GPO Access:
An Overview

Establishment of *GPO Access*

Mandated By:

Public Law 103-40 (June 8, 1993)

The Government Printing Office
Electronic Information Access
Enhancement Act of 1993

Public Law 103-40: Requirements

- ✓ Online *Federal Register* and *Congressional Record*; other databases determined by Superintendent of Documents
- ✓ A Federal information locator
- ✓ Electronic Storage Facility for Federal Information

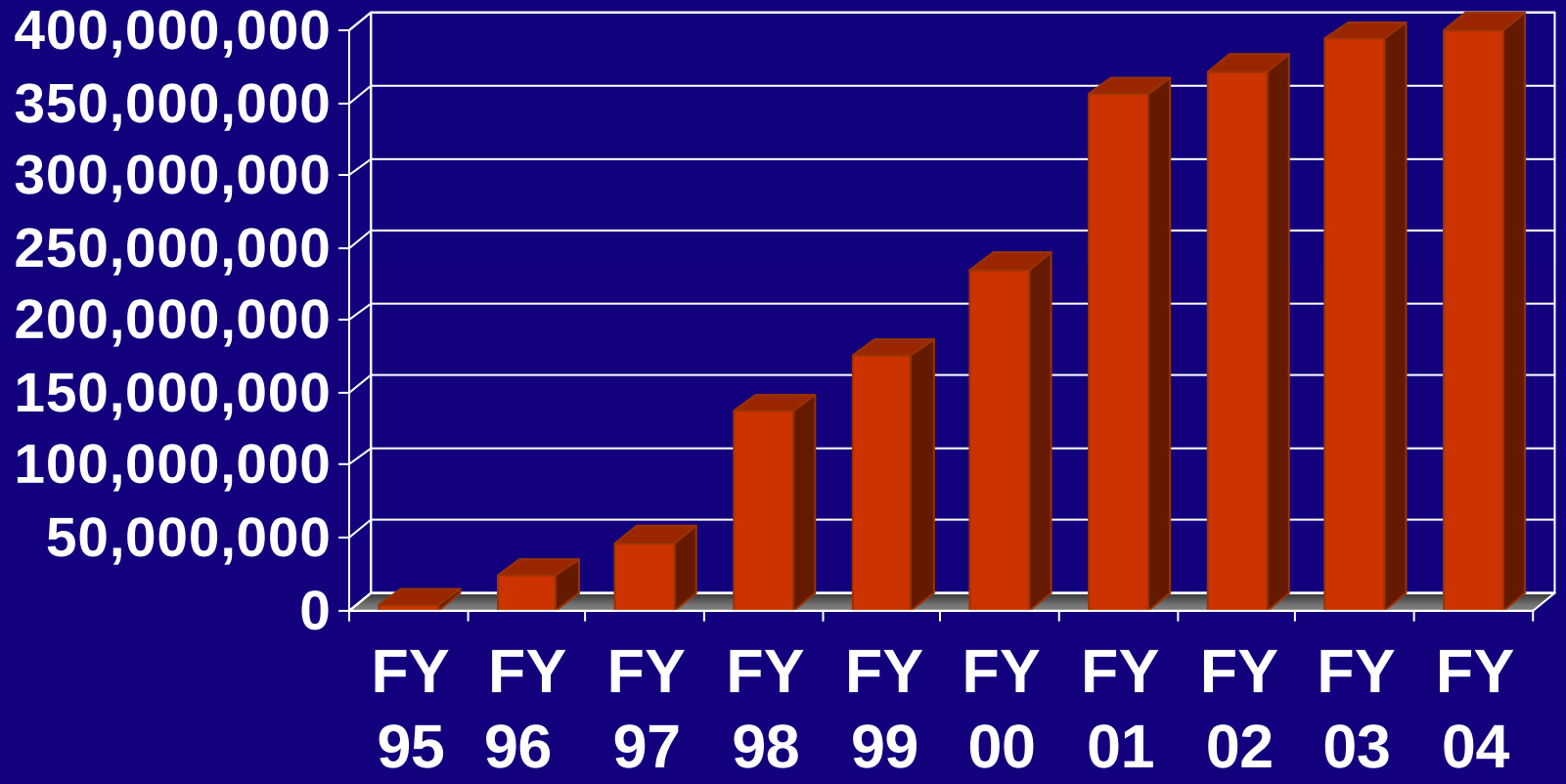
GPO Access: Goals and Objectives

- ✓ Improve access to Federal Government information in electronic formats
- ✓ Provide easy to use online services that are available to the public
- ✓ Provide official and comprehensive information
- ✓ Provide Federal-wide Resources
- ✓ Ensure access to broadest audience possible
- ✓ Electronic information is a byproduct of the print process
- ✓ Ensure Permanent Public Access (PPA)

GPO Access Today

- ✓ Over 260,000 titles
- ✓ Over 3,200 databases; over 100 applications
- ✓ Collection of Federal-wide resources
- ✓ Hosted sites for other Federal agencies
- ✓ Partnerships
- ✓ Secure Online Bookstore
- ✓ Ben’s Guide to U.S. Government for Kids
- ✓ Federal Depository Library services – FDLP Desktop
- ✓ Commitment to Permanent Public Access

GPO Access:
Document Downloads



Most Popular Databases

- ✓ Code of Federal Regulations
- ✓ Federal Register
- ✓ United States Code
- ✓ Congressional Record
- ✓ Congressional Bills
- ✓ GAO Reports
- ✓ Public Laws
- ✓ Budget of the United States
- ✓ Catalog of U.S. Government Publications (CGP)

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