

"I am in the paradise of IT knowledge"
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The Problem with IT books in print

We are currently having problems with ensuring that new books in certain subject areas, especially computer languages/programming are available for the students.

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...steals it (this is an increasing problem)

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...a small group of students will check a new book out and renew it between themselves such that no one else is able to use the book for 1-2 years, by which time it is outdated

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journals that disappear when left in the regular periodicals collection). Access would be restricted to our students/faculty. When an item An obvious solution would and check it out to the patron. reducing the checkout period b be to buy multiple copies.

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...with budget cuts, the expense of computer books, and the quickness with which the subject becomes outdated, this is not a feasible option for us.



The solution is Safari Tech Books Online

Joint venture between two of the most prominent and largest IT book publishers in the World

Pearson Technology Group







O'Reilly and Associates























Cisco Press





The Safari Difference

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- NET Framework
 Framework







- Safari is the first publisher led venture into the e-book market
- "Safari remains the only example in captivity of publishers collaborating effectively on custom publishing" EPS, August 2003
- Safari is subject specific
- With Safari, you buy slots not books
- With Safari, some books are available before they become available in the bookstores
- Safari is the only place you can get new material from O'Reilly and Pearson



Top 10 Print Sellers Comparison

Carried on:	Safari*
C/ C++	7/10
Consumer	0/10
Engineering	2/10
Graphics	6/10
IT Database	3/10
Java	7/10
MS	1/10
.NET	2/10
Networking	5/10
OpenSource	9/10
OS	6/10
Programming	5/10
Security	1/10
Software Engineering	7/10
XML	5/10
Web	<u>5/10</u>
Total:	71/160
	44%

On average
Safari carries
approximately
3.5 times more
top ten sellers
than any other
IT e-book
provider.

Source: Nielsen Bookscan Data YTD through week ending 3/9/03. Bookscan reflects units sold in retail channel including Amazon.

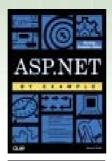
^{*} Includes titles that are live in the service, plus those that are scheduled to go live.



Safari covers everything for the IT expert....

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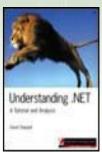


















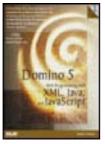
























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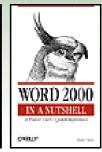




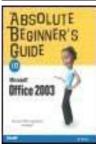










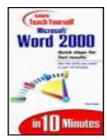


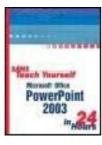














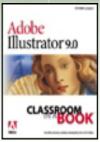




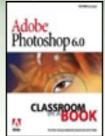




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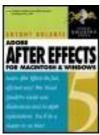




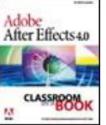






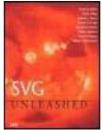


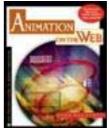






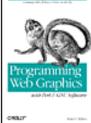








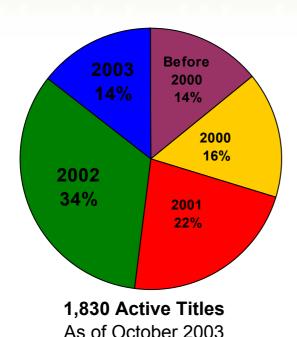






Safari has Superior Currency

- New is primarily front list due to superior business model from the point of view of publishers and authors
- Agreements with publishers require direct e-feeds so licensed titles flow into product very quickly



2003 69% 2000 2% 2001 2%

Pub Year of Planned New Titles

147 titles scheduled for Nov 2003 – Jan 2004







MARC Records

Safari MARC Records

- Modified LC Print Records
- Available in Safari Back Office
- "Knows" Customer Collection
- Included With Customer Subscription

OCLC MARC Records

- Cataloged by OCLC
- Accessed through OCLC Systems
- Does not "know" Customer Collection
- Library must pay OCLC charges for records







New Usage Report

- Account Usage Summary
 - Counts Session Statistics & Turn-aways
 - Includes Search Statistics
 - Updated Daily
 - Search Any Date Range (back to January 2003)
- Accessed in Back Office
 - Bottom of List of Usage Reports





