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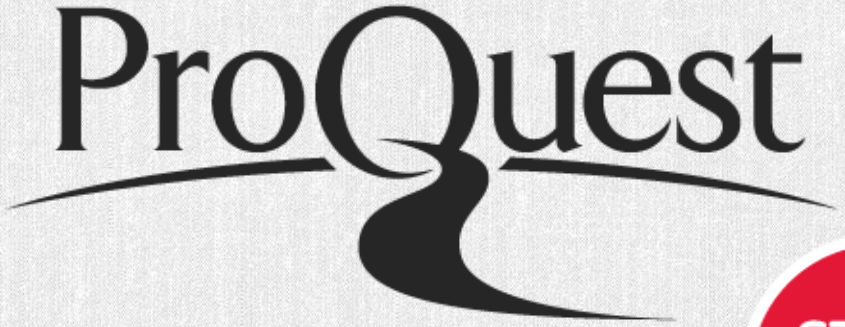

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  - Recent Enhancements & Changes
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  - User feedback
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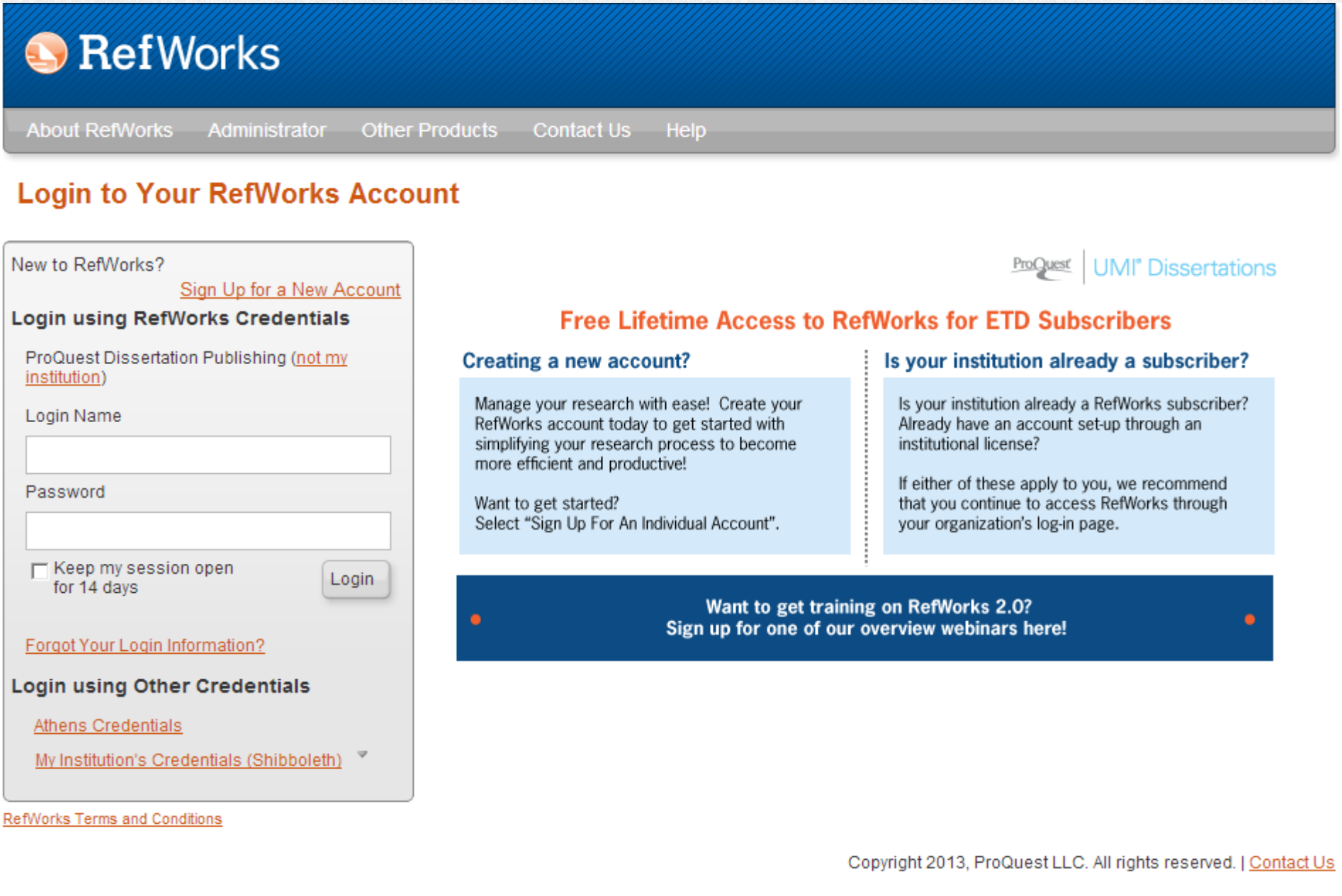
  - Scope of Dissertation Data
  - Examples of types of reports
- Questions

