

**Number of Copies and Average Cost of Latin American Books Purchased by Seven
U. S. Research Libraries in FY 1995-1996**

Country	Number of Books	Average Cost
Argentina	6,405	\$20.10
Bolivia	1,879	13.74
Brazil	5,735	27.43
Central America (in addition to separate countries listed in table)	1,028	21.62
Chile	1,014	30.37
Colombia	2,607	23.83
Costa Rica	467	16.77
Cuba	135	16.91
Dominican Republic	416	31.44
Ecuador	1,882	14.17
El Salvador	361	13.30
Guatemala	287	13.63
Guyana	3	48.33
Haiti	103	21.06
Honduras	187	9.70
Jamaica	0	--
Mexico	9,515	22.45
Nicaragua	221	19.58
Panama	80	18.36
Paraguay	430	17.73
Peru	1,559	24.40
Puerto Rico	192	34.31
Suriname	0	--
Trinidad and Tobago	0	--
Uruguay	897	28.31
Venezuela	1,897	13.71
Other Caribbean	897	21.73
Total	38,197	\$21.79

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