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# Survey of Book Publishers and Exclusive Agents, 2000

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### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### **Survey Objective**

This survey provides statistics on the activities of book publishers and exclusive agents, regardless of the amount of earned revenue. The information is used by the private sector and by all levels of government to make informed decisions on policies and programs in the book publishing industry.

#### Coverage

This is a survey of book publishers in Canada who have titles in print and exclusive agents in Canada who sold titles published by another firm.

Book publishing or exclusive agency must be one of the

#### Confidentiality

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1.	Report for the financial year (ending at any time between April 1, 2000 and March 31, 2001).  Number Day Month Year Day Month Year
	This report covers months from to 001 to
	Book publishers are firms or organizations which select and edit works, and enter into a contractual agreement with the author or copyright holder for the production of the work in print or other format. The publisher sells the work through any channel of distribution, while bearing the risks associated with this production.  Exclusive Agents distribute and sell works published by another firm, by acting as its sole representative. The exclusive agent is generally responsible for the marketing expenses of titles sold on an exclusive basis.
2.	During the financial year reported, did this organization function as: (Check one circle only)  1 Book publisher 2 Exclusive Agent 3 Both activities  Neither activity (please describe briefly the nature of your business)
3.	Indicate the legal status of this organization. (Check one circle only)
\\	1 Unincorporated Sole proprietorship 2 Unincorporated Partnership 3 Incorporated for profit 4 Incorporated not for profit
	<sup>5</sup> ○ Co-operative <sup>6</sup> ○ Joint venture <sup>7</sup> ○ Government <sup>8</sup> ○ Government business entity
	<sup>9</sup> Other (specify) S003
4.	Indicate the country of controlling interest for this organization. (Check one circle only)  One of controlling interest for this organization. (Check one circle only)  One of controlling interest for this organization. (Check one circle only)  One of controlling interest for this organization. (Check one circle only)

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- When precise figures are not available, please estimate, indicating the fact in the margin.
- Report all dollar amounts in CANADIAN DOLLARS (\$ CDN).

### IF YOU ARE AN EXCLUSIVE AGENT, AND DO NOT ENGAGE IN BOOK PUBLISHING, GO TO SECTION 5d.

5a.	Number of titles	published or	reprinted in	Canada	during the	financial	year by	format	category.
	(See Instruction	s at end of que	estionnaire)		_				•

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		Printed titles	Audio	CD-ROM	On-line/ e-books	Other formats – (Specify below)	TOTAL	
1.	Titles published (include new editions)	010	011	012	013	014	015	
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	017	018	019	020	021	022	
2	Titles reprinted							

S014 Specify	
S021 Specify	

**5b.** Number of titles **published** or **reprinted** in Canada by **commercial category** and **citizenship** of author(s). (See Instructions at end of questionnaire)

Commercial category  Textbooks	Canadia Titles published	Titles reprinted	Foreign Titles published	authors Titles
	published			Titles
Texthooks	030		Published	reprinted
ELHI (including teacher's aid manuals)		040	950	060
Postsecondary	031	041	051	061
2. Children's books	038	048	058	068
B. Tradebooks  Mass-market paperbacks	032	042	052	062
Trade paperbacks	033	043	053	063
Trade hardcovers	034	044	054	064
Scholarly	035	045	055	065
5. General reference	036	046	056	066
5. Professional and technical	037	047	057	067
7. TOTAL (box 039 + 059 = 015, box 049 + 069 = 022)	039	049	059	069

**5c.** Number of **own titles in print** in Canada by **commercial category** and **citizenship** of author(s). Include all titles **ever** published and **available for sale during the financial year**. (See Instructions at end of questionnaire)

Commercial category	Total own	titles in print
Confinercial category	Canadian authors	Foreign authors
1. Textbooks	070	080
ELHI (including teacher's aid manuals)	071	004
Postsecondary	1	081
	078	088
2. Children's books	072	082
3. Tradebooks		
Mass-market paperbacks	073	083
Trade paperbacks	074	084
Trade hardcovers		
4. Cab alaulu	075	085
4. Scholarly	076	086
5. General reference		007
6. Professional and technical	077	087
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7. TOTAL		

