



Evolución de las **startups** en el mundo del **libro**

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1. INTRODUCCIÓN

Las *startups* hoy nos resultan a todos familiares, sobre todo a la hora de hablar de emprendimiento y tecnología en cualquier ámbito empresarial.

Aunque es un término que desde hace tres o cuatro años se emplea con mayor frecuencia, en realidad es algo de que algunos –entre ellos nosotros en Dosdoce– hemos venido hablando desde hace años al compartir y analizar la relación de las nuevas tecnologías con, en nuestro caso, el sector cultural y ahora en concreto con el sector editorial y en el mundo del libro, en general.

Detectar, conocer y compartir nuevas empresas (*startups*) que han irrumpido o pueden irrumpir en el mundo del libro ha sido y es una de nuestras labores. Algunas de ellas no se han creado directamente con la intención de ser herramientas o empresas tecnológicas pensadas para mejorar al sector o ayudarlo en esta transición digital –más bien ya inmersos en la digitalización–; no obstante, también las hemos dado a conocer en nuestro blog ([hoy 'tendencias'](#)), en diversos estudios, informes y conferencias.

Esa una de las particularidades de la digitalización: saber aplicar lo que puede ser útil en nuestro sector mirando lo que se hace en y para otros sectores. A veces, incluso, mirando a *startups* que no han sido creadas, en principio, para un sector concreto (como las apps de mensajería que han acabado siendo una herramienta fundamental para el marketing online, por ejemplo).

Ante tal disparidad de nuevas empresas e iniciativas que en algún momento se

propusieron innovar en algún aspecto, y con el propósito de profundizar en la nueva relación entre estas *startups* y el sector editorial, en 2013 publicamos un informe –['Cómo colaborar con Startups'](#)– cuyo objetivo era convertirse en un documento de debate y reflexión sobre cómo mejorar las relaciones entre las *startups* tecnológicas y las empresas del mundo del libro (editoriales, librerías, bibliotecas, etc.) con el fin de establecer conjuntamente áreas de colaboración estratégica.

En aquel informe quedaba claro que el futuro del sector editorial pasaba por el entendimiento y la colaboración entre las editoriales y las *startups*, es decir, entre la parte más tradicional del sector y las empresas 'nativas digitales' con el fin de aprovechar mejor las oportunidades de negocio que ofrece Internet. La principal ventaja competitiva en la era digital es la creación de economías de escala a través de la agregación de tecnologías, contenidos y servicios. Por tanto, estas alianzas se han demostrado necesarias –si no imprescindibles– para el crecimiento del sector.

Tras este estudio, Thad McIlroy –involucrado desde finales de los 90 en el trabajo de empresas tecnológicas aplicadas al mundo del libro, tanto como inversor como consultor–, sacaba a finales de 2016 el informe ['An Authoritative Look at Book Publishing Startups In the United States'](#), donde se da una relación actual de cerca de 900 *startups* en relación al mundo del libro y que se comenzó a compilar a principios de 2012.

La lista actualizada que aporta Thad y que acompaña a este documento ahora también

actualizada por nosotros) nace conjuntamente con una lista que Michael Bashkar ya había comenzado, de modo que en ese momento ambos estaban en la misma labor recopilatoria. Por tanto se puede decir que la lista de este último es el punto de partida. La primera versión de Mclroy vio la luz en 2014 e incluía ya 600 startups, frente a la versión definitiva sobre la que hemos trabajado nosotros y que, como hemos adelantado, ya alcanzaba casi las 900 compañías tecnológicas.

El informe de Thad ofrece una detallada cartografía de las startups cuyo enfoque o modelo de negocio se dirige al sector editorial de Estados Unidos; es decir, la gran mayoría de las startups de la lista de Mclroy están afincadas en Estados Unidos, si bien se incluyen algunas startups internacionales que circunscriben a los Estados Unidos como un mercado objetivo principal. Según el propio Thad, el origen de tal compilación no fue otro que, tras preguntarse el estado de las estas empresas tecnológicas en el sector, pronto quiso profundizar y saber cuántas existían y de qué tipo.

En Dosdoce hemos querido darle un enfoque más global (fijándonos sobre todo en el espectro español y latinoamericano,

sumando también algunas iniciativas europeas que nos parecen destacables), y quizá un punto más tecnológico a la hora de establecer la relación de startups (de 900 han pasado a 1.130 startups). Una revisión con la esperanza de que otras consultoras o entidades de diferentes países continúen la labor de completarla en la medida de lo posible.

Con la perspectiva de estos años, todos podemos reconocer cuánto ha cambiado la escena. Con esta instantánea general de esta lista se ha querido estimular nuevas ideas, retomar el debate e incluso a conseguir una mayor voluntad de inversión. Recordemos que en nuestro estudio 'Cómo colaborar con startups', una de las conclusiones era que las empresas de capital riesgo señalaban que las startups del sector cultural no generaban grandes operaciones de salida, como en otros sectores (muchas veces por desconocimiento del propio sector), si bien los propios emprendedores y responsables de startups veían ya entonces un mayor potencial en esta industria. No obstante, a día de hoy podemos ver que, en general, las empresas del ámbito cultural aún están lejos de situarse en los primeros puestos de los sectores [donde más invierte el capital riesgo](#).

2. RELACIÓN DE STARTUPS

El núcleo del informe es una hoja Excel que incluye unas 1.130 empresas, en su mayoría fundadas desde que Amazon lanzó el Kindle en 1997, como hemos adelantado. Dicha hoja de cálculo enumera no sólo el nombre de las startups, también se señala:

- Breve descripción de la empresa
- Tipo de producto o servicio que ofrece
- Financiación
- Estado actual del negocio
- País de origen

Otros datos igualmente importantes que aporta el informe y que definen el alcance de la industria del libro son:

- Total de fondos recaudados por todas las startups
- Promedio de fondos de financiación por empresa

- Media de inversión por empresa
- Porcentaje de startups con fondos declarados
- Porcentaje de startups ya no están operativas
- Porcentaje de salidas / adquisiciones / fusiones / pivotaciones
- Número de Startups con oferta pública de venta (OPV)

Estos datos intentan ofrecer la medida de cuán significativa es la actividad de las startups en la industria del libro en todos sus aspectos. La tabla Excel da la medida de tal actividad y del creciente alcance que está teniendo la entrada de startups en el sector.

3. DESGLOSE POR ESPECIALIZACIÓN

En cuanto al modo de categorizar las startups detectadas, este es el desglose por especialización, de mayor a menor:

- Herramientas y servicios: 340
- Contenido original: 166
- Venta al por menor (retail): 106
- Social: 84
- Descubrimiento: 91
- Educación: 66
- Infantil: 59
- eReaders: 52
- Marketing: 53
- Libros de texto: 32
- Gratuidad: 31
- Audio: 23
- Suscripción: 19
- Otros: 9

Total: 1.131

Estas categorías podrían ser mucho más específicas, pero se ha preferido acotarlas a las mencionadas en la hoja de cálculo que acompaña para hacerlo más sencillo. Por ejemplo, la categoría “herramientas y servicios” acoge desde startups de conversión de PDF a ePub, hasta plataformas para publicar en la nube y autoedición. Es decir, herramientas y servicios que sirven a distribuidores, minoristas, autores y lectores.

La referencia a las categorías “social” o “descubrimiento” se basa sobre todo en las que da la propia descripción de cada empresa. Mucha gente parece tener dudas a la hora de decidir qué libro leer, pero esto ha comenzado a dejar de ser un problema con la ayuda de alguna de estas startups enfocadas a [diferentes maneras de descubrir nuevas lecturas](#).

4. ¿QUÉ ENTENDEMOS POR STARTUPS EN EL MUNDO DEL LIBRO?

Dado que este breve informe, guía y listado se refiere a las startups, conviene señalar a qué nos estamos refiriendo al hablar de startups para libros o en el mundo del libro en este caso. Una startup, en términos muy generales, es un nuevo negocio emergente, una compañía que está arrancando.

En nuestro caso, más concretamente, nos referiríamos a un nuevo tipo de negocio, una compañía que aporta un enfoque algo diferente y novedoso; es decir, asociado a la innovación, también con un importante componente tecnológico en su ADN, y sujetas a capital riesgo, con necesidad de inversión para arrancar o terminar una fase de desarrollo beta, al menos.

Las aceleradoras o incubadoras son términos asociados a las startups: espacios y programas donde se les da el empuje necesario a estas empresas emergentes. [Pearson](#) en el sector editorial/educativo, o [el New York Times](#) en el de las publicaciones crearon sus propios espacios que actúan como incubadoras para ayudar a startups en sus respectivos sectores.

Las startups en el sector son tan diversas como diversos son el tipo editoriales existentes. Sin embargo, llama la atención que muchas de las últimas startups no están ya tanto enfocadas la parte comercial de las editoriales, para el marketing o la promoción de libros, así como para editoriales infantiles, que hay muchas y muy variadas –como la mayoría de proyectos que comenzamos a detectar en un principio–, sino que se dirigen a los autores independientes y a la autoedición (que en la tabla están en la categoría

genérica de ‘herramientas y servicios’), y no tanto a las editoriales, insistimos. Tantas que ya representan casi mayoría dentro de la categoría ‘herramientas y servicios’.

Para el listado se ha considerado startups a compañías que se crearon desde 1997 en adelante, ya que hay compañías que por aquel entonces supusieron un importante elemento disruptivo o al menos ‘influenciador’ en el sector. Decidir qué compañías se pueden considerar startups en relación al mundo del libro no siempre es fácil, sobre todo en los primeros años, como señala McIlroy.

Las de los últimos años, las que han sido desarrolladas claramente para dar servicio o apoyo a editoriales y otros eslabones del sector, son más fáciles de detectar. En muchos casos porque ellas mismas han nacido con voluntad de pertenecer a este sector, y no tanto por haber sido adoptadas o adaptadas al mercado del mundo de los libros, como hemos comentado en el comienzo.

En el caso concreto de la edición educativa y/o académica existen diferentes niveles de innovación, desde las más tradicionales hasta las que comienzan a introducir diferentes [modelos de negocio](#) para monetizar los contenidos, si bien son las menos.

En el caso de la categoría de ‘edición infantil’ sí se han incluido aquellas compañías que han desarrollado su modelo con la intención de repensar la creación de los libros impresos para niños o que han creado proyectos e ideas diferentes (educación, entretenimiento,

interactividad) en formatos digitales. Es decir, las que han aportado algo más que una sencilla digitalización de contenidos. No obstante, hay que señalar que en ocasiones la frontera entre 'educación' e 'infantil' como categorías es muy estrecha.

Las apps móviles también hacen su aparición, si bien es cierto que el enorme impulso y

actividad que pudimos ver en este campo hace unos años se ha visto frenado en estos últimos tiempos, si bien sigue habiendo iniciativas nuevas y valiosas para la lectura en dispositivos móviles. Muchas de ellas, precisamente, en el [ámbito de la edición infantil y educativa](#) para los primeros años de formación de los niños.

5. EL VERDADERO VALOR DE LA DISRUPCIÓN Y LA INNOVACIÓN EN EL MUNDO DEL LIBRO

Si miramos los antecedentes de las startups relacionadas con el sector, no tenemos que mirar más que al mismo Internet, luego a Apple o Facebook para ver que han sido tan disruptivos en este sector como en muchos otros.

Para pensar en las primeras startups en el mundo del libro hay que pensar en un elemento que haya sido realmente disruptivo en él, es decir, el elemento que ha transformado totalmente un sector tan tradicional como el editorial, que llevaba siglos sin apenas sufrir un cambio significativo, salvo quizá la entrada de la informática e Internet. Pero esto, insistimos, afectó a todos los sectores, y no al editorial en particular. El elemento eminentemente disruptor del mundo del libro ha sido sin duda Amazon.

Cuando Amazon dejó de ser sólo un tienda al por menor de libros, en principio de segunda mano, para poner su mirada y esfuerzos en el formato digital en relación directa al Kindle, fue el momento en el que legitimaron la posibilidad de la disrupción total en el sector

editorial. Ha demostrado que podía hacerlo, y ha abierto la puerta para que otros aceleren la transformación del sector. Las reacciones a la defensiva de la parte tradicional del negocio (dejando ahora al margen las lógicas querellas sobre precios y presiones abusivas del ahora gigante global) parecían demostrar que Amazon tenía razón en cuanto a su potencial disruptor. Para bien o para mal, pero ya está hecho y ha sido un punto de inflexión definitivo para todo el sector.

El impulso final en toda esta transformación del sector ha sido sin duda –y así lo hemos señalado en diversas ocasiones a través de las Tendencias en Dosdoce– el crecimiento del móvil desde el lanzamiento del primer iPhone en 2007, pocos meses antes del Kindle. El iPhone condujo al iPad que a su vez condujo a otra serie de tabletas diferentes. Ahora la lectura digital está disponible en una amplia gama de dispositivos, siendo el móvil la que más crece como herramienta de lectura general, y fundamental en los países en desarrollo, [según la propia UNESCO](#).

6. EL COSTE DE LA INNOVACIÓN

Muchas de las startups que hace años vimos crecer hoy ya no existen. Otras han pivotado y se han reconvertido. Las tasas de “fracaso” en las startups son altas, del mismo modo que hay muchas editoriales nuevas que no llegan a cumplir los 5 años de actividad. La [idea de “fracaso” es relativa](#) (por eso la emprendimos), dado que muchas empresas que no terminan de germinar son el germen de otras que sí funcionan. La experiencia adquirida hace que cada paso o fase construyan proyectos más sólidos, en ocasiones pasando de los contenidos a los servicios, o del B2C al B2B, o viceversa.

También depende de qué determine lo que es y no es una startup. Si su propia fundación o registro, o un mínimo de financiación que abale su estatus. Como señala Thad, en CB Insights han prestado mucha atención [a estas cuestiones](#) y señalan que las razones de las caídas de las startups son

sorprendentemente difíciles de identificar en un principio. Muchas startups están paradas, o incluso muertas, pero siguen pululando, con un nivel de actividad a medio gas. En CB Insights encontraron que el 55% de las startups fallidas llegaron a recaudar 1 millón de dólares, o algo menos. El 71% de las desaparecidas duró menos de dos años después de su última ronda de financiación. Lo mismo que duran algunas editoriales, y sin tanta financiación externa.

El análisis de ‘empresas fallidas’ [en el informe de CB Insights](#) encontraron que la principal razón para el “fracaso” fue la falta de una necesidad real para su producto en el mercado (42%) seguido por la falta de inversión (29%). En términos generales, la [Oficina de Estadísticas Laborales de Estados Unidos](#) mostró que la mayoría de las empresas que caen lo hacen en los dos primeros años (34%). Después de 4 años, el 56% acaba cayendo.

7. OPORTUNIDADES PARA LAS STARTUPS EN LA INDUSTRIA DEL LIBRO, Y VICEVERSA

Como hemos señalado en diversas ocasiones al hablar de innovación y modelos de negocio, no hay una solución segura o única para todos los casos. Lo que sí que es más evidente es que la principal ventaja competitiva en la era digital es la creación de economías de escala a través de la agregación de tecnologías, contenidos y servicios. Y esto también incluye al mundo del libro.

La irrupción no parece un motivo muy probable para que una startup quiera entrar en la industria del libro, o al menos en la edición comercial, pero sí lo puede ser la innovación. Desde los comienzos de la transformación digital hasta estos momentos siguen surgiendo nuevas empresas y proyectos que asumen el reto de reinventar la forma del libro narrativo (apps, libros enriquecidos, multimedia, libro-juegos, transmedia, etc.), la mayoría de momento con relativo éxito en comparación con las formas tradicionales de edición impresa.

La autoedición parece representar la nueva alternativa, casi cerca de la disrupción, si bien el prestigio de la edición profesional (tradicional) sigue teniendo su atractivo para muchos autores nobeles.

¿Qué hay de interrupción en lo que se denomina indistintamente autoedición o auto-publicación? Según Data Guy se trata de un negocio de 500 millones de dólares, que en sí mismo no es una gran oportunidad agregada. Como distribuidores, Amazon y sus competidores retienen alrededor de un

tercio de estos ingresos. Plataformas de servicios de publicación como Smashwords y Draft2Digital pueden alcanzar cerca del 10%. De modo que las primeras empresas con enfoque en la autoedición están tratando de obtener un recorte de 300 millones de dólares de ingresos netos. [Author Earnings](#) señala algunos datos interesantes.

- Algo menos de 10.000 autores (9.900) ganan \$ 10,000 o más por año a través de Amazon.com
- La mitad de estos ganan más \$ 25,000 por año
- 1.000 autores independientes que debutaron en los últimos 3 años ganaron más de \$ 25,000 por año.

Si tomamos los 10.000 dólares en ganancias como un umbral para que un autor independiente esté interesado en los servicios de estas startups, el mercado objetivo es considerablemente pequeño. Pero las aspiraciones son lo que son, y sin duda muchos autores con perspectivas de ventas más modestas pagan por estos para tratar de elevar su posición. Cuántos y cuánto es la pregunta.

Cuando se piensa en irrupción, la competencia y oportunidad Thad sugiere mirar a Netflix y a su CEO Reed Hastings señalando algunos aspectos sobre la competencia:

“Si se piensa en sus últimos 30 días y analiza las tardes en las que no vio Netflix, se puede comprender

la amplitud de nuestra competencia. Ya sea que se haya jugado con videojuegos, se haya navegado por la web, se haya visto un DVD, televisión o navegado por YouTube, leído un libro, una retransmisión por

Hulu o Amazon, o incluso contenido pirateado, puede ver el mercado para el tiempo de ocio y descanso es enorme, y no somos más que un pequeño bote en un vasto mar.”

