

Library eBook Lending



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Session Agenda

- 1. About OverDrive
- 2. Library Channel
- 3. How it works
- 4. Marketing & Revenue Opportunities
- 5. Discoverability





OverDrive is the leading multichannel digital content distributor and technology provider

Privately-held, profitable corporation founded in 1986

- Headquartered in Cleveland, Ohio USA
- Global sales channels and industry partners
 - Booksellers
 - Institutional accounts including public libraries, schools, colleges, professional associations, government libraries, corporations

One of the largest digital media catalogs in multiple formats

eBooks, Audiobooks, Music, Video



Multichannel Digital Distribution



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OverDrive

Partnerships with 1,000+ Publishers Worldwide





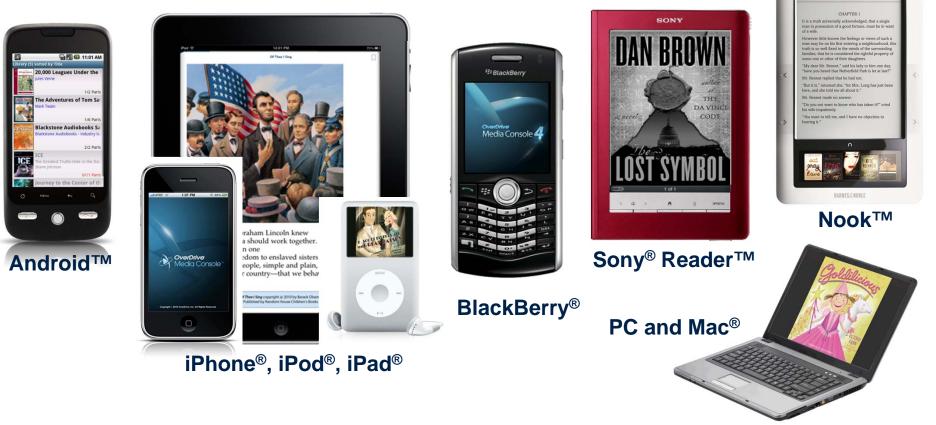
The Global Leader: 21 countries, 52 languages





Support for All Major Open Formats & Devices

- Consumers have a choice of listening & reading devices
- DRM helps to prevent file sharing abuse
- Variety of compatible formats



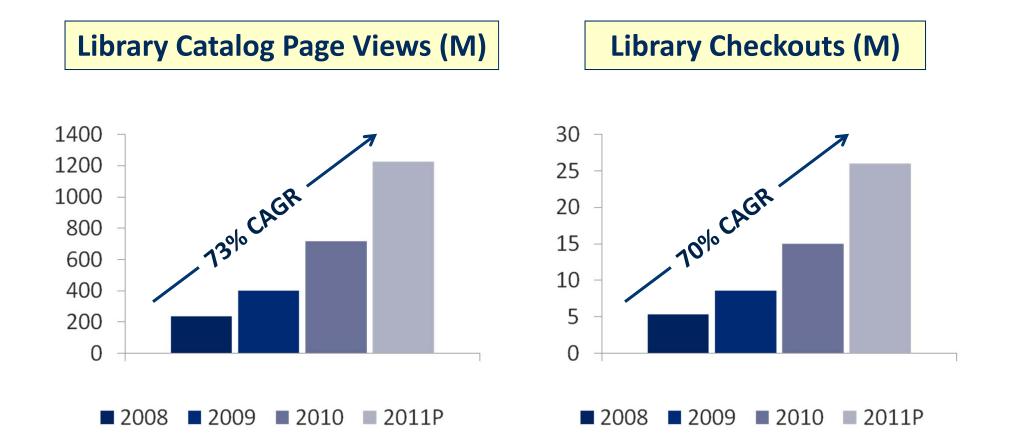


Sales Channels: 15,000 libraries (public, school, corporate)





Library Use of "Virtual Branches" Has Exploded





Library Market Coverage – North America, UK & Ireland

Significant coverage means significant **discoverability** for publishers' content

 80% of visitors see "Virtual Branch" title pages, but don't check out anything

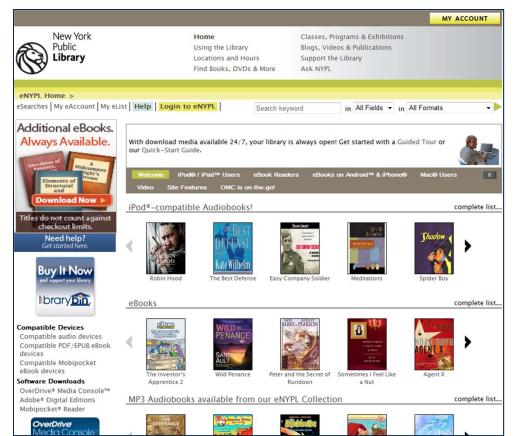






Libraries Support Digital Lending

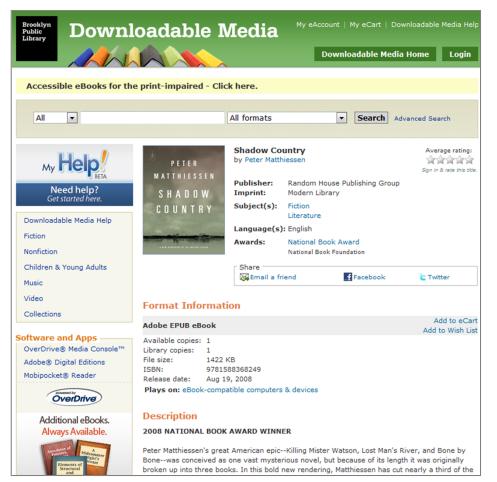
- One title per user
- DRM publisher sets usage permissions
- OverDrive hosts titles
- Library expiration
- Pricing publisher sets
- Access restricted to service area patrons only





How eBook Lending Works

- Browse, check out, download... expire
- Full metadata indexing and searching, excerpts
- Shopping-like experience with social networking
- Valid library card required for checkout
- Significant exposure: millions of unique visitors!