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<b>5d.</b> Number of <b>units sold</b> in category	n Canada durin	g the financial y	ear by comme	rcial	Publisher's own titles	Exclusive agency
Textbooks     ELHI (including tead	cher's aid manua	ls)			60	170
Postsecondary		•		1	61	171
2. Children's books				1	68	178
3. Tradebooks					62	172
Mass-market paper	backs				63	173
Trade paperbacks .					64	174
Trade hardcovers .					65	175
4. Scholarly					66	176
5. General reference					67	177
6. Professional and tech	nical				69	179
7. <b>TOTAL</b>						
IF YOU ARE AN EXCLUSIVE	AGENT, AND D	O NOT ENGAGE	IN BOOK PUB	LISHING, GO TO	SECTION 7.	
6a. Were all of your own title	es sales throug	h an "exclusive	" agent(s) durir	ng the financial y	ear reported?\	
095 1 ○ Yes ► Go	to 6b.					
<sup>2</sup> ○ No ► Go	to 7.					
<b>6b.</b> List your exclusive agen	nt(s) (Name or	nlv )				
096	it(o). (Name of	y./				
			$\Diamond$			
Export sales Other foreign sales	foreign addre	ess. Exclude the	sale of rights	ed the Canadia abroad. Report to ad sold outside	this in section 1	2.
Other foreign saids		ossed the Cana		Exclude the sale		
7. Net sales value (excluded sold in the financial year)			Publisher's	Titles sold as ar	exclusive agent	
only those published in sale of rights.			own titles	For a foreign publisher	For a Canadian publisher	Total
sale of rights.			101 \$	106 \$	111 \$	116 \$
1. Sales in Canada			102	107	112	117
2. Export sales			103	108	113	118
3. Other foreign sales (see	e definitions abov	/e)	105	110	115	120
4. Total						
8. Net sales value (exclude their destination. For particular sections)						ling to
their destination. Torp		Canada		rt sales	1	reign sales
	Publisher's	Total	Publisher's	Total	Publisher's	Total
	own titles	(Own + Agency)		(Own + Agency)		(Own + Agency)
A Francisco	125 \$	130 \$	135 \$	140 \$	145 \$	150 \$
1. English only	126	131	136	141	146	151
<ul><li>2. French only</li></ul>	128	133	138	143	148	153
4. <b>TOTAL</b> (box 129=101, 134=116, 139=102, 144=117, 149=103,	129	134	139	144	149	154

# IF YOU ARE AN EXCLUSIVE AGENT, AND DO NOT ENGAGE IN BOOK PUBLISHING, GO TO SECTION 9d.

9. **Net sales value** (excluding sale of rights) during the financial year according to the **commercial category** and author **citizenship**.

9a. Publisher's own titles: Sales in Canada (Exclude the sale of rights)

Commercial catego	ory	Canadian authors \$	Foreign authors \$	Total sales in Canada \$
1. Textbooks		801	831	841
ELHI (including tead	cher's aid manuals)	802	832	040
Postsecondary		**-	032	842
·		809	839	849
2. Children's books		000	000	040
Tradebooks     Mass-market paper	backs	803	833	843
Mass-market paper	DUONG	804	834	844
Trade paperbacks				
		805	835	845
Trade hardcovers .		806	836	846
4. Scholarly				
		807	837	847
o. Jonoral Totololloc		808	838	848
6. Professional and tecl	hnical			0.50
		810	840	850
7. <b>TOTAL</b> (Box $850 = 10^{\circ}$	1, section 7)			