A Reminder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Major Changes in the UMI ETD Administrator in 2013

- ✓ What's New?
- ✓ IR Access and Embargo Options
- ✓ Administrative Documents
- Deactivation of Third Party Vendor Option
- SWORD deliveries direct to IRs
- Dissemination Information Added
- ProQuest Agreements Viewable at decision point

WHAT's NEW –Announcements

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Support & Training

Need help using ETD Administrator? Email Dissertations & Theses Support for assistance.

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Name*

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Institution*

I'm a ○ Student ○ Administrator

I need help with* Select

Message*

Support Tools

- Frequently Asked Questions
- Administrator's Guide
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- What's New

Phone and Mailing Address

For technical assistance:

- 1.877.408.5027
- Available 8:00-19:00 E.S.T. Monday through Friday (excluding U.S. holidays)

For questions about payment or ordering copies:

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Institutional Repository Publishing Options

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Submission steps:

Publishing information:

- Instructions
- PQ publishing options
  - ProQuest/UMI agreement
- **IR publishing options**
- Contact information

About my dissertation/thesis:

- Dissertation/Thesis details
- PDF
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Institutional Repository (IR) Publishing Options

I want my work included in my school's IR *
- (•) Yes
- ( ) No

I want my work immediately available in my school's IR *
- ( ) Yes
- (•) No - I have patents pending, or another reason why I need to delay access to the full text of my work.

How long would you like to delay the release to your school's institutional repository (IR)? *
- ( ) 6 months
- ( ) 1 year
- ( ) 2 years
- ( ) Delay release until the following date: [ ]

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Student Notes to Administrator:

Reason for delaying release to IR:*

Select

Access options*

Select the option that best reflects your preference for publishing your work in your school's institutional repository.
- ( ) Open access
- ( ) Campus use only

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Administrative Documents Feature

Document Examples

- Dissertation Approval Forms signatures
- Certificate of Completion (SED)
- Graduate Student Exit Surveys
- Satisfaction Surveys
- Hold releases
- Optional Documents

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Forthcoming Changes in the UMI ETD Administrator in 2013

- Batch Download of Administrative Documents
- Student's Institutional ID number
- Creative Commons License Options
- Additional Optional Emails
- Improved Formatting Editors for Abstract & Note boxes

INTRODUCTION TO THE PROQUEST DISSERTATION DASHBOARD CONCEPT

What's Measured in a Dissertation Dashboard?

- **Usage** (represents the number of times some aspect of a dissertation record is accessed in the ProQuest Dissertations and Theses database (PQDT). Usage includes, for example, citations, viewings of abstracts, 24 page previews, pdfs and downloads)
- **Number of deposits made to ProQuest** (as measure of productivity)
- **Global Accesses** (usage data as defined above by geographical regions)

What questions could I answer about my institution's scholarly output with dissertation data?

- How often are my institution's dissertations accessed and viewed in the academic community? By my peers? By my internal communities? Globally?
- How does my institution's dissertation usage compare to that of my peers?
- What do the patterns of usage reveal about the possible value of my institution's scholarly output to the academic community?

What do the patterns of usage reveal about the value of my institution's scholarly output?

- Over time? (3yrs out, 5yrs, 7yrs?)
- Compared to my institution's peers?
- What might high usage rates signal to key audiences?

