FirstSearch Example 2

Question: Find information on Walt Whitman and war.

Search the Modern Language Association Bibliography: whitman and war

UPDATE CODE: 9001
AUTHOR: Hutchinson, George B.
TITLE: Whitman's Confidence Game: The 'Good Gray Poet' and the Civil War
YEAR: 1990
SOURCE: South Central Review: The Journal of the South Central Modern Language Association (SCRev), College Station, TX, 77843-4227. Article in: vol. 7 no. 1, 1990 Spring
PAGES: 20-35
STANDARD NO: ISSN 0743-6831
LANGUAGE: English
PUB TYPE: journal article
DESCRIPTORS: American literature; 1800-1899; Whitman, Walt; Leaves of Grass; poetry; and prose; treatment of American Civil War
LIBRARIES: MA hul HLS
AL AAA ABC
AR AFU AKC AKH
AZ AZS AZU
CA CLU CUI CUS CUT CUY
...
Question: Find information on Mystic, Connecticut.

Search MLA Bibliography: connecticut and mystic

| NUMBER:    | Accession: 82-5-2179. Record: 28908. |
| UPDATE CODE: | 8201                                      |
| AUTHOR:    | MacArthur, Keith R.                       |
| TITLE:     | The Research behind the Restoration: Mystic’s Lifesaving Craft |
| YEAR:      | 1976                                      |
| PAGES:     | 63-70                                     |
| LANGUAGE:  | English                                   |
| PUB TYPE:  | book article                             |
| DESCRIPTORS: | material culture; technology; shipbuilding; United States; restoration; study example Connecticut; Mystic Seaport |
EPIC

What is it?

EPIC is an online reference system. EPIC is made special by:

- The OCLC Online Union Catalog (over 26,000,000 bibliographic records)
- Popular online reference databases
- NISO standard command search language
- Detailed keyword and Boolean indexing
- Affordable charges
- EasyNet to 450 more databases
- A variety of display and print formats
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Who uses it?

Reference librarians.

Answering reference questions is EPIC’s primary use.

Catalogers.

Subject access to the OCLC Online Union Catalog makes EPIC an auxiliary reference tool for cataloging.

How can I access it?

Dedicated Line.

Your OCLC terminal is connected to the OCLC network through a Sprint modem. There are monthly charges. Drawback: only one record can be displayed or printed at one time.

Dial Access.

Your microcomputer is connected to the OCLC network through a modem to the Sprint telephone network, via CompuServe or the local OCLC dial access node. There are hourly charges.

The Internet.

Using your institution’s Internet connection allows for a decrease in telecommunication charges and Sunday access as well.
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How much does it cost?

See "The EPIC Service Price List."

Costs:

EPIC Authorization Number Annual Fee
Connect Hour Charge
Display Format Charges
Print Format Charges
Save Search Charges
Selective Dissemination of Information Charges (SDI)

How do I sign up?

Complete:

NELINET EPIC Service Payment Form
The EPIC Service Order/Change Form

Return forms to NELINET.

Call Mary Ellen Heinen at NELINET for more information.
Basic Commands:

f
Find, or searches for an answer

d
Displays the result of a search

s
Scans an index

and
Boolean "and" searches for both terms in the same record

or
Boolean "or" searches for either term

not
Boolean "not" searches for one term without the other

?
Substitutes any number of characters within or at the end of a word

#
Substitutes a single character within or at the end of a word
EPIC Example 1

Question: Find an early book on military science.

Search the OCLC Online Union Catalog:

f military science and ln=eng and yr -1700

AN: 26169455
AU: Du Praissac, Sieur.
TI: The art of warre, or, Military discourses of leavying, marching, encamping, and embattailing an armie; of building, defending, and expunging forts and fortified cities; of ordinance, petards, and fireworks; of the severall duties of officers and souldiers; of the Grecian and Romane Militia, and forming of battailions; &c.
ED: by the Lord of Praissac; Englished by I.C.
YR: 1639
LN: English
PT: Book
PH: 202, [4], 8 p. : ill. ; 19 cm. (8vo)
PB: Printed by Roger Daniel ... and are to be sold by John Williams at the Crane in Pauls church-yard in London,
PL: Cambridge [Cambridgeshire]:
SU: Military art and science Early works to 1800.
Attack and defense (Military science)
EPIC Example 2

Question: Give me information on the Ozone layer problem.