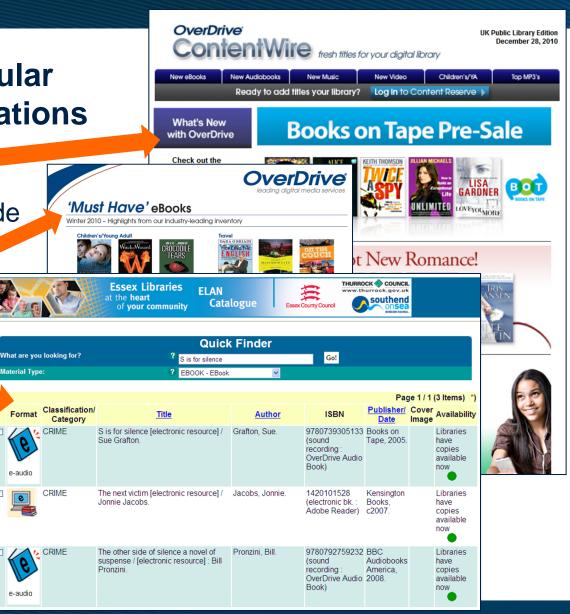




Marketing & Revenue Opportunities for Publishers

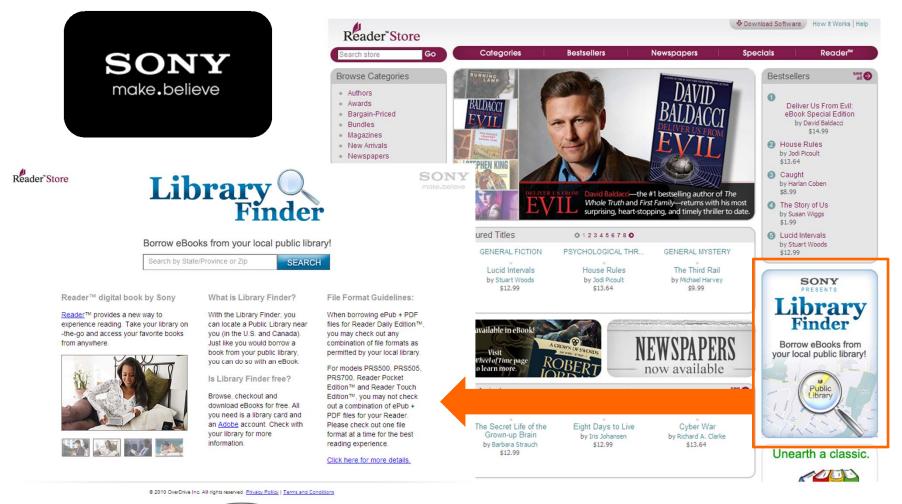
Featured titles in regular customer communications

- Weekly eNewsletters
- Cross-promotion at Trade shows
- Product Sheets
- Suggested Lists
- Catalog records
- Support for Pre-Sale
- Holds Manager





Creative Discoverability



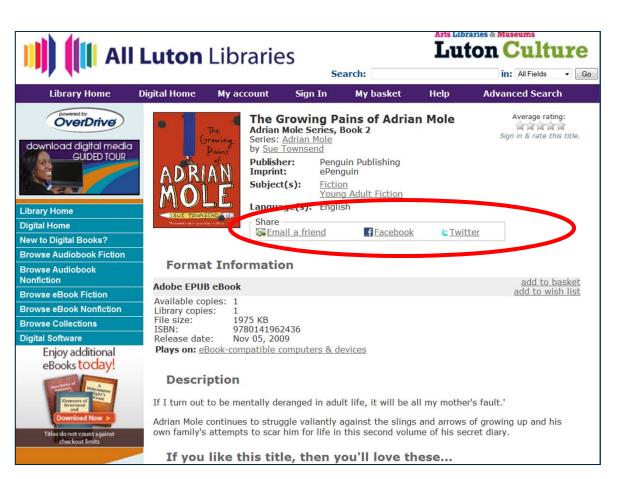
OverDrive



Social Features for Discoverability

Customers can share updates and comments about your titles & authors!







Expanding Discoverability

OverDrive Search is popular destination that enables search for titles, authors, libraries and booksellers... that provide eBooks!

 Plus, Most Downloaded
Lists in 4 countries & global





How to Get Started

3 Easy Steps to Sell Your Digital eBooks & Audiobooks

- 1. Apply at <u>www.contentreserve.com</u>
- 2. Accept our non-exclusive distribution agreement
- 3. Submit files and metadata

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