**9b.** Publisher's own titles: Export sales (Exclude the sale of rights)

Commercial category	Canadian authors \$	Foreign authors \$	Total export sales
1. Textbooks  ELHI (including teacher's aid manuals)	861	891	901
Postsecondary	862	892	902
2. Children's books	869	899	909
	863	893	903
3. Tradebooks  Mass-market paperbacks			
	864	894	904
Trade paperbacks	865	895	905
Trade hardcovers	866	896	906
4. Scholariy	867	897	907
5. General reference	868	898	908
6. Professional and technical			
	870	900	910
7. <b>TOTAL</b> (Box 910 = 102, section 7)			

9b(i) Publisher's own titles: Export sales by destination (Exclude the sale of rights)

	Export sales \$
	880
1. <b>U.S.</b>	
	881
2. <b>U.K.</b>	
	882
3. France	
	883
4. <b>Asia</b>	
	884
5. South and Central America	
S885	885
6. Other (specify)	
o. Other (specify)	886
7. <b>Total</b> (Box 886 = 910 = 102)	

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# **9c. Publisher's own titles: Other foreign sales** (Exclude the sale of rights)

Commercial category	Canadian authors \$	Foreign authors \$	Total other foreign sales \$
1. Textbooks	921	951	961
ELHI (including teacher's aid manuals)	922	952	962
Postsecondary	929	959	969
2. Children's books			
3. Tradebooks	923	953	963
Mass-market paperbacks	924	954	964
Trade paperbacks			
Trade hardcovers	925	955	965
	926	956	966
4. Scholarly	927	957	967
5. General reference	928	958	968
6. Professional and technical		930	908
	930	960	970
7. <b>TOTAL</b> (Box 970 = 103, section 7)			

# 9d. Exclusive Agency: Sales in Canada (Exclude the sale of rights)

Commercial category	Canadian authors \$	Foreign authors \$	Total sales in Canada \$
1. Textbooks	240	250	260
ELHI (including teacher's aid manuals)	241	251	261
Postsecondary	245	255	265
2. Children's books	242	252	262
3. Tradebooks  Mass-market paperbacks	0.40		
Trade paperbacks	243	253	263
Trade hardcovers	244	254	264
4. Scholarly	246	256	266
	247	257	267
5. General reference	248	258	268
6. Professional and technical	249	259	269
7. <b>TOTAL</b> (Box 269 = 106 + 111, section 7)			

10.	Ne	Net sales value of the total (own plus agency) titles sold in Canada by customer category. (Exclude the sale of rights)		Sales in Canada	
		Wholesale			345 \$
	1.	Exclusive agents, distributors, wholesalers, jobbers		374 \$	
	2	Retail Accredited bookstores (Quebec only)		Φ	
		Other independent bookstores		390	
				375	
	4.	Campus bookstores		376	
	5.	Chain bookstores		372	
	6.	Internet retailers (report sales from publisher's own websites in line 1	•	377	
	7.	Department, grocery, record and drug stores		379	
	8.	Mail order houses and book clubs		373	
	9.	Warehouse clubs and discount stores		378	
	10.	Other retail stores			346
		Sub-total: Retail (sum of boxes 374 to 378)		380	340
		Institutions			
		Government and special libraries		381	
	12.	Public libraries		383	
	13.	ELHI institutions (including libraries)		384	V .
	14.	Postsecondary institutions (including libraries)		393	
	15.	Other institutions and agencies			348
		Sub-total: Institutions (sum of boxes 380 to 393)		385	
		Other		303	
	16.	Direct to general public (report sales to mail order houses or book cluabove)	ubs in liné 8		
	17.	Other	>	386	
		<b>Sub-total: Other</b> (boxes 385 + 386)			349
		<b>Total</b> (box 389 = 116, section 7)			389
				<u> </u>	
			Paid to Canadian Citizens	Paid to Foreign Citizens	Total
11.	<b>Ro</b> by	yalty expenses from the sale of titles, during the financial year, citizenship of author(s)	392 \$	394 \$	391 \$
				Outside	T 1
	/		In Canada	Canada	Total
12a.	Re	venue from the sale of rights for the financial year (see Instructions and of questionnaire)	409 \$	414 \$	419 \$
12b.	Expay	penses for the purchase of rights for the financial year. Include yments to authors, agents, other publishers, and other costs of quisition	424	434	429
13.		ants/non-repayable financial aid from the following sources of	during the financ	cial year	
	•	ported (book publishing or exclusive agency activities <b>only</b> ).			\$
	1.	Federal Government  Department of Canadian Heritage (Book Publishing Industry Develop	oment Program)		481
	The Canada Council for the Arts				482
		Association for the Export of Canadian Books (AECB)			487
		Other federal sources (specify)			483
	2	Humanities and Social Science Federation of Canada			484
					485
	პ.	Provincial governments and arts councils			486
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	4.	Other non-federal sources (specify) S486			489

