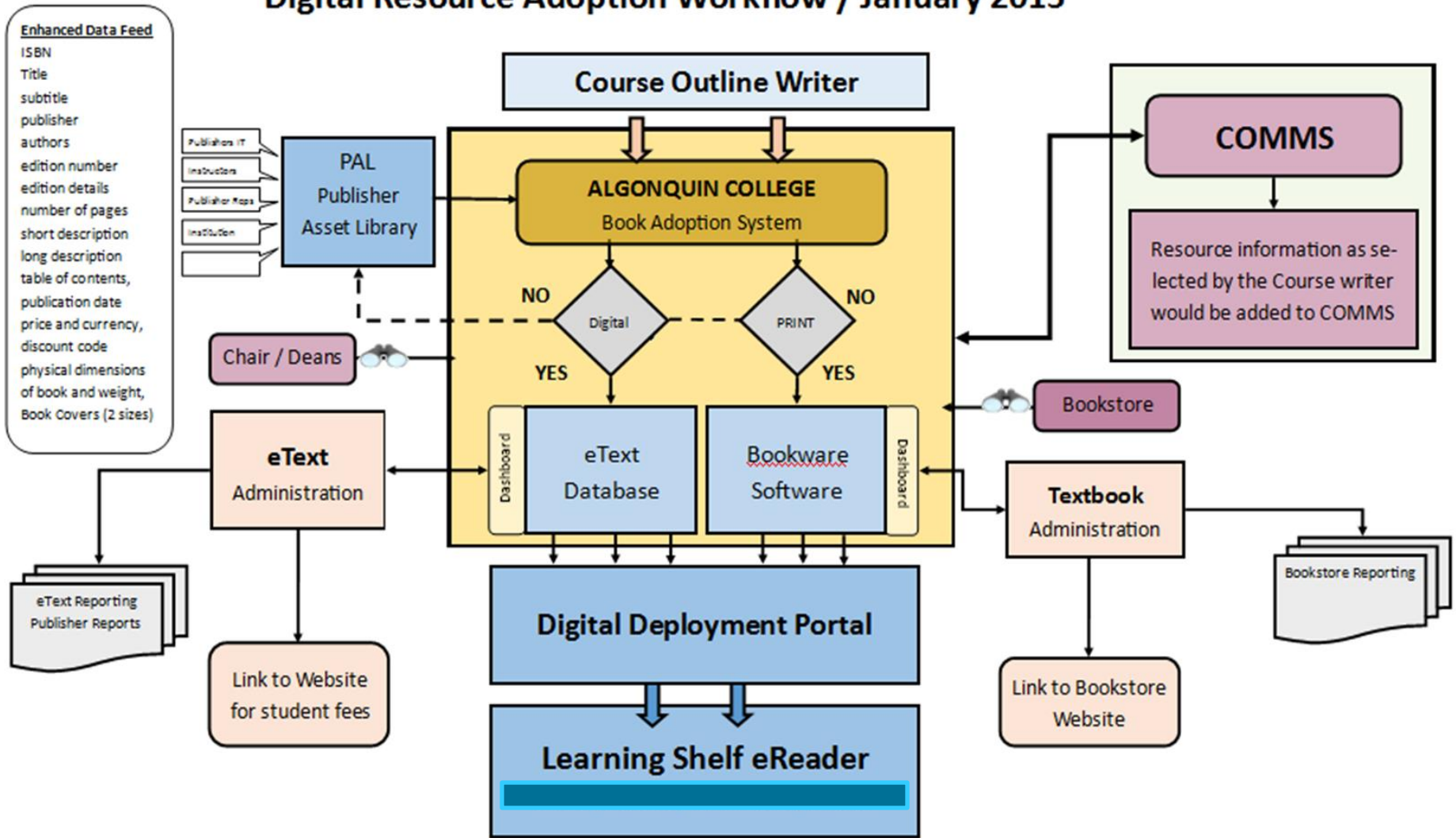
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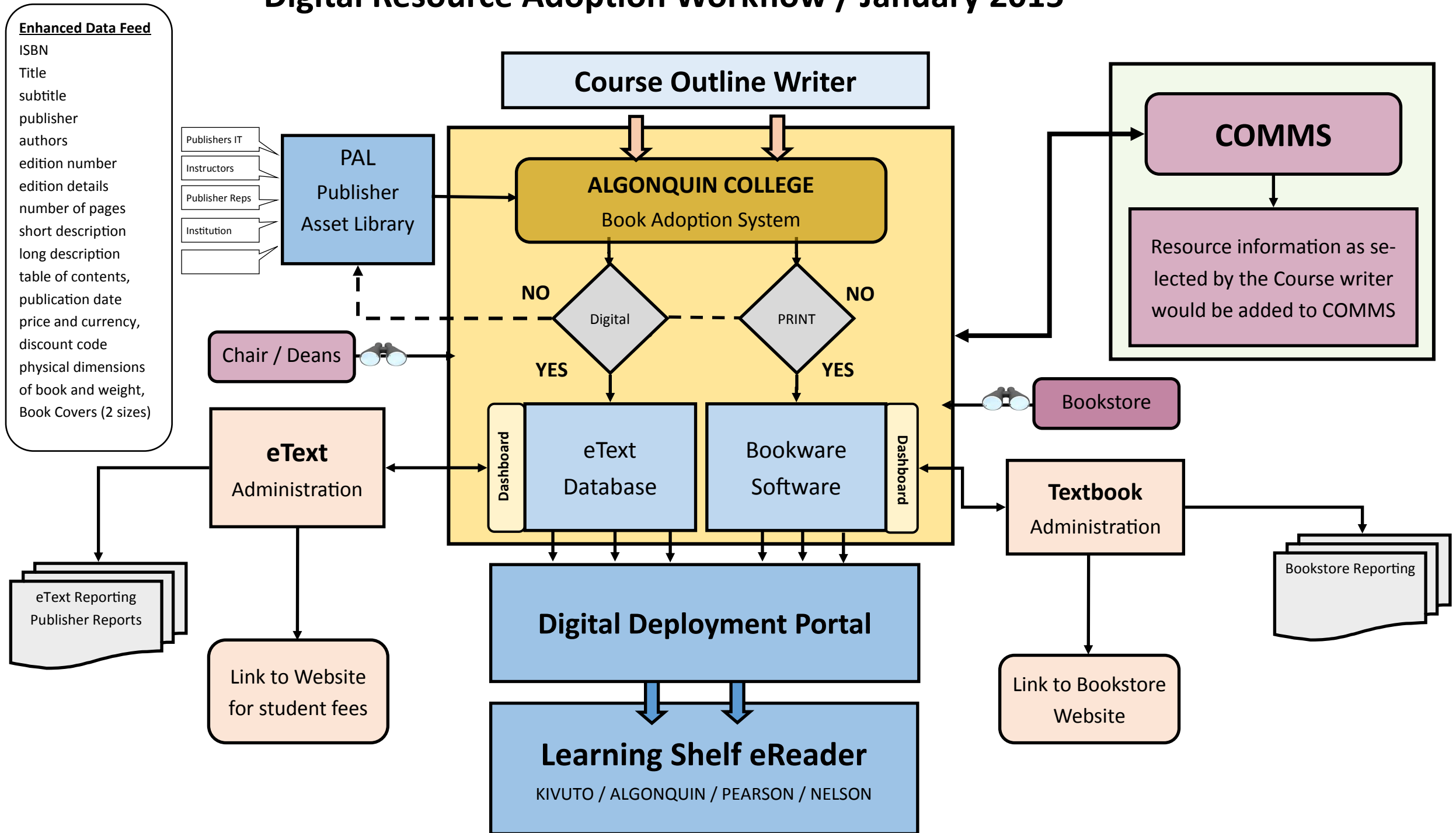
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Digital Resource Adoption Workflow / January 2015



