

Business and Economics Database Chart

Database	Truncation / wildcards (char = character)	Boolean / proximity, phrases	Combine searches	Save searches	Email alerts	End note	Other features
Current contents	* for char string within or at end of word stem ? for any 1 char within or at end of word stem	Automatic phrases and, or, not, same thru (to combine many search set results)	Yes	Yes	Yes: searches	Yes: direct export, import filter	
Business Source Premier	* for char string at end ? for 1 char anywhere	Automatic phrases for 2 words. " " = exact phrase and, or, not , ()	Yes, in search history/alert (Advanced search)	Yes: need to set up a personal account	Yes: Searches	Yes direct export, import filter	Styles of Citation info in Help Field codes: eg AU jones, janet Peer reviewed limit References & cited info publication type limit images search Local holding link
Emerald	tick box for truncation * for char string at end	Tick the box for phrases and, or , not , ()	No	Yes: save searches as an email alert.	Yes: Searches TOC	Yes: Import filter	Limit to subscribed titles Limit by style & content indicators in the Advanced search eg case study, lit. review
Expanded Academic	* for char string anywhere ? for 1 char anywhere, ?? for 2 etc ! for 1 or 0 char	Automatic phrases in either word order " " = exact phrase and, or, not, () Wn (within n words in order) Nn (within n, any order)	No	Yes: has infotrack. save the url at the citation (results) page OR save a search page InfoMark	No	Yes	Peer review limiting Styles of Citation info in Help - search: Help index Includes a dictionary Search Voyager link :Linkfinder plus
Factiva	* for char string at end ? for 1 char within a word	and, or, not, () Atleast <i>n</i> for minimum no of refs to a word.	No	Yes : however anyone can see and delete saved searches.	No		
IBSS	* for char string at end ? for 1 char within a word # to replace any word in a phrase	Automatic phrases + & and , or - not	Yes. Use the saved searches button	Yes: make a note of the generated save searches identifier to use later to rerun the saved searches	No	Yes: Import filter	
INNZ	? for char string	" " for phrases and, or, not, ()	No	No	No	Yes	
Investext	* for char string ? for single letter ?? for 2 letters ! for 1 or no characters	Automatic phrases and, or, not, ()	No	Yes: has infotrack = copy /bookmark the url	No		Citation style info under Help-search: Help index

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JSTOR	+ for plurals "cat+" No stemming or truncation available.	All words must be in " " whether single or a phrase and, or, andnot, (), See helpsheet for additional operators	No	No	No	Yes: import filter	
Newzindex /Newztext	Automatic stem searching " " for exact word	Automatic phrases and, or, not, () fish "and" chips	No	No	No	No	
PAIS	\$ for char string at end \$n for n char at end # for 1 char anywhere ? for 0 or 1 char anywhere	Automatic phrases and, or, not, adjn (within n words in any order)	Yes	Yes	Yes: Searches	Yes:	x.yy. Searches for word or phrase x in field yy.
Proquest (ABI/INFORM etc)	* for char string at end ? for 1 char anywhere	Automatic phrase 2 words, 2+ words use " " and, or, and not, (), W/n	Yes. In recent searches list click on 'add to search'		No	Yes	Use classification codes eg CC(9520) AU(peter boxall)
ScienceDirect	Enter singular word for automatic simple plurals . * replaces single char anywhere except 1 st letter ! for char string at end	and, or , and not, (), w/nn, pre/nn, not w/nn	Yes, use checkbox	Yes - with a personal login	Yes: Searches New jnl issues citations	Yes	Set up a personal Science Direct login for full functionality Replace hyphens with blank space Citation links No emailing articles
Te Puna / Voyager	? for char string at end	" " for phrases and, or, !=not	No	Yes – in Voyager	No	Yes	
Web of Science	? for 1 char anywhere * for char string anywhere: stands for 0+ letters , must have 3 letters preceding it.	Automatic phrases and, or, not, () same (sentence). Read help guide for traps	Yes: combine search button	Yes: use the Advanced search	No	Yes	
webspirs (Informit)	* for char string at end ? for 0 or 1 char anywhere	Automatic phrases and, or, adj, not, near (same sentence), with	Yes: #n and also see Other features →				Author name format: smith-n* Can use search term with classification codes: eg. zealand in TI Beginning a search request with an operator automatically combines that request with the previous one
Wiley Interscience	* for char string stemming	automatic phrases and, or	No	Yes: have to set up a personal register	Yes: need to register		