A QUICK GUIDE TO CHOOSING A UNIVERSE
For Legacy Reporting

Do you need details below the GL code level, i.e., line item description, entry code, account reference? ——— **YES** ———→ Use the **DMT** universe

NO ↓

Do you need an amount for a particular month or a portion of a fiscal year? ——— **YES** ———→ Use the **DMT** universe

NO ↓

Do you need to run any consolidated budget reports such as the standard Consolidated Budget reports or OB Transfer Detail? ——— **YES** ———→ Use the **Fin_CB** universe

NO ↓

Do you need to run a standard report on Fund Activity? ——— **YES** ———→ Use the **Fin_FundAcct** universe

NO ↓

Do you work in the Controller's Office and need to run standard reports for Big Red? ——— **YES** ———→ Use the **Fin_Summary** *or* AuditMod universe

NO ↓

Do you work in GCA, and need only Sponsored Projects Income? ——— **YES** ———→ Use the **GCA_Income** universe

NO ↓

Do you want to run standard reports to see how a hierarchy breaks out? ——— **YES** ———→ Use the **Hierarch** universe

NO ↓

Are you a budget officer, and need to compare Pillar budget data to actuals? ——— **YES** ———→ Use the **Pillar** universe

NO ↓

Do you need SPIDERS data such as info on PI's, Awards and/or Proposals? ——— **YES** ———→ Use the **SPO_Data** universe

NO ↓

Is your report limited to Sponsored Projects expenditures? Or do you need to combine Sponsored Projects Data (such as investigator name, sponsor name) with financial data? ——— **YES** ———→ Use the **Spon_Fin** universe or the **Spon_Fin_Summary**

NO ↓

Then you probably only need year-to-date financial data that has been summarized by gl code & account ——— **YES** ———→ Use the **Fin_EZ** universe