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a view of 2004 ACRL Stats and our Peer Group:

URI Library's total budget was \$5,103,165. I looked for the nine libraries immediately above URI and the nine immediately below URI in total budget. I then eliminated the private institutions [e.g. Amherst, Brandeis, Drexel, Hofstra, Loyola Chicago, Middlebury, Oberlin, Smith]. Maryland [Balt. County] screwed up its other figures, so you really can't use them effectively.

Peer Group--Total Library Budgets

1. Cal.St.-Fresno	\$6,332,770
2. Central Mich.	\$5,975,208
3. U. Maine	\$5,885,782
4. North Dakota	\$5,828,552
5. Boise State	\$5,788,878
6. No. Arizona	\$5,588,112
7. Md.-Balt.Co.	\$5,583,416
8. Tex-Dallas	\$5,516,097
9. Toledo	\$5,203,524
10. URI	\$5,103,165
11. Wichita	\$4,955,158
12. Texas-El Paso	\$4,933,186
13. Idaho	\$4,933,105
14. James Madison	\$4,845,310
15. Ind. State	\$4,839,347
16. W. Wash.	\$4,836,059
17. SW Mo. State	\$4,599,023
18. Cleveland State	\$4,580,907
19. So.Mississippi	\$4,549,960
20. W. Illinois	\$4,517,709