8. DOCE APUNTES SOBRE LAS STARTUPS EN EL MUNDO DEL LIBRO

1. La industria editorial no está se está muriendo, se está transformando. Aparte de la llegada de los libros digitales, ha habido poca disrupción (que no es necesaria) pero sí ha habido innovación (si bien aunque se puede pensar en las “superlibrerías” como una innovación, estas no se originaron en la industria del libro). Otra cosa es que la innovación ha venido en la mayoría de los casos de [fuera del sector del libro](#). Por eso son tan importantes las alianzas con startups, así como la atención a incubadoras o hackathons que puedan ayudar al mundo del libro desenvolverse mejor en un entorno cada vez más digital, aún cuando hablemos de libros de papel y librerías físicas.
2. El gran cambio en la edición es el [crecimiento de la auto-publicación](#) (principalmente de libros digitales). Un informe de 2015, elaborado por la consultora Nielsen, revela que los libros autoeditados representaron el 12% del total de ventas en Reino Unido, mientras que en Estados Unidos, según los propios editores, la autoedición se incrementó un 58% con respecto del año anterior. El negocio de la autoedición representa ahora unos 500 millones de dólares en gastos de consumo; la gran mayoría de esos ebooks son de ficción. Con las ventas de libros de comercio de los Estados Unidos (en todas las materias) de aproximadamente 6.700 millones de dólares en 2015, la autoedición tiene una cuota de mercado del 7,5%. Se puede estimar que hay más de 500.000 autores activos auto-publicados en Estados Unidos

(muchos ganan sólo unos pocos dólares al año).

En España, uno de cada cuatro ebooks vendidos es un libro autoeditado, según el [informe Global Ebook](#). Aquí se mantiene el poder de Amazon, ya que entre el 40% y 45% de las ventas digitales de las editoriales independientes españolas y latinoamericanas tiene lugar en esta plataforma. Este es el mercado que la mayoría de las startups están persiguiendo ahora, junto al Big Data aplicado al sector.

3. Como es de suponer –y aunque la lista no es definitiva dado que esperamos que otros países aporten startups propias de su mercado que seguro conocen mejor–, el país que más startups aporta al mundo del libro es Estados Unidos con un 53,46%. Le siguen el Reino Unido (12,13%), Francia (5,3%), España (4,40%), Canadá (3,86%), Alemania (3,50%) e India (1,98%). No obstante, como se descubre en el libro [Startup Nation](#), una de las características de las startups es que pueden surgir en países mucho más pequeños, de economía más débil, aportando un mayor índice de competitividad a la economía de la innovación en un país. A medida que la lista crezca con iniciativas de otros países, es posible que veamos algunas sorpresas más.
4. Los “emprendedores” de las startups parecen tener poca experiencia dentro del ámbito editorial para llevar sus esfuerzos al máximo. En nuestro informe de 2013

apenas el 4 % de las startups participantes ofrecían soluciones tecnológicas para atender otros procesos esenciales en el sector, como la gestión de derechos de autor, la edición interna de manuscritos, etc. Esto está suponiendo un amplio abanico de oportunidades de negocio que no están siendo atendidas por las actuales iniciativas digitales. La comunicación y la colaboración directa entre el mundo del libro y las startups (insistimos que promover por parte del sector las mencionadas incubadoras o los [hackatons](#) es una manera de comenzar) son una de las claves del buen éxito de estas startups y valor seguro para las editoriales.

5. Muy pocas startups (15%) tienen alguna inversión declarada. Las empresas en su mayoría usan recursos propios. Según nuestro informe de 2013 sobre la relación del sector con las startups, un 68% de los emprendedores señalaba que muchos inversores desconocían las singularidades del sector cultural y que este desconocimiento generaba muchos prejuicios y malentendidos. Asimismo, un 54% de los emprendedores admitía que la mala imagen que tiene el sector por su escasa inversión en innovación en los últimos años posiblemente sea una de las causas por las que no atraiga a más inversores.
6. Muchas de estas startups del ámbito del libro no son sólo pequeñas: son minúsculas. En muchos casos no hay startup, por así decir, sólo un sitio web y buenas intenciones. La comercialización y promoción es mínima. Estas empresas deberían hacer una pausa y reimaginar cómo su empresa tendría que operar si tuvieran que obtener ganancias a través de un negocio alojado online o bajo un modelo

plataforma. ¿Y si tuvieran que generar 25,000 euros en un solo año sin un sitio web? ¿Cómo identificarían a sus audiencias en el sector? ¿Cuál sería la propuesta de venta? ¿Qué haría que un cliente pagara por su producto o servicio? En la actualidad, la mentalidad común es “si lo construimos o desarrollamos, vendrán”, sin más, como si fuera así de sencillo. Una estrategia que suele ser errónea.

7. La innovación es muy diferente a la disrupción. No es que muchas de las startups piensen que están siendo disruptivas en el negocio editorial, pero varias hacen afirmaciones tales como que vienen a revolucionar el papel del lector, el papel del agente o el equilibrio de poder entre escritores y minoristas. Como [dice Elizabeth Spiers](#), demasiadas startups “piensan que las empresas establecidas están usando modelos fallidos porque son idiotas y no porque los problemas no se resuelven fácilmente”. Muchas de estas startups están tratando de solucionar un problema que de hecho no existe. Los libros son una tecnología depurada. Funcionan. Los autores autopublicados posiblemente tienen acceso a todos los servicios que necesitan entre los programas Kindle de Amazon y algunas de las firmas de servicios de autoedición más grandes como la mencionada Smashwords o similares. Innovar para no destruir.
8. Un buen “pequeño negocio” puede ser algo muy diferente de una oportunidad de capital riesgo. Es otra trampa de la mentalidad de las startups. Si muchas de estas empresas se vieran a sí mismas como empresas comprometidas a largo plazo en lugar de pequeñas compañías que le van a dar su gran lección al

mundo del libro o que pronto podrán ser adquiridas por otras más grandes, quizá serían capaces de durar un poco más.

9. Wattpad es una de las compañías que ha sido el faro o guía para muchas startups en el sector del libro, y con todo, diez años después de su lanzamiento hay poco cambio discernible que se pueda atribuir a su influencia, si bien un grupo de otras startups similares también animan a los escritores a escribir fragmentos cortos de ficción a diario o más o menos frecuentemente. Es decir, muchas startups han crecido a la sombra de startups anteriores sin realmente innovar mucho más que su modelo a seguir.
10. La edición de libros nunca ha sido una industria tecnológica. De hecho, históricamente tiene aversión a la tecnología. Este es un desafío para las startups que están dirigidas a las empresas editoriales existentes. A pesar de de todo, en esta nueva era tecnológica y de participación, todas las editoriales deberían establecer algún tipo de alianza estratégicas para poder afrontar los retos de la era digital si se quiere participar de ella. Además, las editoriales también deberían recordar que se trataría de sentir la alianza en los dos sentidos y dar a conocer tales

alianzas, las razones y qué va a suponer para el consumidor final. Las editoriales son las que ya tienen las audiencias, no las startups, por tanto son las que pueden llegar a un público mucho mayor. Siendo como es el editorial la punta de lanza de todo el sector cultural, al él le corresponde la responsabilidad mayor de dar una imagen pública de transformación y evolución.

11. Los audiolibros, después de la autoedición, están siendo el nuevo gran dorado del sector editorial. En la actualidad la oferta de audiolibros en español [supera los 3.000 títulos aproximadamente](#), frente al apenas millar de hace sólo unos años. Las cifras sobre este mercado en EE.UU. muestran que en 2015 se descargaron 3,88 millones, lo que supuso una cifra de 205,8 millones de dólares, según la Asociación de Editores Americanos. La Asociación de Editores de Audiolibros también refrenda esos datos, con un aumento de ventas del 24%, y con 9.630 títulos más con respecto al año anterior.
12. Las startups, como las editoriales, deben de pensar en los [nuevos modelos de negocio que ofrece Internet](#) a la hora de determinar el valor que su compañía puede ofrecer a las editoriales.

9. SOBRE EL PROCESO DE ELABORACIÓN DEL ESTUDIO, INFORMACIÓN SOBRE DOSDOCE.COM Y CRÉDITOS

En la elaboración del estudio han participado Kershama St. Luce, José Antonio Vázquez y Javier Celaya de Dosdoce.com

Este estudio nace de la iniciativa de Thad McIlroy –involucrado desde finales de los 90 en el trabajo de empresas tecnológicas aplicadas al mundo del libro, tanto como inversor como consultor–, que publicó a finales de 2016 el informe [‘An Authoritative Look at Book Publishing Startups In the United States’](#), donde se da una relación actual de cerca de 900 startups en relación al mundo del libro y que se comenzó a compilar a principios de 2012. La lista actualizada que aporta Thad y que acompaña a este documento ahora también actualizada por nosotros) nace de una lista que [Michael Bashkar](#) ya había elaborado, de modo que en ese momento ambos estaban en la misma labor recopilatoria.

En Dosdoce hemos querido darle un enfoque más global (fijándonos sobre todo en el espectro español y latinoamericano, sumando también algunas iniciativas europeas que nos parecen destacables), y quizá un punto más tecnológico a la hora de establecer la relación de startups (de 900 han pasado a 1.130 startups). Una revisión con la esperanza de que otras consultoras o entidades de diferentes países continúen la labor de completarla en la medida de lo posible.

El diseño y conversión a formato digital ha sido realizada por [Emiliano Molina](#).

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Sobre Dosdoce.com

Dosdoce.com es un portal que analiza el uso de las nuevas tecnologías en el mundo del libro. Desde sus inicios en 2004, el objetivo de Dosdoce.com ha sido animar a editoriales, librerías, bibliotecas, museos, fundaciones, etc., a utilizar todo tipo de tecnologías y a entender mejor las implicaciones y beneficios derivados de su uso en sus entidades.

A lo largo de estos años, Dosdoce.com ha elaborado más de 50 estudios e informes sobre el uso de las nuevas tecnologías en diferentes ámbitos del sector cultural. En noviembre de 2005 su primer estudio: El papel de la comunicación en la promoción del libro. En 2006 dos nuevos estudios: El uso de las tecnologías Web 2.0 en entidades culturales y Los retos de las editoriales independientes. En octubre de 2007 el estudio Tendencias Web 2.0 en el sector editorial. En octubre de 2008, conjuntamente con la red social Ediciona, publicaron el estudio La digitalización del libro en España . En 2009 publicaron tres estudios: La visibilidad de las ciudades en la Web 2.0 (a principios de año), Visibilidad de los museos en la Web 2.0 (en octubre) y Digitalización del [libro y uso de las redes sociales](#) (en noviembre). En 2010 publicaron el estudio

[Las galerías de arte en la web 2.0](#) y la [Chuleta de las redes sociales](#), que ya ha superado las 20.000 descargas. Se inició el año 2011 con la publicación de la segunda edición del estudio [Las galerías de arte en la web 2.0](#), y a mitad de año el estudio [Fútbol 2.0](#), que analiza de qué manera los clubes de fútbol están incorporando las tecnologías 2.0 en sus estrategias de comunicación y en la promoción de sus equipos, jugadores, eventos, etc. Y terminaron el año 2011 con la publicación en septiembre del estudio [Industria editorial 2.0](#), en noviembre, el estudio [Conexiones entre museos en las redes sociales](#), de la infografía [Derechos de los usuarios en la nube](#) y de las versiones en catalán, inglés y portugués de la [Chuleta de las redes sociales](#).

Comenzaron el año 2012 publicando la [Cronología de la edición digital \(1912-2012\)](#), la publicación de las versiones en catalán y euskera de la infografía [Derechos de los usuarios en la nube](#) y de los resultados de la encuesta [Anatomía del perfil del editor digital](#). En septiembre de ese mismo año publicaron el estudio [El directivo y las redes sociales](#), en colaboración con la Fundación CEDE y el Grupo BPMO.

Dosdoce.com inició el año 2013 dando a conocer un nuevo estudio, [Cómo colaborar con startups](#), que reflexiona sobre cómo mejorar las relaciones entre las empresas que conforman el mundo del libro (editoriales, librerías, bibliotecas, etc.) y las famosas startups (empresas tecnológicas de reciente creación). En mayo de este mismo año sacaron un nuevo estudio: [Los museos en la era digital](#). El equipo de Dosdoce.com finalizó el año con [Global Ebook](#), un estudio que analiza la rápida evolución de los libros electrónicos en los mercados de Estados Unidos y Reino Unido, así como detalles pormenorizados de los mercados del libro digital que

paulatinamente cobran forma en Europa, Brasil, China, India, Rusia y el mundo árabe.

En 2014, Dosdoce.com publicó 6 nuevos estudios. Inició el año publicando el estudio [Apps educativas](#), que analiza el enorme crecimiento de estas herramientas como nuevas vías de acceso al conocimiento. Posteriormente publicó la [Chuleta digital para las bibliotecas](#), una infografía que pretende convertirse en una guía de referencia para los profesionales del mundo del libro que quieran conocer las aplicaciones que ofrece la nueva generación de tecnologías en los distintos ámbitos de las bibliotecas.

En colaboración con Acción Cultural Española (AC/E) publicó en abril de 2014 el primer [Anuario AC/E de cultura digital](#), que tiene como objetivo convertirse en un documento anual de referencia que analice la evolución de las tendencias digitales en el mundo de la cultura, y que cada año pondrá el foco en un sector determinado. El anuario está estructurado en dos partes principales: la primera aporta un análisis de las tendencias digitales en el mundo de la cultura a través de nueve ensayos transversales que tocan todos los sectores culturales, realizados por especialistas en la materia. La segunda consiste en un estudio de casos de buenas prácticas, nacionales e internacionales, que detectan y exponen el impacto que están teniendo las nuevas tecnologías sobre un sector cultural específico; en el caso de esta primera edición, versó sobre las artes escénicas e hizo hincapié en ejemplos de casos de éxito.

En colaboración con Biografías Personales, Dosdoce.com publicó en junio de 2014 un estudio sobre el impacto de la autoedición en el sector editorial. El estudio [Autores independientes: la irrupción de la revolución indie](#) tiene como objetivo aportar a los

profesionales del mundo del libro –ya sean editores, agentes, autores, libreros o bibliotecarios– un amplio análisis sobre el impacto de la autoedición en el sector editorial, para que cada uno de ellos pueda determinar sus oportunidades de negocio y los beneficios derivados de esta actividad.

En colaboración con Publishing Perspectives y Actualidad Editorial publicaron en septiembre la segunda edición de la [Guía de autores de la Feria del Libro de Frankfurt](#) con todo tipo de claves, sugerencias y recomendaciones para ayudar a los autores a sacar el máximo rendimiento a su visita a Frankfurt.

Por último, terminaron el año 2014 elaborando para CEDRO el estudio Nuevos modelos de negocio en la era digital, con motivo del lanzamiento de su plataforma conlicencia.com, que permite a los usuarios acceder a más de 6 millones de obras en español.

En 2015, Dosdoce.com publicó 5 nuevos estudios e infografías. Inició el año publicando la infografía Aspectos clave a tener en cuenta en el préstamo digital, una infografía que pretende convertirse en una guía de referencia para los profesionales de las bibliotecas que quieran conocer las 12 claves para poner en marcha con éxito un proyecto de préstamo digital para bibliotecas públicas, municipales o escolares.

En colaboración con Acción Cultural Española (AC/E) publicaron en marzo de 2015 el segundo [Anuario AC/E de cultura digital](#), que tiene como objetivo convertirse en un documento anual de referencia que analice la evolución de las tendencias digitales en el mundo de la cultura. Este año el anuario ha centrado sus esfuerzos en analizar el impacto de las nuevas tecnologías en el mundo de los museos.

En colaboración con Bookwire, la plataforma líder de distribución de ebooks de editoriales independientes y especializadas, publicó en abril de 2015 el informe [Evolución y Tendencias de los mercados digitales en Latinoamérica](#). Este documento ofrece una serie de cifras y perspectivas claves para ayudar a los profesionales del sector editorial de todo el mundo a entender la transformación que está teniendo lugar en los mercados en idioma español y portugués, así como las oportunidades de negocio derivadas de dicha transformación.

Dosdoce.com publicó en septiembre de 2015, en colaboración con Biografías Personales, la segunda actualización del estudio [Autores indies. El auge de la autoedición](#). Esta publicación tiene como objetivo aportar a los profesionales del mundo del libro –ya sean editores, agentes, autores, libreros o bibliotecarios– un amplio análisis sobre el impacto de la autoedición en el sector editorial, para que cada uno de ellos pueda determinar sus oportunidades de negocio y los beneficios derivados de esta actividad.

En septiembre de 2015, también se publicó la [Guía de modelos de compra de licencias de ebooks](#), un documento que pretende convertirse en una guía de referencia para los profesionales de las bibliotecas que quieran conocer las singularidades y aspectos clave a tener en cuenta de los diferentes modelos de adquisición de contenidos digitales. Elaboraron la segunda edición del estudio La evolución de los nuevos modelos de negocio en la era digital, con el patrocinio de CEDRO que tiene como objetivo compartir con los profesionales del mundo del libro –ya sean editores, agentes, autores, libreros o bibliotecarios– un análisis amplio y actualizado sobre los modelos de negocio existentes en

Internet, para que puedan determinar las oportunidades de negocio y los beneficios derivados de cada uno de ellos.

En 2016 publicó las infografías "[12 aspectos clave en la edición digital](#)"; "[Cómo enriquecer la visita física a las bibliotecas con tecnología](#)" y "[Cómo encuentran los lectores su próxima lectura](#)". También colaboró con Acción Cultural Española (AC/E) en la elaboración de la tercera edición del [Anuario AC/E 2016: Cultura Inteligente](#), así como en la segunda edición del informe "[Evolución y tendencias digitales en Latinoamérica](#)" en colaboración con [Bookwire](#).

A lo largo del año también publicamos los informes [Digital Trends in the Spanish Markets](#) El informe "[Global Ebook](#)" de [Rüdiger Wischenbart](#), traducido y adaptado al español por [Biografías Personales](#) y [Dosdoce.com](#).

Por tercer año consecutivo, Dosdoce con el patrocinio y colaboración de CEDRO, ha realizado una actualización del [estado y consolidación de los modelos de negocio en la era digital](#) dentro del mundo del libro.

Iniciamos el año 2017 con la publicación de la infografía "[Evolución de los audiolibros en español](#)" y posteriormente publicamos el estudio "[Exporta tus libros sin vender los derechos de traducción](#)". Próximamente publicaremos también la tercera edición del informe "[Evolución y tendencias digitales en Latinoamérica](#)" en colaboración con [Bookwire](#).