Digital Resource Adoption Workflow / January 2015



Continuous Review of processes

Efficacy Framework Review Report eTextbook Initiative

Algonquin College
Review number 102, Ottawa, September 2013

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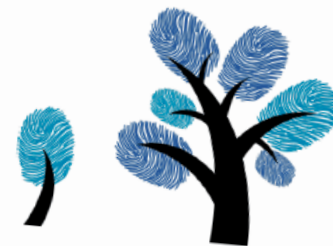
Algonquin College eTextbook Initiative 6 month Efficacy Check-In Report

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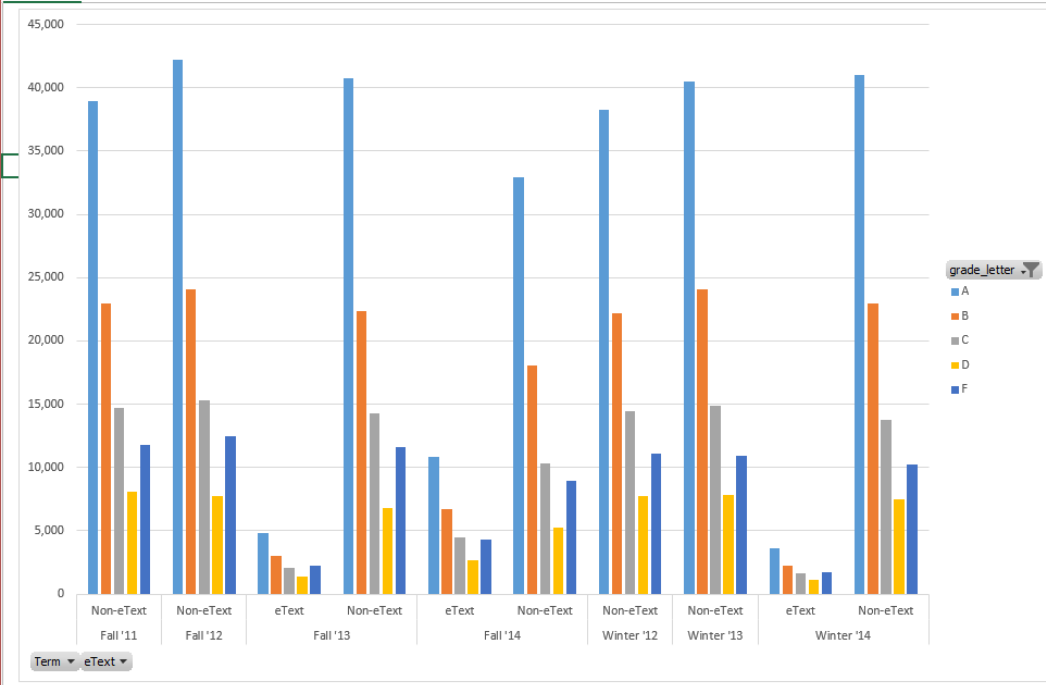
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PowerPivot Models ▸ Student Performance

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Term eText

Term	Fall '11	Fall '12	Fall '13	Fall '14	Winter '12	Winter '13	Winter '14	Winter '15
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Fall '11																		
Fall '12																		
Fall '13	4,812	2,989	2,102	1,354	2,227	2,391	794	1,376	18,045	40,748	22,385	14,291	6,799	11,644	30,346	5,584	5,831	137,628
Fall '14	10,842	6,741	4,461	2,643	4,291	3,813	641	2,711	36,143	32,955	18,069	10,298	5,281	8,963	28,236	4,576	6,003	114,381
Winter '12										38,234	22,221	14,483	7,740	11,079	26,596	6,904	4,880	132,137
Winter '13										40,460	24,072	14,923	7,820	10,965	26,713	7,361	5,601	137,915
Winter '14	3,578	2,235	1,660	1,093	1,720	4,897	257	842	16,282	41,018	22,969	13,721	7,511	10,213	30,992	7,628	5,745	139,797
Winter '15																		122,504