The Scope of the Dissertation Database

What kind of information is potentially available in the Dissertation Dashboard?

- Title
- Author
- Committee Members (recent years)
- Advisor (recent years)
- Institution
- Degree Date
- Subject categories
- Narrowly defined subject categories
- Document format
- Country of access
- Identity of PQDT customer (e.g.,Cardiff University, UK)

Data Date Ranges

- 1605 Earliest title (Switzerland - ProQuest 1975)
- 1861 Earliest U.S. dissertation record (Yale)
- 1997 – present Digitizing full-text
- 2002 – present Collecting committee data
- 2002 – present Collecting advisor data

Scope of Data

ProQuest Dissertations and Theses (PQDT) database contains:

- 2,300,000+ Dissertation Author names
- 2,300,000+ Dissertation records
- 1,900,000+ Full-text dissertations and theses
- 325,000+ Committee member names
- 1,100,000+ Advisor names
- 2012 Institutions represented in PQDT

Data Not Available

- Institutional type
- Institutional Control
- Year the authors started writing the dissertation/thesis
- If dissertation work was funded, the funding source (e.g., NIH)
- Time to degree
- Post-graduation outcomes

Usage Data Reports and Deposit/Productivity Data Reports

Reports 1-3 provide usage data

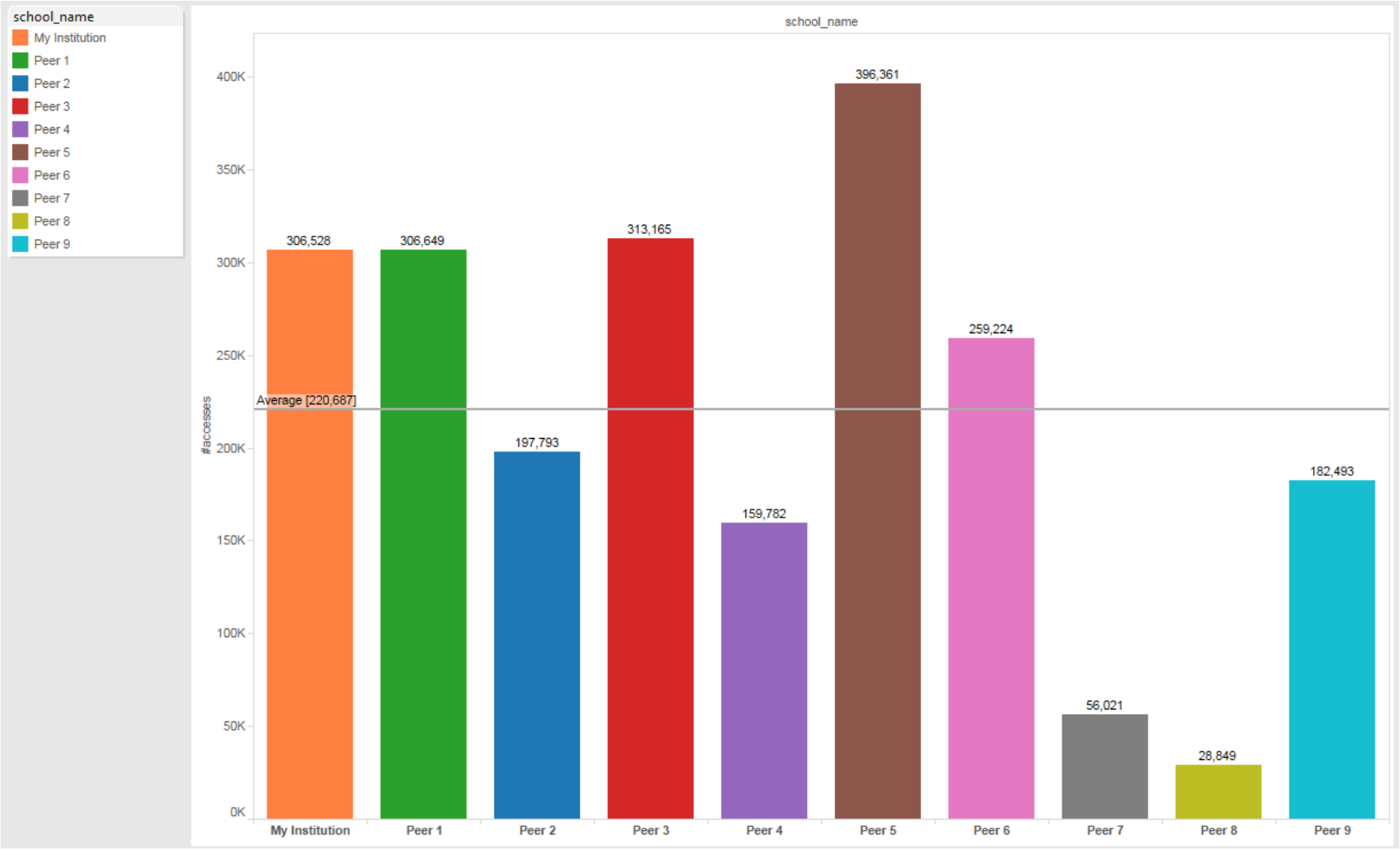
- The group average usage in Report 1 has been calculated based on the total number of viewings across the 10 Peer institutions represented in this presentation.