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10. DIRECTORIO GLOBAL DE STARTUPS DEL MUNDO DEL LIBRO

Listado original de Thad McLroy de The Future of Publishing. Actualizado por Dosdoce.com
Mayo 2017

Nº	Name	\$\$ raised	Status	Description/Mission Statement	Classification	Country
1	Os&1s			Digital literature that is independent, pro-author, green & ambitious	Original Content	United States
2	123 Library			Online ebook reader and publishing platform	Original Content	United Kingdom
3	1440 Innovation	30k		Ingram's publishing startup accelerator	Investment	United States
4	20Lines		Acquired by HarperCollins Italia Feb 2016	Stories of 240 lines, perfect every time you have 5 spare minutes	Original Content	Italy
5	24symbols	\$2.94M	In May 2013, Zed took a 32% stake	Subscription service	Subscription	Spain
6	29th Street Publishing			Cloud-hosted publishing tools: all you need to produce an app	Tools & Services	United States
7	3DPageFlip Software Co.			Create 3D page flip magazines	Tools & Services	China
8	52 Novels			Produces ebook design and production services for independent authors and publishers'	Tools & Services	United States
9	ABCtales			A place for writers to share, discuss and develop their work	Original Content	United Kingdom
10	aBook		Product of isle-audio	An audible reading experience'	Audio	Germany
11	Above The Treeline			Administrative tools platform that facilitates transactions between publishers, retailers and libraries	Tools & Services	United States
12	AcademicPub		Owned by, see SharedBook Inc.	Custom course material	Education	United States
13	Accel.io		Name change to Guides.co	Accel.io Publishes Guides for Everything	Original Content	Canada
14	ACX		Owned by Amazon	Turn your book into an audiobook	Audio	United States
15	Adaptive Studios			Premium content across emerging & traditional distribution platforms	Original Content	United States
16	Addictive Pages		Website gone	Digital publisher that releases books in television serial format	Original Content	France
17	Adobe Systems Inc.			Multimedia software developer	Original Content	United States
18	AdrènaLivre			Interactive reading apps	eReader	France

19	Advance Editions			Bold new approach to publishing, drawing on reader engagement worldwide	Original Content	United Kingdom
20	Aer.io/Aerbook		Acquired by Ingram Dec, 2015	Create a digital book storefront	Retail	United States
21	Afictionado		404: Page not found	A pay-monthly ebook library	Subscription	United Kingdom
22	Alexi			Personal recommendations from notable writers	Discovery	United Kingdom
23	All Romance eBooks		closed December 2016	A distribution site for electronic romance	Original Content	United States
24	Alta Editions	\$19k	Funding via Kickstarter	A library of exceptional cookbooks	Original Content	United States
25	Amazon.com			Online bookselling	Retail	United States
26	Amazon Kindle ecosphere			Reach millions of readers worldwide and keep control of your work	Retail	United States
27	Amphio		former Touchpress team	Creating products at the intersection of software development and media production	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
28	aNobii	?	Acquired by Mondadori March, 2014	Social network allowing readers to find & share books with others	Social	Italy
29	Anoda Publishing		mybestseller.com company	Online self-publishing platform and distributor	Tools & Services	The Netherlands
30	Anthologize			A free, open-source, WordPress-based platform for publishing	Tools & Services	United States
31	Anvil Academic		Last Tweet 14 Apr 2015	Scholarly publisher of digital research in the humanities	Original Content	United States
32	Any New Books?		Last blog entry, May 15, 2011	A free new book notification service	Free	Canada
33	Apabi Reader			Apabi Reader for iOS supports CEBX, EPUB, PDF, and TXT file formats	eReader	China
34	Appstafarian			Marvin and Gerty ereading apps	eReader	Malta
35	Apple - iBooks			An ebook application by Apple for iOS and OS X	Retail	United States
36	Aquafadas	\$1.77M	Acquired by Kobo; no price given	Software to create interactive content	Tools & Services	France
37	Arcade Sunshine			Digital publishing and production company	Tools & Services	United States
38	Archicol			Provides editing and ebook production services for publishers	Tools & Services	France
39	Archive of Our Own			A nonprofit central hosting place for fanworks	Social	United States
40	ArrobaBooks		Digital imprint of Grupo Planeta	Reading club' and eBook retailer	Discovery	Spain

41	Árvore			Online library aimed at teachers and students	Education	Brazil
42	Assignmint		Last tweet Jan 2015	Essential software for writers	Tools & Services	United States
43	Astor & Blue Editions			An innovative “Digital First” publisher	Original Content	United States
44	Atavist	\$3.43M		Make a story, design it your way, share it	Tools & Services	United States
45	Atavist Books		Closed October, 2014	A multiplatform book company	Original Content	United States
46	AtContent		Last tweet March 2015	Cross-blogging and content distribution platform	Original Content	United States
47	Antigo		Funded by Publit and Axiell	Bridging the gap in e-lending between publishers and libraries	Tools & Services	Sweden
48	Audible (Amazon)		Acquired by Amazon in 2008 for \$300 million	A seller and producer of spoken audio entertainment	Audio	United States
49	Audiobooks.com		Acquired by RB Media April 2017. (Owned by Simply Audiobooks)	App-based streaming and download service for audiobooks	Audio	Canada
50	AudiobooksNow			The premier service for downloading and streaming audiobooks	Audio	United States
51	Audioteka			Buy the audiobook and listen in the mobile app’	Audio	Spain
52	Audvisor			Library of short clips giving business advice	Audio	United Kingdom
53	Autharium		Site gone	Discovering great writers and publishing their work	Discovery	United Kingdom
54	Autography		Last tweet Feb 2016	Patented technology for autographing ebooks and other digital media	Tools & Services	United States
55	Authonomy		Closed by HarperCollins 2015	An online community for aspiring writers	Social	United Kingdom
56	Authorbee			Social media filter that creates stories from tweets	Discovery	United States
57	Authorea	\$2.11M		Write and manage your research documents in one place, for free	Education	United States
58	Authorgraph		Last blog entry 2013	Signed e-books. Personalized digital inscriptions	Tools & Services	United States
59	AuthorHouse		Part of Author Solutions	Leading provider of supported self-publishing services	Tools & Services	United States
60	Authorlink			Online news, information, and marketing service	Tools & Services	United States
61	Authorly	\$640k	Last tweet August 2014	A digital publishing platform for creating storybook apps	Tools & Services	United States

62	Author Marketing Club			Authors working together to help each other learn how to promote their books	Marketing	United States
63	Author Marketing Institute			Advance the practice of author marketing for writers of any kind	Marketing	United States
64	AuthorPad		Ingram-funded	Our main thrust is in digital distribution of books (Zimbabwe)	Retail	Zimbabwe
65	AuthorPortal			Record storage for authors and publishers	Tools & Services	United States
66	Authorship.me		Ingram-funded	The science behind the art of writing	Tools & Services	Brazil
67	AUTHORS.me		Ingram grant	Get your manuscript discovered by the right agent or publisher	Tools & Services	United States
68	Author Solutions		Acquired by Penguin in 2011; Sold to Najafi Co., Jan 2016	Self publishing services	Tools & Services	United States
69	Baen Free Library			A number of its free Baen in electronic format	Free	United States
70	Bajalibros		Launched by Grupo VI-DA in 2011	Latin American online ebookseller and reading app	Retail	Argentina
71	Baobab	\$40k	No activity since 2013	Netflix for books and toys	Subscription	United States
72	Bardowl		Closed Jan 2015	iPhone app offering unlimited audiobook streaming	Audio	United Kingdom
73	Bargain Booksy			Deals on Bestselling Ebooks	Free	United States
74	Batch			Administrative tools platform that facilitates transactions between booksellers and their suppliers	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
75	Barnes & Noble NOOK ?		Microsoft invested \$600M in 5/12; withdrew	Hardware backed with content	eReader	United States
76	Beacon Reader			Crowdfunding app for news sources	Subscription	United States
77	Bebookness			Online self-publishing platform and distributor	Tools & Services	Spain
78	Bedford Square Books			Make available to readers books we love that have gone out of print	Original Content	United Kingdom
79	Bedtime VR Stories		Powered by Samsung / Unit 9	VR stories for parents and children to enjoy	Children's	United Kingdom
80	Beeline Reader			Faster reading with color	eReader	United States
81	Beemgee			Outlining tool for authors	Tools & Services	Germany
82	Bee The Books		Website gone	Bringing young children and books together in a real fun way	Children's	Ireland

83	Beneath the Ink		Last tweet Nov 2015	Provides intuitive, digital content creation for both web and ebook publishing	Tools & Services	United States
84	Benchprep	\$7.8M		An adaptive learning platform	Education	United States
85	Beneylu Quest			Subscription service where kids receive installments of a story each month	Children's	France
86	Berkeley Electronic Press			Delivers scholarly communications and publishing services for academic institutions	Tools & Services	France
87	BestSeller Book Club		As of June 16 "relaunching soon"	Unclear what it actually does	Subscription	
88	Betterbook		Acquired by Inkling Sept. 2013	Original, how-to ebooks designed exclusively for touchscreen devices	Original Content	United States
89	Better World Books	\$4.5M		A social enterprise that collects and sells books online to fund global literacy initiatives	Education	United States
90	Beyond Books	\$10k	Kickstarter funding	An immersive storytelling app	Tools & Services	United States
91	Biblio	\$42k		Provides tools to let users discover content	Discovery	United Kingdom
92	Biblioboard			Community engagement tools for libraries	Social	United States
93	Bibliocloud			Publishing management system software	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
94	Bibliocrunch			THE place for authors to meet vetted professionals and work together to create better books	Tools & Services	United States
95	Bibliogo			The science & technology RSS reader	eReader	United States
96	BiblioLabs		See Biblioboard	Curates and publishes historical materials in digital formats	Original Content	United States
97	BiblioMeta			SaaS API metadata platform for the book publishing industry	Tools & Services	United States
98	Bibliomotion		Acquired by Taylor & Francis in 2016	A next-generation publisher	Original Content	United States/ United Kingdom
99	BiblioNasium			Kids connect with friends, parents and teachers to share and recommend their favorite books	Children's	United States
100	Bibliotech		Website active, no social media updates since February 2017	Textbook subscription service	Textbooks	United Kingdom
101	Bibliotechnia		*lanzamiento 2007	Comprises of digital books from different libraries, accessible to their users	Free	Mexico

102	bibliotheca		From 3M	The global leader of self-service solutions for libraries	Tools & Services	US, Germany
103	Bidi		Launched by Grupo VI-DA in 2014	Digital library for educational institutions	Tools & Services	Argentina
104	Big Bang Press	\$53,890k	Raised from a \$40k target Kickstarter campaign	Publisher for the fan writing community	Original Content	United Kingdom
105	Big Boost Media		Website down	A media consultancy with expertise across digital and traditional marketing channels	Tools & Services	United States
106	Bigwords			Compare textbook prices from all the best online stores at once	Textbooks	United States
107	Bindworx		This site can't be reached	You can buy the content you want, when you want, in the format you want	Free	United Kingdom
108	Bilbary		Closed April, 2014	International e-bookstore and rentals	Education	Luxembourg
109	Bilibok			Customizable children's books	Children's	France
110	Bitlit		See Shelfie	Obtain ebooks of print books you own	Discovery	Canada
111	BitTorrent Bundle			The best way for people to connect is directly: over the movies, music and stories they love	Social	United States
112	BizBookLab		No web site	Identifies, develops, and launches business books around the world	Original Content	United States
113	Blablalivre		Last facebook post Oct 2016	Book reviews in 140 characters	Original Content	France
114	Blackbird Digital Books		(Site gone), Website and Facebook now active	(Blackbird Digital Books is run on the principles of the Diamond Cutter Sutra) Digital publishing platform	Original Content	United Kingdom
115	Blasty			Monitor Google for illegal copies of your content	Tools & Services	United States
116	Blavox			Self-publishing online platform for audiobooks	Tools & Services	Spain
117	Blendle			A radical experiment with micropayments in journalism	Tools & Services	The Netherlands
118	blinkbox		Acquired by TalkTalk on January 8, 2015	Entertainment streaming service	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
119	Blinkist			Read the most important insights from non-fiction books in 15 minutes.	Original Content	Germany
120	Blinu		Product of Inarsoft	Allows publishers to monetize their books through ecommerce tools	Tools & Services	Spain

121	Blio		Customer support discontinued 2014	Books, eBooks, gifts and more - all at great prices	Free	United States
122	Blloon		Closed October 2015	E-book Subscription Service	Subscription	United Kingdom
123	Bluefire Reader			Brandable, white label ereading apps for iOS, Android and Windows	eReader	United States
124	BlueGriffon			A WYSIWYG content editor for the World Wide Web	Tools & Services	France
125	Blue Planet Tales			Interactive storybook app	Children's	Spain
126	Blurb	\$19.05M		Self-publishing platform for illustrated books	Tools & Services	United States
127	Bondfire Books		Website inactive	An epubliher publishing fiction and nonfiction	Original Content	United States
128	BONZOI	\$189k	Last blog entry Oct 2014	Collaborative book publishing & e-commerce platform	Tools & Services	United States
129	Bookarang			Book recommendations based on algorithms	Discovery	Netherlands
130	BookArmy		Shut by HarperCollins UK in 2010	Social networking and book recommendation tool	Social	United States
131	Bookateria			Online Book Discovery Platform from Publishers Lunch and Random House Launch	Discovery	United States
132	BookBaby		AVL Digital family of media businesses	We make it easy to publish your book worldwide	Tools & Services	United States
133	Bookbeat		Launched by Bonnier in 2015	Audiobook retailer	Audio	Sweden
134	Bookbites		Developed with support of Ministry of Children, Education and Equality, The Ministry of Finance and The Association of Local Governments, Denmark.	Digital school library and reading app	Children's	Denmark
135	Bookboard		The Bookboard service has been shutdown	Encourage children to develop a lifelong love for reading	Children's	United States
136	BookBoon			Publishing free quality textbooks written by professors	Free	Denmark
137	BookBox		Last news release March 2012	"AniBooks" to support emergent literacy and language skills	Children's	India
138	BookBoxClub			Physical book subscription box	Subscription	United Kingdom
139	Bookbridgr			Online resource for book-loving bloggers	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
140	BookBub	\$10.8M		Discover free and discounted bestselling ebooks	Free	United States

141	Book Buyback	\$1M	Maintenance enabled at: 2013-03-23	Buy and sell used textbooks with free shipping	Textbooks	United States
142	Bookbyte			Rent, buy, and sell used textbooks	Textbooks	United States
143	BookCities		Last tweet Oct 2013	Find good reads for your travels	Discovery	United States
144	Book Country		Launched and owned by Penguin	Social networks for books	Social	United States
145	Bookcoverpedia			Platform for premade book covers	Tools & Services	Croatia
146	Book Creator			The digital notebook for the 21st Century classroom.	Education	United Kingdom
147	Book Depository		Acquired by amazon.com in 2011	Online bookseller of physical books, offers free shipping worldwide all year round	Retail	United Kingdom
148	Book Engine		Product of Mint Digital	Publishes metadata from a publisher's website onto all their social media accounts	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
149	BookFinder		Acquired by AbeBooks (11/1/05)	Search website that helps readers buy books online	Discovery	United States
150	BookFrenzy Studios			The first video and email marketing agency specifically for authors	Tools & Services	United States
151	BookFuel			Publish now and pay over time with our guided self-publishing options	Tools & Services	United States
152	BookFusion			Read, share, organize, bookmark and sync all your books	Social	Jamaica
153	BookGarage			Self-publishing services and tools for professionals	Tools & Services	Switzerland
154	BookGenie451		Last tweet Oct 2014	Connecting students with relevant content	Education	United States
155	Book Genome Project		see BookLamp	A tool and a resource for finding books	Discovery	United States
156	BookGig		owned by HarperCollins	Listings of author events in the UK	Discovery	United Kingdom
157	BookGlutton		Closed 2013	People can read & discuss books in the cloud	Social	United States
158	BookGorilla			Daily email with the best deals on the best Kindle ebooks	Free	United States
159	Bookhuddle		Out of business	Allow people to discover, organize, and share book information	Social	United States
160	BookieJar		Last tweet June 2014	Social reading platform offers reader-writer connection	Social	United States
161	Bookigee	\$638k	Website shut	Applications & analytics to drive a new book publishing ecosystem	Tools & Services	United States
162	Book in a Box			Authors can outsource the entire writing and publishing process	Tools & Services	United States

163	Bookindy			Get local bookshop prices when you browse Amazon	Retail	United States
164	Bookish		Sold to Zola, then to NetGalley	Gives readers expert book recommendations	Discovery	United States
165	Bookish			Physical book subscription box	Subscription	Spain
166	BookJetty		This site can't be reached	Catalog your books	Discovery	Singapore
167	Bookarma			Social pay-it-forward platform to reach new readers	Social	United States
168	Bookabook			Crowdfunding Italian publisher		Italy
169	BookLamp	\$110k	Acquired by Apple July, 2014 for "between \$10M to \$15M"	Deep metadata book analysis	Tools & Services	United States
170	Bookle			A Mac app designed to let you read your EPUBs on an iMac screen	eReader	United States
171	Bookle.in			India's first online bookstore exclusively for children's books	Children's	India
172	Bookle.org			Search books in the Italian language	Discovery	Italy
173	BookLinker			One link for your book that works for all Amazon stores	Tools & Services	United States
174	BookLikes	\$150k		Blog platform designed for book lovers	Social	Poland
175	Booklive		"This domain is for sale"	In-Flight eBook Service	Retail	Japan
176	BookLogix			We're not a service provider—we're a publisher	Original Content	United States
177	Booklr		Launched 2010, acquired by 'Vook'/'Pronoun' in 2014. Website no longer up	Data & analytics for publishers	Tools & Services	United States
178	BookMachine			The place to meet the people who make publishing happen	Social	United Kingdom
179	Book Marks		Part of Literary Hub	The Rotten Tomatoes for books	Discovery	United States
180	Book Marq		This site can't be reached	Social book discovery app	Discovery	United States
181	Bookmate	\$6.5M		Social reading service and digital library	Social	Russia
182	Bookmetrix		Product of Springer Link	Compiles statistics on books and readers	Tools & Services	Germany
183	BookMob		Acquired by Textbook Rental Canada	Canada's textbook rental destination	Textbooks	Canada

