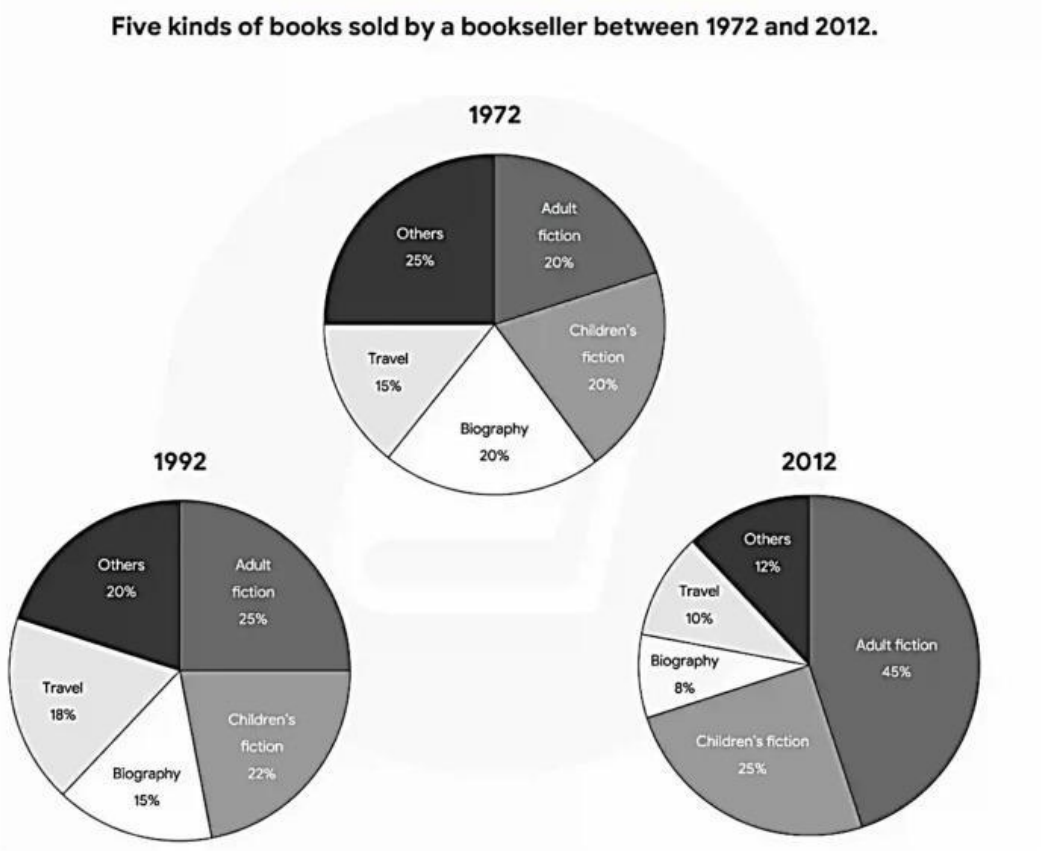
The pie charts below show the percentage of five kinds of books sold by a bookseller between 1972 and 2012.



The pie charts illustrate changes in the **portion/ proportion** of 5 different types of books which ..... sold by a bookseller over a **4-decade/ 4-decades** period from 1970 to 2012.

..... general, what stands ..... from the charts is that the sales of adult fiction and children fiction witnessed **growth/ growths** while there were obvious downward trends ..... the figures for the others over the period ..... a whole. Another striking feature is that adult fiction and children's fiction surpassed others and hold the **dominate/ dominant** position ..... the end of the period.

..... detail, with respect ..... adult fiction and children's fiction, their figures both exhibited rises during the **giving/ given** time. However, the **former/ latter** witnessed a **more/ most** drastic increase, **comprised/ comprising** roughly 45% and 25% **respective/ respectively**.

..... contrast, as ..... biography and others, their sales plummeted over the time, **constituting/ constituted** a mere/ merely 8% and around 12% ..... turn at the end of the time frame. **Similar/ Similarly**, although the figure for travel books went up **slight/ slightly** from 15% to 18% in 1992, it **dropped/ had dropped** to 10% by 2012. (176 words)

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