- The 10 institutions in Report 1 used in calculating the average are from 5 regions of the country (north, south, east, west, and mid-west).

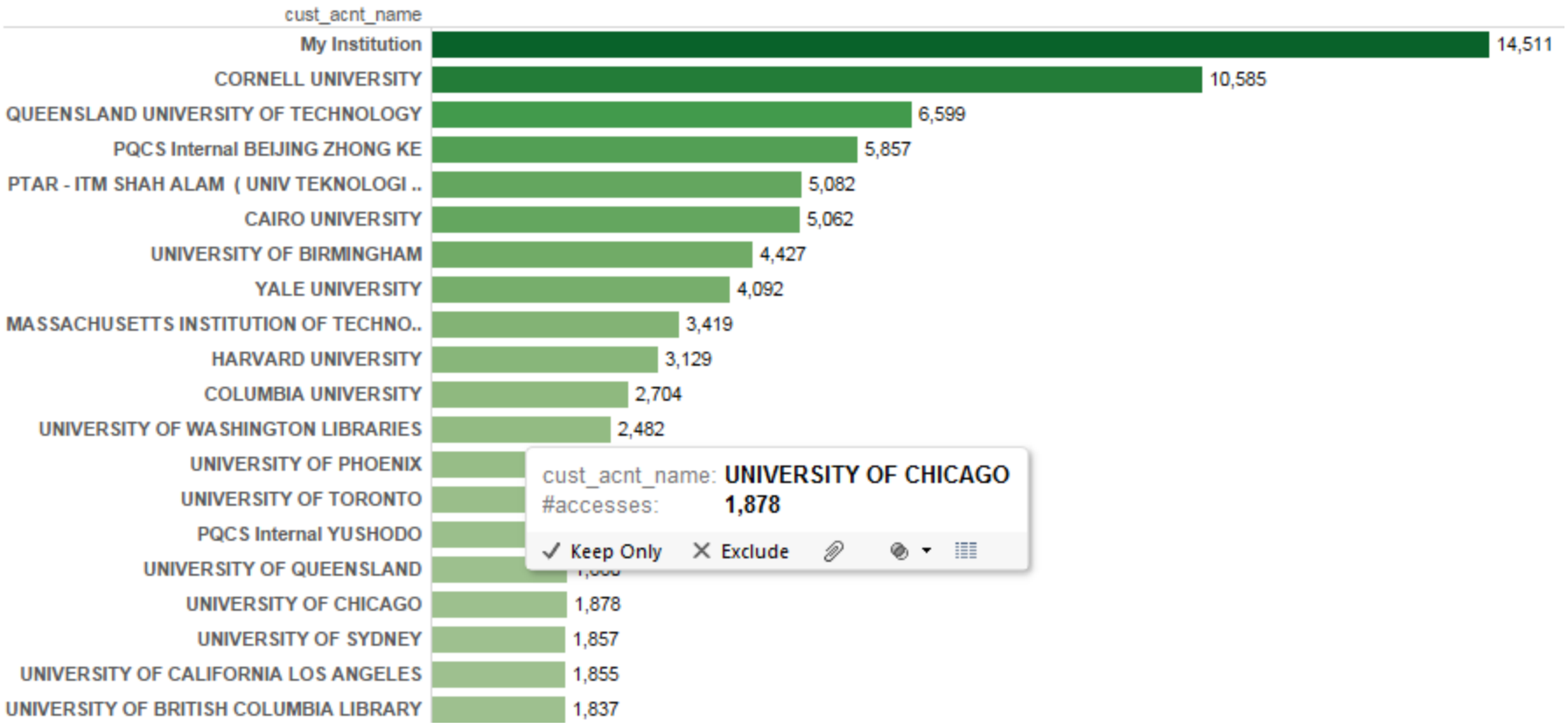
Reports 4-6 provide deposit/productivity data