Faculty
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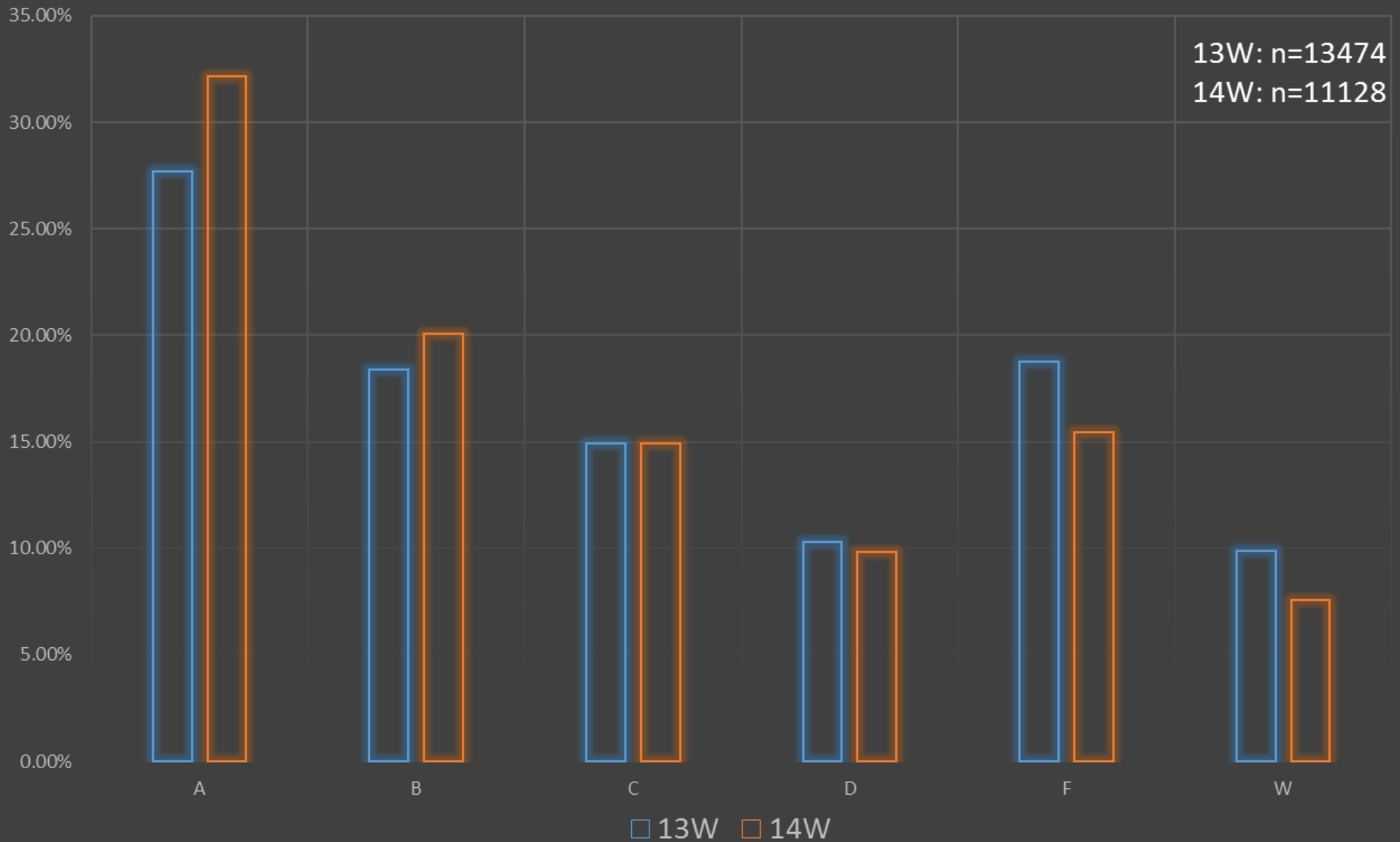
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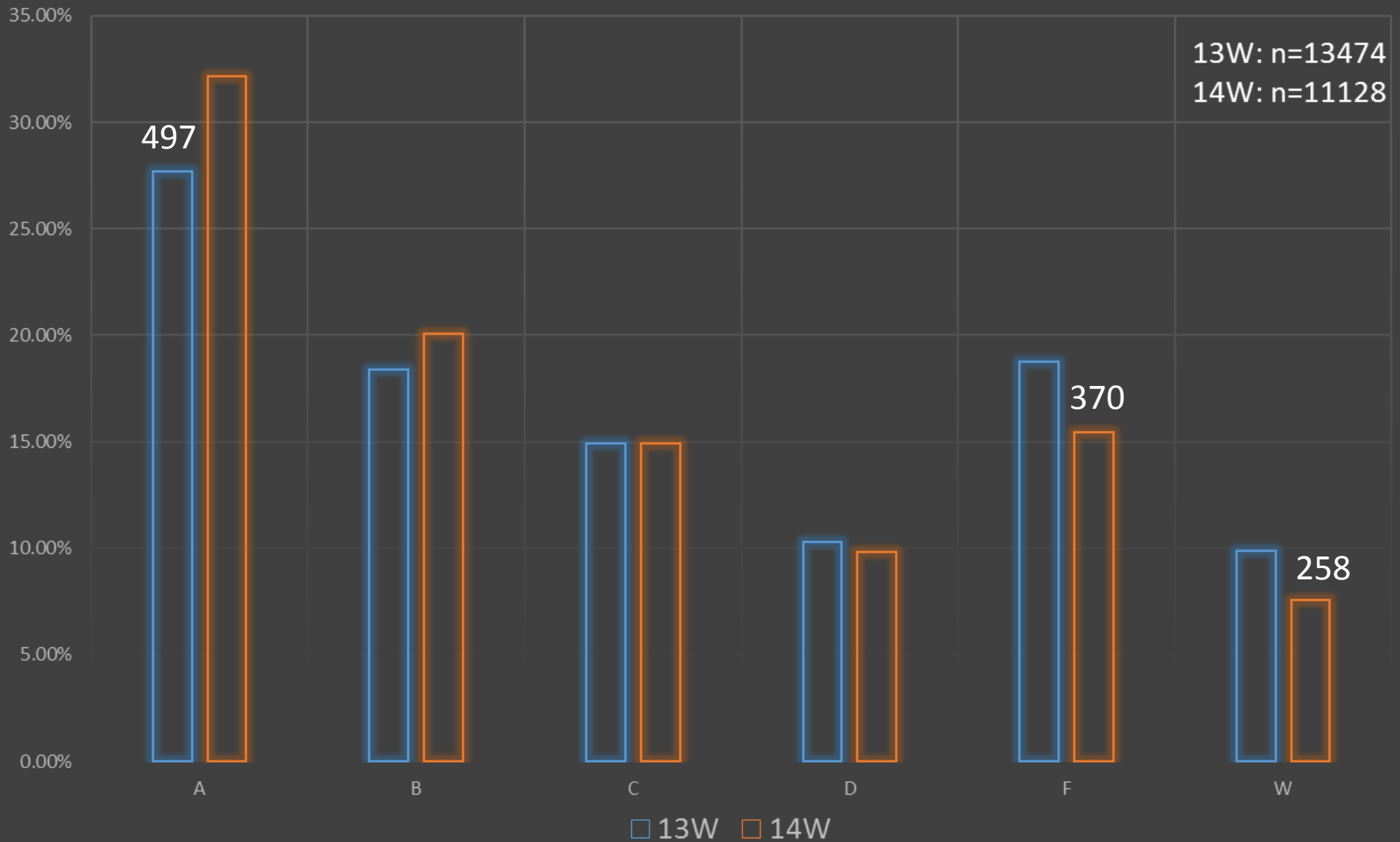
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Advanced Care Paramedic(3005X01FSWO)
Advanced Inuit Studies(1902X01CSWO)
Advertising&Marketing Communications Mgt(1456X01FSWO)
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	Fall '11	Fall '12	Fall '13	Fall '14	Winter '12	Winter '13	Winter '14	Winter '15
ALGON COLLEGE HERITAGE INSTITUTE	2,040	1,878	2,232	2,102	1,633	1,545	1,797	1,751
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Non-eText	2,040	1,878	2,232	2,102	1,633	1,545	1,797	1,751
ALGON COLLEGE IN THE OTTAWA VALLEY	6,368	6,395	6,757	6,440	5,193	5,147	5,613	4,474
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eText				506				
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Non-eText	26,168	27,684	27,329	19,661	26,992	27,503	28,268	26,686
FACULTY OF TECH & TRADES	31,971	36,159	39,462	38,981	34,155	35,933	39,553	33,354
⊕ FACULTY OF TECH & TRADES	31,971	36,159	39,462	38,981	34,155	35,933	39,553	33,354
eText			4,434	7,284			4,396	
Non-eText	31,971	36,159	35,028	31,697	34,155	35,933	35,157	33,354
SCH. OF ACADEMIC ADVANCEMENT & LANGUAGES							36	
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Non-eText							36	
SCHOOL OF BUSINESS	22,760	23,016	24,374	22,642	23,430	23,259	24,842	20,162
⊕ SCHOOL OF BUSINESS	22,760	23,016	24,374	22,642	23,430	23,259	24,842	20,162
eText			6,873	11,390			7,391	
Non-eText	22,760	23,016	17,501	11,252	23,430	23,259	17,451	20,162
SCHOOL OF HOSPITALITY & TOURISM	8,483	8,912	9,579	9,410	9,886	10,439	9,978	8,326
⊕ SCHOOL OF HOSPITALITY & TOURISM	8,483	8,912	9,579	9,410	9,886	10,439	9,978	8,326
eText			1,027	2,984			873	
Non-eText	8,483	8,912	8,552	6,426	9,886	10,439	9,105	8,326
Grand Total	122,725	130,484	140,554	134,508	124,581	127,560	136,605	116,552