Usage Report Example

Account Usage Summary :			
From: 10/01/2003 to 10/31/2003			
T otal Number of Sessions	771		
Average Session Length (minutes)	06:07	Hot L	inks to
C oncurrent Session Limit	6		Down
Number of Rejected Session Requests	20	Into	Data
T otal Number of Keyword Queries	842		
Successful Queries	<u>777</u>	——	
Unsuccessful Queries	<u>65</u>	—	
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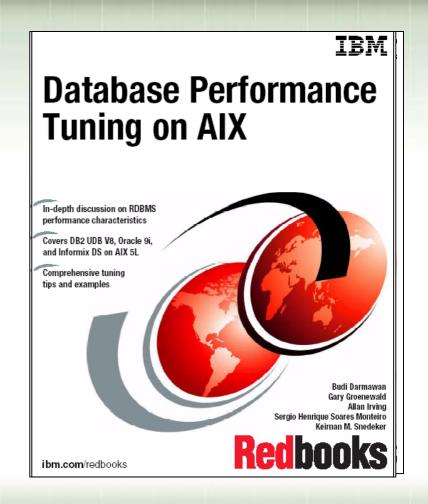






NEW FOR 2004! – IBM Redbooks Added to Safari

- 178 IBM Redbooks loaded into Safari Tech Books Online – May 2004
- The second publisher to deliver content to Safari that isn't a partner publisher (Microsoft Press added March 2003)
- IBM Redbooks provide "positioning and value guidance, installation and implementation experiences, typical solution scenarios, and step-by-step "how-to" guidelines"









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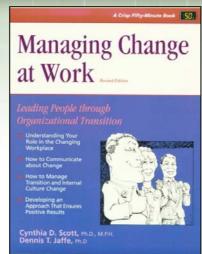
- Same flexible pricing model, different purpose built interface
- New content from Publishers such as:
 - Financial Times Prentice Hall,
 - Crisp
 - South Western
- Over 500 professional and textbooks covering every business discipline
- Flexibility to swap books every 30 days

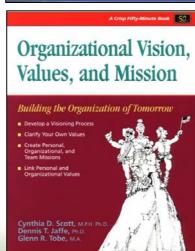


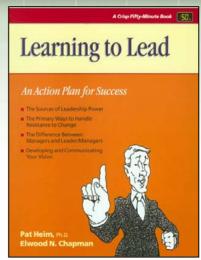
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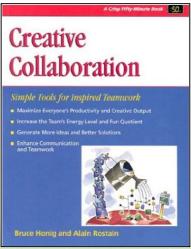
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 supporting the learning efforts
 of thousands of corporate,
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 millions of individuals.
- Over 20 million copies of their best-selling Fifty-Minute Books have been used worldwide by learners working to improve their lives and careers.
- Over 75 textbooks available in Safari Business Books Online from June