184	BookMooch		Trade your books with other people	Social	United States
185	BookMovement		Book recommendations for book clubs, delivered via email and the web	Discovery	United States
186	Book of Cooks	Website gone	Connecting culinary professionals with foodies	Original Content	United States
187	Bookcollective		One-stop agency for authors, publishers and industry professionals	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
188	Bookopolis		A safe online community for young readers to share favorite books and discover new ones	Children's	United States
189	BookOS	Out of business	The largest ebook library in the world	Retail	
190	Bookrature	\$60k	Ebook publishing and distribution platform	Tools & Services	India
191	Bookoture		Digital publishing platform	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
192	BookOutlet		Online bookseller of deeply discounted physical books (excess stock and slightly damaged books from publishers)	Retail	United States
193	BookOven	Last tweet Aug 2012	Text, reading, & writing in the digital age	Tools & Services	Canada
194	Bookperk	Launched by HarperCollins in 2011	Reading app that offers daily deals on HarperCollins' book catalogue	Discovery	United States
195	Book Planner	Last tweet June 2016	A book project manager for self-published authors	Tools & Services	United States
196	BookPrep-HP	Last FB post April 2012	Allows book publishers to bring back all their out of print books	Tools & Services	United States
197	BookPulse	Last tweet July 2105	A self-service tool for creating online and mobile presence	Tools & Services	Israel
198	BookRenter	Rebranded as Rafter	An online textbook rental site	Textbooks	United States
199	Bookrepublic		Online bookstore and distribution platform specialising in ebooks	Retail	Italy
200	BookRiff	Out of business	Lets readers mix and match licensed content	Original Content	Canada
201	Book Riot		Books and reading -- just as diverse as books and readers are	Discovery	United States
202	BookRix	Last blog entry Sept. 2013	Self-publishing company and online publishing platform for eBooks	Tools & Services	Germany
203	Bookry	Last blog entry Oct 2014	Create interactive widgets for your Multi-Touch books	Tools & Services	United Kingdom

204	Books24x7			A database of e-books in the fields of computing, business, and IT	Education	United States
205	Books4You			Choose what to read based on summaries not cover art	Discovery	Brazil
206	BooksBarter		Site still "Coming Soon"	Buy, sell and rent old books	Retail	India
207	BookScout		"This domain is for sale"	Look up book prices at sites such as Amazon.com, using cell phone or PDA	Retail	United States
208	BookScouter			Sell your textbooks for the most money	Textbooks	United States
209	Bookscreening		Domain for sale	A hub for watching previews of upcoming book releases	Discovery	United States
210	Bookseer		Out of business	Recommends books based on the last one you read	Discovery	United Kingdom
211	BookSellBuy			Free online classified ads for used books	Retail	India
212	Bookselves			App enabling meeting and exchange books in-person	Social	United States
213	Booksfree			Booksfree.com is the oldest online book rental service	Free	United States
214	BooksfreeSwap			A simpler way to swap books and audiobooks online	Social	United States
215	Books From Scratch		Last tweet Oct 2015	A virtual community of writers and readers	Social	United States
216	BooksGoSocial			Social media marketing for authors	Tools & Services	Ireland
217	Bookshorts		see MovingStories.TV	Makes short films inspired by the written word	Tools & Services	Canada
218	BookShots			Pulse-pounding thrillers under \$5 and 150 pages or less	Original Content	United States
219	BookShout	\$9M	Ingram funded	Reading app plus bulk sales	Retail	United States
220	BooksonBoard		Closed April 2013	The largest independent online retailer of eBooks	Retail	United States
221	Bookspan			Our book clubs serve readers with particular interests	Retail	United States
222	Bookstackk			Create and follow personal book collections	Social	United States
223	Books That Work		Out of business	Software guidebooks for home-oriented projects	Original Content	United States
224	Bookstore AR			Augmented reality bookstore app	Retail	United Kingdom

225	BookTrack	\$5M July 2015 from Coent Venture Partners and Sparkbox Ventures		Create a soundtrack for your reading experience	Audio	New Zealand
226	Books You Touch		Website appears inactive @ 2012	We create interactive e-books	Tools & Services	India
227	Bookstream		Closed Jan 2009	Independent wholesaler for independent booksellers	Retail	United States
228	Booksurge		Acquired by Amazon 2005	A pioneer in inventory-free book publishing	Tools & Services	United States
229	Booksquare			App that facilitates exchange of physical books with readers near you	Discovery	France
230	Bookswarm			Website developer for authors, publishers and booksellers	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
231	Booktango		Last tweet 9 Sep 2015	The best royalties, widest distribution, and easiest, fastest...	Tools & Services	United States
232	Bookthisbook			Online book rental platform	Retail	United States
233	BookThug			Publishing the future of literature	Original Content	Canada
234	Bookticker			Promotes Ebook Deals and Discovery	Free	United States
235	Booktiq		Website gone	Book publishing services	Tools & Services	United States
236	BookTrack	\$10M		Add movie-style soundtracks to e-books	Tools & Services	New Zealand
237	Book Trailers for All		Site for sale	The go-to place for children's and YA book trailers	Children's	United States
238	BookTrakr			See your sales for Amazon, Apple, etc. every day in one place	Tools & Services	
239	BookTrix		Last blog entry June 2015	Creative Publishing & Marketing Services	Tools & Services	United States
240	Booktrope	\$1.7M	Closed May 2016	Publishing platform and marketing engine for books of all kinds	Tools & Services	United States
241	Booktype		Sourcefabric product	Create beautiful books for print and digital distribution	Tools & Services	Czech Republic
242	Booku		Closed June, 2013	Book customization service	Tools & Services	United States
243	Bookumenta		Site not available	Tools to tell cinematic, human stories in a digital space	Tools & Services	

244	Bookup.co			"is a totally awesome idea still being worked on"	Unknown	?	Canada
245	BookVerdict				Expert reviews of print and media	Discovery	United States
246	Bookvia			from Datalogics	Epub and PDF reading app with Sony DADC DRM	eReader	United States
247	BookVibe			BookVibe shut down Feb. 2016	Turns Twitter Data into Book Discovery Tool	Discovery	United States
248	Book Weather				Book recommendation app	Discovery	France
249	Bookwire				Book price comparison service	Discovery	United States
250	Bookwire.de				Leading ebook and audiobook distribution platform in Europe and Latin America	Tools & Services	Germany
251	Bookwitty				Bringing books, ideas, and people together	Social	Canada
252	BookWorks				Help authors Prepare, Publish and Promote their books	Tools & Services	United States
253	Bookworm			Closed 2012	A service provider for all the readers, authors and students	Social	Pakistan
254	BookXtra			Last blog entry Sept., 2011	Allows authors and publishers to add accompaniments to a book	Tools & Services	Ireland
255	Booklr	\$500k		Acquired by Pronoun	Data & analytics for publishers	Tools & Services	United States
256	Boomtrain	\$13.97M			AI platform ensures that the most relevant stories reach your users	Tools & Services	United States
257	BoomWriter Media				Allows K-12 Teachers to develop & enhance students' writing	Children's	United States
258	Booqla				Create ebooks without having to download a program or buy a license	Tools & Services	Sweden
259	Boosh			No web presence	Mobile-based 'reader' deletes the e-book once it is read, allowing it to be shared	eReader	United Kingdom
260	BooXtream				Ebook watermarking and distribution platform	eReader	The Netherlands
261	Borne Digital	\$20k		Kickstarter funded	Books that 'grow' in difficulty as kids become better readers	Children's	United States
262	Bonte Books			Last tweet 24 Sep 2010	Brilliantly Bound Photo Books	Tools & Services	United States
263	Boxfiction			Website not found. Last facebook post 2012	Stories published in episodic format	Original Content	United Kingdom
264	Brain Hive			Last press release June, 2014	eBooks on demand for K-12 libraries	Children's	United States

265	Brave New Books			Online self-publishing platform and distributor	Tools & Services	The Netherlands
266	BTwinBooks			Links the paper book to its digital copy	Tools & Services	Spain
267	Bublish			Publishing & marketing platform	Tools & Services	United States
268	Bubo			We make beautiful books with music	Tools & Services	Switzerland
269	Bubok			Self-publishing online platform	Tools & Services	Spain
270	bukbro		Last tweet Jan 2015	Online hangout for both readers and writers	Social	United Kingdom
271	Bukfaze		This site can't be reached	A digital library for ebooks that lets authors get the attention they deserve	Discovery	Philippines
272	Bukium (formerly Liibook)			Digital publishing services for authors	Tools & Services	Argentina
273	Bumba Editorial		*Launch date unknown	Publisher of interactive ebooks for children	Children's	Mexico
274	Buried Books			The best deals on print & ebooks for individual readers	Retail	United States/ Canada
275	Buy1Page		This site can't be reached	Buy individual pages of non-fiction books	Retail	United Kingdom
276	Buzztrace		Ingram funded	Online software that helps authors build their brand	Tools & Services	United States
277	byeink		Last blog entry 2014	Your first online ebook editor	Tools & Services	Spain
278	Byliner	\$1M	Acquired by 'Vook' /Pronoun September, 2014	Publishes original fiction and non-fiction e-shorts	Original Content	United States
279	Calaméo			Publishing Platform for Documents and Magazines	Tools & Services	France
280	Calibre			The one stop solution for all your e-book needs	eReader	United States
281	Callaway Digital Arts	\$6M		Publishes lifestyle and children's apps	Children's	United States
282	Callisto Media			Utilizes algorithms to mine big data for topics of consumer interest	Tools & Services	United States
283	Call Me Ishmael			Leave me a message about a book you love	Social	United States
284	CampusBookRentals		See Sidewalk	Rent your textbooks and enjoy free shipping BOTH ways	Textbooks	United States
285	Canelo			Dedicated to finding exciting fiction and non-fiction for release as ebooks, apps and on the web	Original Content	United Kingdom

286	Capstone Digital		An ebook collection designed for the unique needs of school libraries	Children's	United States
287	Capti Narrator		Listen to everything you want to read	Audio	United States
288	La Cartuchera		Publishing poems in a video game format	Children's	Spain
289	Cathysbook	Last tweet Sept. 2014	Follow Cathy's mysterious adventures through clues left in her journal	Children's	United States
290	Chafie	Website gone	Invest in an author from the ground up.	Tools & Services	United States
291	Chameleon	Last tweet May 2015	A next-generation, 21st century publishing company	Original Content	United States
292	Chegg	Nov. 2013 IPO; trading at 35% of IPO price	Search free scholarships, browse course reviews, get 24/7 study help and rent textbooks	Textbooks	United States
293	Chinese Cubes	Last tweet 24 Dec 2014	ChineseCUBES is committed to teaching you Chinese	Education	Republic of China, Taiwan
294	Christian Manuscript Submissions		An online manuscript submission service	Tools & Services	United States
295	CINE-BOOKS	Relaunch (Last tweet May 2015)	We want to change book publishing forever	Original Content	Ukraine
296	Circular Software		Specializing in software for publishers	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
297	Citia	\$2.8M	Mobile-first multi-channel publishing platform with social built-in	Tools & Services	United States
298	CityShelf		Find what's in stock at your neighborhood bookstores	Retail	United States
299	Clippings.me	Formerly Cuttings.me	Free portfolio tool for journalists, bloggers and writers	Tools & Services	Singapore
300	Code Meet Print		We help storytellers build digital products and sustainable businesses	Tools & Services	United States
301	Collibris		Subscription service for physical books, social media app for readers and online literary magazine	Social	France
302	Coliloquy	Launched 2011, acquired by 'Vook'/'Pronoun' 2014	Helping authors to think about how digital technologies could enable them to write	Tools & Services	United States
303	Collate It	This site can't be reached	Designed to make the book proofing process easier	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
304	Collca	Last tweet July 214	Publishes bite size ebooks on many subjects	Original Content	United Kingdom

305	College Book Renter	\$10M	This site can't be reached	Allowing students to rent, buy and sell their college textbooks online	Textbooks	United States
306	ComicBlitz			Netflix for comic books'	eReader	United States
307	Comic Book Trailers			Videos used to promote comic books	Marketing	United States
308	Comixology	\$2.85M	Acquired by Amazon 2014; price undisclosed	Cloud-based digital comics platform	Retail	United States
309	Commentpress		Website gone	Allows readers to comment in the margins of an online text	Tools & Services	United States
310	CompletelyNovel			Publishing platform to help indie authors publish & sell beautiful print books	Retail	United Kingdom
311	Conlicencia.com			Online platform that allows you to seek permission & obtain rights to photocopy and digitalize already published content	Tools & Services	Spain
312	Constellation			A complete digital solution for independent publishers	Tools & Services	United States
313	Contentment		Last tweet Feb 2016	Beautifully simple mobile publishing	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
314	ContentOro	\$450k		Selling book content to websites	Retail	United States
315	Cookbook Cafe			Anyone can publish, market and sell their own cookbook	Tools & Services	United States
316	Cookstr		Acquired by Macmillan, Jan, 2014; no price given	The world's best collection of cookbook recipes available online	Original Content	United States
317	Copia		Abandoned hardware	Ereaders and tablets	eReader	United States
318	Copia Class			A socially-driven digital content platform for education	Education	United States
319	Courseload	\$1.64M	Purchased by Unizin July 2015	Provides textbooks and other resources in digital form	Education	United States
320	CourseSmart		Sold to Ingram	A provider of eTextbooks and digital course materials	Education	United States
321	CourseYard	\$220k	Product: Aatoria	Web-based platform for authoring, publishing and distribution of interactive materials	Tools & Services	Germany
322	CoverCake		Last tweet Jan 2016	Focused on title discovery and analytics that can track book trends	Discovery	United States
323	Coverlist		See ReadThisNext	A book discovery site that replicates a book list experience	Discovery	United States
324	Crave			App for reading romance novels paired with videos, graphics, and real-time text messaging	eReader	United States

325	Cream eBooks		This site can't be reached	Publish and sell your digital books	Tools & Services	Spain
326	Credo Reference			An information skills solutions provider serving educational institutions worldwide	Education	United States/ United Kingdom
327	Crocodoc		Acquired by Box, May, 2013	The best way to display documents in web and mobile apps	eReader	United States
328	CrossBooks		Closed April 2015	A Christian self-publishing operation	Tools & Services	United States
329	CrowdBooks			Crowdfunding platform for authors	Tools & Services	Italy
330	Crowd Books			Publishing platform specialized in producing illustrated books	Tools & Services	
331	Crowded Fiction			What if ebooks and fiction were more like video games?	eReader	United States
332	Crowdscribd			Crowdfunding platform for authors	Marketing	United States
333	CrowdtheBook		Website gone. last tweet Nov 2014	Crowdfunding publisher of indie titles	Original Content	United States
334	Cursor/Red Lemonade		Last activity on site fall 2014	A social platform that powers independent publishers	Social	United States
335	Custos Media Technologies	\$684k		Turning the downloaders against the uploaders to fight piracy	Tools & Services	South Africa
336	Cylapp		Last tweet Jan 2015	Publisher of interactive eBooks	Original Content	France
337	Daily Lit/Plympton		Acquired by Plympton 02-2013	Lets you read literary classics and great new fiction in short installments	Original Content	United States
338	Daisy Labs			Enterprise-class monetization & engagement solutions for content	Retail	United States
339	DeantaGlobal			Speicalizes in digital professional, academic, STM and legal publishing	Tools & Services	Ireland
340	Deca			Award-winning journalists bringing deeply reported stories to digital formats	Original Content	United States
341	Deedjo			Platform that amalgamates social media posts, articles etc made by and about your favourite authors	Original Content	France
342	DeepShelf		Website gone	Read short stories directly from leading authors for \$1 each	Original Content	Israel
343	De Marque			A leader in the field of digital book distribution	Retail	Canada
344	Demibooks	\$533k	Bought by Educational Development, 09-15	iPad-based app development platform	Tools & Services	United States
345	Democrasoft		Out of business	Cloud-based software that enables online collaboration	Tools & Services	United States

346	Describli		Helping Readers and Writers Connect	Social	United States
347	desLibris		A delivery platform for books from and about Canada	Retail	Canada
348	Diesel Ebooks	Closed 2014	Indie e-book retailer	Retail	United States
349	Diesel Digital	Resumption of Diesel Ebooks	Build a branded, custom built, ebook store	Retail	United States
350	DigiBooks4All		The white-label e-bookstore Infrastructure provider	Retail	Greece
351	DigiBook	Last news 2011	Software to create a digital photo album	Tools & Services	Japan
352	Digimarc	IPO 1999	Protecting, deterring piracy and asserting ownership of digital content	Tools & Services	United States
353	Digital BookTalk.net	Site appears inactive; no twitter handle	Creating a community of avid readers, one video at a time	Discovery	United States
354	Digitallee		Book loaning service for libraries and private publishers	Free	Mexico
355	Digitalia	*Founded in 2007	Digital library	Education	United States
356	Direct Textbook		A textbook search and price comparison service	Textbooks	United States
357	Discover My Books	Website gone	Social media marketing and commerce for authors	Marketing	
358	Distee	Last tweet March 2015	Distribute your ebooks in just 3 clicks	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
359	Diversion Books		Indie publisher, combining trad. experience with new digital strategies	Tools & Services	United States
360	Docmine		A creative studio taking factual storytelling to the digital age	Original Content	Germany
361	Dog Ear Publishing		Helping you create, write and publish the book of your dreams	Tools & Services	United States
362	DOG0books	(Website Gone) Website now active	Platform for book review by and for kids	Children's	United States
363	Domino Project	Last tweet 15 Sep 2015	A publishing experiment from Seth Godin	Original Content	United States
364	Dosdoce.com		Analyses and publishes reports on trends in the cultural sector	Original Content	Spain
365	dotbooks GmbH		eBook publisher	Original Content	Germany
366	dotdotdot	No longer on iTunes	Reading app	eReader	Germany
367	dotEPUB		Download any webpage as an e-book	eReader	Spain