13W non eText vs 14W eText



13W non eText vs 14W eText

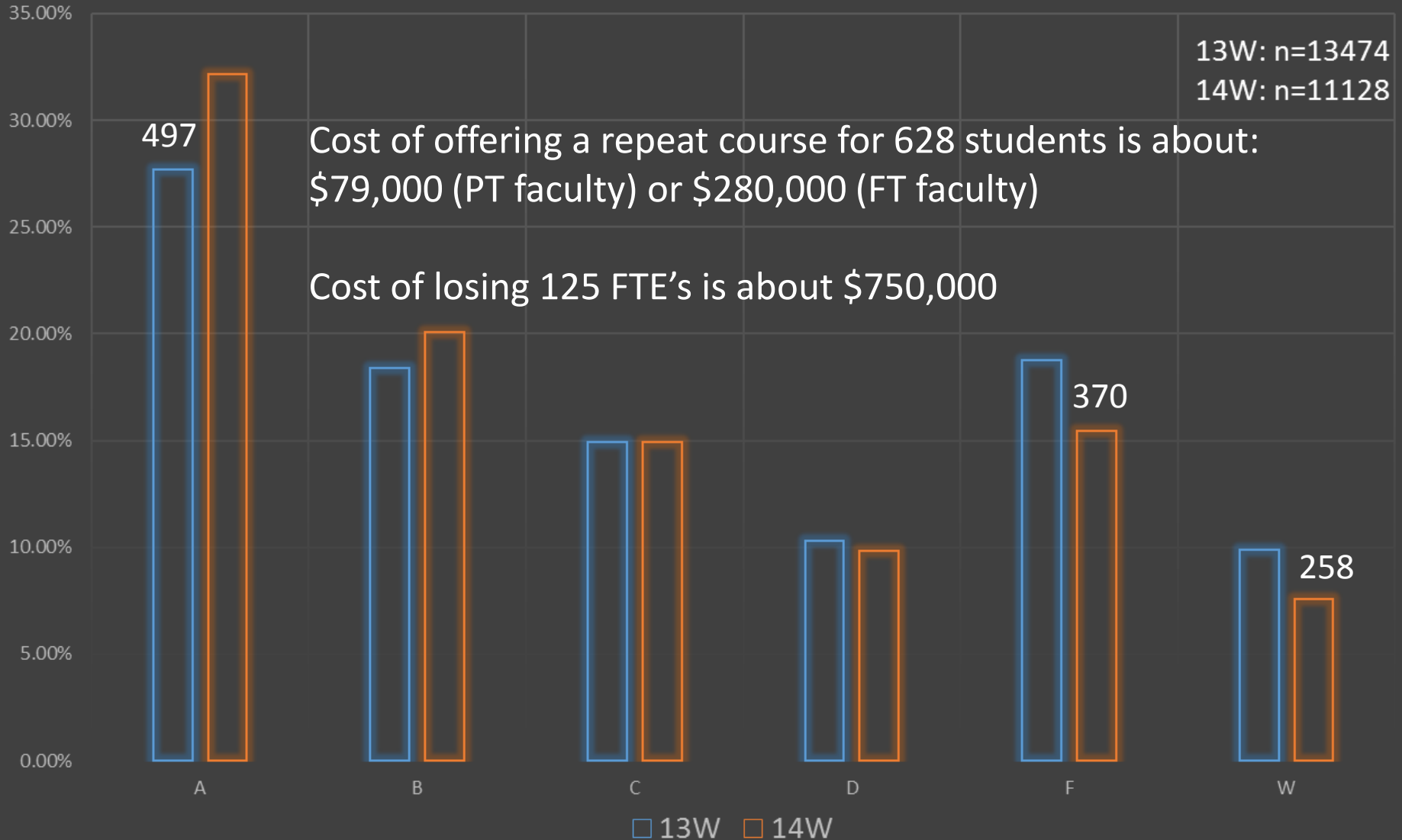


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13W non eText vs 14W eText



Student eText Survey.