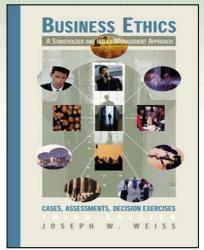


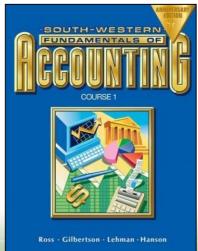


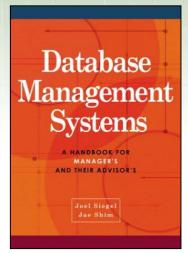
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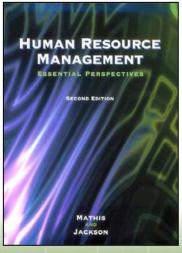
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- "In the classroom, online or in the corporate workplace, South-Western meets the needs of all students of business. With business tools and resources that engage and enhance learning. South-Western leads the way to business success"
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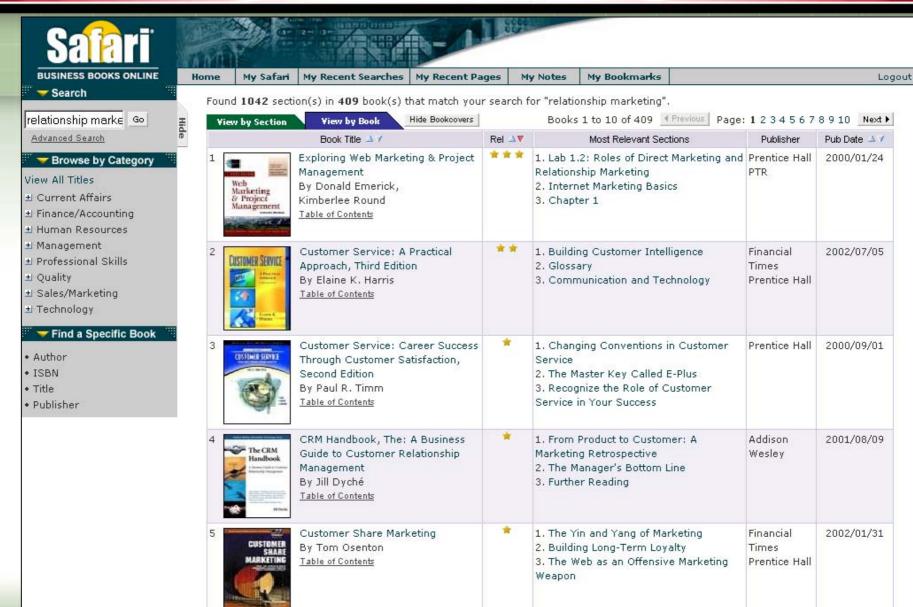
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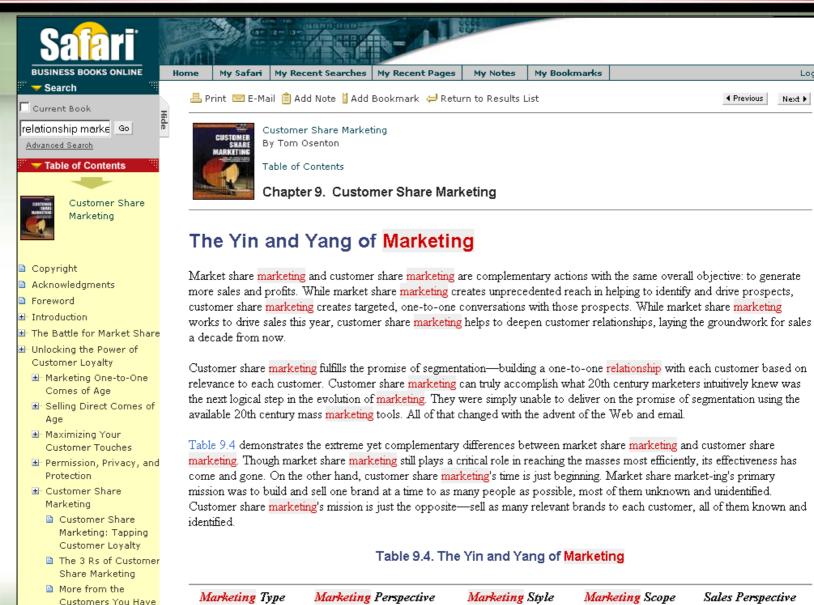


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Sales Perspective









The 'virtual' IT library

- Only buy the books you need
- 25 point minimum (standard price \$700)
- Swap books after 30 days

Book Title	RRP	Points on Safari
The Informix Handbook	\$99.99	3
CCIE Professional Development: Routing TCP/IP, Volume I	\$70.00	2
Advanced JAVA Networking	\$44.99	1
Learning the Unix Operating System, Fourth Edition	\$14.95	0.5



Getting more from Safari

36% of 2003 renewals increased in value

...I strongly suspect that we will be adding points and concurrent users in the very near future (we currently have 628 points with one concurrent user and we will need at least *two and probably three users at 800+ points* for a more efficient interface).

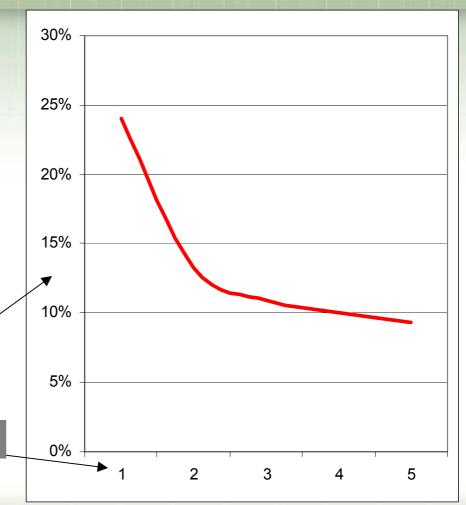
My record indicate that our next renewal will be 6/30/04, but we would like to upgrade our subscription **sooner than that**. ...Can we pro-rate the addition and put this on track with our next renewal cycle?

-U North Texas email to Oliver Kelzenberg



Up-selling Simultaneous Users

 This chart shows, on average the % of rejected sessions vs. the number of simultaneous users on the account



Rejection Rate

Simultaneous Users



Conclusion

- Safari is different from every other e-book service
- You 'own' your Safari account
- Safari covers every IT related subject
- Safari will grow quickly over 2004 to comprehensively cover the latest technologies.
- New publishers will be added to Safari in summer 2004