Search Readers' Guide to Periodical Literature:

f ozone and layer and warming

AU: Weisburd, Stefi.
TI: Ozone and global warming: what to do?.
SO: Science News v. 131 (Feb. 7 '87) p. 86 Sci News
SN: 0036-8423
PL: United States
PD: 1987
RT: art
AC: feature article
Montreal Protocol (1987)
Greenhouse effect.
EPIC Example 3

Question: Is Elvis really alive?

Search Periodical Abstracts:

f elvis and alive

NO: 00787961
AU: Herbert, Suzanne Golubski
TI: Demented Tabloid Run by Aliens!
PD: 920400
JO: M v9n7 p43-48 Apr 1992 ISSN: 0746-5076
JC: IMM
LG: Long (31+ col inches)
AV: M Magazine, P.O. Box 57099, Boulder, CO 80322-7099
AT: Feature
SF: Photograph
AB: The outrageous "Weekly World News" tabloid is profiled. The paper has an irreverent style with a titillating mix of the macabre and the absurd, and it was the first to proclaim that Elvis is still alive.
DE: Newspapers; Company profiles
CO: Weekly World News
PRISM

What is it?

PRISM is the new way to access the OCLC Online Union Catalog for producing cataloging records.

Who uses it?

Catalogers.

PRISM is used by catalogers for cataloging. Search for the newly acquired book. Find the cataloging record. Add your call number. Produce cards for your card catalog, or export into your local online catalog.

Reference Librarians.

Search for authors and titles using a search-only authorization.

Interlibrary Loan Librarians.

ILL may find Title Browse searching helpful for finding difficult ILL titles. (ILL will use PRISM on 14 December 1992.)

Collection Development and Acquisitions Librarians.

PRISM is used for confirmation and cooperative collection development.
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How can I access it?

Dedicated Line.

Your OCLC terminal is connected to the OCLC network through a Sprint modem. There are monthly charges.

Dial Access.

Your microcomputer is connected to the OCLC network through a modem to the Sprint telephone network, usually via CompuServe. There are hourly charges.

Which is better?

If you use OCLC 7 hours a week or less, dial access will cost less.

How much does it cost?

Searching.

Each search costs $.23.

Telecommunications, Dedicated Line.

Monthly fee of $243.60 for 1 terminal and 1 modem. When you use your existing dedicated line you are adding no additional costs.

Telecommunications, Dial Access.

$.14 per minute, or $7.92 per hour.

How do I sign up?

Nonmembers should call Joan Stapleton at NELINET for a cost estimate and forms.

Members should fill out the OCLC PRISM Access and Authorization Form.
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Searching Rules:

1. Search at Home position
2. Use F11 to send commands (not Enter)

Getting out of trouble:

1. F3 returns to a blank screen
2. CTRL Break unlocks a locked keyboard
3. REMOVE
    If the computer asks you if you want HLP or CANCEL or REMOVE or ???, you have confused it. Move your cursor to REMOVE and tap F10.

Moving Around:

1. F4 to page down
2. F5 to page up
3. F9 to Forward to the next record
4. SHIFT F9 to move Back to the previous record
5. CONTROL F9 to Go Back to the previous list
Search Keys:

People: (4,3,1)
Stephen Jay Gould is searched:
goul,ste,j <F11>

Groups of People (Corporate Bodies): (=4,3,1)
Medical Library Association is searched:
=medi,lib,a <F11>

* Beware of the Stop List

Titles: (3,2,2,1)

Gone with the Wind is searched:
gon,wi,th,w <F11>

Scanning Titles: sca ti (full title)

The Journal of the American Medical Association is searched:
sca ti journal of the american medical association <F11>

Scanning People in the Authority File: sca pn (full name)

Stephen Jay Gould is searched:
sca pn gould, stephen jay <F11>

* If you get stuck in the AF (Authority File) CHOOSE the OL (Online Union Catalog) to return to the Online Union Catalog and to scan more titles:
cho ol <F11>

