

**Table 4: Reasons for Format Preference
(Reported by Answer to Q4a in Table 3)**

	Agree (%)	Disagree(%)
Among those who answered "yes" in Q4a (9,254)^a		
Q4b1. An important advantage of online full-text journals is that they are free to me.	85.18	14.82
Q4b2. I prefer online methods to retrieve full-text journal articles because they eliminate photocopying cost.	76.53	23.47
Q4b3. I prefer online methods over print copy to retrieve full-text journal articles because of the physical convenience (e.g. I don't have to leave the lab or clinic to go to the library.)	98.50	1.50
Among those who answered "no" in Q4a (3,084)^a		
Q4c1. I disfavor online methods to retrieve full-text journal articles because PDF technology is troublesome or slow to download, read, or print.	62.61	37.39
Q4c2. I disfavor online methods to retrieve full-text journal articles because what I can access online is very limited (e.g. back issues)	74.45	25.55
Q4c3. I prefer print versions of journals because of their portability.	85.54	14.46

a. Numbers in parentheses are the number of responses per question.