Biggest box, brightly colored, decorated with advertisements, represents Google, fill with VARIETY of results AND lots of fluff (tissue paper).

Representing a subject specific database, box is approximately the same width as striped box, but is much deeper, representing the same breadth of materials but more depth; plain but bright paper is good to represent a database like Elsevier, fill with about a quarter of the results of the Google box, with only a few pieces of fluff, making sure some results are of a highly technical nature.

Least decoration, represents library catalog (we are part of a consortium so we can choose to search the entire union catalog or just our part; fill with LOTS of book and video results, with a moderate amount of fluff.

Wide breadth, limited depth, represents a multidisciplinary database; fill with a wide variety of results and a good amount of fluff; make sure all results are related to the same keyword, but come from a variety of disciplines.