368	Draft			Easy version control and collaboration to improve your writing	Tools & Services	United States
369	Draft2Digital			Distribution to retailers for self-published authors	Retail	United States
370	DraftQuest			Online creative writing tool	Tools & Services	France
371	Duotrope			A subscription-based service for writers	Subscription	United States
372	E-junkie Shopping Cart			Sell digital downloads with our simple shopping cart	Retail	United States
373	E-Libro			eReader platform for books from different academic disciplines	eReader	United States
374	E-Reads		Acquired by Open Road 2014	Independent e-book publisher	Original Content	United States
375	Eat Your Books			A community of cookbook lovers	Social	United States
376	eBook-lr		Website gone	offers eBook publishing software to publishers	Tools & Services	France
377	eBook Architects			Provides ebook formatting consultancy services	Tools & Services	United States
378	eBook Discovery			The best Free and Bargain ebook deals	Free	United States
379	EBookFling		"This site can't be reached"	Kindle and Nook e-book swapping & lending service	Social	United States
380	Ebook Glue	\$20k	Run by Arizona State University students	Turn your documents, blog posts, and web pages into digital books	Tools & Services	United States
381	Ebook Head		Domain available for sale	Find new ebooks	Discovery	Spain
382	eBookIt			Ebook conversion, distribution & promotion	Tools & Services	United States
383	Ebook Library (EBL)			Ebook aggregator, serving academic and research libraries	Retail	Australia
384	eBookopoly		Last tweet July 2012	Professional ebook formatting and conversions for new authors	Tools & Services	United States
385	eBookPie	\$50k	Became Slicebooks	Ebook store platform enables publishers and authors to resell whole ebooks	Retail	United States
386	eBookPlus		Last tweet Feb. 2013	Connects Readers, Publishers and Authors with advertisers	Marketing	United States
387	eBooksAreForever		Last tweet Sept. 2015	Makes it easy for libraries to permanently own ebooks	Education	United States
388	eBooks.com			Delivering digital books in multiple formats	Tools & Services	Australia
389	eBooks2go			Ebook publisher and distributor	Tools & Services	United States

390	eBooks in Motion	\$700k		Automated M-Learning Production Technology	Tools & Services	United States
391	Ebook Solutions			We are a team that are passionate about helping authors	Tools & Services	United States
392	Ebook-Solutions			Providers of quality, inexpensive, downloadable eBooks	Original Content	United States
393	eBook Systems		"This site can't be reached"	Ebook maker program	Tools & Services	Singapore
394	eBook Technologies		Acquired by Google, 1-2011, no price given	Technologies that enable automated publishing and control over content distribution.	Tools & Services	United States
395	ebookwise		Closed 2011	Ebookwise-1150 e-reader	eReader	United States
396	ebrary		Sold to ProQuest 2011	Supply libraries and patrons with academic and professional ebooks	Retail	United States
397	Ebrolis			Retailer of discounted eBooks	Retail	Puerto Rico
398	eCampus			Textbooks Easy. Fast. Cheap!	Textbooks	United States
399	Ediciones de la U			Digital publisher specialising in professional training and education tools	Education	Colombia
400	EditGiant			Order low-cost editing services online	Tools & Services	United States
401	Editia			A digital first publishing business	Original Content	Australia
402	EDIT INTERNATIONAL		Site hacked, shut down	A publishing services solutions company	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
403	EditionGuard			Ebook retail platform with secure and robust DRM	Retail	United States
404	Edition One Books			Specialized in creating high-quality custom books for art and design professionals	Tools & Services	United States
405	Editions at Play			A sprawling Library of Possibilities from Visual Editions and Google's Creative Lab	Original Content	United Kingdom
406	Editorial Ink			Mexico's first 100% digital publishing house.	Original Content	Mexico
407	Editorially		Last tweet July 2014	Collaborative writing platform	Original Content	United States
408	Editorial Pipoca			Publisher of interactive ebooks for children	Children's	Brazil
409	EduPub		mybestseller.com company	Self-publishing platform aimed at teachers	Tools & Services	The Netherlands
410	eLaunchBook		Product of eTechs & Compagnie. Last facebook post 2013	Platform that allows author to manage marketing of their work on social media	Marketing	France

411	Electric Book Works			New and better ways to publish in emerging markets	Tools & Services	South Africa
412	Electric Yarn			A next generation content studio	Original Content	United States
413	Eleven		Sign up for early access	You read for free and the authors get paid (via ads)	Free	United States
414	El Placer de la Lectura			Online reading community	Social	Spain
415	Emanata		Website gone	Discover interesting short visual stories and comics on mobile devices.	Original Content	United States
416	Emma Books			Digital publisher of romance novels	Original Content	Italy
417	Enskri			Powering white label personalization for digital gifting	Retail	United States
418	Epic	\$1.4M		A new world of reading for kids 12 and under	Children's	United States
419	Enthrill Distribution		Firebrand acquired IP Jan/17	Providing content delivery & fulfillment solutions to the publishing industry	Retail	Canada
420	Entitle (formerly eReatah)	\$5.3M	Closed July, 2015	Money-saving e-book subscription service	Subscription	United States
421	Entrelectores			Social media platform for readers	Social	Spain
422	ePlatform			eBook lending system empowering schools and libraries across the world	Free	New Zealand
423	epubBooks			Read the best free ebooks on any device	Free	United Kingdom
424	ePubDirect (now Vearsa)		See Vearsa	International ebook distribution	Retail	Ireland
425	epubli			We offer print as well as ebook publishing and distribution	Retail	Germany
426	ePubNow		Last tweet Nov 2014	eBooks Production Platform	Tools & Services	India
427	eReader		Acquired by Motricity Sept., 2003	Ebook retailer	Retail	United States
428	eReaderIQ		dropped from Amazon affiliate program June-16	A price tracking service for Kindle books	Free	United States
429	Ereading.com		Failed to launch in 2015	Online bookstore with 22 million new and used books	Retail	United States
430	ereads		Acquired by Open Road Media, 2014	Ebook publisher	Original Content	United States
431	eRead Technologies		Site gone	See Ereading.com	?	United States
432	eReatah		Now named Entitle	Ebook Subscription Service	Subscription	United States
433	Erudition Digital			Beautifully crafted digital reads	Original Content	United Kingdom

434	Espresso		Books printed in minutes at point of sale	Tools & Services	United States
435	eStories		A premium audiobook service at low prices, offers 80K titles	Audio	United States
436	eThéâtre	Product of eTechs & Compagnie. Last facebook post 2013	App that has the full text of classic plays and helps users memorise lines.	Free	France
437	Ether Books		A mobile social reading platform, connecting writers and readers	Social	United Kingdom
438	Eucalyptus	No longer on iOS app store	20,000 free classic English-language books in the palm of your hand	Free	United States
439	Europa Apps	Last facebook post Feb 2015	Digital children's publisher	Children's	France
440	Evershelf		App to help you to organize your books	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
441	Evident Point		Provider of professional digital publishing solutions worldwide	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
442	eWowBooks	This site can't be reached	We create & convert great books into interactive stories	Original Content	United Kingdom
443	Exact Editions		Books in a new digital format specifically for the institutional market	Original Content	United Kingdom
444	Exciting Press		Exciting. Digital. Literature.	Original Content	United States
445	Expanded Books	This site can't be reached	Brings you exclusive trailers & interviews with bestselling authors	Marketing	United States
446	Express Reads	Last tweet Aug 2015	Allows you to rent, subscribe or purchase ebooks	Subscription	United Kingdom
447	Exprima Media	Now Neologic	Effective and engaging educational apps	Education	United States
448	Fable Learning (formerly StarWalk Kids Media)	Closing down June 2017, division of Isabella Products	eBooks and edtech tools to schools, libraries, and families	Education	United States
449	FACARDE		Publishing Augmented Experiences	Original Content	Australia
450	Fanfiction.net		Automated fan fiction archive site	Social	United States
451	FanStory		Feedback For Your Writing	Social	United States
452	The Fantastic Flying Books of Mr. Morris Lessmore		A film and an app about a character who loves books	Children's	United States
453	FarFaria		Ebook subscription service for children	Subscription	United States
454	FastPencil	Courier sold back to owner	Turn notes & notebooks into novels & ebooks	Tools & Services	United States

455	Feedbooks			Ebook retailer, connected to an ecosystem of social networks	Retail	France
456	Fiberead			We Get Indie Authors Published in Foreign Marketplaces	Tools & Services	China
457	FictFact		Last blog entry Dec 2014	A tracking site focused on book series	Marketing	United States
458	FictionBrigade		Kickstarter-funded, now defunct	Online literary magazine that publishes flash fiction	Original Content	United States
459	FictionDB			Providing the best possible fiction reference information	Discovery	United States
460	FictionPress		See FanFiction.Net	A showcase of fiction writing and poetry	Discovery	United States
461	Fictionwise		Acquired by Barnes & Noble 2009	Was one of the largest electronic book sellers in North America	Retail	United States
462	Fidus Writer			The all in one solution for collaborative academic writing	Tools & Services	Chile/Germay
463	Figment			A community to share writing	Social	United States
464	Figshare			Cloud solutions for researches and publishers	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
465	Find My Audience	\$2.2M		Data-driven audience discovery and social engagement dashboard	Social	United States
466	Findings		This site can't be reached	Collect, share, discuss and discover highlights from ebooks	Social	United States
467	Fingerprint	\$20M		A mobile education/entertainment platform for kids	Children's	United States
468	Finitiv		Last blog entry Nov 2014	Collections-based ebooks subscription offerings	Subscription	United States
469	Firebrand			Metadata and other data services to publishers	Tools & Services	United States
470	FirstyFish		Last tweet 2011	The UK's independent eBookstore	Retail	United Kingdom
471	Flatbooks		Last tweet December, 2013	Great instructional ebooks for a range of interests	Original Content	United States/ New Zealand
472	FlatLeaf		Closed 2012	Ebook subscription service	Subscription	United States
473	Flat World Education	\$35.7M		Open access textbooks	Education	United States
474	Flexedo	Funding from Oséo	Last tweet 2014. Website only displays contact info.	Works with publishers to digitize their books and distribute to online retailers	Tools & Services	France
475	Flipintu			Mobile publishing platform for books, eBooks, articles and reviews	Tools & Services	Germany
476	FlipViewer Xpress			Software designed to deliver content in an online page-turning format (FlipBooks)	Tools & Services	Singapore

477	Flooved	\$600k	Last tweet Nov 2013	A huge online library of quality open access content	Original Content	United Kingdom
478	Folium Partners	\$300k		Enhanced media book app creation and distribution	Tools & Services	United States
479	Folklor			Social media app for fans to discover and discuss movies, tv shows, video games, Youtube videos and books	Social	France
480	Freebooksy		See also Written Word Media	We post a free ebook at least once a day	Free	United States
481	Freedfiction		Website and social media accounts deleted	Digital intereactive novels for young adults	Children's	United Kingdom
482	Freeenters		Ingram funded	Students: Stop Printing Paper. Start Printing Money.	Education	United States
483	FreeTextbooks.com	\$120k		Our student influencers buy, rent, and sell textbooks among their peers	Textbooks	United States
484	Fublish		Product of MobileVeda	MOBILE publishing platform for books, magazines and journals	Tools & Services	India
485	The Fussy Librarian			Emails you with the ebooks matching your unique interests	Discovery	United States
486	Futureproofs			Address the proofing problems you experience every day	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
487	Ganxy			Promote and sell your ebooks and digital content	Marketing	United States
488	Gatekeeper Press			Full-service self publishing platform for ebooks and print	Tools & Services	United States
489	Gazette		"Gazette's last issue was sent on April 25, 2014"	Subscribing to web sites should be easy	Subscription	United States
490	Gerty			App to read your books and record great memories	Discovery	Malta
491	getAbstract			2- to 5-page summaries of the world's best business books	Original Content	Switzerland
492	Ghost			A publishing platform for professional bloggers	Tools & Services	Singapore
493	Ginkgotree	\$3.43M		All your course materials together at last	Education	United States
494	GitBook	100k		The simplest way to turn an idea into a book	Tools & Services	France
495	Glasstree		Owned by Lulu.com	Self-publishing dedicated to the academic community	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
496	Glipho		An awesome website used to live here	Share your stories, read new ones	Social	United Kingdom

497	Globe			Free ebook app	Free	Canada
498	Glose			A social reading platform	Social	France
499	Glossi.com		This site can't be reached	Publishing platform for digital magazines	Tools & Services	United States
500	Goodreads	\$2.75M	Sold to Amazon.com for \$150 Million	Lets users track and rate books and network with other readers	Social	United States
501	Google Books			Search the full text of books	Discovery	United States
502	Google Play			Google ebookstore (and other content)	Retail	United States
503	Graphiclly	\$10M	Acquired by Blurb on May 27, 2014	Workflow integration, self-publishing, digital distribution and promotion for digital content	Tools & Services	United States
504	Greenlvory		Last tweet 2014	Get a beautiful digital replica of a publication in a matter of minutes	Retail	United States
505	Greenleaf			Dedicated to Independent Authors and Small Presses	Social	United States
506	Grammata			eReader manufacutrer	eReader	Spain
507	Grandes Libros		Launched by Grupo VI-DA in 2016	Spanish reader community social app	Social	Argentina
508	GRIDS Interactive		Web site gone	Bringing original ideas and stories to life	Original Content	United States
509	Guides.co	\$500k	Formerly Accel.io	Container: "an e-book, a blog, and a website all mashed into one."	Tools & Services	Canada
510	Gumroad			An all-in-one solution to sell your work and grow your audience	Tools & Services	United States
511	Gutenberg Technology		Several ebook products	A solution for multi-device digital publishing of interactive book apps	Tools & Services	France
512	Gutenberg-e			Distinguished scholarship delivered with creative use of digital technology	Discovery	United States
513	H2O		No news past product announcement	Adaptable Digital Textbooks	Education	United States
514	Hachette Digital		HarperCollins imprint	Hachette Digital is the imprint responsible for publishing in electronic formats	Original Content	United States
515	Happy About			A quick2publish book publisher	Tools & Services	United States
516	HarperStudio		HarperCollins imprint. Closed spring 2010	HarperStudio was a laboratory for some of publishing's newest ideas	Discovery	United States
517	The Hawaii Project			A personalized book discovery engine	Discovery	United States
518	Head and The Hand Press			Create innovative relationships between authors and the work they produce	Social	United States

519	Helicon Books			We accelerate and promote the innovative EPUB3 technology	Tools & Services	Israel
520	Hello Me, It's You		Published a book of submissions in 2016	Website that publishes letters written by 17-24 year olds with mental health issues addressed to their 16 year old selves	Original Content	United Kingdom
521	Higosoft PDF to EPUB Converter		Last tweet Dec 2011	PDF to EPUB converter	Tools & Services	China
522	Hiptype		Closed Jan 2014	Provides analytics and advertising capabilities to eBook platforms	Tools & Services	United States
523	Holocene		No trace online	The Holocene is a digital micro-magazine for do-it-yourselfers	Original Content	Canada
524	Hooked	\$1.9M	From Telepathic	Lets you read amazing chat stories FREE	Original Content	United States
525	Hoopla			Instantly borrow free eBooks and more with your library card	Free	United States
526	HRxpress			Online self-publishing platform aimed at HR professionals	Tools & Services	The Netherlands
527	Humble Bundle			Pay what you want, DRM-free , multi-format, support charity	Retail	United States
528	Hummingbird			Now you can sell e-books, anywhere, anytime. For free.	Retail	United States
529	Hurix Systems	\$5.1M		Leading digital content solutions provider to global educational publishers	Education	India
530	Hybrid Publishing Lab			New concepts and technologies with a focus on the humanities	Tools & Services	Germany
531	Hyperink		Last tweet Apr 2013	Great ebooks from top experts and bloggers	Original Content	United States
532	Hypothes.is			An open platform for discussion on the web	Social	United States
533	iAmplify	\$6M		Simple web-based tools to publish paid audio and video content	Audio	United States
534	iAuthor			An interactive book discovery and promotion platform	Discovery	United Kingdom
535	Ibiidi			Aspiring to be the leading online bookseller in the world	Retail	United Kingdom
536	iClassics			An interactive, illustrated, digital library	Original Content	Spain
537	iDoLVine		Last tweet Oct 2011	Autograph and live face-to-face online experience	Marketing	United States/ Canada
538	iDreamBooks		Still in business	We are like Rotten Tomatoes or Metacritic of the book world	Marketing	United States

539	iFactory			Interactive solutions for higher education, not-for-profit, and healthcare	Tools & Services	United States
540	iFlipd	\$810k		Rent e-books, share them with others, and get rewarded in the process	Retail	United States
541	iKnowabc		Product of Take Pride Learning	Interactive children's ebooks and apps for K-12 students and teachers	Education	United States
542	InBooks		Error establishing a database connection	A community-oriented discovery/ecommerce platform for books and other media	Discovery	United States
543	Indie Libros		Launched by Grupo VI-DA in 2015	Self-publishing platform for authors specializing in epub format	Tools & Services	Argentina
544	Indiegogo			The Largest Global Crowdfunding & Fundraising Site Online	Marketing	United States
545	IndieReader			Helping authors with editing, cover design, and formatting	Tools & Services	United States
546	IndieWrites			Community for professional authors and passionate readers	Social	United States
547	Infinity Publishing			The easiest and most comprehensive self-publishing experience	Tools & Services	United States
548	Ingram Spark		Product of Ingram Content Group	All-in-one self-publishing platform	Tools & Services	United States
549	Inkbok		Last tweet Apr 2014	Read unlimited books and more	Subscription	United States
550	Inkitt		Undisclosed financing	Read and fall in love with novels before they go mainstream	Discovery	Germany
551	Inklewriter			Helps writers tell interactive tales with the minimum of fuss	Original Content	United Kingdom
552	Inkling	\$55.1M		Connecting company's audiences with the knowledge they need	Original Content	United States
553	Ink Monster			Publishers of books, creators of worlds and kickers of ass	Original Content	United States
554	InkPraise		Last tweet Jan 2013	Designed to mass market the highest quality literature	Marketing	United States
555	Inkshares			Publishing books selected by readers	Original Content	United States
556	Inkspired			A tool for emerging writers to crowd fund amazing serial stories	Marketing	Ecuador
557	Inktera		Last tweet Mar 2015	Find and purchase today's most popular ebook titles wherever/ whenever you want	Retail	United States
558	Inkubate			Data analytics platform designed to identify successful content	Tools & Services	United States

