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[184] Market share United States According to the Association of American Publishers 2018 annual report, ebooks accounted for 12.4% of the total trade revenue.[185] Publishers of books in all formats made \$22.6 billion in print form and \$2.04 billion in e-books, according to the Association of American Publishers' annual report 2019.[186] Canada Market share of e-readers in Canada by Ipsos Reid as of January 2012[187] Sellers Percent Kobo 46.0% Amazon 24.0% Sony 18.0% Others 12.0% Spain In 2013, Carrenho estimates that e-books would have a 15% market share went up from 20% to 33% between 2012 and 2014, but down to 29% in the first quarter of 2015. ^ Greenfield, Jeremy (January 9, 2013). Archived from the original on October 22, 2015. London: Guardian. ^ "Index Thomisticus", Corpus Thomisticus", Corpus Thomisticus", Corpus Thomisticus", Corpus Thomisticus", Corpus Thomisticus, Corpus Thomist Devices & Apps". ^ a b "E-Books Top Hardcovers at Amazon". S2CID 115588910. 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It was first demonstrated in a large scale at Kuala Lumpur International Airport.[134] October - Amazon releases the Kindle Voyage that has a 6-inch, 300 ppi E Ink Carta HD display, which was the highest resolution and contrast available in e-readers as of 2014.[135] It also features adaptive LED lights and page turn sensors on the sides of the device. American Library Association. Archived from the original on August 4, 2014. S2CID 35048494. ^ "Cleared for take-off: Europe allows use of e-readers on planes from gate to gate". "Scanning the horizon of books & libraries - Google book settlement and online book rights", Truth dig, September 29, 2009, archived from the original on January 23, 2013, retrieved October 3, 2009 "E-Books Spark Battle Inside Publishing Industry", The Washington Post, December 27, 2009. "Pocketbook e-reader with Android". January 31, 2013. doi:10.1016/j.tele.2013.02.005. Person And Object: A Metaphysical Study. 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In comparison to tablets, many e-readers are better than tablets for reading because they are more portable, have better readability in sunlight and have longer battery life.[50] In July 2010, online bookseller Amazon.com reported sales of e-books for its proprietary Kindle outnumbered sales of hardcover books, including hardcovers for which there was no digital edition.[51] By January 2011, e-book sales at Amazon had surpassed its paperback sales.[52] In the overall US market, paperback book sales are still much larger than either hardcover or e-book; the American Publishing Association estimated e-books represented 8.5% of sales as of mid-2010, up from 3% a year before.[53] At the end of the first quarter of 2012, e-book sales in the United States surpassed hardcover book sales for the first time.[4] Until late 2013, use of an e-reader was not allowed on airplanes during takeoff and landing by the FAA.[54] In November 2013, the FAA allowed use of e-readers on airplanes at all times if it is in Airplane Mode, which means all radios turned off, and Europe followed this guidance the next month.[55] In 2014, The New York Times predicted that by 2018 e-books will make up over 50% of total consumer publishing revenue in the United States and Great Britain.[56] Applications Reading applications Reading applications on different devices Some of the major book retailers and multiple third-party developers offer free (and in some third-party cases, premium paid) e-reader software applications (apps) for the Mac and PC computers as well as for Android, Blackberry, iPad, iPhone, Windows Phone and Palm OS devices to allow the reading of e-books and other documents independently of dedicated e-book devices. 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November - Amazon launches the Kindle Fire and Kindle Touch, both devices designed for e-reading. ^ Copyright Term and the Public Domain in the United States Archived April 24, 2012. Retrieved October 11, 2017. 1979 Roberto Busa finishes the Index Thomisticus, a complete lemmatisation of the 56 printed volumes of Saint Thomas Aquinas and of a few related authors.[59] 1980s and 1990s 1986 Judy Malloy writes and programmes the first online hypertext fiction, Uncle Roger, with links that take the narrative in different directions depending on the reader's choice.[60] 1989 Franklin Computer releases an electronic edition of the Bible that can only be read with a stand-alone device.[61] 1990 Eastgate Systems publishes the first SGML-based on floppy disk, afternoon, a story, by Michael Joyce.[62] Electronic Books such as aircraft technical manuals. ^ "Microsoft Reader Archived August 22. 2005, at the Wayback Machine August 2000 ^ Pearson, David (2006).