Sent out to approx. 9000 students with 1389 responses received in 4 days (March 4th-8th)

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My Surveys

Templates

eText Faculty Survey 8 responses
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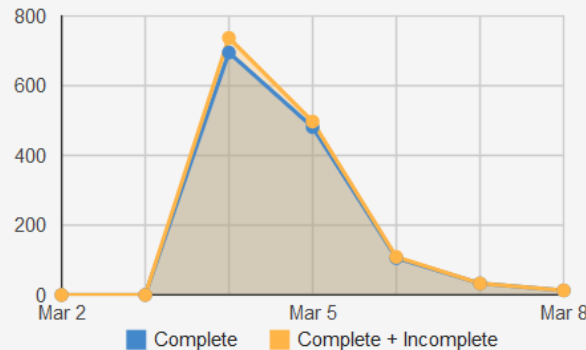
Invite



Analyze

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Completion rate	96%
Complete responses	1328
Average time taken	4:45
Estimated time	4:04
Oldest response	March 4, 2015
Newest response	March 8, 2015
Responses per day	277.8

Deployment status

Live

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[1389 responses](#)

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Number of pages

4





Number of questions

21







Have you ever used an eText before attending Algonquin College?

Response	Chart	Percentage	Count
Yes		15%	170
No		85%	941
		Total Responses	1111

How important is it to you to have access to digital content to support your learning at Algonquin College?

Response	Chart	Percentage	Count
Extremely important		77%	1031
Somewhat important		18%	237
Neutral		4%	52
Not important		1%	18
		Total Responses	1338







How many of your current courses require only a digital (eText) textbook?

Response	Chart	Percentage	Count
5 or more		20%	271
4		16%	218
3		18%	239
2		18%	235
1		14%	193
0		14%	181
		Total Responses	1337







In what format or on what type of device do you access your eTexts? Select all that apply.

Response	Chart	Percentage	Count
Web version		15%	164
PC type laptop		69%	776
A Mac laptop		24%	264
Desktop computer at home		10%	108
An iPhone or iPad		23%	254
An Android type phone or tablet		16%	181
A windows based tablet		3%	38
eReader		2%	21
Other		2%	19
		Total Responses	1118





Considering only the courses that have required textbooks (in either eText or Paper format), how many of these courses would you consider that resource to be an essential component towards your overall success in the course?

Response	Chart	Percentage	Count
5 or more		21%	291
4		16%	212
3		19%	264
2		18%	244
1		15%	197
0		11%	148
		Total Responses	1356










Which of the following statements best describes any issues you might have had accessing your eTexts? (Select all that apply)

Response	Chart	Percentage	Count
I did not know where to get my codes		20%	223
I did not know where to redeem my codes		18%	200
I had a problem with the VitalSource software		22%	250
My eTexts did not appear in the Digital Resource Portal		12%	139
I did not know I had to return to the Digital Resource Portal to retrieve my permanent eText codes		26%	289
I did not have any issues with accessing my eTexts		49%	550
		Total Responses	1114


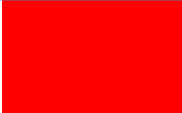




The current eReader used at Algonquin College is the VitalSource platform. Which of the following statements best describes your experience with VitalSource? (Select all that apply)

Response	Chart	Percentage	Count
I had trouble loading the VitalSource software on my device(s)		18%	203
I find it difficult to use VitalSource's tools (e.g. highlighting, notes..)		31%	348
I have not experienced any problems using VitalSource		52%	587
Other, please specify...		15%	165
		Total Responses	1129



If you experienced a problem or had any questions about eTexts, where did you seek help? (Select all that apply)

Response	Chart	Percentage	Count
I did not have any problems with my eTexts		36%	400
Algonquin eText web page (algonquincollege.com/etexts) • My instructor		13%	145
My instructor		25%	274
ITS Service Desk/eText help (C102)		25%	276
Learning & Teaching Services (C226)		5%	54
Connections: The Campus Store		8%	93
eText email address (etext@algonquincollege.com)		4%	42
I did not know there was support available		11%	124
Other, please specify...		6%	69
		Total Responses	1113







Which of the following benefits of eTexts is/are important to you? (Select all that apply)

Response	Chart	Percentage	Count
eTexts are more affordable and included in tuition		67%	748
The ability to access eTexts on different mobile devices		42%	470
Using eTexts is easier than carrying textbooks to and from class		57%	637
I am more likely to use eTexts on my computer/laptop/eReader/smart phone etc.		31%	351
I have all of my eTexts on the first day of class		31%	345
Other, please specify...		7%	78
		Total Responses	1118






Did you know your eTexts can be printed?

Response	Chart	Percentage	Count
Yes		68%	755
No		32%	358
		Total Responses	1113

Did you print any of your eTexts? If so, how many pages?