559	inReads		Last tweet Jun 2013	An online community dedicated to the changing face of reading	Social	United States
560	INscribe Digital		Bought by IPG-July/16	Ebook and print distribution	Retail	United States
561	Intellogo			Brings Machine Learning to Book Recommendations	Discovery	Canada
562	instaFreebie		A project of Libboo, Inc.	Simple ebook giveaways that you control	Free	United States
563	Instaread	\$1.66M		Key messages of any book in minutes	Original Content	United States
564	Internet Brands			Publishes Nolo Press and Fodor's online and in print	Original Content	United States
565	Interweave			Publisher of high quality art and craft books	Original Content	United States
566	Intuary		Last tweet Jul 2011	See FarFaria	?	United States
567	iPress			Create & publish content of all kinds	Original Content	France
568	iPublishCentral		from Impelsys	The world's most comprehensive read to learn platform	Retail	United States/ India
569	iShook			Ebooks with social media all in one (app)	Social	United States
570	iShop Mixup Educación			Online retailer of academic ebooks	Education	Mexico
571	issuu	\$20.25M		Find and share the magazines, catalogs and publications	Discovery	United States
572	iUniverse		Part of Author Solutions	Paid publishing services	Tools & Services	United States
573	Jellybooks			A free, publisher-sponsored, service for exploring and sharing books	Discovery	United Kingdom
574	JibJab E-Book Platform		See StoryBots	Photos of family members integrated into videos to dance and sing	Tools & Services	United States
575	Join Book Club		See Novellic	Find a book, join a club, make friends	Social	United Kingdom
576	Joliprint		Closed 1-4-2013	A web and mobile app that saves web pages as PDF for reading later	Tools & Services	France
577	Joosr		No social media posts since December 2016	Non-fiction book summary app	Original Content	United Kingdom
578	Jottify		This site can't be reached	An award-winning online community for writers	Social	United Kingdom
579	Jouve			Cross-media solutions for designing, showcasing & distributing content	Retail	France
580	Juggernaut Books			Indian ebook publisher	Discovery	India

581	JukePop			Books are released bit-by-bit, collecting votes, earning rewards	Original Content	United States
582	Kadaxis			Create better connections between readers and books	Social	United States
583	Kbuuk		Last blog entry Dec 2014	Free ebook publishing for enterprising independent authors	Tools & Services	United States
584	Kickstarter			World's largest funding platform for creative projects	Marketing	United States
585	KiteReaders	\$50k		Interactive multimedia ebooks and apps for kids, ages 3-8	Children's	United States
586	KiwiTech	\$4.7M		A mobile application development firm	Tools & Services	India/United States
587	Kladdebuchverlag			Crowdfunding publisher	Tools & Services	Germany
588	Kno	\$75M	Acquired by Intel 2013	Hardware and software offering digital textbooks	Education	United States
589	Knowledge Unlatched			A sustainable open future for specialist scholarly books	Education	United Kingdom
590	Kobo	\$79M	Acquired by Rakuten for \$315M	Ebook reader and bookstore	Retail	Canada
591	Komilibro			Book recommendation app	Discovery	Spain
592	Koobsy			Indie Titles Recommended by Indie Authors	Discovery	United Kingdom
593	Koober			App that provides book summaries that can be read in 20 minutes or less	Discovery	France
594	Kortext			Digital textbook retailer	Textbooks	United Kingdom
595	KwikStori		Product of eTechs & Compagnie	Digital publisher of photo and art books	Original Content	France
596	L'Apprimerie			eBook publisher of children's lit and YA fiction	Original Content	France
597	LAD Custom Publishing			The leading course pack company in the United States	Education	United States
598	La Kube			Curated physical book subscription box	Subscription	France
599	La Lectora Futura			Online book community for authors, booksellers and publishing professionals	Social	Mexico
600	Last Seen Online			A real-time story told through a messenger app	Original Content	United Kingdom
601	Leafless	\$345k		Helps readers with great taste find writers with great work	Discovery	United States

602	LeafLit			Enriching reading with images, illustrations, Wiki, media, and more	Tools & Services	United States
603	Leamos		Launched by Grupo VI-DA in 2015	Ebook subscription service & social media platform	Social	Argentina
604	Learn Forward			Making the Digital Classroom Work	Education	United States
605	Leanpub			Publish Early, Publish Often	Tools & Services	Canada
606	Lebrary.com		Website gone	Portal for Aspiring Writers to get their work published	Tools & Services	
607	Lektu			Platform for finding ebooks, audiobooks etc without DRM coding	Discovery	Spain
608	Leiturinha			Subscription service for children's physical books and bonus digital content	Children's	Brazil
609	Lelivro		Last tweet Sept. 2015	Helps authors sell their e-books directly to their readers	Retail	United States
610	Lesdedicaces			Search engine aimed at booksellers, authors and publishers	Discovery	France
611	LexParadigm		This site can't be reached	Enterprise content management systems for the publishing industry	Tools & Services	United States
612	Libboo		see instaFreebie	Reward your fans by giving them free copies of your books	Free	United States
613	Libelista			Online retailer with stock from independent bookstores	Retail	Spain
614	Libertrary (Booktrope)		see Booktrope	A free "book reading" site	Free	United States
615	Libib			A home library cataloging app	Tools & Services	United States
616	Libranda			Spanish language ebook marketing and distribution	Tools & Services	Spain
617	Library for All	\$100k	Kickstarter-funded	A digital library platform for developing countries	Education	United States
618	Library Ideas		Online presence uncertain	Provide turnkey digital solutions to libraries around the world	Education	United States
619	Library Thing		also TinyCat	A personal online book catalog and discovery tool	Tools & Services	United States
620	LibreDigital			Innovative technologies for digital publishing	Tools & Services	United States
621	Librero Gutenberg			Social media platform for readers	Social	Mexico
622	Librify	?	Ingram invested 2014; bought by Scribd June 2015	Share your reading experience with friends	Social	United States
623	Librinova			Self-publishing platform and distributor	Tools & Services	France

624	Librios		Information management platform designed for companies in the arts	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
625	LibriVox		Audiobooks that are free and in the public domain in the USA	Audio	United States/ Canada
626	Libro.fm		The go-to digital audiobook site for indie bookstore customers	Audio	United States
627	Librotea	Product of El País	Online reading community where readers can curate personal libraries	Social	Spain
628	LightLibrary	Last tweet May 2013	Provide discounted digital versions of your hard copy books	Retail	United States
629	Liibook	\$70.05k	A peer-to-peer publishing network	Tools & Services	Argentina
630	LiquidBlox		Create modern digital publications	Tools & Services	Finland
631	liquidbooks	Website gone	A series of open experimental digital 'books'	Original Content	India
632	LiquidText		Improves the way you read, annotate, and research on the iPad	Tools & Services	United States
633	Litcoin	Domain for sale	See also "Litcoins" at Reader's Legacy	?	United States
634	Literary Hub		A place for writers, readers et al to congregate and celebrate literary culture	Social	United States
635	Literrater	Last tweet 24 Dec 2014	Social network for writers and readers	Social	United States
636	LitFire		We make book publishing fast, convenient, and easy	Tools & Services	United States
637	Lithomobilus	Last blog post Oct 2015	A new kind of e-book platform that enables new narrative forms	Original Content	United States
638	LitPick		A free online reading and writing program	Discovery	United States
639	Litsy		A place to discover and share your favorite books	Discovery	United States
640	Literaudio		Company that converts printed books into audiobooks	Audio	Spain
641	Little Smart Planet		Reading apps for kids	Children's	Spain
642	Live Ink		Unique, brain-friendly formatting for more efficient reading	Tools & Services	United States
643	Livrada	\$1.41M	Bulk e-book distribution service provider	Retail	United States
644	Livre-mois		Subscription service for physical books	Subscription	France
645	Log.Os		Digital universal library, marketplace and social network in one'	Social	Germany

646	Lost My Name	\$13M	Layoffs in 7/16	Tech+Storytelling+Personalisation	Children's	United Kingdom
647	Loud Crow		Last tweet Sept. 2015	Award-winning interactive children's content	Children's	Canada
648	Love to Learn		from Pearson; website gone	Online learning for adults on a variety of leisure-related topics	Original Content	United Kingdom
649	L-Pub			Developers of new eBook format L-Book, an improvement on the .ePub	Tools & Services	Germany
650	LuaBook			Physical and digital interactive children's books	Children's	Colombia
651	Ludibuk			...Digital library experience for K-12 Spanish readers'	Education	Chile
652	Lulu.com			Create, publish and sell your book for free	Tools & Services	United States
653	Luminary Digital Media			Research-based mobile learning experiences	Education	United States
654	Luzme			Luzme watches the prices so you don't have to	Free	United States
655	MacGuffin		Launched by Comma Press	Self-publishin platform for short stories and poetry in text and audio and text formats	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
656	Madefire	\$9.92M		A revolutionary comic book reading experience for mobile	Original Content	United States
657	Made in Me			Design, build and publish award-winning content	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
658	MAADMAGZ			Magazine self-publishing platform	Tools & Services	France
659	Magcloud			A content publishing web service	Tools & Services	United States
660	Magellan Books			THE no-cost, royalty-paying, publishing solution	Tools & Services	Australia
661	MagicBlox			A huge online children's book library	Children's	United States
662	MangoReader			Turn reading into your child's favorite activity	Children's	India
663	Mantano Reader			Best-in-class EPUB and PDF ebook reader	eReader	France
664	Manuscritics			Online manuscript focusgroup	Tools & Services	Spain
665	Marquee	\$120K		A professional, easy to use, multimedia storytelling platform	Tools & Services	United States
666	Marvin		from Appstafarian	An ebook reader for people who are passionate about their books	eReader	Malta
667	MAZ			Allows content creators to be wherever users are	Discovery	United States
668	mBook			Browser based textbooks	Education	Germany

669	Medallion Media Group			Dynamic multimedia entertainment	Original Content	United States
670	Media Cooler Innovations		This site can't be reached	Powering your content marketplace	Retail	Canada
671	MediaLibraryOnLine (MLOL)			Network of digital public libraries	Discovery	Italy
672	Mediander			Make general interest knowledge discovery entertaining and rewarding	Original Content	United States
673	MediaNet		Now focused on music	Develops digital advertising products for publishers & advertisers	Marketing	United States
674	Medium			A place to read, write, and interact with the stories that matter	Social	United States
675	MeetBlio		Redirects to Blio	Don't just read books. Experience them.	Tools & Services	United States
676	MemoryStoria			Memoir publishing platform	Tools & Services	United States
677	Meograph	\$270k	Website gone	Trio app mixes videos, pictures and songs into personal mashup creations	Tools & Services	United States
678	Metabook			Digital publishing platform	Tools & Services	United States
679	MetaComet			Royalty Management Solution	Tools & Services	United States
680	Metaforic			Digital reading platform providing literature in Spanish. For kids from 6 to 18	Discovery	Spain
681	Metalalia Media		see Beyond Books	Metalalia Media is home to Beyond Books	Original Content	United States
682	Métrica Freestyle			Poetry publishing app	Tools & Services	Mexico
683	Metrodigi	\$3.92M		End-to-end interactive publishing platform	Tools & Services	United States
684	Mill City Press			Customized book publishing services	Tools & Services	United States
685	MindTheBook		Last blog entry 2012	We define books with questions they answer	Original Content	
686	Mobifusion	\$3.7M		Apps and messaging bots	Tools & Services	United States
687	MobileReference		Last blog entry June 2012	Offering a vast range of eBooks	Retail	United States
688	MobNotate		Last tweet Apr 2013	Creates links from one book to another	Discovery	United States
689	Mofibo	\$2.37M	Acquired by Storytel for US\$14.8 million	Subscription service for ebooks and audio books	Subscription	Denmark
690	Moglue	\$1.2M		Create interactive stories without programming knowledge	Tools & Services	South Korea

691	Momentum		Last tweet Feb 22	Allows publishers to create, manage, and measure social campaigns	Tools & Services	United States
692	Movellas			Community for writers to publish their work and engage readers	Social	United Kingdom
693	MovingStories.TV		This site can't be reached	The broadcaster (TV and Internet) for BookShorts productions	Marketing	Canada
694	Musebooks	\$400k		Webstore for lovers of art books	Retail	Belgium
695	Mybestseller	\$1.1m		A state-of-the-art self-publishing platform	Tools & Services	The Netherlands
696	MyEbookFactory		No longer available as such	Turn print into e-books for every device (from Gutenberg Technology)	Tools & Services	France
697	My Independent Bookshop		Launch cancelled by PRH	Online community for readers to recommend books to each other	Discovery	United Kingdom
698	My Kingdom Books		Last social media: January 2017	Creates augmented reality, personalised children's books	Children's	United Kingdom
699	Mylibreto			Online marketing tool for books	Marketing	Spain
700	My Poolitzer			Scouting platform for authors and publishers	Discovery	Germany
701	My Social Book			Capture your life from Facebook & Instagram and turn it into a Keepsake Book	Tools & Services	Belgium
702	My Story Book			You can become an author and illustrator of your own storybook	Tools & Services	
703	MyTabletBooks		Website gone	eBookstore delivering illustrated eBooks directly from the publisher	Retail	United States
704	Narratores			Audiobook app	Audio	Spain
705	NCVRS		"Website Expired" app Still available for download	Tinder for books	Discovery	United States
706	Neoglyphic Entertainment		"Neoverse" platform	Platform to create new experiences around traditional storytelling	Tools & Services	United States
707	Neologic			Guides clients to their digital destinies	Marketing	United States
708	Neon Play		Hachette UK acquired June, 2016	We're lighting up global App Stores with some mighty fine mobile games	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
709	NetGalley			Publishers galleys in digital formats	Tools & Services	United States
710	NetMinds		Closed Jan 2014	Helps authors to collaborate with editors, designers, publicists and other publishing professionals	Tools & Services	United States
711	New Fiction		Twitter account "has been suspended"	A modern version of the radio drama called iSoaps	Original Content	United States

712	Next Big Book	Last tweet 15 Jan 2015	Analytics and Insights for the Book Publishing Industry	Marketing	United States
713	nimbooks		All your eBooks under the same roof	Retail	Spain
714	Ninestars	Website gone	Smart digital content for media, publishing and media monitoring companies	Original Content	India
715	Nomad Editions	Closed Sept. 2012	Digital magazines for mobile platforms	Tools & Services	United States
716	Novel Effect		Real time movie-style soundtracks and sound effects for children's books	Children's	United States
717	Novelistik		Tools to publish, read, and engage in a community	Social	Mexico
718	Novellic		App to create, join, and manage book clubs	Social	United Kingdom
719	NovelRank		Enables authors to track their book sales and sales rank on Amazon	Marketing	United States
720	Novelry	Last tweet 12 Jul 2014	Discover new books, new authors and new subjects	Discovery	United States
721	Novelspot		If books were people, they'd mingle at Novelspot	Social	United States
722	Noveltunity	Last tweet Feb 2016	First ebook club that exclusively features new or undiscovered writers	Retail	United States
723	Novlr		Novel writing. Simply. (software)	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
724	Now and Then Reader		Publishes original nonfiction books and essays	Original Content	United States
725	Nubico		Book subscription service	Subscription	Spain
726	Nubleer		Reading app for news, books and magazine	Discovery	Mexico
727	Nu-book	Last news March 2015	Integrated digital platform for your mobile documents	Tools & Services	Canada
728	Nudge		For your next read, we'd like to guide you with a gentle nudge	Discovery	United Kingdom
729	Numalire		Digitization and distribution of library texts not already available in digital format	Tools & Services	France
730	Nuvm de Livros		Digital library available on web and app platforms	Education	Brazil
731	Oceanhouse		400 children's books and personal development apps	Children's	United States
732	OchoGallo		Interactive reading apps for children	Children's	Mexico

733	Odilo	\$4.23M		Digital content lending for libraries	Education	Spain
734	Odyl		Last Facebook post Oct 2013	Facebook app designed to connect authors with their readers	Social	United States
735	OmnilLit		Closed December 2016	Retailer of all types of fiction and non-fiction in a variety of ebook formats	Retail	United States
736	One Grand			A bookstore where celebrated minds share the 10 books they would take...	Discovery	United States
737	OnePage		Website "Getting A Face Lift"	Reinventing the Novel	Original Content	Canada
738	One Third Books			Language learning through children's stories	Children's	United Kingdom
739	oolipo			Fiction reimaged for mobile	Original Content	Germany
740	Ooovre		Closed.(Kickstarter funding unsuccessful; last tweet Nov, 2015)	Helps people buy books online from local booksellers	Retail	United Kingdom
741	On Demand Books		See Espresso	Books printed in minutes on site	Tools & Services	United States
742	OnlyIndie		Website gone	Sell Your Book for \$0 and a Penny More	Marketing	United States
743	OnSwipe	\$13.3M	Acquired by Beanstock Media Aug., 2014	A platform for insanely easy mobile publishing	Tools & Services	United States
744	Oodlebooks			An online shop that represents the authors and their books	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
745	Oodles Books			Free Self-Publishing Platform	Retail	India
746	Open Air	\$970k	Webstie Gone. Last tweet Oct 2013	Free Self-Publishing Platform	Tools & Services	United States
747	Open Bookmarks		Inkling acquired Open Air's two brands	A project to make social reading easy, personal, and open	Social	United States
748	OpenBooks			Readers decide how much they want to pay	Retail	United States
749	OpenPage		From Excelsoft	EPUB reader and digital book ecosystem for students	Education	India
750	Open Road Integrated Media	\$29M		Publisher + Services to Meet the Needs of Authors, Educators, and Librarians	Education	United States
751	OptiQly		Undisclosed VC funding	Optimize the display/sales of books at online retailers	Retail	United States
752	Opuss			App: The best way to read, write and share beautiful words	eReader	United Kingdom
753	Orbile			Online bookseller for kobo	Retail	Mexico
754	OR Books			OR Books is a new type of publishing company	Original Content	United Kingdom