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14.	Revenue from book publishing and exclusive agency for the financial year reported.							
	Report revenue from activities not related to book publishing and							
	ex	cclusive agency in section 16 at line 22 (boxes 560 to 566).		_				
	1.	Net sales of own and agency titles			\$			
		( ) De la 189		602				
		(a) Printed titles		605	-			
		(b) Audio		200				
		(c) CD-ROM		606				
		(d) On-line/e-books		609	-			
		(e) Other formats						
		(f) <b>Total sales of own and agency titles</b> (net of returns) (add amounts reported at lines 1(a) to 1(e)) (box 650 = 120 in sec			650			
	2.	Sale of rights (box 419 in section 12a)			651			
	3.	Sales of all other goods and services related to book publishing/exclu	usive agency		652			
	4.	Total sales of goods and services produced (add amounts reported	ed at lines 1(f), 2 a	and 3)	604			
	5.	Grants recognized as revenue (box 489 in section 13)			608			
	6.	All other operating revenue ( <b>Excluding</b> interest income and dividend report this amount at line 8, "Non-operating revenue")	is –					
		report this amount at line of informating revenue /			653			
	7.	<b>Total operating revenue</b> (add amounts reported at lines 4 to 6)			654			
	8.	Non-operating revenue (e.g., interest income, dividends)	,	\.\.\.\.\.\.\.\.\.\.\.\.\.\.\.\.\.\.\.	610			
	9.	Total revenue from book publishing/exclusive agency (add amounts	reported at lines 7	7 and 8)				
15.	Cc	ost of titles sold for own and agency titles. Do not reduce cost	by grants receiv	red.				
		eport royalty expenses and purchase of rights in	, ·	T	•			
	se	ection 16 at lines 3 and 4.	Publisher's Own Book Titles	Agency Book Titles	Total			
		Cost of titles	500 \$	507 \$	512 \$			
		Opening inventory	501	508	513			
		Purchases (include freight-in, customs and brokerage)	502		514			
	3.	Production costs (include all direct costs such as labour, sub-contracts, etc., related to the making of books) and amortized pre-publication costs (editorial and design)						
			504	509	516			
	4.	Closing inventory (less obsoléscence or decrease in value)	506	511	518			
	5.	(add amounts reported at 1, 2 and 3 minus line 4)						
	6./	Indicate the percentage of Production costs of own titles	526					
//,	\ (	(line 3, box 502) incurred OUTSIDE Canada	/0					
	<u> </u>							
16.	\	omplete the following income statement information for the						
$\vee$		eport <b>only</b> book publishing and exclusive agency revenue and eport revenue and expenses from other sources at line 22.	expenses in lines		\$			
	IVO	Revenue			Ф 656			
	1.	Total revenue (box 610 in section 14)			636			
	••							
		Expenses Cost of sales		611	1			
	2.	Cost of titles sold (box 518 in section 15)						
		Royalty expenses from sale of titles (box 391 in section 11)		612				
		Purchase of rights (box 429 in section 12b)		613				
	5.	Cost of non-book goods purchased for resale (e.g., toys)		657				
	G	All other cost of calc evacage		658				
		All other cost of sale expenses			620			
	1.	Total cost of sales (add amounts at lines 2 to 6)			ued on next page			