Search Qualifiers:

Year: /1991

Stephen Jay Gould from 1991 is searched:
goul,ste,j/1991 <F11>

Type of Material: /rec

Stephen Jay Gould sound recordings is searched:
goul,ste,j/rec <F11>
Question: Find me the proceedings of the Military Librarians Workshop

Search: =mili,lib,w

OLUC dc =mili,lib,w
Record 10 of 29

NO HOLDINGS IN TQL - 4 OTHER HOLDINGS

OCLC: 23294985  Rec stat: n
Entered: 19910326  Replaced: 19910326  Used: 19910426

* Type: a  Bib lvl: m  Source: d  Lang: eng
* Repr:  Enc lvl: I  Conf pub: 0  Ctry: vau
* Indx: 0  Mod rec:  Gover pub:  Cont: 
* Desc: a  Int lvl:  Festschr: 0  Illus: a
* F/B: 0  Dat tp: s  Dates: 1990,

1 040  SCA +c SCA %
2 090  +b %
3 049  TQLL %
4 111 2  Military Librarians Workshop +n (34th : +d 1990 : +c Fort Monroe, Va.) %
5 245 10 Libraries : +b a vision for the 90's and beyond : proceedings of the 34th Annual Military Librarians Workshop, October 9-12, 1990 / +c Edwin B. Burgess, editor. %
7 300  l v. (various pagings) : +b ill. ; +c 28 cm. %
8 500  Title from cover. %
9 650 0  Military libraries +z United States +x Congresses. %
10 650 0  Libraries +x Automation +x Congresses. %
11 650 0  Artificial intelligence +x Congresses. %
12 700 10  Burgess, Edwin B. %
13 710 10  United States. +b Army Training and Doctrine Command. %
Question: Find me the biography of Stormin' Norman

Search: sca ti stormin norman

OLUC ti "STORMIN NORMAN AN AMERICAN HERO"
Record 1 of 1
NO HOLDINGS IN TQL - 264 OTHER HOLDINGS
OCLC: 23527201 Rec stat: a
Entered: 19911120 Replaced: 19920418 Used: 19921022
Type: a Bib lvl: m Source: Lang: eng
Repr: Enc lvl: Conf pub: 0 Ctry: nyu
Indx: 0 Mod rec: Govt pub: Cont:
Desc: a Int lvl: Festschr: 0 Illus: a
F/B: 0b Dat tp: s Dates: 1991,

1 010 91-218738
2 040 DLC +c DLC
3 020 0821735624 : +c $4.50 ($5.50 Can. : 3.99 (U.K.))
4 043 n-us---
5 050 00 E840.5.S39 +b A75 1991
6 082 00 355/.0092 +a B +2 20
7 090 +b
8 049 TQLL
9 100 1 Anderson, Jack, +d 1922-
10 245 10 Stormin' Norman : +b an American hero / +c Jack Anderson and Dale Van Atta.
12 300 191 p. : +b ill. ; +c 18 cm.
13 600 10 Schwarzkopf, H. Norman, +d 1934-
14 650 0 Generals +z United States +x Biography. +c
15 610 10 United States. +b Army +x Biography. +c
16 650 0 Persian Gulf War, 1991. +c
17 700 10 Van Atta, Dale. +c
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PRISM Example 3

Question: How many Eisenhower manuscripts are on OCLC?

Search: eise,dwi,d/amc

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FIRST

What is it?

First is the current system used for
- Interlibrary Loan (until 14 December 1992)
- Union Listing (until several months from now)

Who uses it?

Interlibrary Loan.

The First System is used by ILL to borrow and loan library materials.
- Search for the book the patron wants.
- Choose the library that can supply the book.
- Create a workflow to request the book.
- Search the Name-Address Directory to find ILL policies, names, and addresses.

ILL uses the Message File to follow borrowing and lending through the system.

Union Listing.

Union listing users add and maintain serials records and other records online. This allows borrowers to know exactly what a library has.
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How can I access it?

Same as PRISM.

How much does it cost?

Same as PRISM.

