

Appendix B Summary Comparison of Newspapers

November 2, 2006										
Revised by:										
Name	Access World News	AltPress Watch	America's Historical Newspapers	Ethnic News Watch	Factiva	Gender Watch	Historical Newspapers Online	LexisNexis Academic	ProQuest Current Newspapers	ProQuest Historical Newspapers
Vendor/Publisher	Readex	ProQuest	Newsbank/Readex	ProQuest	Dow Jones and Reuters	ProQuest	Proquest/Chadwick-Healey	LexisNexis	Proquest	Proquest
Number of titles (if can provide by CA, US, International, this is also helpful)	1903 Some titles from original subscription list still being added.	over 170 publications, 190,000 articles	Series I only: 754 titles.	264 publications	10,000+ total, 2033 newspapers (est.)	over 200 publications	1 title	6500+ total, ca. 1100 newspapers	3 titles	3 titles
Dates: Historical, current, range of dates	A few go back to the 1980s but most begin in the late 1990s or later.	varies. 1970 to date	Historical: 1690-1876. Coverage varies greatly, from scattered months and issues to longer ranges of years. Depends on contents of archives digitized.	varies. Few titles 1960s+; approx 1/2 with coverage 1990+; 1/3 titles with coverage 1996 or later.	Current, backfiles vary	varies. Some as early as 1970. Most with coverage from early to mid 1990s.	London Times (1785-1870)	Coverage varies by title	L.A. Times (1985-current); New York Times (1980-current); Wall Street Journal (1984-current)	L.A. Times (1881-1985); New York Times (1851-2003); Wall Street Journal (1889-1985)
Full Text or Abstracts	Full text ASCII	full text	Full text	full text	Most Full text, some abstracts only	full text	Full text	mostly full text, some abstracts	Full text	Full text
Selective or Full Coverage	Full coverage except for copyrighted materials, ads and classified section	most full coverage	Full coverage for issues included	most full coverage	Most full coverage, some selected	most full coverage	Selective: articles listed in Palmer's indexes	Most full coverage, some selected	Full coverage of editorial content	Comprehensive coverage of all available issues
Languages	Mostly English. Spanish language newspapers in the Acceda Noticias section		Mostly English; some papers for immigrant communities are in European languages	English/Spanish (approx. 1/4 articles in Spanish)	Full range of languages, including Chinese and Japanese. No Arabic.	English	English	Mostly English, with some Western European languages	English language only	English Language only
Coverage-CA, US, International	CA (strong local coverage), US, International		US	CA, US, International	CA, US, International		United Kingdom	CA, US, International	US, one title CA	US, one title CA
Image v. text	ASCII text	text	image	text	Text	text	image	Text	text	image
Cataloging access: individual titles cataloged by SCP	Yes	yes	Yes: about 20 percent cataloged, with SCP proceeding to include the balance	yes	No	yes	yes	Over 700 cataloged thus far	yes	yes
Open URL compliant?	Yes	yes	Yes	yes	No, no UC e-links	yes	unknown	Coming soon	yes	yes
License	CDL	Tier 2	CDL	CDL	Tier 2: B, D, I, M, R, SD (LA?)	CDL	CDL	Individual campus	CDL	CDL
Cost/year current	Nine campuses share 127 s/u and a \$127,000 annual cost (SF is free). Contractual terms: one s/u per \$1,000 subscription fee, 5% annual cap, includes all newspapers currently licensed by Newsbank.		Nine campuses equally share a \$3150 annual ongoing fee (\$350 per campus, SF is free). There is a 3% annual price cap, unlimited s/u, includes all updates and content added to the collection.	All 10 campuses have access and co-share the \$3,160 annual cost for Ethnic NewsWatch History and \$31,645 annual cost for the Ethnic NewsWatch current database.	\$63,960 to share 49 s/u among the subscribing campuses	All 10 campuses have access and co-share the \$10,500 annual cost.	In 2003, CDL negotiated a perpetual waiver of the \$3200 annual campus cost.	Based on FTE rates through OCLC consortia. All titles added to service automatically received at no extra cost.	In 2008, campuses will co-share annual ongoing fees for the current collection: : LAT \$30,000, NYT \$9350, WSJ \$9350).	In 2008, campuses will co-share annual ongoing fees for the historic collection: LAT \$40,000, NYT \$55,000, WSJ \$31,320.
Cost for backfiles (paid by CDL)		N/A	This was a one-time purchase in 2004 by CDL. Actual cost is unavailable since it was purchased along with the U.S. Congressional Serials Set and Early American Imprints - Series II, Shaw Shoemaker (total price was \$1M).	CDL paid \$120,000 for the Ethnic NewsWatch History backfile in 2001.	N/A		CDL paid \$458,330 for perpetual rights in 2000.	N/A		In 2002, CDL paid \$1,114,125 in one-time purchase fees and \$243,500 in prepaid (5 years) annual fees on behalf of all 10 campuses.
Perpetual rights?	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	UC has perpetual rights to the out-of-copyright portion of the current newspaper collection only (Historic LAT 1881-1923, Historic NYT 1851-1923, Historic WSJ 1889-1923).