Examples of Reports Generated by the Dissertation Dashboard

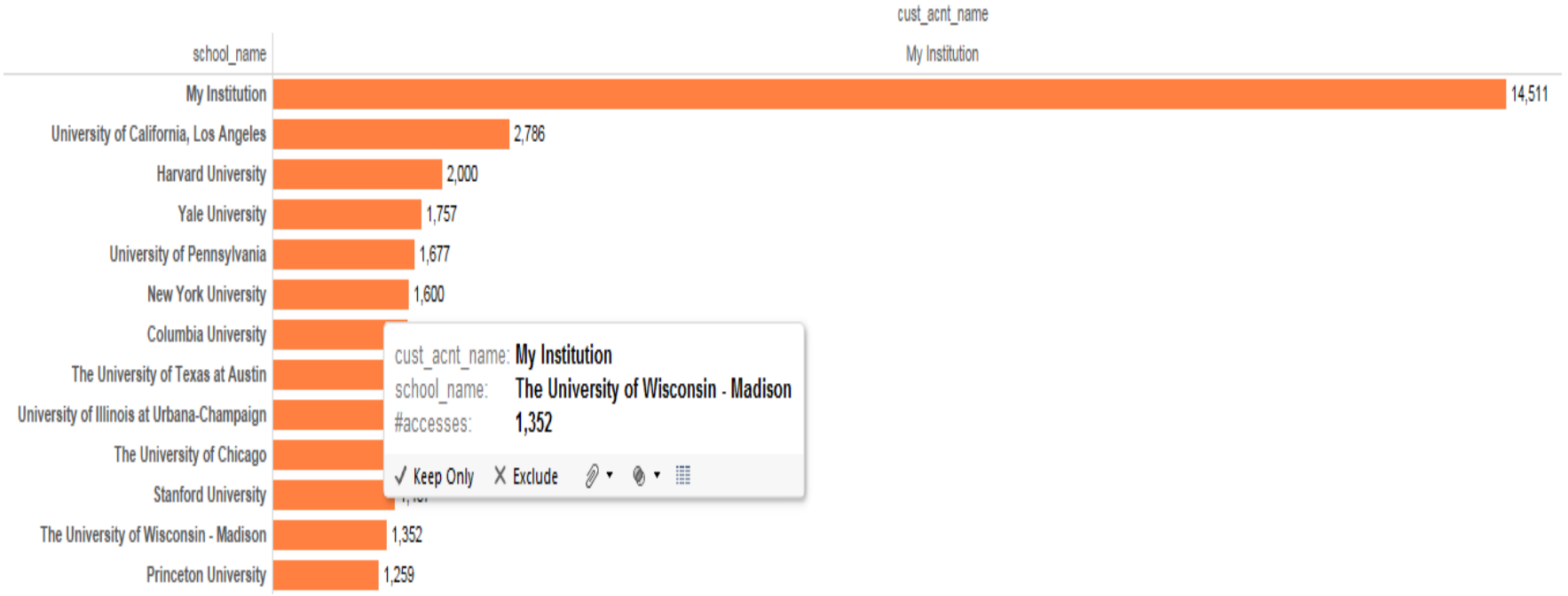
What was the overall usage number for my institution's dissertations in 2012? How does my institution's usage compare to that of our peers? How do we compare to the group average?