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"Kindle DX: Amazon takes on the world". The Christian Science Monitor. The title of this stack may have been the first instance of the term 'ebook' used in the modern context.[32] E-book formats See also: Comparison of e-book formats Reading an e-book formats emerged and proliferated,[citation needed] some garnered support from major software companies, such as Adobe with its PDF format that was introduced in 1993.[33] Unlike most other formats, PDF documents are generally tied to a particular dimension and layout, rather than adjusting dynamically to the current page, window, or another size. 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October - Barnes & Noble releases the Glowlight Plus, its first waterproof e-reader.[136] October - The US appeals court sides with Google instead of the Authors' Guild, declaring that Google did not violate copyright law in its book scanning project.[137] December - Playster launches an unlimited-access subscription service including e-books and audiobooks.[138] By the end of 2015, Google Books scanned more than 25 million books.[9] By 2015, over 70 million e-readers had been shipped worldwide.[9] 2016 March - The Supreme Court of the United States declines to hear Apple's appeal against the court's decision of July 2013 that the company conspired to e-book price fixing, hence the previous court decision stands, obliging Apple to pay \$450 million.[139] April - The Supreme Court's decision stands; the result means that Google can scan library books and display snippets in search results without violating US copyright law.[140] April - Amazon releases the Kindle Oasis, its first e-reader in five years to have physical page turn buttons and, as a premium product, it includes a leather case with a battery inside; without including the case, it is the lightest e-reader on the market to date.[141] August - Kobo releases the Aura One, the first commercial e-reader with a 7.8-inch E Ink Carta HD display.[142] By the end of the year, smartphones and tablets have both individually overtaken e-readers as methods for reading an e-book, and paperback book sales are now higher than e-book sales.[143] 2017 February - The Association of American Publishers releases data showing that the US adult e-book market declined 16.9% in the first nine months of 2016 over the same period in 2015, and Nielsen Book determines that the e-book market had an overall total decline is partly due to widespread e-book market had an overall total decline is partly due to widespread the average e-book price from \$6 to almost \$10,[145] February - The US version of Kindle Unlimited comprises more than 1.5 million titles, including over 290,000 foreign language titles,[146] March - The Guardian reports that sales of physical books are outperforming digital titles in the UK, since it can be cheaper to buy the physical version of a book when compared to the digital version due to Amazon's deal with publishers that allows agency pricing.[143] April - The Los Angeles Times reports that, in 2016, sales of hardcover books were higher than e-books for the first time in five years.[145] October - Amazon releases the Oasis 2, the first Kindle to be IPX8 rated meaning that it is water resistant up to 2 meters for up to 60 minutes; it is also the first Kindle to enable white text on a black background, a feature that may be helpful for nighttime reading.[147] 2018 January - U.S. public libraries report record-breaking borrowing of OverDrive e-books over the course of the year, with more than 274 million e-books loaned to card holders a 22% increase over the 2017 figure.[148] October - The EU allowed its member countries to charge the same VAT for ebooks as for paper books.[149] 2019 May - Barnes & Noble releases the GlowLight Plus e-reader, the largest Nook e-reader to date with a 7.8-inch E Ink screen.[150] Formats Main article: Comparison of e-book formats Writers and publishers have many formats to choose from when publishing e-books. ^ Reilly, Edwin D (August 30, 2003), Milestones in Computer Science and Information Technology, Greenwood, p. 85, ISBN 9781573565219, archived from the original on November 29, 2016. ^ Goleman, Daniel (April 4, 2010). 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Despite the widespread adoption of e-books,
some publishers and authors have not endorsed the concept of electronic publishing, citing issues with user demand, copyright infringement and challenges with proprietary devices and systems.[44] In a survey of interlibrary loan (ILL) librarians, it was found that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and that 27% of those libraries held e-books in their collections and their c concept of an e-reader, a device that would enable the user to view books on a screen, to a 1930 manifesto by Bob Brown, written after watching his first "talkie" (movie with sound). 1995 Online poet Alexis Kirke discusses the need for wireless internet electronic paper readers in his article "The Emuse".[75] 1996 Project Gutenberg reaches 1,000 titles. 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From 2005 to 2008, libraries experienced a 60% growth in e-book collections.[39] In 2010, a Public Library Funding and Technology Access Study by the American Library began to seriously examine the issues relating to e-book lending, acknowledging a "tipping point" when e-book technology would become widely established.[42] Content from public libraries can be downloaded to e-readers using application software like Overdrive and Hoopla.[43] The U.S. National Library of Medicine has for many years provided PubMed, a comprehensive bibliography of medical literature. Scanning a book produces a set of image files, which may additionally be converted into text format by an OCR program. [161] Occasionally, as in some projects, an e-book may be produced by re-entering the text from a keyboard. Retrieved March 10, 2016. ISSN 0261-3077. 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