

Web of Science

A Guide for using
Arts & Humanities Citation Index,
Science Citation Index,
And **Social Science Citation Index**

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- This database indexes items **published from 2002-present only**.
- **Science Citation Index Expanded™** provides access to bibliographic information, author abstracts, and cited references from over 6,650 international science/technology journals.
- **Social Sciences Citation Index®** provides access to bibliographic information, author abstracts, and cited references from over 1,950 international social sciences journals.
- **Arts & Humanities Citation Index®** provides access to bibliographic information, author abstracts, and cited references from over 1,150 international arts and humanities journals.

About the database...

ISI Web of KnowledgeSM [Sign In](#) | [My EndNote Web](#) | [My ResearcherID](#) | [My Citation Alerts](#)

Take the next step

All Databases | **Select a Database** | Web of Science | Additional Resources

Search | Search History | Marked List (0)

Search for:

in

Example: oil spill AND "North Sea"*

in

Example: O'Brian C OR OBrian C**

in

Example: Cancer OR Journal of Cancer Research and Clinical Oncology*

[Add Another Field >>](#)

Limit to:

Sign In for a customized experience. Get email alerts about your favorite journals. Save your search history and documents. This program also works with the bibliographic software EndNote.

Search hints appear below the search bars.

The search screen defaults to "topic", "author", and "Pub. Name". **All of these can be changed** to more appropriate search fields. The default is to "AND" the fields together, but this can be switched to "OR" or "NOT".

Main Web of Science Search Page

All Databases | Select a Database | Web of Science | Additional Resources

Search | Search History | Marked List (0)

Results Topic=("university library")
Timespan=All Years.

Thomson Scientific WebPlus View Web Results >>

Results: 392 Page 1 of 40 Go

Sort by: Publication Date
 Publication Date
 Relevance
 First author
 Source Title

Print | E-mail | Add to Marked List | Save to EndNote Web | more options

Refine Results

Search within results for

General Categories Refine

- SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (274)
- ARTS & HUMANITIES (151)
- SOCIAL SCIENCES (106)
- more options / values...

Subject Areas Refine

- INFORMATION SCIENCE & LIBRARY SCIENCE (214)
- COMPUTER SCIENCE (119)
- HISTORY (69)
- EDUCATION & EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH (44)

1. Title: Virtual Research Environments: What is the librarian's role?
 Author(s): Wusteman, J
 Source: JOURNAL OF LIBRARIANSHIP AND INFORMATION SCIENCE Volume: 40 Issue: 2 Pages: 67-70
 Published: 2008
 Times Cited: 0
 find it @ MSU

2. Title: Factors affecting the career choice of undergraduates in Nigerian library and information science schools
 Author(s): Issa, AO; Nwalo, KIN
 Source: AFRICAN JOURNAL OF LIBRARY ARCHIVES AND INFORMATION SCIENCE Volume: 18 Issue: 1 Pages: 25-31 Published: 2008
 Times Cited: 0
 find it @ MSU

3. Title: "All Hayle to Hatfeild": A new series of country house poems from Leeds University Library, Brotherton Collection, MS Lt q 44

The list is **automatically sorted newest first**. You can change the results to be sorted by any of the choices in this list.

This is a **citation database**, which means that it will tell you how many times each article has been cited. This can be **helpful in analyzing your search results**.

The result screen gives you bibliographic information on the results. Use the **Find it @ MSU** button to look for **full-text options**. There will not be full-text options within this database.

Results Screen

- The **truncation symbol** for Web of Science is **the asterisk (*)**. Use this symbol following the roots of words that may expand your result. For example, litera* returns results with the following words:
- Literary
- Literacy
- Literature
- Literal
- Literate, etc.

As you can see by the example below, truncating the word “library” dramatically increased the results.

All Databases | Select a Database

Search | Search History | Marked List (0)

Results Topic="university library"
Timespan=All Years.

Results: **392**

All Databases | Select a Database

Search | Search History | Marked List (0)

Results Topic="university librar*"
Timespan=All Years.

Results: **586**

Need more results?

Hide Refine

Refine Results

Search within results for

▼ **General Categories**

- SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (274)
- ARTS & HUMANITIES (150)
- SOCIAL SCIENCES (106)
- [more options / values...](#)

▼ **Subject Areas**

- INFORMATION SCIENCE & LIBRARY SCIENCE (214)
- COMPUTER SCIENCE (119)
- HISTORY (69)
- EDUCATION & EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH (44)
- LITERATURE (41)
- [more options / values...](#)

▶ **Document Types**

▶ **Authors**

▶ **Source Titles**

▶ **Publication Years**

▶ **Languages**

For advanced refine options, use

- 1. Title: [Virtual Res](#)
Author(s): Wuste
Source: JOURNA
Published: 2004
Times Cited: 0
- 2. Title: [Factors aff](#)
Author(s): Issa, A
Source: AFRICAN
23-31 Publishe
Times Cited: 0
- 3. Title: ["All Hayle](#)
Collection, MS I
Author(s): Lockw
Source: ENGLIS
Times Cited: 0
- 4. Title: [A hospital](#)
al-Bimaristani b
Author(s): Lev, E;
Source: JOURNA
Times Cited: 0

Use the **"Refine Results"** panel on the left of the results screen to limit results.

General Categories will limit to database. A specific database (Science Cit. Index, etc.)

Subject Areas are *exclusive*, so it is not recommended that you use them unless you have an ambiguous topic, such as "neural networks," which will return results in both engineering and psychology.

Document Type will allow you to limit to articles, conference proceedings, etc.

Authors is a limit to an alphabetical list of publication authors.

Source Titles limits to specific journal titles.

Publication Years limits to the year so that you can look for newer, older, or specifically dated information.

