COLLECTION LEVEL
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Few selections are made beyond the basic works. Periodicals directly dealing with the topic and in-depth electronic information resources are not collected

| 3 | **STUDY or INSTRUCTIONAL SUPPORT LEVEL**

Collections that provide information about a subject in a systematic way, but at a level of less than research intensity, and support the needs of general library users through college and beginning graduate instruction include:

"Cp"gzvgpukxg"eqnngevkqp"qh"igpgtcn"oqpqitcrju"cpf"tghgtgpeg"yqtmu"cpf selected specialized monographs and reference works.
"Cp"gzvgpukxg"eqnngevkqp"qh"igpgtcn"rgtkqfkecnu"cpf"c"tgrtgugpvcvkxg" collection of specialized periodicals.
"Nkokvgf"eqnngevkqps of appropriate foreign language materials, e.g. foreign language learning materials for non-native speakers or foreign language materials about a topic such as German history in German.
"Gzvgpukxg"eqnngevkqpu"qh"vjg"yqtmu"qh"ygnn-known authors and selections from the works of lesser-known authors. Defined access to an extensive collection of owned or remotely-accessed electronic resources, including bibliographic tools, texts, data sets, journals, etc.

The collection should be systematically reviewed for currency of information and for assurance that essential and important information is retained, including significant numbers of classic retrospective materials. |

| 4 | **RESEARCH LEVEL** |

A collection that contains the major published source materials requir Tm4<6 (d)2 ( )

5	**COMPREHENSIVE LEVEL**
	A collection in a specifically defined field of knowledge that strives to be exhaustive, as far as is reasonably possible (i.e., a "special collection"), in all applicable languages includes: "Gzjcwuvkxg"eqnngevkqpu"qh"rwdnkujgf"ocvgtkcnu0" "Xgt{"gzvgpukxg"ocpwuetkrv"eqnngevkqpu0" "Xgt{"gzvgpukxg"eqnngevkqpu"kp"cnn"qvjgt"rgtvkpgpv"hqtocvu0" "C"eqortgjgpukxg"ngxgn"eqnngevkqp"oc{"ugtxg"cu"c"pcvkqpcn"qt" international resource.