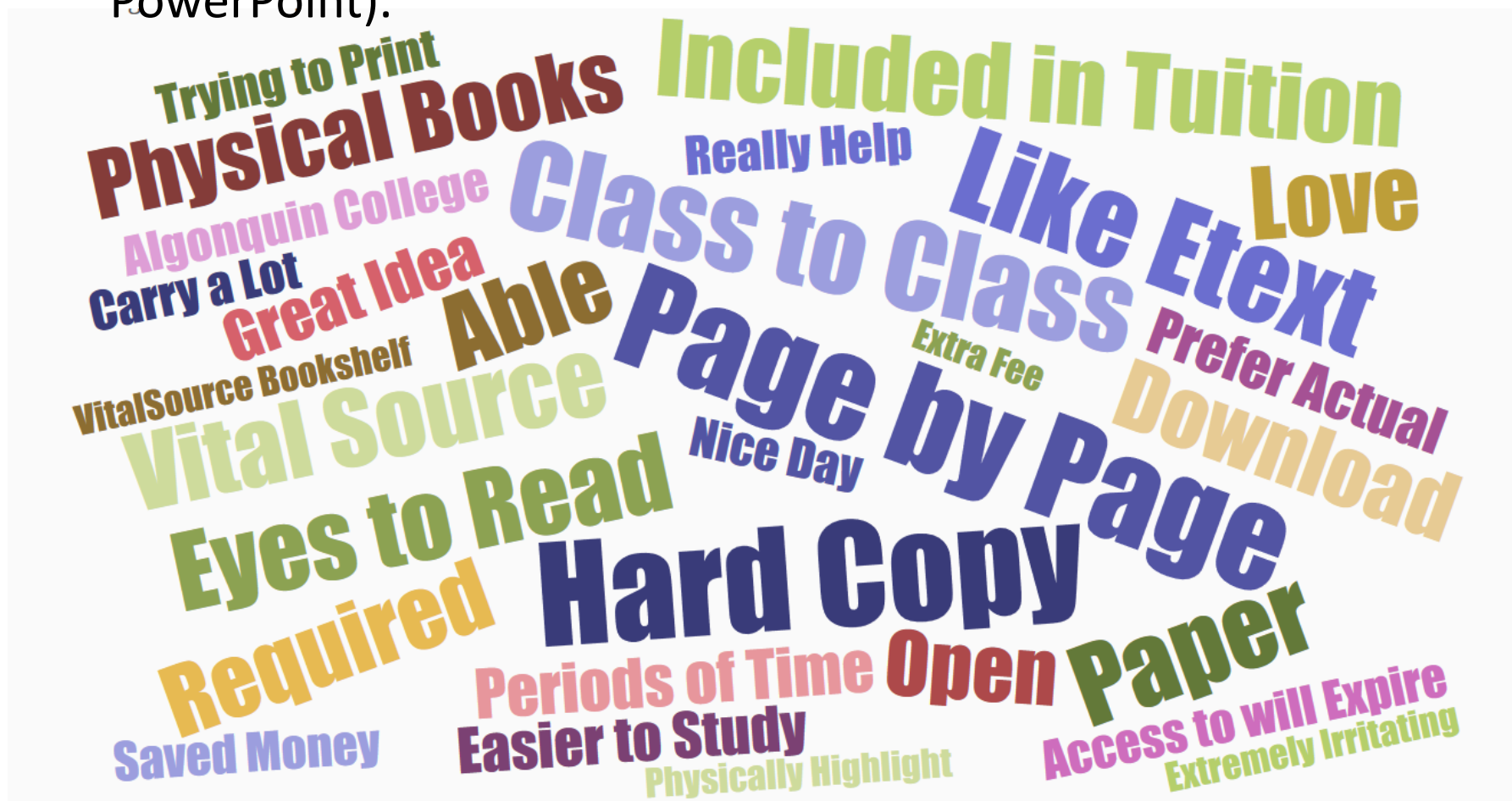
Response	Chart	Percentage	Count
I didn't print any of my eTexts • A few pages		76%	843
A few pages		10%	111
One chapter		2%	24
A few chapters		7%	73
An entire book		4%	43
A few books		2%	20
		Total Responses	1114

Overall, how do you feel about the use of eTexts at Algonquin?

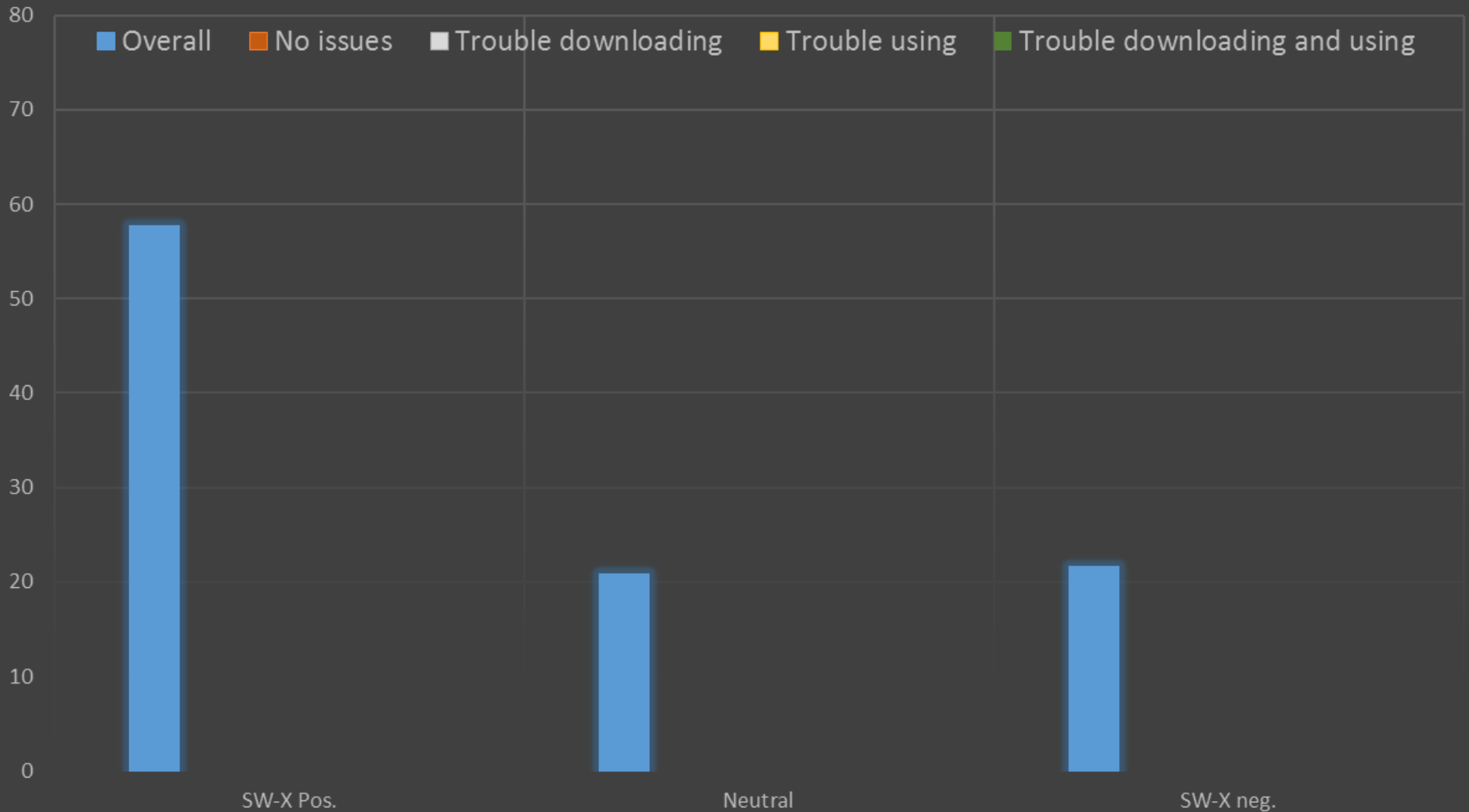
Response	Chart	Percentage	Count
Extremely positive		27%	296
Somewhat positive		31%	347
Neutral		22%	240
Somewhat negative		12%	138
Extremely negative		9%	95
		Total Responses	1116