Multilingual? Unilingual? Try the **languages** limit to only see articles in the language(s) you know.

Need fewer results?

Citation Analysis is a feature of Web of Science that allows you to **determine how many times a particular article has been cited** in other journals indexed by Web of Science. In order to use this feature, **you must be in the Web of Science tab**, rather than the “all databases”. In order to do Citation Analysis, look for the **“Create Citation Report”** button on the **top right of your results list**.

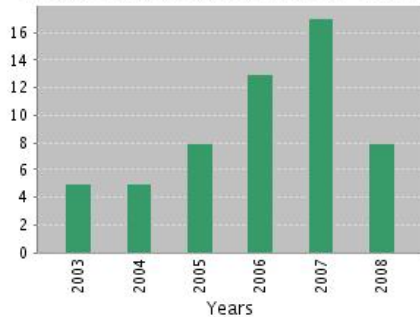
The screenshot displays the Web of Science interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with tabs for 'Database', 'Web of Science', and 'Additional Resources'. The 'Web of Science' tab is selected and circled in orange. Below the navigation bar, there are search options: 'Search', 'Advanced Search', 'Search History', and 'Marked List (0)'. The main content area shows search results for 'anamo bay)'. The results are displayed on page 1 of 6, sorted by 'Latest Date'. A toolbar contains several action buttons: 'Print options', 'E-mail', 'Add to Marked List', 'Save to EndNote@Web', 'Analyze Results', and 'Create Citation Report'. The 'Create Citation Report' button is circled in orange. Below the toolbar, the first search result is listed: '1. Title: The suspension clause: English text, imperial contexts, and American implications. Author(s): Halliday PD, White GE. Source: VIRGINIA LAW REVIEW Volume: 94 Issue: 3 Pages: 575-714 Published: MAY 2008. Times Cited: 0'.

Need Citation Analysis?

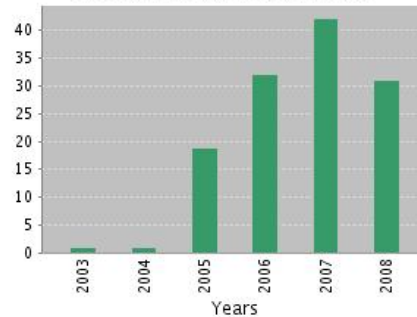
Citation Report Topic=(guantanamo bay)
 Timespan=All Years. Databases=SCI-EXPANDED, SSCI, A&HCI.

This report reflects citations to source items indexed within Web of Science. Perform a Cited Reference Search to include citations to items not indexed within Web of Science.

Published Items in Each Year



Citations in Each Year



Results found: 56

Sum of the Times Cited [?]: 126

[View Citing Articles](#)

[View without self-citations](#)

Average Citations per Item [?]: 2.25

h-index [?]: 6

Results: 56

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Sort by: Times Cited

Use the checkboxes to remove individual items from this Citation Report or restrict to items processed between 2003 and 2008 Go

1. Title: [Doctors and interrogators at Guantanamo Bay](#)
 Author(s): Bioche MG, Marks JH
 Source: **NEW ENGLAND JOURNAL OF MEDICINE** Volume: 353 Issue: 1 Pages: 6-8 Published: JUL 7 2005

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Total	Average Citations per Year
1	19	32	42	31	126	21.00	
2	5	11	6	3	25	6.25	

Graphical representation of years of publishing and citation appear at the top of every citation report.

Ranked list of most highly cited from your search query appearing first.

A yearly analysis of the number of times this particular article is cited will appear to the right of the article. You can The "total" number is a hyperlink to a citation list of the articles that actually *cite* the original.

Citation Report

ISI Web of Science allows you to **save your citations to a web-based version of EndNote**. You can log in and **create an account** to have **citation management access via the web**.

To add an item to EndNote, simply check mark the box beside the citation, and click on the button **“Save to EndNote Web”**.

The screenshot shows the ISI Web of Science interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with a search box and a 'Go' button. Below this, there are several action buttons: 'Print', 'E-mail', 'Add to Marked List', and 'Save to EndNote Web'. The 'Save to EndNote Web' button is circled in orange. Below the buttons, there is a list of four citations. Each citation has a checkbox to its left. Citations 1, 2, and 4 have their checkboxes checked, while citation 3 has an unchecked checkbox. Each citation includes the title, author(s), source, volume, issue, and page numbers. Below each citation is a 'find it MSU' button. An orange arrow points from the 'Save to EndNote Web' button to the checked checkboxes of the first two citations.

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Print E-mail Add to Marked List Save to EndNote Web more

1. Title: [The suspension clause: English text, imperial contexts, and](#)
Author(s): Halliday PD, White GE
Source: **VIRGINIA LAW REVIEW** Volume: 94 Issue: 3 Pages: 575-71
Times Cited: 0
[find it MSU](#)
2. Title: [Developments relating to continued detentions at Guantanamo](#)
Author(s): Cook JR
Source: **AMERICAN JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW** Volume: 102
2008
Times Cited: 0
[find it MSU](#)
3. Title: [Resorting to extraordinary writs: How the all writs act rises to combatants](#)
Author(s): Portnoi DD
Source: **NEW YORK UNIVERSITY LAW REVIEW** Volume: 83 Issue: 1
Times Cited: 0
[find it MSU](#)
4. Title: ['Eight O'clock ferry to the windward side': Seeking justice in C](#)
Author(s): Bonner R
Source: **NEW YORK REVIEW OF BOOKS** Volume: 55 Issue: 6 Page:

EndNote Web

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- Email:
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- Phone:
Toll-Free 866-774-6612
or 270-809-2053



Still Not Sure? Need More Help?