755	Orson & Co		Last tweet December 2016	eLume: an exceptional reading experience for iOS devices	eReader	United Kingdom
756	Ouilire			Platform where readers can switch between books in both text and audio format	eReader	France
757	Outlit			Read and discover	Discovery	United States
758	Out of Print			Literary apparel and accessory company that loves celebrating great stories	Marketing	United States
759	OverDrive		Acquired by Rakuten for \$410 million	Access to eBooks, audiobooks and videos from public libraries	Education	United States
760	Overleaf			The online platform for scientific writing	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
761	Owl Field			3D Audio Storytelling	Audio	Canada
762	Ownshelf		Last tweet Jun 2015	Share and download free eBooks with friends	Free	United States
763	Oyster	\$17M	Closed 2016	Ebook subscription service	Subscription	United States
764	Packback Books	\$2.5M		\$5 Digital Textbook Rentals On-Demand	Textbooks	United States
765	Padify		now Contentment.io	Beautifully simple mobile publishing	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
766	Page Foundry		See Inktera	Mobile ebook store apps for Android	eReader	United States
767	PageKicker	\$83k	Last tweet Aug 2015	Push a button, build a book	Tools & Services	United States
768	Pagemesh			Social writing platform	Social	United States/ Canada
769	Palatium Books			Subscription service featuring books from 'indie authors'	Subscription	Denmark
770	Palmetto Publishing Group			A full-service self-publishing company	Tools & Services	United States
771	Panarea Digital			An education technology start-up creating innovative mobile tools	Education	United States
772	Pandamian		Last tweet 25 Oct 2012	The easiest way to publish a book online	Tools & Services	Singapore
773	Papego			App to bridge print book and mobile reading	eReader	Germany
774	PaperC			Digital textbook retailer	Textbooks	Germany
775	PaperHive			The coworking hub for researchers	Education	Germany
776	Paperight		Closed end of March 2015	The world's largest network of print-on-demand bookstores	Retail	South Africa
777	Paperless Publishing		Last blog entry Feb. 2012	A full service book to ebook conversion and publishing house	Tools & Services	United States

778	Papertrell		Owned by Trellisys.net	(Create amazing content. Publish to any device) Digital self-publishing platform	Original Content	India
779	Pappus		Website gone	Multifunctional eTool for publishers and authors	Tools & Services	United States
780	Parramón Ediciones			Printed fiction and non fiction books for kids and teens with interactive online components	Children's	Spain
781	Pars.ly	\$6.03M		Provide clear audience insights through an intuitive analytics platform	Marketing	United States
782	Pasa la Página			Magazine reading app	eReader	Colombia
783	Passage		Not on iOS app store	Passage app provides hyperlocal literary serendipity	Marketing	Belgium
784	Patreon			Crowd funding service for artists	Investment	United States
785	PBLSHN		Last tweet July 2015	A patent-pending method to revolutionize publishing	Tools & Services	United States
786	peecho			Print on Demand for Books, Magazines and Creative Work	Tools & Services	The Netherlands
787	Pentian			Crowdfunding platform for books	Marketing	Spain
788	PeraPera		From the makers of Bookmarq	Source crowdfunding for texts you want to read from different countries	Subscription	United States
789	Picaboo			Create beautiful photo books and more	Tools & Services	United States
790	Pigeonhole			Book club and social media app	Discovery	United Kingdom
791	PinchZoom		Last tweet Sep 2013	We create amazing mobile experiences that people love	eReader	United States
792	PiracyTrace		Ingram grant	Automated platform that searches the web for copies of an author's work	Tools & Services	United States
793	Pirpl		Page not found' Last tweet Feb 2015	eBook subscription service	Subscription	France
794	PitchLab		Wordrates company	Facilitates book pitches between author and publisher	Tools & Services	United States
795	Pixel Craft Books			Turning digital books into meaningful experiences	Original Content	Germany
796	Pixel of Ink		Active. (Closed June 2016)	Free & Bargain Kindle Books	Free	United States
797	Playster			Unlimited movies, music, books and games into one subscription	Subscription	United States
798	PlayTales		Last tweet May 2015	Where kids read and play	Children's	Spain

799	Pleens		Last tweet Dec 2015	Forget timelines, it's time to map yourself	Original Content	Italy
800	Plympton		(Acquired Daily Lit)	A literary studio	Original Content	United States
801	Pobble (formerly LendMeYourLiteracy)			Online classroom wall for teachers and students	Education	United Kingdom
802	Poetica		Technology & personnel acquired by Condé Nast	Google Docs-style collaboration inside your WordPress	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
803	Poets & Writers Local			App for sharing & receiving information on literary events near you	Discovery	United States
804	Polis Book			Digital publishing house	Tools & Services	United States
805	Pottermore			The digital heart of the Wizarding World	Original Content	United Kingdom
806	Pratilipi			Possibly India's fastest growing self-publishing and reading platform	Tools & Services	India
807	Premier Digital Publishing		List acquired by Open Road June 2014	A full-service e-publishing venture; 300 titles	Original Content	United States
808	PressBooks			Online ebook formatting platform	Tools & Services	Canada
809	Press' Innov			Offering IT services to publishing and media companies	Tools & Services	France
810	Prismatic	\$15M	Closed Dec 2015	News reading app	eReader	United States
811	Project Gutenberg			A volunteer effort to digitize and archive cultural works	Original Content	United States
812	Prolifiko (formerly Write-Track)			Productivity tools for writers	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
813	Pronoun (formerly Vook)	\$11.25M	Acquired by Macmillan, May, 2016	Publishing for authors	Tools & Services	United States
814	PRSS		Acquired by Apple September, 2014	Create iPad magazines using tools that don't require any knowledge of code	Tools & Services	The Netherlands
815	Pubcoder	\$1M		App to create interactive, multi-device ebooks	Tools & Services	Italy
816	PubEasy			A business-to-business service between booksellers, publishers, distributors, and wholesalers	Retail	United States
817	Pubfront			Builds white label online bookstores for publishers	Retail	Denmark
818	PubLaunch			Crowdfunding for books, publishing services, and more. Beta site now open	Tools & Services	Canada
819	Publerati			Literary fiction publisher releasing titles through all major ebook resellers	Original Content	United States

820	Publication	\$170k	Last tweet Nov 2015	Enables users to create, promote, and sell cloud-based e-books	Marketing	United Kingdom
821	PublishDrive			Powerful publishing platform to increase your ebook sales	Tools & Services	Switzerland
822	Publish Green			Providing a full range of eBook formatting, editing, and marketing services	Tools & Services	United States
823	Publishing Data Networks			Analyzing Your Ebook Sales Trends And Market Data	Marketing	Germany
824	Publishizer			Matches writers with publishers during pre-orders campaigns	Marketing	India/United States
825	Publishroom			Digital self-publishing platform	Tools & Services	France
826	PublishSoSimply		Ingram funded	A digital publishing platform where you can create beautiful, interactive web publications	Tools & Services	Poland
827	Publit			Gives you everything you need to publish and sell books in every format, everywhere	Marketing	Sweden
828	Publiwide			Specialist software solutions for publishers	Tools & Services	Switzerland
829	PubMatch		Last tweet June 2015	Global Rights Network	Tools & Services	United States
830	Pubslush		Closed August 2015	Book crowdfunder	Marketing	United States
831	Pubsoft		Last blog entry January 2015	Our intuitive and easy-to-use system helps you build your platform	Marketing	United States
832	Pugpig			The 'lightest, fastest, most flexible publishing platform on the planet'	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
833	Purple Motion			Efficiently publish engaging content to all digital channels	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
834	Push Pop Press		Acquired by Facebook Aug. 2011	The Next Generation of Digital Books	Original Content	United States
835	Qbend			Technology for content repurposing	Tools & Services	United States
836	Qlovi		Last tweet Mar 2015	Personalized reading & writing	Discovery	United States
837	Quelibroleo			Social media site for readers	Social	Spain
838	Quelle Histoire			Mobile app that teaches history to kids through storytelling	Children's	France
839	Quietly		Funding received; amount not disclosed	We help brands and publishers create amazing content	Marketing	Canada
840	Quillr			Interactive Stories	Original Content	Canada
841	Quillsong		Last tweet Sept. 2015	Helps authors organize and build worlds and characters	Tools & Services	United States
842	Quotle			Use your phone's camera to capture pieces of text from books you read	Tools & Services	France

843	Radish	\$3m		A new app for serialised fiction	Original Content	South Korea
844	Radius Book Group			Full-service publishing solutions for independent authors	Tools & Services	United States
845	Rafter	\$86M	Closed Oct 2015	Education technology and course materials management	Education	United States
846	Ratings Catcher			Monitors and collects book reviews from all over the web	Marketing	United States
847	Reabble			A web-based RSS reader optimized for Amazon Kindle's built-in web browser	eReader	China
848	Read			The Ultimate EPUB Reader	eReader	France
849	Readability			Turns any web page into a clean view for reading now or later	eReader	United States
850	Read How You Want		Last tweet Nov 2013	Conversion technology reformats existing books into high quality, alternative formats	Tools & Services	Australia
851	ReadBooks (MobiLire)		Last tweet Apr 2010; website dormant	A team of experts specialized in publishing and selling eBooks	Marketing	France
852	ReadCube Web Reader			Free reference & citation manager for article PDFs	Education	United States
853	Readership		Website gone	A digital book publisher controlled by readers	Original Content	United Kingdom
854	Reader's Legacy			The World's Largest Book Club!	Retail	United States
855	Readerstage			Publish, share, discover and read	Discovery	Finland
856	readfy	\$115k		Read digital content in a multi-dimensional social environment	Social	Germany
857	Reading Room	\$2.75M	Now bookstr	Connects books with people	Social	United States
858	Reading Trails	\$5k	No web presence	Book recommendation social network	Social	United States/ Belgium
859	Read It Forward			A digital community from Crown Publishing made of more than 385,00 Readers	Social	United States
860	Readin.gs		Website appears inactive; no Twitter presence	A hand-selected book delivered once a month	Retail	United States
861	Radio			eReader created specifically for small mobile phone screens	eReader	Germany
862	Readlists		Shut down July 2016. From Readability team.	Collect any set of links and bundle them into an e-book	Original Content	United States
863	Readly			All your favorites magazines for a fixed price of \$9.99 per month	Retail	Sweden
864	Readmill		Closed; team hired by Dropbox March, 2014	ebook reading app for iOS and Android	eReader	Germany

865	ReadMyStori			Brings you great e-books from around the world.	Retail	India
866	Readom		Last tweet Jun 2012	Change the way how people consume quality media articles	eReader	Finland
867	Read Petite		Coming soon	A rich reading experience for time-poor readers	eReader	United Kingdom
868	ReadSocial		Last tweet Sep 2014	ReadSocial works inside books & magazines, connects people across reading apps	eReader	United States
869	ReadThisNext	\$25k		A social community for people who like books	Social	United States
870	Readups		Last tweet Jan 2014	Site where people meet up inside ebooks	Social	United States
871	ReadWave	\$465k	Closed Dec 2015	Digital publishing platform	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
872	Readz	\$12.3M		The Content Creation Platform	Tools & Services	United States
873	READZINC			We make reading a virtual reality experience	Discovery	United States
874	Really Blue Books		Website gone	Australia's first independent digital-only trade publisher	Original Content	Australia
875	RedDoor Publishing			Bridges the gap between traditional publishing and self-publishing	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
876	ReDigi	\$2.27M	Last tweet April 2016	Buy and sell everything digital	Retail	United States
877	Red Lemonade		Website gone. Last tweet 2014	Site where authors post manuscript and receive feedback from readers	Tools & Services	United States
878	RedLink			Provides business intelligence for academic publishers	Marketing	United States
879	RedShelf	\$7m		Save up to 60% when you shop eTextbooks	Textbooks	United States
880	Red Staple		Website closed	Provides authors, musicians and film makers an easy way to distribute digitally	Retail	United States
881	Reedsy	\$610k	Reported as seeking €500,000 (€30,000 seed round)	Connects authors with the world's best editors, designers and marketers	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
882	RefMe		Aquired by Chegg in January 2017	Generates citations for academic papers	Education	United Kingdom
883	ReKiosk		Last post Dec. 2013	User-curated storefronts where anyone can sell books and other digital files	Retail	United States
884	RePubIT		Last tweet Oct 2015	Next-generation social & mobile learning	Social	United States
885	Rethink Books		see Bookshout	see Bookshout	?	United States

886	Revizzit			Create digital products that get better over time	Tools & Services	United States
887	Rhino Single Notes			"Quick read" digital books about music and pop culture	Original Content	United States
888	Riffle		Last tweet Sept 2012	(Just good books and the readers who love them) Twitter and Facebook Currently active	Original Content	United States
889	Rightsdesk			Digital platform for selling book rights	Tools & Services	Switzerland
890	RocAutores		Product of Roca Editorial	Online self-publishing platform	Tools & Services	Spain
891	ROOK		Last tweet Nov 2015	Read e-books for free at the airport	Free	United Kindom
892	Rooster		Last blog entry July, 2014	A mobile reading service for iPhone	eReader	United States
893	Rosetta Books			The leading independent eBook publisher	Original Content	United States
894	Roterbooks			Online service that allows authors to have their books edited and converted into digital formats	Tools & Services	Spain
895	Ruckus Media	\$3.5M	Sold to KiwiTech in November 2013	Developer of applications that entertain toddlers to teens	Children's	United States
896	Safari Books Online			Unlimited access to 200,000 hours of business, tech, & design training	Education	United States
897	sBooks		Website gone	An open web-based e-book platform for sociable and collaborative reading	Social	United States
898	Sanspapier.com	51k	Website gone	Search engine and bbookstore	Retail	France
899	Scholastica	\$510k		Smart software to power your peer-reviewed journal	Tools & Services	United States
900	SciFlow			Collaborative writing and publishing platform for authors of scientific texts	Original Content	Germany
901	Screwpulp		Screwpulp is now Leafless	Screwpulp is now Leafless	Tools & Services	United States
902	Scribando		Last tweet Oct 2014	Provide authors with the best resources on successful book publishing	Marketing	United States
903	Scribble Press	\$1.15M	Acquired by Fingerprint Jan, 2015	iPad app lets kids publish physical books	Tools & Services	United States
904	Scribd	\$48M		A digital library & ebook subscription service	Subscription	United States
905	Scribe		"We are no longer offering Scribe"	Content marketing software	Marketing	United States

906	SeeBook			Customizable gift cards holding ebook downloads	Retail	Spain
907	Self Publishing, Inc.			Publishing service for the self-publisher	Tools & Services	United States
908	Self Publishing School			Training for self-published authors	Tools & Services	United States
909	Semi-Linear		Corporate parent of CITIA	Corporate parent of CITIA	?	United States
910	Senserial		Last tweet Apr 2015	A new way of reading ebooks as a series	eReader	Germany
911	Sequency		Product of Actialuna	App for buying and reader comics	eReader	France
912	Sequential			Digital Graphic Novels & Comics	Original Content	Japan
913	Serendipite Studios		product: Publish	See Publish	?	United States
914	Serial Box			Serialized fiction released in episodes	Original Content	United States
915	Shadow Gang		Last tweet Aug 2014	An interactive entertainment studio	Original Content	United States
916	SharedBook		Merged with XanEdu, May 2014	dba AcademicPub	Education	United States
917	Sharemagazines			Magazine reading app	Subscription	Germany
918	Shebooks	\$300k		Short ebooks by women, for women	Original Content	United States
919	Shelfari	\$1M	Amazon acquired; merged w. Goodreads; shut	Social cataloging website for book lovers	Social	United States
920	Shelf Awareness			Two newsletters, one for readers, one for the book business	Original Content	United States
921	Shelfie (replaces BitLit)	\$910k	Ceased operations Jan 2017	Get ebook versions of books you own	Retail	Canada
922	Short Édition			Literary platform dedicated to short formats: news, micro-news, poems and short comics'	original Content	France
923	Shorts		Web site appears inactive; no tweets	Great short stories that you're most likely to like	Original Content	Israel
924	Satchel (formerly Show My Homework)			App that allows teachers and parents to publish and monitor homework assignments	Education	United Kingdom
925	Shulph		Website stripped down, abandoned twitter	Your physical and digital bookshelves synched at last	Retail	United Kingdom
926	Sidewalk	\$18.09M	Includes CampusBookRentals	Partnerships with college bookstores and online	Education	United States
927	Sigil		Last tweet Sep 2011	A multi-platform EPUB ebook editor	Tools & Services	Croatia/United States

928	Simply Prose		Last tweet July 2016. Website is relaunching service, no date given	Collaborative writing platform to get the feedback, critiques	Tools & Services	United States
929	Sixy Press		Website gone	Improves upon the existing self publishing products	Tools & Services	United States
930	Skoobe			Subscription service for ebooks & Reading app	Subscription	Germany
931	Skrawl			Skrawl is a competitive & collaborative reading, writing, & publishing platform	Tools & Services	United States
932	Skybrite		Website gone, app still up	App that allows you to stream audiobooks to your device for a monthly fee	Audio	United States
933	SkyInk Studios		Last tweet Jul 2013	Specializes in creating ebooks and dynamic book apps	Tools & Services	United States
934	Slicebooks	\$150k		Helps publishers repurpose content and sell direct	Retail	United States
935	SlimBooks			We think most books are too long	Tools & Services	United States
936	SlugBooks			Compares prices on textbooks	Textbooks	United States
937	SmackFiction		Site closed	A daily feed of reviews and book samples on mobile	Free	New Zealand
938	Small Batch Books			Private Publishing of Personal Histories	Original Content	United States
939	Small Demons	\$5.6M	Out of business	Allows users to make connections between texts	Social	United States
940	Smashwords			Ebooks from independent authors and publishers	Original Content	United States
941	Smile Books			Create Custom Photo Books & Albums	Tools & Services	United States
942	Snapbook			Interactive app that scans books and relays bonus content	Children's	France
943	Snapplify			A platform for distribution of ebooks, magazines and newspapers	Retail	South Africa
944	Snippet		Last blog entry May, 2014	A beautiful and engaging mobile reading experience	eReader	United States
945	SocialBook		Website inactive since 08-13-2014	A social reading platform: add commentary to texts, share these ideas, etc.	Social	United States
946	Sony DADC			Rights management for books and other digital goods	Tools & Services	United States
947	Sony eReader		Discontinued in 2014	eReader tablet	eReader	Japan
948	Sparkabook		Site closed	Sell book rights by listing for free	Tools & Services	United States