Se	ection 16 continued.			<u></u>
	<b>Operating expenses</b> (do not repeat expenses included in Co (see Instructions at back of questionnaire)	st of Sales)	624	\$ 
8.	Editorial expenses		625	1
9.	Design and production expenses			-
10.	. Fulfillment, warehousing and shipping expenses (including loss for d	lamaged copies)	626	
	. Marketing, sales, promotion and advertising expenses (including cos	st of promotional	627	
	and complimentary copies)		621	-
12.	. Occupancy costs		628	
13.	. Administrative expenses		622	-
14.	. Depreciation and amortization (excluding depreciation for inventory)		631	-
15.	. Management fees paid to head office or affiliated company			_
16.	. Bad debts			
17.	. Interest and bank charges (before subsidies for loan interest)		623	
	. All other operating expenses		629	
				630
	. Total operating expenses (excluding Cost of Sales) (sum of lines 8	·		632
20.	. <b>Total expenses</b> (box 620 + box 630)			
				r
21	. Profit (loss) from book publishing and exclusive agency (box 656 – 6	321/ ( ) )	$\triangleright$	635
22.	Other revenue and expenses (not related to book publishing or exclusive agency activities)	Revenue	Expenses	]
	(a) Publishing periodicals	560 \$	570 \$	
	(b) Printing services for others	561	571	
		562	572	•
	(c) Book wholesaling (non-exclusive) and periodical wholesaling	563	573	•
	<ul><li>(d) Book retailing (excluding own title sales on own web site)</li><li>(e) Marketing and fulfillment services for others (warehousing,</li></ul>	564	574	
	E.D.P., etc.)	565	575	-
	(f) Interest and investment income	566	576	-
	(g) Other (specify) S566			1
/	(h) Total		577	<u> </u>
23	. Gross margin from activities not related to book publishing and exclu	isive agency (box	567 – box 577)	636
				640
<b>24.</b>	. Profit (loss) before income taxes and extraordinary items (box 635 +	DOX 636)	641	
25.	. Provision for income taxes (if refund, give as negative)			642
26.	. Net profit (loss) before extraordinary items (box 640 – box 641)			
27.	. Extraordinary items, net of income taxes		643	
				645
20	. <b>Net profit (loss)</b> (box 642 + box 643)			<u> </u>
28.				
	hat was the net sales value and number of books returned	to your compa	ny during the fi	nancial year?
	hat was the net sales value and number of books returned  Net sales value \$  Number	to your compa	ny during the fi	nancial year?