21. Do you have anything else related to the use of digital technologies or eTexts you would like to share?

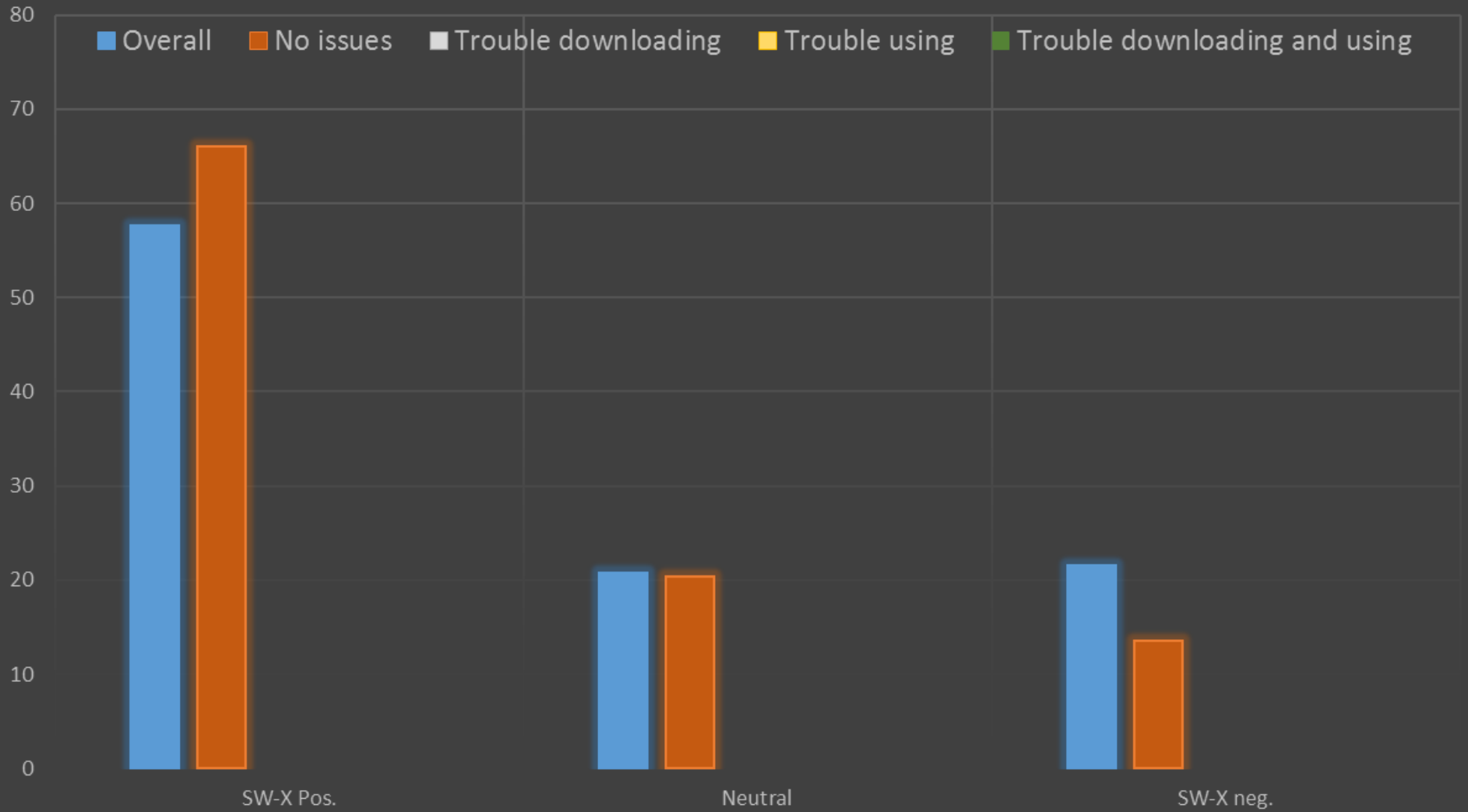
There are 428 response(s) to this question (not exportable to PowerPoint).



