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Activities performed during the last quarter of Federal fiscal year 1997 are as follows:

Activity	Sample Type	No. of Wells	No. of Boxes	User
Viewing	Core	43	597	Industry
Viewing	Cuttings	0	0	
Checkouts	Core	22	412	Industry/Bureau
Checkouts	Cuttings	5	23	Industry
Returns	Core	31	455	Industry/Bureau
Returns	Cuttings	43	68	Industry/Bureau
Shipments/Transfers	Core	12	169	Bureau
Duration	Core	11	284	Industry
Sampling	Core	*15		Industry

*Samples

The facility continues to be organized and data continue to be entered into the same database that contains the Austin facility's information. This is expected to continue throughout FY98.