

Buy Request: Just in Time v. Just in Case at OSU Libraries

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Purchase Criteria

English language items not owned by OSU Libraries and held by only 1 Summit - "local use only" or checked out

- \$150 max, faculty/graduate requests, published within the last 5 years, available to ship within 2 days, monographs, scholarly, monograph series ok, paperback ok, high quality used ok
- no textbooks, no e-books, no standards or conferences, no award winning fiction, no microform/film, no dissertations, no A/V

Average Circulation

- buy request : 1.61/item
- traditional : 0.51/item

Circulation Frequency

- buy request: 64% - 1 or less; 35% - 2 or more; 16% - 3 or more
- traditional : 92% - 1 or less; 7% - 2 or more; 2% - 3 or more

Circulation Rank by Call

- buy request: Q>H>T>P>R
- traditional: H>Q>B>P>T

Item Cost per Circulation

- buy request: \$39.59 vs. ILL: \$31
- any additional circulations will decrease item cost/circ

Suggested Links

- Getting It System Toolkit: <http://idsproject.org/Tools/GIST.aspx>

Suggested Reading

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