

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	January 29, 2017 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	THE MISTRESS, by Danielle Steel. (Delacorte.) The beautiful mistress of a Russian oligarch falls in love with an artist and yearns for freedom.	1	2
2	THE WHISTLER, by John Grisham. (Doubleday.) A whistleblower alerts a Florida investigator to judicial corruption involving the Mob and Indian casinos.	4	12
3	THE UNDERGROUND RAILROAD, by Colson Whitehead. (Doubleday.) A slave girl heads toward freedom on the network, envisioned as actual tracks and tunnels.	5	23
4	TWO BY TWO, by Nicholas Sparks. (Grand Central.) A man who became a single father when his marriage and business collapsed learns to take a chance on a new love.	2	15
5	CROSS THE LINE, by James Patterson. (Little, Brown.) Detective Alex Cross and his wife, Bree, team up to catch a killer causing chaos in Washington, D.C.	6	8
6	BELOW THE BELT, by Stuart Woods. (Putnam.) The New York lawyer Stone Barrington faces danger when he finds himself in possession of a retired C.I.A. agent's explosive memoir.	3	2
7	SMALL GREAT THINGS, by Jodi Picoult. (Ballantine.) A medical crisis entangles a black nurse, a white supremacist father and a white lawyer.	8	14
8	THE CHEMIST, by Stephenie Meyer. (Little, Brown.) A specialist in chemically controlled torture, on the run from her former employers, takes on one last job.	9	10
9	NO MAN'S LAND, by David Baldacci. (Grand Central.) John Puller, a special agent with the Army, searches for the truth about his mother, who disappeared 30 years ago.	7	9
10	THE GUESTS ON SOUTH BATTERY, by Karen White. (Berkley.) Spirits invade the life of a Charleston realtor.	--	1
11	TOM CLANCY: TRUE FAITH AND ALLEGIANCE, by Mark Greaney. (Putnam.) Jack Ryan Jr., working for a secret organization, seeks to prevent complicated terrorist strikes set in motion by a hacker. Clancy died in 2013.	10	6
12	THE SLEEPWALKER, by Chris Bohjalian. (Doubleday.) The daughters of a Vermont woman who disappeared from her home in the middle of the night try to understand what happened.	--	1
13	RING OF FIRE, by Brad Taylor. (Dutton.) Pike Logan, a member of a secret counterterrorist unit called the Taskforce, investigates a Saudi-backed Moroccan terrorist cell.	--	1
14	COMMONWEALTH, by Ann Patchett. (Harper.) Five decades in the lives of two families remade by divorce.	14	14
15	A GENTLEMAN IN MOSCOW, by Amor Towles. (Viking.) A Russian count undergoes 30 years of house arrest in the Metropol hotel, across from the Kremlin.	15	9
16	NIGHT SCHOOL, by Lee Child. (Delacorte.) Jack Reacher, still in the Army, becomes involved in an investigation with elite agents from the F.B.I. and C.I.A.	13	10

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1	HILLBILLY ELEGY, by J. D. Vance. (HarperCollins.) A Yale Law School graduate looks at the struggles of America's white working class through his own childhood in the Rust Belt.	1	25
2	THREE DAYS IN JANUARY, by Bret Baier with Catherine Whitney. (Morrow/HarperCollins.) Eisenhower's farewell address and his role in the Kennedy transition.	--	1
3	KILLING THE RISING SUN, by Bill O'Reilly and Martin Dugard. (Holt.) The host of "The O'Reilly Factor" recounts the final years of World War II.	3	18
4	THE PRINCESS DIARIST, by Carrie Fisher. (Blue Rider.) Recollections of life on the set of the first Star Wars movie by the actress and writer, who died in December.	2	3
5	THE MAGNOLIA STORY, by Chip Gaines and Joanna Gaines with Mark Dagostino. (W Publishing/Thomas Nelson.) The lives of the couple who star in the HGTV show "Fixer Upper."	4	13
6	THE UNDOING PROJECT, by Michael Lewis. (Norton.) How the psychologists Daniel Kahneman and Amos Tversky upended assumptions about the decision-making process and invented the field of behavioral economics.	5	6
7	THE LOST CITY OF THE MONKEY GOD, by Douglas Preston. (Grand Central.) A frightening search for a lost civilization in the Honduran rain forest.	6	2
8	THE GREAT EQUALIZER, by David M. Smick. (PublicAffairs.) A call for economic policies that will promote economic growth by encouraging Main Street capitalism (small businesses and start-ups) rather than Wall Street capitalism.	--	1
9	THE BOOK OF JOY, by Dalai Lama and Desmond Tutu. (Avery.) A discussion between two spiritual leaders about how to find joy in the face of suffering.	7	13
10	THE HIDDEN LIFE OF TREES, by Peter Wohlleben. (Greystone.) A forester presents scientific research on the way trees interact with one another. A best seller in Germany.	--	9
11	THANK YOU FOR BEING LATE, by Thomas L. Friedman. (Farrar, Straus & Giroux.) How globalization, climate change and the accelerating pace of technology are reshaping the world, and what we can do about it.	11	8
12	WHEN BREATH BECOMES AIR, by Paul Kalanithi. (Random House.) A memoir by a physician who received a diagnosis of Stage IV lung cancer at the age of 36.	8	46
13	THE CASE AGAINST SUGAR, by Gary Taubes. (Knopf.) A science writer warns of sugar's dangers.	10	3
14	BETWEEN THE WORLD AND ME, by Ta-Nehisi Coates. (Spiegel & Grau.) A meditation on race in America.	--	68
15	HIDDEN FIGURES, by Margot Lee Shetterly. (Morrow/HarperCollins.) The black women mathematicians who worked at then-segregated NASA. The basis of the movie.	--	2
16	BORN A CRIME, by Trevor Noah. (Spiegel & Grau.) A memoir about growing up biracial in South Africa by the comedian, now the host of "The Daily Show."	13	9