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18.	Average number of employees and total s	alaries, fees and h	nonorariums	paid during the re	eportina period.		
	Paid employees				Total		
	(a) Salaries for all employees for whom you issued a T4 (include vacation pay, bonuses, commissions)			Number	\$		
	(i) Full-time employees			527	543		
	(ii) Part-time employees			528	544		
	(b) Employer portion of employee benefits (in medical/life, employment insurance and v	nclude employer's co	ontributions to po		545		
	(c) Total (employee) labour remuneration	·	' '		546		
	Contract workers				557		
	Working owners and/or partners of unincorporate and/or partne			542			
	4. Volunteers and unpaid staff			529			
	INTERNATIONAL TRANSACTIONS						
	Please report payments and receipts for book put	-			ates, including a foreign		
	exclusive agency activities only.  This section concerns international monetary transactions are concerns international monetary transactions.	ctions on:		pany, branches and subsidiaries but exclude transactions carried out by your affiliates located			
	(a) receipts from outside of Canada for the sale of property and services.	Do Intellectual	not include me		and exports (the latter is		
	(b) payments paid directly to foreign sources fo property and services.	r intellectual rep	orted in Question	9b).			
	DEFINITIONS		merchandising, mechanical a	book club, anth	ology, quotation, serial, reproduction, electronic		
	<b>Sales/Purchases of services</b> includes internation received/made in exchange for intangible commodities.		publishing, sing recording, blind	le voice reading, sin	gle voice recording, video ights and reprint licenses,		
	<b>Intellectual Property</b> (IP) refers to book copyright. Flicensed or sold for specific uses in return for royalt fees or copyright revenues. IP transactions include and from book publishers and include:	ies, licensing cul payments to and	l distribution (who	esale and retail) of o	production, manufacturing culture outputs. In the case		
	◆ Co-publishing rights resulting from joint financia	Linuactments Ser	vices include wr	ting, printing, adve	cy activities these culture rtising, editorial services,		
	by two or more publishers to conceive, produc under their respective imprints, individual titles or sold in their respective markets.	ce and print, etc.	n-Culture service	s are services contr	urchased or sold abroad,		
	◆ Translation rights to publish a work in another language and distribute it in a set territory are reported together with co-publishing rights and Other rights including same language territorial, paperback, periodical, digest, adaptation, dramatization and documentary (film, stage, radio, etc.),						
		Intellectual Property Receipts from	Sales of Services		Total		
19a.	Receipts from outside of Canada	Royalties and Sale of Rights	Culture	Non-Cultur	е		
	1. United States	700 \$	710 \$	720 \$	730 \$		
	2. United Kingdom		711	721	731		
	3. France	702 703	712	722	732		
$\wedge$	4. Asia		_				
	5. South and Central America	704	714	724	734		
$\langle \langle$	6. Other (specify)	708	718	728	738		
	7. Total	709	719	729	739		
		Intellectual Property Purcha		ses of Services			
19b.	Payments outside of Canada	Rights and Royalties Paid	Culture	Non-Cultur	e Total		
	1. United States	750 \$	760 \$	770 \$	780 \$		
	United States	751	761	771	781		
	_	752	762	772	782		
	3. France	753	763	773	783		
	4. Asia	754	764	774	784		
	5. South and Central America	758	768	778	788		
	6. Other (specify)						

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7. Total .....

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20.	Indicate the <b>municipality</b> and <b>province or t</b> associated postal code.	<b>territory</b> in which the publisher or exclusive agency operates and t	ihe
	Municipality	_	
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	Province or territory	Postal code 007	
		028	
21.	What year did this organization commence of	operation in Canada?	
	004		
22.	What is your nine digit GST registered Accord	unt Number?	
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23.	What is this organization's web address?		
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	questionnaire language	potential for electronic data reporting	
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### **QUESTIONS**

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Please quote the name of the survey,

**Book Publishers and Exclusive Agents.** 

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

### What to report as Books

#### Include:

- (a) Non-periodical printed publications having at least 49 pages of text or illustrations, excluding covers, however collated;
- (b) Non-periodical printed publications having less than 49 pages but which you consider to be a book. Examples include children's books and poetry books;
- (c) Titles published in print, audio, CD-ROM, on-line, e-books and other formats:
- (d) Titles sold under the form of masters for the purpose of reproduction, e.g., educational materials;
- (e) Atlases.

#### **Exclude:**

- (a) Publications issued for advertising purposes: trade catalogues; prospectuses; tourist advertising; etc.;
- (b) Instruction books for assembling or operating machines, household appliances, etc., sold with the product;
- (c) Test sheets and music scores;
- (d) Timetables, price lists, directories, entertainment programmes, calendars, school yearbooks, etc.;
- (e) Publications for internal use only: company regulations, reports, etc.;
- (f) Blank books (ledgers, diaries, etc.) and colouring books;
- (g) Newspapers and magazines;
- (h) Government publications, maps and charts.

## **General Information**

Publishers must answer all questions. Exclusive Agents will follow the instructions to skip certain questions. If the answer to a particular question is zero, indicate it by a "0" in the appropriate box.

When precise figures are not available, please estimate, indicating the fact in the margin.