949	Spark Authors		Launched 2013 "currently in Private Beta"	A gamified ebook community where readers help writers get discovered	Discovery	United States
950	Spayee	\$20k		Ebook and digital course distribution platform	Retail	India
951	Speakaboos	\$25.2M		A digital storybook platform for children	Children's	United States
952	Spellbound Books			Mobile app and publishing platform	Children's	United States
953	Spritz	\$3.54M		Discover how effortlessly you can improve your reading	Discovery	United States
954	Spundge			Collect, curate and publish digital content	Tools & Services	Canada
955	Squirrel			The first location-based book discovery app	Discovery	United States
956	Stample			Allows businesses to create virtual libraries of their own published work and share with others	Tools & Services	France
957	Stanza		Closed 2011	Reader for ebooks and digital publications	eReader	United States
958	Step In Books			Publisher of interactive digital books for mobile platforms	Children's	Denmark
959	Stitch Media			Interactive media company telling stories using new technology and timeless techniques	Original Content	Canada
960	Storily			A discovery and intelligence platform for storytellers	Discovery	United States
961	Story Beam		Last tweet Mar 2013	Lets you be the star of your own stories	Original Content	
962	Storybird	\$2.5M		A platform for writers, readers, and artists of all ages	Tools & Services	United States
963	StoryBots		No longer on JibJabs site	An e-book and digital entertainment platform for kids 2-6	Children's	United States
964	StoryBundle			For people who love to read: discover quality indie books written by indie authors	Discovery	United States
965	Story Corner		Product of L-Pub	Learn languages through reading short stories. One chapter a day sent to users on whatsapp	Education	Germany
966	Storylab			Digital publisher and reading app	Tools & Services	France
967	Story Planet		Product of L-Pub	Platform for learning German through immersive reading	Education	Germany
968	Storytel			International Audiobooks plataform	Audio	Sweden
969	Story Terrace			We turn life stories into unique books	Original Content	Netherlands

970	Storythings			Help you tell stories about things	Original Content	United Kingdom
971	StoryToys	\$2,20		Interactive children's books and games for mobile	Original Content	Ireland
972	StoryTourist			Experience books at the very locations where the action takes place	Discovery	Sweden
973	StoryTruck		Last tweet Dec 2015	Netflix for Kid's books	Children's	United States
974	Streaq		Last tweet Jul 2015	One Chapter a Day	Discovery	United States
975	StreetLib			A publishing service platform with very book tool in one place	Tools & Services	Italy
976	Strip Designer			Create comic strips on an iPhone or iPad	Tools & Services	Denmark
977	StudyEBuddy		Site gone	India's first and largest educational content eBookstore	Education	India
978	Subtext	\$3M	Acquired by Renaissance Learning in 2013	A digital reading service for K12	Education	United States
979	Subutai		Last tweet Dec 2012	A comic series with adventure, betrayal, and a samurai's relentless blade	Original Content	United States
980	Sudden Oak			Stories in various forms (including print and apps)	Original Content	United States
981	Suvudu (Random House)			Provide additional content around science fiction, fantasy etc. books from RH	Original Content	United States
982	Supadü			Specializes search and metadata management platform for publishers	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
983	Super-e-reads		Now an online gambling site	Dedicated to showcasing both self- and traditionally published books	Marketing	
984	Sweek			A global mobile platform for reading and writing	Original Content	The Netherlands
985	Swoon Reads		An imprint of Macmillan	Publishing new Young Adult love stories, with the help of the Swoon Reads community	Original Content	United Kingdom
986	Symtext		Last tweet Mar 2009	Interoperable rights management services	Tools & Services	Canada
987	Table Talk		No web site	An online collaborative reading and annotation platform	eReader	United States
988	Tablo	\$420k		App: a place for writers to write, for readers to read	Social	Australia
989	Tabulit			A hybrid e-reading and e-publishing platform of serialized literature	eReader	Canada

990	TaleHunt			A platform for authors to publish 250-character stories and introduce readers to their books	Original Content	India
991	Tapas Media	\$4.4M		Bite-sized stories on the go	Original Content	United States
992	Tapastic			Publishes web comics	Original Content	South Korea/ United States
993	TasteBook		Acquired by Random House, 2012	TasteBook is a resource for the cookbook obsessed	Retail	United States
994	Tate Publishing		Closed down Jan. 2017	A Christian-based publishing organization with a mission to discover unknown authors	Original Content	United States
995	TEA, The Ebook Alternative			Allows cultural booksellers to sell ebooks with a complete solution	Retail	France
996	Tekstum		Supported by the Government of Spain	Artificial Intelligence and Big Data for the Publishing Sector	Tools & Services	Spain
997	Telemachus Press			A wide range of publishing and e-publishing services	Tools & Services	United States
998	Telestories		Powered by Google	Write, direct, and star in your own TV show	Children's	United States
999	Tellwell Publishing			The only Canadian self-publishing company that gives 100% net royalties to authors	Tools & Services	Canada
1000	Tencil		Kickstarter funding unsuccessful	Social media app for creative writing & reading	Social	United States
1001	Texidium			Accelerates the delivery of personalized digital course material including eTexts and software	Education	Canada
1002	Textbook Rental Canada			Online marketplace for students looking to rent, buy or sell their textbooks	Textbooks	Canada
1003	TexTech	\$415k	This site can't be reached	Create, manage, re purpose, and distribute content	Marketing	
1004	Texts.com			A student-to-student marketplace wrapped inside a price comparison service	Education	United States
1005	Thadeus Roth			Interactive transmedia stories delivered to the reader through call, SMS, email or post	Original Content	Germany
1006	The Book Club		No trace online	Help parents discover the best books for their child	Children's	United Kingdom
1007	The Book Depository			The world's most international online bookstore	Retail	United Kingdom
1008	The Book of Everyone			Customizable books centered around anyone you choose	Original Content	United Kingdom

1009	The Endless Bookcase		Digital self-publishing platform and retailer	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
1010	The Melody Book		Educational mobile apps for kids	Children's	United States
1011	The Owl Field		3D Audio Storytelling	Audio	United Kingdom
1012	The Reading Room	\$2.75M	Book discovery destination	Discovery	Australia
1013	The Spanish Book Stage		An 'online rights and licensing platform for Spanish-language titles'	Tools & Services	Spain
1014	The Spanish Digital Link		Translation, marketing and distribution of ebooks entering the Spanish market	Tools & Services	Spain
1015	TheWriteDeal	The requested URL not found on this server	Ebook publisher and distributor	Original Content	United States
1016	Thin Reads	Last tweet Mar 2015	We have the world's largest database of e-book singles.	Retail	United States
1017	Threepress Consulting	Acquired by Safari Books Sept, 2012	Expert consulting services and software engineering	Tools & Services	United States
1018	Timbus Books	Last tweet Mar 2012	System to submit your book proposals to literary agents	Tools & Services	United States
1019	timeStarved	"coming soon"	Customized books for time-starved readers	Original Content	United States
1020	Time Traveler Tours and Tales		Intetereactive storytelling (through digital book formats and apps)	Original Content	United States
1021	Tizra		An astonishingly fast and flexible online publishing platform	Tools & Services	United States
1022	Todoebook		eBook distributor	Tools & Services	Spain
1023	Togather	Last tweet Mar 2014	Bridging the gap between online content and brick-and-mortar purchase.	Retail	United States
1024	Together Tales		Bring stories to life for your kids	Children's	Canada
1025	Tokyopop		American distributor and publisher of anime, manga and manga-style works	Retail	United States
1026	Toontastic	Powered by Google	Interactive storytelling app	Children's	United States
1027	To Play For	No trace online	We create games, interactive stories and simulations using artificial intelligence	Original Content	United Kingdom
1028	Toppsta		Children's book reviews for kids of all ages	Children's	United Kingdom
1029	Total Boox	\$500k	(App that promotes digital reading) Distributes ebooks from publishers to libraries	eReader	Israel

1030	Touch Press			App developer and publisher, split into Touch Press Inc. and A	Tools & Services	Ireland
1031	Touch Press Inc.	\$10m	Successor to Touch Press	Suite of learning games for kids and families	Original Content	United States/ Ireland
1032	Track New Book		Last Facebook post June 2014	New book notification by author, subject, or keyword	Discovery	Canada
1033	Trafford		Part of Author Solutions	A formidable set of top-notch self-publishing packages	Tools & Services	United States
1034	Trajectory			Data driven network connects publishers to global retailers	Retail	United States
1035	Travora Media		TravoraMedia.com is for sale	Next generation of travel media and information	Original Content	United States
1036	TREEbook		Discontinued, from Medallion Press	Storytelling technology for iPad users	eReader	United States
1037	Trident Media			Leading Literary Agency Designed for the 21st Century	Tools & Services	United States
1038	Txtr	?	Bankrupt Jan 2015	Ebook distribution platform	Retail	Germany
1039	TuLibroSmart			Self-publishing tool for DIY authors	Tools & Services	Spain
1040	Type & Tell		Launched by Bonnier in Sweden in 2015, English language site launch Spring 2017	Digital self-publishing platform and retailer	Tools & Services	Sweden
1041	Ubimark		Last "news" on Feb 2012	Ubimark enhances physical reality (books, places, objects) with stories, travel experiences, ratings or information	Tools & Services	United States
1042	Ubook			Audiobook app	Audio	Brazil
1043	Ulysses			The ultimate writing app'	Original Content	Germany
1044	Unbound			Authors present a pitch, you pledge, and when the goal is reached the book is written	Marketing	United Kingdom
1045	Unbound Books		Closed 2011	A new way of bringing authors and readers together	Social	United Kingdom
1046	Unbound Concepts	\$530k	Product: Artifact	Improving the way that readers discover books	Discovery	United States
1047	Ungluelit			Finding ways to support and sustain Creative Commons ebooks	Discovery	United States
1048	Unizin Engage			An eText platform and collaborative tool	Education	United States
1049	Unscroll		Last tweet Sept. 2014	A totally uninteresting and redundant effort to connect facts with ideas	Original Content	United States
1050	Uweave		See Daisy Labs	Enterprise-class monetization solutions for digital content	Marketing	United States

1051	ValoBox		Last tweet May 2015	Pay-as-you-read thousands of brilliant books	Original Content	United Kingdom
1052	ValoreBooks			Buy or rent college textbooks online	Textbooks	United States
1053	Vangelizer		Website gone	Makes it easy to boost word of mouth referrals for books	Marketing	New Zealand
1054	Varytale		Last tweet 2012	Publisher and Retailer of Interactive Books	Retail	United Kingdom
1055	Vearsa (formerly ePub Direct)	+/--\$5M		Ebook wholesale distributor	Retail	Ireland
1056	Vellum		from 180g	Easily create beautiful ebooks (Mac software)	Tools & Services	United States
1057	Venture Galleries			Showcase, promote, and market the works of talented Indie authors	Marketing	United States
1058	Verso Story Engine			A framework for crafting rich interactive apps	Tools & Services	Canada
1059	Versu		Development dropped Feb. 2014	An interactive reading experience where you become the character	Original Content	United Kingdom
1060	Vidbooks		Last tweet Jan 2013	Educating the World Visually	Education	United States
1061	Visify Books		Last tweet Sep 2013	Detailed video summaries for classic non-fiction, business and self-help books	Original Content	United States
1062	Visual Editions			We believe in creating new and playful reading experiences, both on and off the screen	Original Content	United Kingdom
1063	Vitalsource		part of Ingram	Building, enhancing and delivering e-learning content	Education	United States
1064	VIZeBooks		Website inactive	Applications for the Mobile and Tablet devices	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
1065	ViziPress		Website inactive	Bridging storytelling with semiotics and music	Tools & Services	United States
1066	Voice Dream Reader			App that reads articles, documents and books out loud	eReader	United States
1067	Vook		See Pronoun	Digital books combining text, video, links to the internet and social media	Tools & Services	United States
1068	Voxie Media			Boutique imprint and publishing services company for business authors	Original Content	United States
1069	Ware-Pak			Hassle-Free E-Book Solutions & Digital Rights Management	Tools & Services	United States
1070	Wattpad	\$66.8M		App that lets people discover and share stories	Discovery	Canada

1071	WaveCloud Publishing		See BookFuel	Produce, self-publish and market professional literary works using an intuitive, guided platform	Tools & Services	United States
1072	WaveFont			App that adjusts the font of words to fit the emotion with which they are spoken	Audio	Germany
1073	Webdokit		Last tweet June 2015	Creator of interactive games, books and apps for children	Children's	France
1074	WEbook	\$5M		Online community for writers	Social	United States
1075	Weightless Books			An independent ebooksite devoted to DRM-free ebooks of all sorts	Free	United States
1076	We Love Words			Online community for writers to share and publish their work	Original Content	France
1077	Werdsmith			App that comprises of writing tools for authors	Tools & Services	Australia
1078	Wet Zebra			Platform where-in readers vote on and eventually choose manuscripts to be published	Marketing	United Kingdom
1079	What Should I Read Next			Book recommendations from readers like you	Social	United Kingdom
1080	Wheelers			Supplies eBooks to public libraries and schools	Education	New Zeland
1081	Whichbook		Domain is for sale	Millions of factors help suggest books which most closely match your needs	Discovery	United Kingdom
1082	Whichbox			The only interactive storytelling engine for brands	Marketing	United States
1083	Whitefox			Handle any aspect of the publishing process in print, ebook or other digital formats	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
1084	Widbook	\$1.5M	Last blog entry Apr 2015	Online platform enabling users to find and publish books	Discovery	Brazil
1085	WideScript			Cloud based e-reader	eReader	Netherlands
1086	Wish Dish			Wish Dish is more than just stories	Original Content	United States
1087	Wobo		Bought by Follett, March, 2016	Service for campus stores to find and purchase books online in volume	Education	United States
1088	WOLL Verlag		mybestseller.com company	Online self-publishing platform aimed at local German authors	Tools & Services	German
1089	Wondery		Investment, \$\$ not disclosed	Creates and curates podcasts - a network of storytellers	Original Content	United States
1090	Woodpie		Ingram funded	Offer reliable recommendations, not swayed away by marketing	Discovery	India

1091	Wook		Launched by Grupo Porto Editora	Online bookseller of physical books and ebooks, also a reading app	Retail	Portugal
1092	Wook!			App where readers can leave comment on an author's work and interact with them. Aimed at academics and co-operations.	Original Content	Italy
1093	Wordclay		Part of Author Solutions	Self-Publishing for Everyone	Tools & Services	United States
1094	World Public Library			Books by the greatest writers of the last 1,000 years, on an annual subscription	Subscription	United States
1095	Wordrates			Site for publishing professionals and journalists to rate each other	Discovery	United States
1096	Worldreader.org			On a mission to bring digital books to every child and her family	Children's	United States
1097	Wowio	\$5.2M		Distributor of digital books and comics	Retail	United States
1098	Write or Read		Website inactive	A subscription site for self-published ebooks	Subscription	United States
1099	Written Word Media		See also Freebooksy	Runs websites that connect Authors & Publishers with Readers	Social	United States
1100	Writer2ePub		Last tweet June 2014; blog 01-15	An EPUB file creator	Tools & Services	Italy
1101	WriterCube (see Bookigee)		Closed, see Bookigee	Marketing analytics app for authors	Marketing	United States
1102	Writer.ly		This site can't be reached	Services and experts authors need to publish successfully	Tools & Services	United States
1103	WriteReader			Digital self-publishing platform for child authors	Children's	Denmark
1104	Writers Boon			Everything a Writer Needs: Guide Directory Deals Reviews	Marketing	Australia
1105	WritersWebTV		Last tweet Apr 2014	Take part in writing workshops with famous authors	Marketing	Ireland
1106	Writer Unboxed			About the craft and business of fiction	Marketing	United States
1107	Wundr		Last tweet Nov 2015	Makes it easy for people and companies to create and publish eBooks	Tools & Services	Canada
1108	XanEdu Publishing	\$12.1M	Merger with AcademicPub	Innovative solutions for creating, delivering and managing course materials	Education	United States
1109	Xcite Books			Erotic fiction as print and ebooks	Original Content	United Kingdom
1110	Xentral Methods			Providing solution for upstream and downstream processes for ebooks.	Tools & Services	Malaysia

1111	Xilisoft PDF to EPUB		Last tweet Dec 2014	A quick, easy way to convert PDF files to EPUB format	Tools & Services	China
1112	Xist Publishing			Books for the Touchscreen Generation	Original Content	United States
1113	XL Book			Books with extra large text catered to the visually impaired. Distributed in print and online	Tools & Services	Germany
1114	xlibrio			Cloud bookstores for schools	Education	United States
1115	Xlibris		Part of Author Solutions	Self-publishing services	Tools & Services	United States
1116	Xoum			Transmedia digital publisher	Original Content	Australia
1117	Xplana		Website inactive	A digital content and social learning education platform	Education	United States
1118	Xpublisher GmbH			Software focusing on "content creation and single source publishing"	Tools & Services	Germany & United States
1119	Xulon Press			Christian self publishing company	Original Content	United States
1120	Xuni			Author website design	Marketing	United States
1121	yaBeam	\$150k		Delivers contextually relevant multimedia content to mobile consumers	Original Content	United States
1122	Yasiv			Amazon Book Search Results Visualized	Marketing	United States
1123	Ying Horowitz & Quinn		From website "... is hibernating!"	A low-risk place to experiment with new storytelling techniques	Original Content	United States
1124	Yo Soy Pildorilla		No evidence of launch after kickstarter	Education portal	Education	Spain
1125	Youboox			eBook subscription service	Subscription	France
1126	YouLoveWords		From the WeLoveWords team	Connects authors from WeLoveWords to publishers and agents	Tools & Services	France
1127	YourNextRead			Discover and share	Discovery	United Kingdom
1128	YUDU			Help publishers deliver to apps and browsers on any device	Tools & Services	United Kingdom
1129	Zola Books	\$8.9M		Enables discovery and retail of books in multiple formats	Discovery	United States
1130	ZOOpubs		Website inactive	Conversion and authoring software for digital book production	Tools & Services	United States
1131	ZyBooks	\$4M		Interactive textbook replacements	Education	United States