

Physical Security Controls
Library of Congress Protection Prioritization Matrix
 (by cycle and tiers of risk)

Physical Security Controls In-Transit Cycle						
				Risk Continuum		
			Platinum (Treasures)			
			Gold (rare items having prohibitively high replacement cost, high market value, and significant cultural or historical importance)			
			Silver (items requiring special handling, such as computer software, videos, or compact discs)			
			Bronze (items served in reading rooms without special restrictions and items eligible for loan without stringent restrictions)			
			Copper (items the Library does not intend to archive; some are evaluated for use in the exchange and gift program)	↓		
Escorted transit/signature accountability						
Secured transit/signature accountability						
Open transit						
Mail package control						
Identification badges						
Loading dock control						
Escort, armed						
Exit inspection						