**Publishers** should report own (published and co-published) titles sales. Exclusive agents should report their sales in the "exclusive agency" and/or "total" columns. Publishers who also act as exclusive agents should report their agency sales in the "exclusive agency" columns and include them with their own titles sales in the "total" columns.

### Section 4 - Page 1

The controlling interest is determined by tracing ownership links to the first parent corporation. However, it is possible that the first parent is in fact controlled by another corporation which may reside in a different country. In such instances, control is assigned to the country of the ultimate parent

### Section 5a, 5b, 5c and 5d - Page 2 and Page 3

**Title** refers to a work produced for sale through any of the print, audio, CD-ROM, on-line, e-books, or other formats.

**Own titles** refers to books published (or co-published) in Canada by a firm holding the Canadian territorial rights to these titles. Titles which are published or reprinted outside of Canada, but sold in Canada are not to be reported in

Section 5a, b and c, and are to be reported as exclusive agency sales. Those publishers having produced the same title in another format should consider these as separate titles.

A title can be published as a **multi-volume set**. If the volumes are available only as a set, report only one title; if they are sold separately, report each volume as a title.

In the case of a **multi-media package**, when the components are not sold separately, report one title under the most important format. When components are sold separately, report each as an individual title.

**Co-publications:** Where there is a shared financial commitment on the part of two or more publishers for a print run of a title, both publishers should report the title.

Titles published refers to those which your organization has published or co-published in Canada during the financial year being reported. Do not include titles published by other organizations for which your company acts as an agent. Count a new title only once regardless of the number of print-runs during the reporting year. Reedited titles with changes from the previous edition are reported here.

Titles "reprinted" refers to titles re-issued in Canada in the same format with no change from the original. A reprint is not an addition to titles in print unless that title was previously considered out of print. Multiple reprints of the same title during the year being reported are to be counted only once. Reprints of titles newly printed during the same year are not to be counted.

**Titles in print** refers to all titles published in Canada by your organization in the current and previous years. The title must be immediately available from your stock or in the process of being reprinted, or orders are still being taken for delivery within the next six months. If a title is out of stock with no plans for reprinting, it is to be considered out of print. Do not include titles published by the organization for which you act as an exclusive agent.

**Number of units sold** refer to the number of books sold in Canada during the financial year reported. Publisher's own titles are to be reported separately from exclusive agency books sold

Duplicator masters should be counted as "printed titles".

**Commercial Categories:** Used to designate the target market of a title. The six categories are:

- **Textbooks** Titles published to be mainly used as educational material for students and teachers at the:
  - Elementary-secondary level (ELHI)
  - Postsecondary level (college, university)
- Children's books: Titles published for children and young adult (up to age 14) markets. Includes: picture-books, and texts which are not primarily intended as textbooks, but excludes colouring books.
- **Tradebooks:** Titles published for consumption by the adult public at large. This market includes:
  - Mass-market paperbacks: usually a pocketbook size publication designed to be sold at a lower price.
  - Trade paperbacks: soft cover publication in a variety of sizes.
  - **Trade hardcovers:** publication bound in heavier stock covers or with more luxury (leather, cases, etc.).

**General reference:** Titles designed primarily for general reference purposes aimed at a diversified public, e.g., dictionaries, encyclopedias, thesauruses, how-to books, Sunday school books, travel guides and atlases.

**Professional and technical:** Publications containing reference material aimed at a specific group of individuals (e.g., accountants, lawyers, electricians).

**Scholarly:** Titles aimed at the academic community usually published by university presses, research institutes and learned societies.

### Citizenship

A **Canadian-authored** title is one whose author (or editor in the case of anthologies or collected works) is a Canadian citizen or landed immigrant.

In the case of **adapted and/or translated titles**, the citizenship of the author refers to the title's original author and not to the adaptor or translator.

In reporting a title which is part of a multi-volume collection compiled by an editor, indicate the citizenship of the individual title's author, not the citizenship of the collection's editor.

