

Methods for Library Self-Assessment

The following will help an individual library determine its approximate return-on-investment for the Alliance DDA pilot

1. Start with the amount your library contributed to the DDA Pilot

Community Colleges: \$2,500

1-4,000 FTE: \$5,000

4,001-8,000 FTE: \$7,000

8,001-17,000 FTE: \$10,000

17,001+ FTE: \$15,000

2. Using the By Library tab of the DDA Pilot Usage Report spreadsheets

(<http://www.orbiscascade.org/index/demand-driven-acquisitions-pilot>), check number of uses by your library within the time period you want to use.

3. Multiply number of uses by average list price (\$101.73 as of 10/17/11) to determine the total list price of content used.

4. Divide the amount your library contributed by the total list price of content used to determine the percentage of list price paid to facilitate access to content at your library.