

**ANNUAL LICENCE FEES FROM BUSINESSES: APRIL 2025
DISTRIBUTION**

Background

This distribution is of combined licence fees from annual 'blanket' licences for corporations and associations. The licence fees are from:

- corporations, including pharmaceutical, public relations, banking and finance, law firms, and property
- associations and other entities:
 - quasi-governmental organisations (that are not covered by the government statutory licence)
 - local government organisations
 - religious organisations
 - not-for-profit associations

There is more information about these licence schemes on our website [here](#).

Changes since previous distribution

Based on the outcomes of external research, the relative proportions of books, journals, magazines and websites will change to lower the relative proportion of books, and to increase the relative proportions of other publication types. The dataset will include titles provided by participants in the external research, as well as titles from other sources.

This distribution pool does not include 'rollovers' (unpaid allocations from earlier distributions).

Funds for distribution

	Gross \$m	Admin 16.5%	Cultural Fund 1.5%	Net \$m
Corporate Licence fees (to March 2025)	8.0	1.3	.1	6.6
Offshore staff (NZ)	.05	.01	-	.04
Offshore staff (US)	.14	.02	-	.11
Total	8.0	1.3	.1	6.6

Distribution pools

Pool for	
Newspapers publishers	49%
Books, Journals, Magazines & Websites	43%
Annual Artists Distribution	1%
Annual Writers Distribution	7%

More information about payments to members

There is more information about payments to members on our website in the [Members>Payments section](#), and the [Members>Fees webpage](#).