In the case of a title written by more than one author, the citizenship should be given as Canadian if at least one of the authors (or editors) is a Canadian citizen or landed immigrant, and they have made a substantial contribution to the book (one half or more of the content).

### Section 10 - Customer Category - Page 6

Only **sales in Canada** are to be included. Indicate the customer to which your organization sold the titles, not subsequent purchasers.

Warehouse clubs and discount stores primarily retail a general line of grocery items in combination with a general line of non-grocery items, and typically sell items in larger formats.

**Department stores** retail a wide range of products, with each merchandise line constituting a separate department within the store.

Chain bookstores are book retailers with outlets in most major cities in Canada and includes big box retailers.

Internet retailers include all web-sites, except sales from publisher's own web sites which are to be reported in: Direct to general public.

Other independent bookstores either have one outlet, or several outlets within a narrow geographic area (city, province). Although most are not big box retailers, this category also includes big box stores which are not national chains.

**Direct to general public** includes publisher's sales through the mail, at home (door-to-door, home parties), in shopping centres (kiosk), in the workplace, school fairs, publisher's own web sites, etc. These are sales directly to the reader, and the books will not be resold.

# Section 12 - Rights - Page 6

**Rights** refers to the right to translate or co-publish, and then distribute a book, as well as the following rights: same language territorial rights, paperback rights, reprint licenses, one shot periodical rights, digest and adaptation, dramatization and documentary (film, stage, radio, etc.), merchandising, book clubs, anthology and quotation, serial rights, mechanical and reprographic reproduction, electronic publishing, single voice reading, single voice recording and video recording rights, and rights for the blind and print disabled.

### Section 13 - Grants - Page 6

Non-repayable financial aid should be indicated by the source of grant. Report the amount awarded in the year for which you are reporting.

### Section 14 - Revenue - Page 7

All revenues are net of returns. Revenues and expenses not related to book publishing or exclusive agency activities should be reported in: **Other revenue and expenses** Section 16 line 22.

### Section 16 - Expenses - Page 7 and Page 8

Editorial, Design and production: The amortized portion of these costs should appear in the "Cost of titles sold" (Section 15) and the expensed portion should appear here. Exclude purchases of rights that are expensed and report these in line 4, "Purchase of rights."

Marketing, sales, promotion and advertising. Include all relevant costs such as fees to advertising agencies, freelance copywriters, catalogues, direct mail materials, free books, exhibits and book fairs, salesmen's salaries, commissions and expenses, etc.

**Occupancy costs:** Include property taxes, heat, light, power, water, minor maintenance and repair, rent or mortgage interest and property insurance.

**Depreciation:** Include all charges for depreciation and amortization of buildings and equipment as levied against current income. Amortization of leasehold improvement should be included here. Depreciation of inventory should be noted in Section 15.

Interest, bank charges: This is before any subsidy for loan interest. The subsidy should be reported as part of Section 13. Include interest on bank loans, accounts payable, loans and notes payable (excluding interest on real estate mortgages which are to be reported under "Occupancy costs").

### Section 17 - Books Returned- Page 8

Include the net sales value and total number of books returned during the financial year. If exact figures are not available, please estimate.

### Section 18 - Employment - Page 9

An employee is any person drawing pay for services rendered, or for paid absence, and for whom you, as the employer, are required to complete a T4. A **full-time employee** is one who works at least 30 hours per week, while a **part-time employee** works less than 30 hours per week. **Contract workers** are consultants, freelancers etc. engaged only for the duration of a specific project or term. Temporary staff contracted from an employment agency should not be reported here.

### Section 19 - International Transactions - Page 9

Report only book publishing and exclusive agency activities for international payments and receipts. **Merchandise imports and exports should not be included here**, exports should be included in Section 9b, **Export sales**.

### Section 21 - Business start date - Page 10

Report the year when the organization commenced operations as a book publisher or exclusive agent in Canada. This may predate the year of incorporation. If the organization was amalgamated, give the year of the oldest organization.

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