



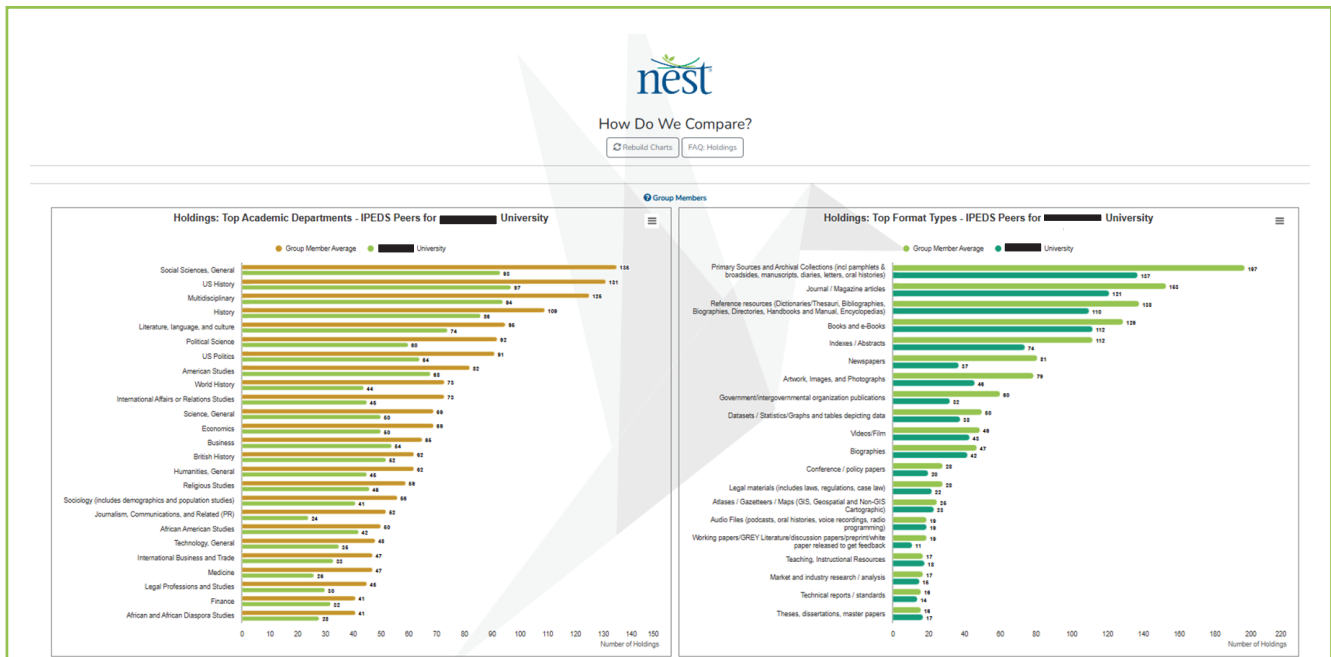
How Do You Compare?

Paratext announces *nest*, a new groundbreaking suite of comparative library analytics built upon the platform of *bird: Base Inventory of Research Databases*.

nest elevates collection insights by comparing your library's holdings with other libraries— consortia members, IPEDS peers, FTE, Carnegie Classification and even specific libraries you wish to evaluate.

With *nest*, library directors, collection strategists and subject selectors have broader context to measure progress, spot emerging trends, identify duplication, and refine library budget decisions.

With *nest*, you see further...and land safely.



**nest* requires access to *bird: Base Inventory of Research Databases*.

Comparisons of *bird* and *nest*



Explore profiles of 7,900+ research databases. Updated weekly.		
See results matched with your own current database holdings.		
Browse by 35 content formats (e.g., newspapers, primary source material, legal content.)		
Search by title, vendor, “AKA” title, series, and titles of monographs included in a database.		
Access original bird’s eye view commentaries covering the research value of the content, written by research librarians.		
Limit by access type—Open Access, subscription, or hybrid.		
Identify similar or comparable databases.		
Locate databases that support the research and teaching activities of over 177 academic departments.		
Update your holdings profile 24/7 through a simple portal.		
See which other libraries own databases profiled in <i>bird</i> .		
Compare your holdings to peers chosen by your university or college leadership.		
Compare your holdings to consortia members or to libraries of similar FTE and Carnegie Classification.		
Compare your holdings to select libraries of your choice.		
Compare broader departmental holdings--by department, by format, and by access type too.		
Export data for planning and long-term development.		



The database of research databases™

bird launched in early 2024. It is updated weekly.

bird is customized to each library’s database holdings, to instantly see opportunities, gaps or overlap in your own collection.

bird is built and maintained by experienced research librarians to expand your expertise, giving you the ‘birds eye view.’

Quick Facts:

- *bird* includes *Open Access*, subscription or hybrid
- **7,900 +** research databases profiled.
- **1,850** publishers.
- **177** academic departments.
- **35** material formats.

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