

**Criteria for Collection Ranking: Point Values and Significance Rankings  
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**Research interest or demand (.5 significance ranking)**

- 5 very high – meets an identified need on the campus
- 4 high – meets an identified need in the region or anticipated need on campus
- 3 moderate – meets an identified need outside of the region or anticipated need in the region
- 2 limited – no known need but some potential interest
- 1 very limited – no known need and no anticipated interest

**Current bibliographic access (.25 significance ranking)**

- 5 no existing bib access
- 4 limited bib access, such as a partial list or file that is not publicly available
- 3 moderate bib access, such as a fairly comprehensive list, or file, or database that is publicly available
- 2 good bib access, such as a standalone or Web-accessible database with very complete information about the collection
- 1 same as 2 but, in addition, some item-level records are in Janus

**Ability to provide physical access (.15 significance ranking)**

- 5 no new demands would be placed on the collection for providing physical access beyond what currently exists
- 4 some new demands would be placed on staff to provide physical access
- 3 moderate new demands
- 2 fairly significant new demands
- 1 very high new demands

**Staffing/size (.05 significance ranking)**

**(staff time needed to provide bib access and complete physical prep work)**

- 5 5-500 hours
- 4 501-2000
- 3 2001-5000
- 4 5001-10,000
- 5 more than 10,000

**Availability of records to be used (.05 significance ranking)**

- 5 very useable records readily available or could be easily generated for a high percentage of the collection (85% or higher)
- 4 useable records for a moderately high percentage of the collection (65%-84%) or records which would require a significant amount of modification
- 3 records available for a moderate amount of the collection (50%-64%)
- 2 records available for a small percentage of the collection (35%-49%)
- 1 records available for very few items in the collection (less than 35%)