Which of the ProQuest customers are accessing the dissertations produced by my school?

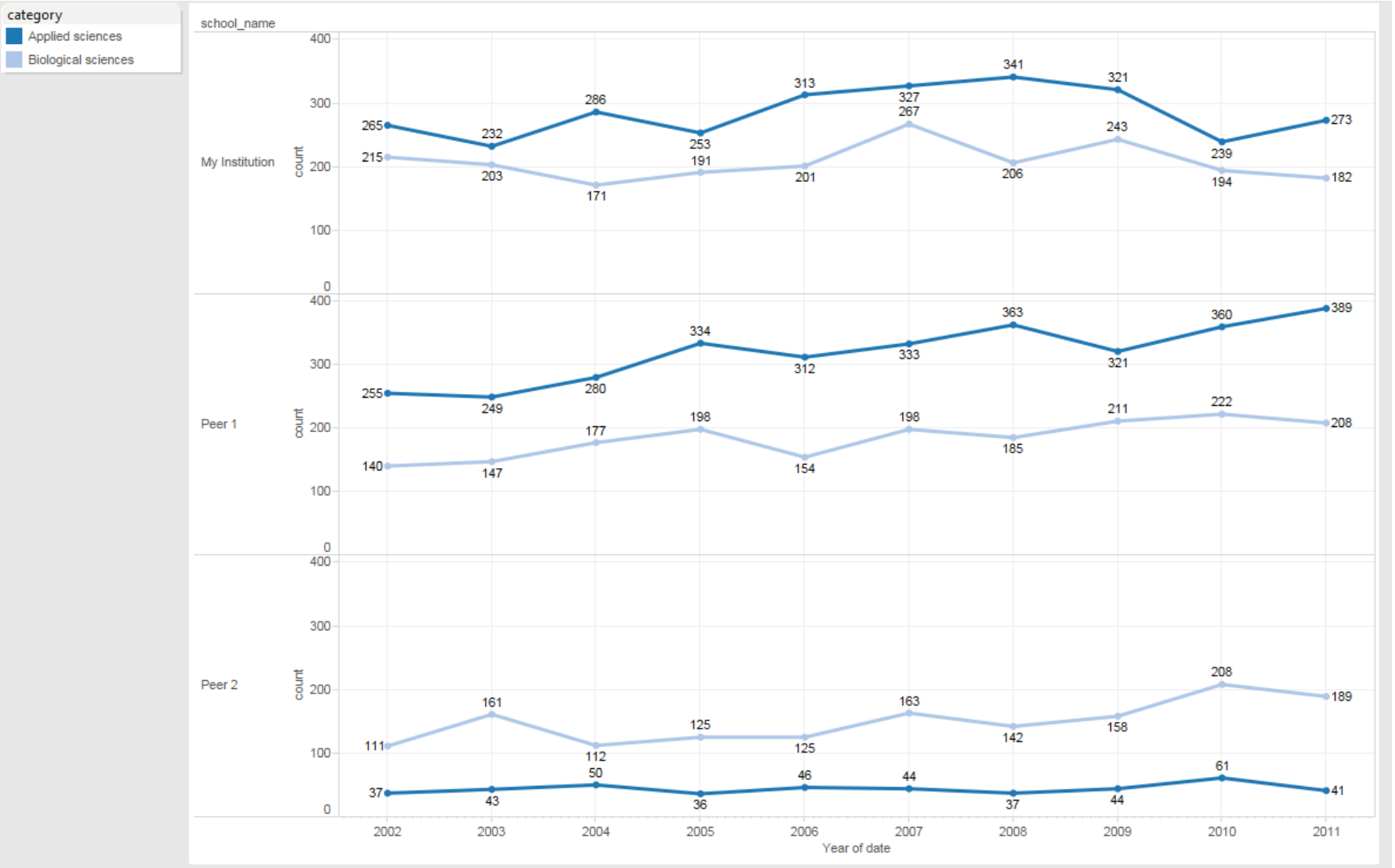


Which institutions' dissertations are my institutional communities viewing?

