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Collections

Collections' holdings

	End 2016	End 2017	+/- %
Publications			
Monographs	3'001'220	3'033'071	1.1%
Periodicals (volumes)	898'188	918'621	2.3%
Prints and drawings, photographs, maps	487'053	489'718	0.5%
Musical scores	84'319	85'001	0.8%
Microforms, CD-ROMs, other supports	21'130	21'350	1.0%
Audiovisual documents	20'966	21'112	0.7%
Online publications in the long-term archives	75'999	107'610	41.6%
Total	4'588'875	4'676'483	1.9%

Archives			
Swiss Literary Archives (holdings indicated in the Index of manuscript collections in Switzerland)*	369	381	3.3%
Prints and Drawings Department, number of collections	81	83	2.5%
Total	450	464	3.1%

Federal Archives of Historic Monuments			
Total documents, estimated	1'200'000	1'200'000	

Swiss National Sound Archives (FN)			
Number of audio carriers (including Audio carriers in the historical fonds and collections)	288'212	293'819	1.9%
Historical fonds and collections (number of collections)	155	165	6.5%

* This figure includes only the entries listed in the *Index of manuscript collections*. There is a time delay in the inclusion of new acquisitions.

Collections Growth

		2016	2017	2017	2017	
		Total	Donations	Purchases	Total	+/-%
I Helvetica Collection						
1	Works after 1900	19'268	16'124	5'401	21'525	11.7%
2	Works before 1900	96	22	139	161	67.7%
3	Bibliophile works	59	28	51	79	33.9%
4	Academic papers	3'686	3'557	0	3'557	-3.5%
5 Association publications:						
5.1	Periodicals	4'637	5'200	0	5'200	12.1%
5.2	Monographs	3'887	5'171	0	5'171	33.0%
6	Official publications	1'108	956	0	956	-13.7%
7	Continuing resources	15'545	13'270	1'963	15'233	-2.0%
8	Musical scores	2'613	242	440	682	-73.9%
9 Prints and drawings:						
9.1	Portfolio works	70	56	24	80	14.3%
9.2	Posters	1'425	1'096	0	1096	-23.1%
9.3	Prints	28	1	8	9	-67.9%
9.4	Photographs, including postcards	411	804	60	864	110.2%
9.5	Maps	476	521	95	616	29.4%
10	CD-ROMs and disks	214	197	23	220	2.8%
11	Microfilms, microfiches	0	0	0	0	
12	Audiovisual works	153	90	56	146	-4.6%
13	Online publications in the long-term archives (archive packages)	30'708	31611	0	31611	2.9%
Total		61'275	52'564	7'994	52'564	-14.2%

II Special collections						
1	Open access	180	81	166	247	37.2%
2	Bibliographies, reference works	275	51	104	155	-43.6%
3	Permanent loans	98	58	0	58	-40.8%
4	Staff reference libraries	39	2	18	20	-48.7%
Total		592	192	288	480	-18.9%

III Archives						
	Swiss Literary Archives	10	5	7	12	20.0%
	Prints and Drawings Department without FAHM	1	2	0	2	50.0%

IV Federal Archives of Historic Monuments (FAHM)						
	The collection holdings of the Federal Archives of Historic Monuments can only be very roughly specified. It is therefore not meaningful to publish any growth statistics.					

V Swiss National Sound Archives (FN)						
	New items (no. of carriers)	1524	999	0	999	-34.4%
	historical fonds and collections (no. of carriers)	4020	4'608	0	4608	14.6%
	Total	5544	5607	0	5607	1.1%
	historical fonds and collections (number of collections)	8	10	0	10	25.0%

Catalogues

	2016	2017	+/- %
Helveticat, number of bibliographic records	1'707'996	1'760'459	3.1%
Helveticat, number of authority records	189'641	216'245	14.0%
HelveticArchives, number of records	515'935	567'639	10.0%
Bibliography on Swiss History, number of bibliographic records	109'354	113'577	3.9%
Swiss poster catalogue, number of bibliographic records	84'252	87'235	3.5%
Swiss Literary Archives, online-inventories	167	202	21.0%
Swiss National Sound Archives, No. of records	290'024	293'985	1.4%

Preservation and Conservation

	2016	2017	+/- %
Preservation and Conservation			
Treatment of new acquisitions	37'889	37'306	- 1.5%
Protective covers	4'009	3'387	- 15.5%
Repairs	288	336	16.7%
Bindings by trade bookbinders (including brochures)	20'433	17'700	- 13.4%

Conservation activities are not listed for the Swiss National Sound Archives, as all new acquisitions are subjected to conservation treatment (see Collections Growth in the table on p. 8)