Student Satisfaction with eTexts



Student Satisfaction with eTexts



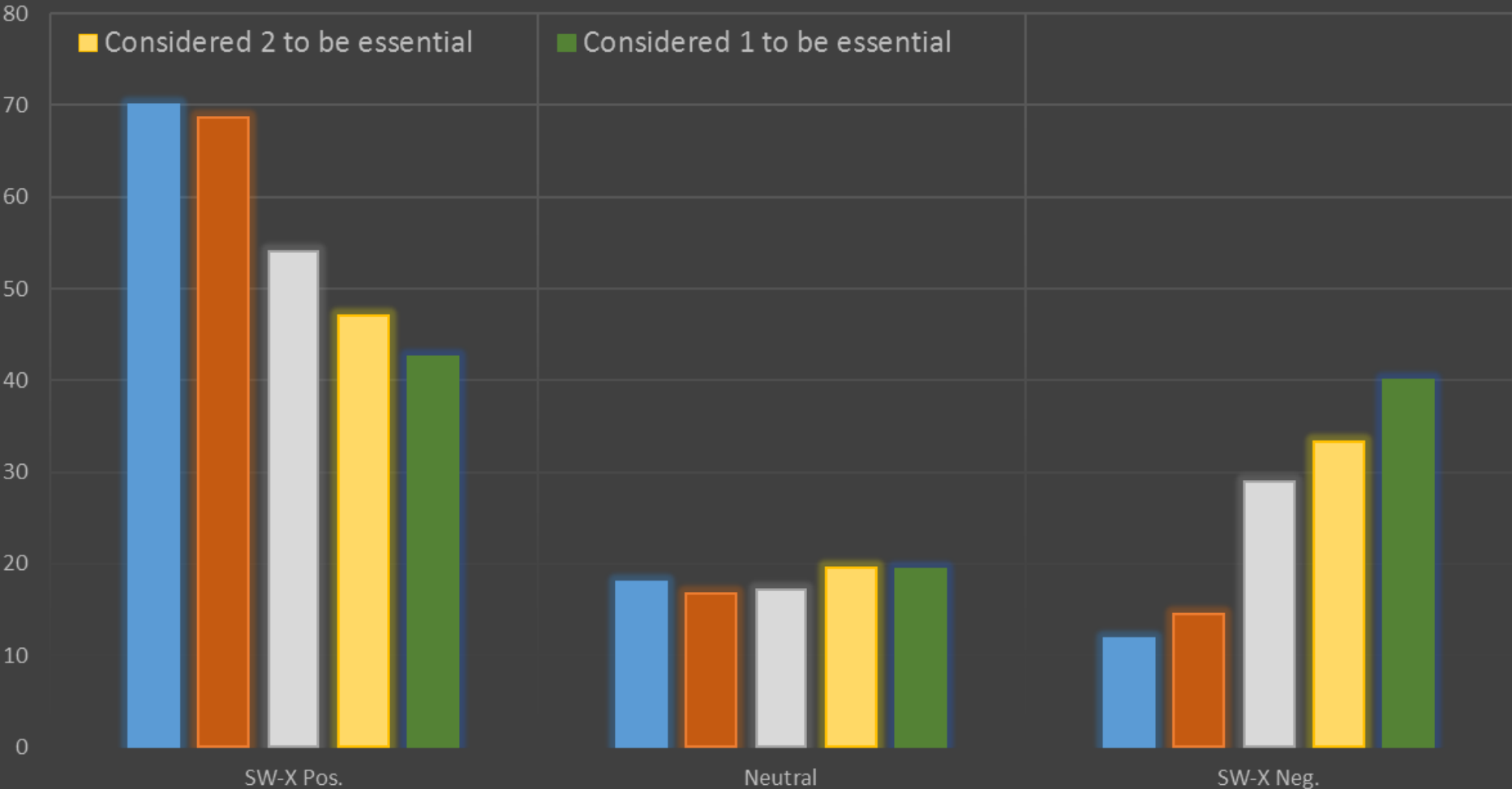
Student Satisfaction with eTexts



Student Satisfaction: Students with 5 eTexts

■ Cheaper and included in Tuition ■ Considered all 5 to be essential ■ Considered 3 to be essential

■ Considered 2 to be essential ■ Considered 1 to be essential



What's Next

- Continue the development of the Publisher Asset Library

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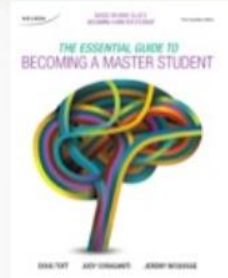


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UNIT 21

METRIC FITS

The ISO (metric) system of limits and fits for mating parts is approved and adopted for general use in Canada and the United States. It establishes the designation symbols used to define specific dimensional limits on drawings.

The general terms "hole" and "shaft" can also be taken as referring to the space containing or contained by two parallel faces of any part, such as the width of a slot or the thickness of a key.

All "International Tolerance (IT) Grade" establishes the magnitude of the tolerance zone or the amount of part size variation allowed for internal and external dimensions alike. The smaller the grade number, the smaller the tolerance zone. For general applications of IT grades, see Figure 21-1.

Grades 1 through 4 are very precise grades intended primarily for gauge-making and similar precision work, although grade 4 can also be used for very precise production work.

Grades 5 through 16 represent a progressive series suitable for cutting operations, such as turning, boring, grinding, milling, and sawing. Grade 5 is the most precise grade, obtainable by fine grinding and lapping, while grade 16 is the coarsest grade for rough sawing and machining.

Grades 12 through 16 are intended for manufacturing operations such as cold heading, pressing, rolling, and other forming operations.

As a guide to the selection of tolerances, Figure 21-2 has been prepared to show grades that may be expected to be held by various manufacturing processes for work in metals. For work in other materials, such as plastics, it may be necessary to use coarser tolerance grades for the same process.

A fundamental deviation establishes the position of the tolerance zone with respect to the basic size. Fundamental deviations are expressed by "tolerance position letters." Capital letters are used for internal dimensions, and lowercase letters for external dimensions.

Unit 21

An administrative system pulling information from our SIS (or any SIS)

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Download all eText sections

Get all course sections flagged as eText in the selected term.

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Get uncharged student list

Get all students in eText sections during the selected term that have no charges applied with the selected criteria

Missing A108 and A143 ▾

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Get all students for the selected term who have been charged an A108 Fee

Charged A108 and A143 ▾

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Calculate eText Students

Calculate the number of students in eText sections and the number of A108 fees

Total Students: 7677

Total Charged Students: 7607

Total A108 Charges: 17779

Calculate

Download Pending Credits

Download the A108 fees that need to be credited in Genesis

Credits Pending 0

Credits Applied 0

Calculate

Download Pending Credits

Download Pending Debits

Download the A108 fees that need to be debited in Genesis

Debits Pending 0

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Download Pending Debits

Pending Fee Issues

Detect Genesis fee issues in various categories

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eText Charges to wrong section 27

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A108 and A143 to same course 0

Calculate

Download Fee Issues

An eResource deployment tracking system.

Lookups Software eText

eText Report eText Data Credits Resources ESPM Fees

Logout

Term: 2014F

Courses: 280

Course Resources: 303

Course	ISBN	Title	Author	Publisher	Comp	A108s	A143s	Temp Codes	Perm Codes	Package	Resource Fee	Course Fee	Total Charges	Amount Owing
ACC2201	9781118794876	Accounting Principles, Sixth Canadian Edition, Part 1	Jerry J. Weygandt	WILEY	2	142	4	144	136	Yes	53.19	53.19	\$7,632.98	\$9,579.32
ACC2204	9781118794951	Intermediate Accounting	"Kieso, Weygandt, Mcconomy"	Wiley	2	83	17	94	76	Yes	81.57	81.57	\$7,110.31	\$5,789.25
ACC2222	9781259103261	Managerial Accounting For Marketing	Brewer et al.	MCGRAW	2	189	3	155	164	Yes	53.40	53.40	\$10,152.60	\$17,595.90
ACC2233	9780071318891	Managerial Accounting	Garrison Chelsey Carroll Et Al	McGraw	1	79	16	90	70	Yes	101.37	101.37	\$8,328.23	\$7,426.00
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