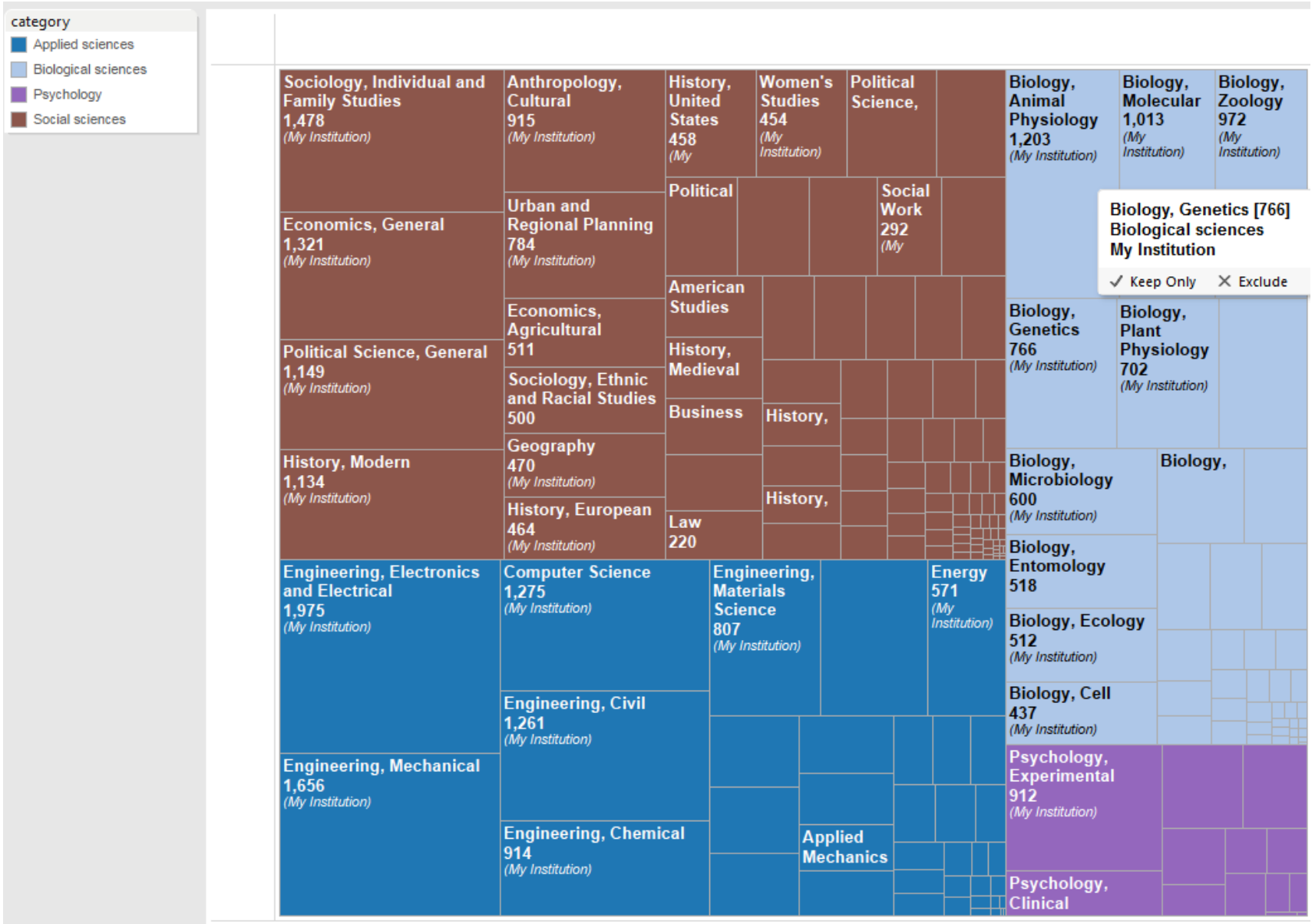


What is my institution's usage by geographic regions? How does my institution's usage compare to Peer 8's?