How do I sign up?

Same as PRISM.

Searching Rules:

1. Search at Home position
2. Use F11 to send commands (not Enter)

Search Keys:

Author or Person: (4,3,1) Same as PRISM.

Groups of People (Corporate Bodies): (=4,3,1) Same as PRISM.

Titles: (3,2,2,1) Same as PRISM.

Author/Title Combination: (4,4)
Walt Whitman’s Leaves of Grass is searched:
whit,leav <F11>

People in the Authority File: ([4,3,1])

Search Qualifiers:

Year: /1991 Same as PRISM.

Type of Material: /rec Same as PRISM.
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Moving Around:

1. 1 (etc.)
   1. To see another item in a list, type its number
      followed by F11.

2. F4 to see the next screen

3. F5 to see the previous screen, or list

4. F9 to see the ILL Message File

Interlibrary Loan Search Keys:

1. dh to Display Holdings

2. bib to move to the Bibliographic record

3. ulneul to display union list holdings for the New England
   Union List

   spy,,/ser <F11>
   ulneul <F11>

   Gives you a list of who holds what volumes of Spy
   magazine in the New England Union List of Serials.

Name-Address Search Keys:

Organization Name: (:3,2,2,1) Start with a colon!

   Central Plains University Libraries is searched:

   :cen,pl,un,1 <F11>

   * Beware of the Stop List.

OCLC Symbol: (:xxx.) Start with a colon! End with a
   period!

   TQK is searched:

   :tqk. <F11>
First Example 1

Question: What is the phone number and who can I talk to at the Naval Undersea Warfare Center?

Search in OCLC’s Name-Address Directory: nav, un, wa, c

NACN: 6808 DATE MODIFIED: 920311 DATE LAST USED: 000000

1 ATTN OF: Mr Jerome Jl Barner
2 TITLE
3 ORGANIZ Naval Undersea Warfare Cent Detachment LIBR
4 PO/ST New London Lab B-80 Room 2065
5 CITY/ST New London CT 063205594 US
6 IDENTITY OCLC
7 COMMUN 203 440-4695
8 AFFIL’N OCLC FEDLINK Federal Libraries Info Cent
Group Access
9 POLICIES
10 FAX POLICY
11 MESSAGE
12 STATUS CHG Naval Underwater Systems Center Tech Libr
4 d 920311
First Example 2

Question: Which libraries own The Naval Units?

Search OCLC's Online Union Catalog for the book:
nav.un.,/bks
Then display the holdings: dh

Screen 1 of 2

NO HOLDINGS IN TKQ - FOR HOLDINGS ENTER dh DEPRESS DISPLAY RECEIVED
SEND
OCLC: 20894133 Rec stat: p Entrd: 891221 Used: 921022

Type: a Bib lv1: m Govt pub: Lang: eng Source: Illus: ab
Repr: Enc lv1: Conf pub: 0 Ctry: pau Dat tp: s M/F/B: ^0
Indx: 0 Mod rec: Festschr: 0 Cont:
Desc: a Int lv1: Dates: 1990, ^1

10 010 89-13864 ^1
2 040 DLC ^c DLC ^1
3 020 0918678528 ^1
4 050 00 VA10 ^b .N363 1990 ^1
5 082 00 359.3/1 ^2 20 ^1
6 049 TKKK ^1
7 245 04 The Naval units / ^c Ashley Brown, editor, Jonathan Reed, editor. ^1
8 260 Harrisburg, Pa. : ^b National Historical Society, ^c
c1990. ^1
9 300 176 p. : ^b ill. (some col.), col. maps ; ^c 29 cm. ^1
10 490 1 The Elite ^1
11 500 "Published in Great Britain in 1986 by Orbis Publishing"--^T.P.
verso. ^1
12 650 0 Navies. ^1
13 650 0 Submarine warfare ^x History. ^1
14 650 0 Naval history, Modern ^y 20th century. ^1
15 700 10 Brown, Ashley. ^1
16 700 10 Reed, Jonathan. ^1
17 830 0 Elite (Harrisburg, Pa.) ^1
ALL LOCATIONS - FOR OTHER HOLDINGS DISPLAYS ENTER dh{group}, dhs, OR dhr, DISPLAY RECD, SEND; FOR BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD ENTER bib, DISPLAY RECD, SEND

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First Example 3

Question: Which libraries in New England hold the serial, Sea Power?

