#### Table 4.1 Does the library loan out tablets to library patrons?

	Yes	No
Entire sample	31.67%	68.33%

### Table 4.2 Does the library loan out tablets to library patrons? Brokenout by Type of Library

Type of Library	Yes	No
Academic	34.00%	66.00%
Special	20.00%	80.00%

# Table 4.3 Does the library loan out tablets to library patrons? Broken out by Total FTE Employees

Total FTE Employees	Yes	No	
Less Than 10	28.57%	71.43%	
Greater Than 10	36.00%	64.00%	

#### Table 4.4 Does the library loan out tablets to library patrons? Broken out by Total Stock of Tablet Computers

Total Stock of Tablet Computers	Yes	No
Less Than 10	19.51%	80.49%
Greater Than 10	57.89%	42.11%

# Table 5.1 If your library does not loan out tablets to patrons how likely is it that you will do so within the next two years?

	No Answer	Highly Likely	Likely	Possibly	Unlikely	Highly Unlikely
Entire sample	28.33%	6.67%	8.33%	23.33%	21.67%	11.67%

#### Table 5.2 If your library does not loan out tablets to patrons how likely is it that you will do so within the next two years? Broken out by Type of Library

Type of Library	No Answer	Highly Likely	Likely	Possibly	Unlikely	Highly Unlikely
Special	30.00%	6.00%	10.00%	18.00%	22.00%	14.00%
Academic	20.00%	10.00%	0.00%	50.00%	20.00%	0.00%

# Table 5.3 If your library does not loan out tablets to patrons how likely is it that you will do so within the next two years? Broken out by Total FTE Employees

Total FTE Employees	No Answer	Highly Likely	Likely	Possibly	Unlikely	Highly Unlikely
Less Than 10	25.71%	8.57%	5.71%	25.71%	20.00%	14.29%
Greater Than 10	32.00%	4.00%	12.00%	20.00%	24.00%	8.00%

# **12.7** Which brands of tablet has your library favored and why? Which brands will you favor in the future and why?

- 1. Apple iPads.
- 2. Apple.
- 3. Will probably start our collection with iPads. The campus is mainly PC based and lending and instructing on iPads from Apple will expand the experience of our students, faculty and staff.
- 4. Apple. We saw this as being more widely adopted, and thought it smart to support one type of device versus succumbing to platform proliferation.
- 5. Apple and Android. We only buy tablets that we know our patrons are using to access Library Resources (data from surveys and Google analytics).
- 6. Our campus supports MS and Android, but not Apple's iOS. I prefer iPads and personally own a mini. Our library owns two Motorolla Xoom's that library staff can use.
- 7. iPad.
- 8. We have favored the iPad over Android and Windows tablets because of the stronger app environment. We may expand into the Android world as that environment expands and our IT department becomes capable of supporting them.
- 9. We have ipads but are considering Android tablets.
- 10. Apple.
- 11. Kindle. Barnes & Noble had terrible customer service and poor quality devices.
- 12. Apple most reliable.
- 13. The most simple and cheap brands available.
- 14. Kindle Fire it allows for a better browsing experience and can be used as an eReader.
- 15. Probably looking at ipads.
- 16. Apple iPad. High familiarity with that brand. All the apps we wanted were available for the iPad. We might choose iPads in the future for consistency.
- 17. Depends on option and market share from year to year.
- 18. iPads because that's what students and faculty had and wanted. In the future it is undecided.
- 19. Apple iPads because we have the expertise to support them.
- 20. iPads.
- 21. Apple.
- 22. iPad- more mobile med apps.
- 23. Apple. Easiest to use; longer battery life; better apps.
- 24. iPad. Easy to use.
- 25. iPads, for classroom use.
- 26. iPads.
- 27. iPads.
- 28. iPads convenience of setup.
- 29. iPad, availability of apps.
- 30. Kindle Dean suggested.
- 31. Apple iPads.

- 32. Apple; we have a site discount in purchase of Apple products and a high degree of market penetration among students.
- 33. Surface Windows 8 Pro. Each librarian currently has a laptop. We are looking at moving to each having a tablet and desktop. Surface 8 Pro looks like it will give us the most functionality.
- 34. iPads; availability of apps is the reason we purchased this brand; as app options grow in other formats, we will consider other formats based on functionality, price and compatibility issues.
- 35. iPad we started with them and thought it was to become familiar with what our patrons would be using, but it stopped there. We use them for work in addition to our desktop computers.
- 36. Apple they're "cooler" and they have the best built-in theft protection (GPS tracking and remote lock-down).
- 37. iPads.
- 38. Apple is the only permitted brand but we are pushing for a contract on Asus Android devices.
- 39. I don't think I'd characterize the one iPad as suggesting that we're "favoring" Apple... at least not yet. We will observe how the existing device is used, gauge demand for more/different devices, and then decide how to proceed.
- 40. Apple is the preference of the Library and I believe it would continue to be our top pick for future purchases.
- 41. Nook more user friendly and library-oriented for what academic libraries do.
- 42. We will be purchasing one iPad in the short-term future. This will be our first tablet, and further decisions will be made later.
- 43. Apple. Ease of use, popularity, and works with most of our databases.
- 44. The iPads are more popular with the students because they have a better selection of apps. However, if we purchase any more tablets, it will probably be NOOKs because they are less expensive.

#### **Chapter 4. Tablet Security**

### Table 16.1 Has the library ever had a tablet computer stolen or lost by a patron?

	Yes	No
Entire sample	10.00%	90.00%

### Table 16.2 Has the library ever had a tablet computer stolen or lost by a patron? Broken out by Type of Library

Type of Library	Yes	No
Academic	12.00%	88.00%
Special	0.00%	100.00%

#### Table 16.3 Has the library ever had a tablet computer stolen or lost by a patron? Broken out by Total FTE Employees

Total FTE Employees	Yes	No
Less Than 10	8.57%	91.43%
Greater Than 10	12.00%	88.00%

#### Table 16.4 Has the library ever had a tablet computer stolen or lost by a patron? Broken out by Total Stock of Tablet Computers

Total Stock of Tablet Computers	Yes	No
Less Than 10	4.88%	95.12%
Greater Than 10	21.05%	78.95%

# Table 17.1 What has been the total cost to the library for the replacement of lost or stolen tablets? (in \$ US)

	Mean	Median	Maximum	Maximum
Entire sample	70.45	0.00	0.00	700.00

# Table 17.2 What has been the total cost to the library for the replacement of lost or stolen tablets? Broken out by Type of Library

Type of Library	Mean	Median	Maximum	Maximum
Academic	73.15	0.00	0.00	700.00
Special	58.33	0.00	0.00	350.00

# Table 17.3 What has been the total cost to the library for the replacement of lost or stolen tablets? Broken out by Total FTE Employees

Total FTE Employees	Mean	Median	Maximum	Maximum
Less Than 10	51.19	0.00	0.00	700.00
Greater Than 10	104.17	0.00	0.00	500.00

# Table 17.4 What has been the total cost to the library for the replacement of lost or stolen tablets? Broken out by Total Stock of Tablet Computers

Total Stock of Tablet Computers	Mean	Median	Maximum	Maximum
Less Than 10	46.74	0.00	0.00	700.00
Greater Than 10	125.00	0.00	0.00	500.00