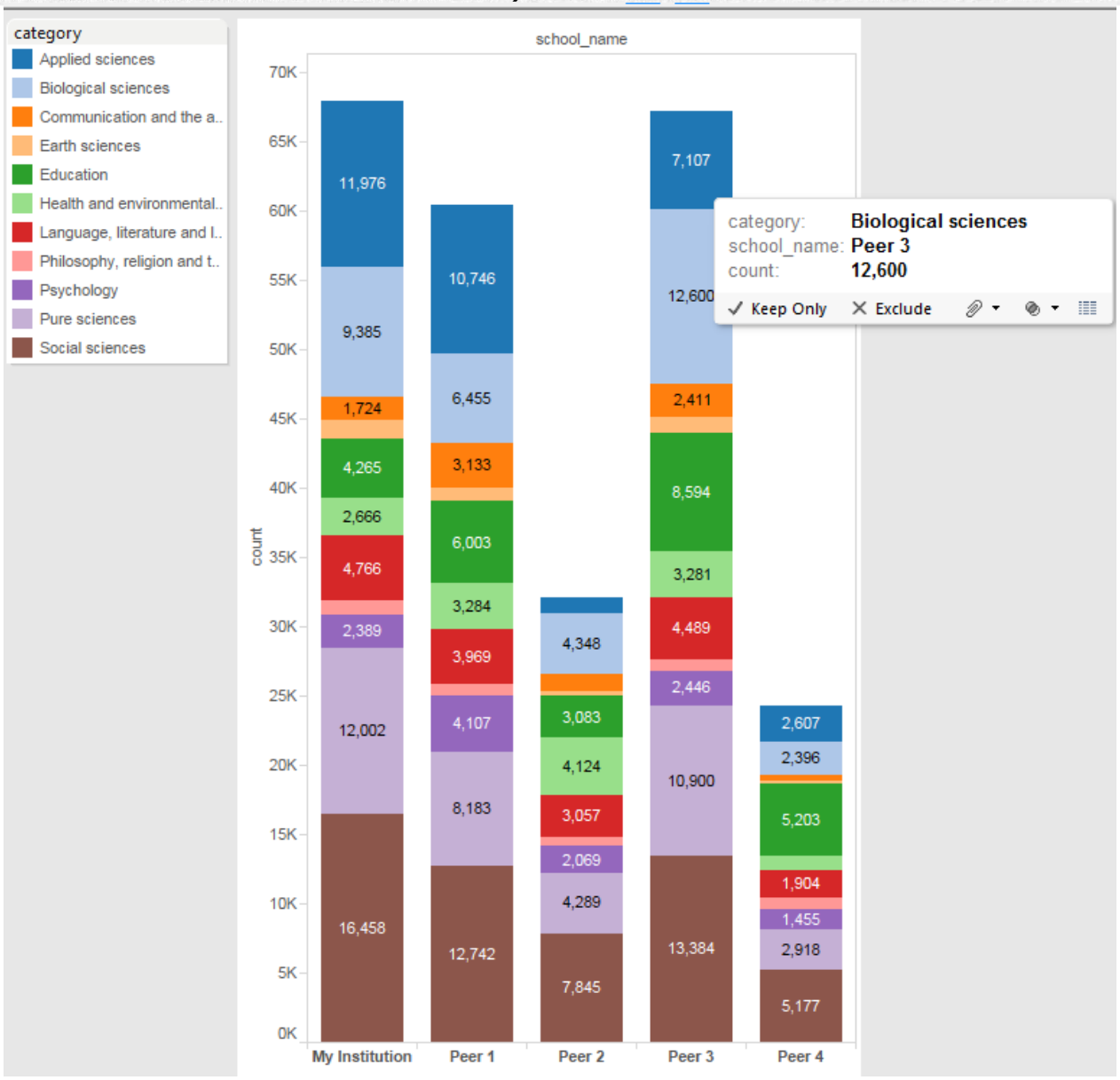
What do my institution's deposit/productivity patterns look like for particular subject categories from 2002 to 2011? How do we compare to Peer 1's and Peer 2's?



What is my institution's dissertation production by broad ProQuest subject categories and narrowly defined categories?



Dissertation deposits/production across all 11 ProQuest subject categories for my institution and that of 4 peers. (Figures represent deposit totals for each institution.)



Question: How can this type of data be utilized to support the work of the Graduate School, the Library, the Institutional Research Office, the Provost, and programs?