Search OCLC for the serial: sea, po, /ser
Then search the New England Union List of Serials: ulneul

- NO HOLDINGS IN TQM - FOR HOLDINGS ENTER dh DEPRESS DISPLAY RECD SEND
  OCLC: 3324011 Rec stat: c Entrd: 771007 Used: 927021 %
- Type: a Bib lv1: s Govt pub: Lang: eng Source: S/L ent: 0
  Rep: Enc lv1: I Conf pub: 0 Ctry: dcu Ser tp: p Alphabet: a
  Indx: Mod rec: Phys med: Cont: ^ Frequn: m Pub st: c
- 1 010 sn85-12065 +2 72-616931 %
- 2 040 DLC +c OLA +d OLA +d NSD +d m.c. +d DLC +d NSD +d DLC +d
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  NSD +d NST +d HUL +d m/c +d NST %
- 3 012 +e s +i 8509 +j 1 +k 1 +m 1 %
- 4 022 0 0199-1337 %
- 5 032 375220 +b USPS %
- 6 042 nsdp %
- 7 050 00 VA49 +b .N28 %
- 8 082 1 359 +2 11 %
- 9 049 TQKK %
- 10 130 0 Sea power (Washington, D.C. : 1971) %
- 11 210 0 Sea power +b (1971) %
- 12 222 0 Sea power +b (1971) %
- 13 245 00 Sea power. %
- 14 260 [Washington, D.C. : +b Navy League of the United States, %
- 15 300 v. :b ill. (part col.) ; +c 28 cm. %
- 16 310 Monthly (semimonthly Apr.) +b <, Apr. 1984-> %
- 17 321 Eleven no. a year %
- 18 321 Monthly +b <, Feb. 1974-> %
- 19 350 $15.00 (U.S.) +a $20.00 (surface mail, foreign) +a $25.00
  (air mail, foreign) %
- 20 362 1 Began with: Vol. 14, no. 8 (Sept. 1971). %
- 21 500 Description based on: Vol. 24, no. 8 (Aug. 1981); title
  from cover. %
- 22 510 2 Predicasts %
- 23 510 2 America, history and life +x 0002-7065 +b 1972- %
- 26 550 Official publication of the Navy League of the United
  States. %
- 27 610 10 United States. +b Navy +x Periodicals. +w cn %
- 28 650 0 Naval art and science +x Periodicals. %
- 29 710 20 Navy League of the United States. +w cn %
- 30 770 0 +t Almanac of seapower +x 0736-3559 +w (DLC) 83645621 %
- 31 780 00 +t Navy +w (OCoLC)2264745 %

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NEW ENGLAND UNION LIST AND GROUP ACCESS CATALOG

Sea power (Washington, D.C. : 1971)

ISSN: 0199-1337 CODEN: OCLC no: 3324011

Regulr: x

ITEMS MARKED + HAVE FULLER HOLDINGS. REQUEST LINE NO. TO VIEW THESE.％

％
1 + GNA (9204,0,4) 1981-1989:11; 1991:05- ％
2 + GOA (9207,0,4,6,Retains current year plus 2 years.) ％
3 + GPG (8811,0,4) 1987:04- ％
4 + GQH (9205,0,4,6,Retains current 2 years.) ％
5 + GQL (9102,0,4) 1989- ％
6 + GVQ (9008,0,4) 1980- ％
7 + RYE (8702,0,4,6,Retains current 5 years.) ％
8 + RYS (8809,0,4,6,retains 6 years only) ％
9 + SST (8804,0,5) 18-21; 23-25 1975-1978; 1980-1982 ％
10 + UMI (9112,0,4) 27- 1984- ％
11 + UNH (8910,0,4,6,Retains current year.) ％
12 + UTE (9208,0,4) 1985- ％
13 + YRP (8812,0,4,6,Retains current 4 years.) ％

25 October 1992

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