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Accessing databases from outside Macquarie University Campus

Most Library databases and e-resources are available off-campus for Macquarie University students.

There are two main points of access to Databases.

1. Via MultiSearch which is available on the Library homepage at:
2. Through the Subject and Research guides at:

You must use your OneID login and password to access the Library databases (your OneID password is the same as your email password). To set up your OneID go to [http://students.mq.edu.au/home/](http://students.mq.edu.au/home/) and click the "First time login" link under Popular Links.

**Recommended databases**

These are available to FBE and MGSM students both on and off campus

The following is a list of databases that may assist students to locate data, company and industry reports and full-text information from scholarly journals for their research.

**ABS (Australian Bureau of Statistics)**
This provides current and historical social & economic data for Australia, Census figures and access to all ABS publications from 1998 onwards.

**APAIS (Australian Public Affairs Information Service) on Informit Search**
This provides citations to published material on Australian social, political economic, legal and current affairs dating back to 1978.

**Asia-Studies Full-text Online**
*Asia-Studies Full-text Online* is a searchable database for the study of modern Asia-Pacific. It brings together thousands of full-text reports covering 53 countries and a multitude of business, government, economic, and social issues. Examples of specific subject coverage include: finance, trade, environment, human resource development; best practices in government, fisheries, tourism, education and women’s studies.

**Blackwell Reference Online (BRO)**
BRO is a searchable online full-text library consisting of over 300 reference volumes, including the Blackwell companions and handbooks, such as the *Encyclopaedia of Management* and the *Companion to Syntax*.

**Bloomberg Professional**
*Bloomberg Professional* is an international data stream delivered in real time. It covers all aspects of financial market data, such as economics, stock markets and companies, providing current information on equities, bond indices, economic statistics, foreign exchange rates, interest rates; fixed income instruments, derivatives, portfolio and risk management. Along with...
BoardRoom
This is a searchable database of directors and senior executives of Australian Stock Exchange (ASX) listed companies. It also provides company information which includes: company address, telephone, facsimile, web site address; industry, business description, sales, number of employees; auditors, legal advisors and bankers. A remuneration breakdown for directors and senior executives (as disclosed in company annual reports) is also provided; along with details relating to company directors, such as committee responsibilities, age and gender. Information is sourced from company annual reports and ASX company announcements. The information can be used to construct lists of companies or people (directors or executives) based on a range of parameters. Lists can be downloaded in spreadsheet format.

Business Monitor Online
This database provides access to daily macroeconomic, financial and company news and analysis on emerging and key global markets. It includes BMI reports (country updates and forecasts and industry surveys), data and forecasts (select and export, risk rating, market consensus); alerts and analysis (fixed income, equities, currencies, politics, economics, company and industry).

Business Source Premier on EBSCOhost
This database is designed specifically for business schools and libraries, providing access to more than 3,600 full-text scholarly publications, including nearly 1100 peer-reviewed journals. In addition, it indexes and abstracts nearly 4,400 journals, and offers information in almost every area of business including management, economics, finance, accounting and international business. The database includes country economic reports from leading entities and detailed company profiles for the world’s 5000 largest companies. It also enables access to key management and marketing journals, such as Harvard Business Review, Journal of Finance and Journal of Marketing.

Credo Reference
Credo Reference is an online reference library that provides access to over 570 reference books. Included are encyclopaedias, dictionaries, thesauri and books of quotations, plus a range of subject-specific titles. A network of cross-references links related information across different books contained anywhere within the library.

DatAnalysis Premium
DatAnalysis Premium is a premier research tool, providing comprehensive data on all companies listed on ASX, as well as those delisted since 1989. The database is updated daily from announcements lodged at the ASX and includes: corporate details, full dividend history, operational history, company announcements; financial and annual reports in PDF from 1988. It includes reports, announcements, company histories, shareholdings, company profiles, takeovers and financial data. Content may be browsed or searched using a range of criteria.

Datastream Advance
This provides international financial, economic, stock market and company data. It includes coverage of equities, stock market and bond indices, economic statistics, foreign exchange rates, interest rates, fixed income instruments and derivatives. DS Windows software allows data to be downloaded and exported and can be used to create graphics, reports and spreadsheets. Access is only available in the Library to Postgrad students and staff. Please contact the Library for bookings.
EconLit
EconLit provides bibliographic information to a wide-range of economic-related literature, covering both theory and application. An expanded version of the Journal of Economic Literature (JEL), it indexes and abstracts scholarly journals, books and dissertations. In addition, it includes full-text book reviews published in JEL and 40,000 working papers in economics.

Electronic Books Service – you can access e-books from several different vendors through MultiSearch. See the e-book guide for more information about how to access them http://libguides.mq.edu.au/eBooks.

Emerald Management 200
Emerald Management 200 is a searchable database, facilitating access to collection of peer-reviewed business and management journals. Covering 22 subject areas, it provides the full-text to a range of resources, such as journal articles, books and case studies.

Expanded Academic ASAP Int'l edition
This is a multidisciplinary full-text database, indexing and abstracting resources from business, economics, human resources, marketing and management with coverage from 1980. It includes scholarly journals, newspapers and magazines in the sciences, social sciences, humanities and arts.

Factiva
Factiva provides full-text access to news items from almost 8000 international sources and 9000 key Web sites, including more than 100 Australasian sources. Articles from newspapers (including the Australian Financial Review, the Sydney Morning Herald, The Age and The Australian), news wires, press releases, company announcements and journals and daily prices from Reuters and Knight Ridder are included. Information on companies and industries and stock market details is also provided. Date of coverage is variable according to the source. Key Australian magazines including BRW and Financial Review Smart Investor are available.

Google Scholar – a front end search engine
It enables users to search specifically for scholarly literature, including peer-reviewed papers, theses, books, preprints, abstracts and technical reports from all broad areas of research. Google Scholar is accessible through the Library via the discovery tool, MultiSearch (see instructions on how to find a database on page 10). Use Article Linker@Macquarie OR Findit@MQ to obtain the full article from the subscribed database.

IBISWorld
IBISWorld's Industry Market Research covers over 500 industry reports, offering the latest content on every Australian industry. Each report consists of 30 to 40 pages of key statistics and analysis on market characteristics, operating conditions, current and historical performance, major industry participants and more. IBISWorld’s Industry Risk Rating covers over 500 industry risk rating reports, measuring how much risk an Australian industry will face. Macquarie users have access to the following IBISWorld modules: Australia Industry Reports, Australia Industry Risk Rating Reports and China Industry Reports.

International Financial Statistics (IFS)
This database provides current and historical financial and economic data, covering It contains approximately 32,000 time series from over 200 International Monetary Fund member countries. Data is available in three different frequencies e.g. monthly, quarterly and yearly.
**ISI Current Contents Connect**
Current Contents Connect is a multi-disciplinary database which provides access to the latest published research in over 100 disciplines from more than 8000 scholarly journals and 2000 books, as well as expert evaluated web sites. Subjects covered include commerce, accounting, finance, business, economics, statistics, management, education, history, language, politics, music, law, culture, cultural studies, media, philosophy, anthropology, communications, sociology, women, women's, chemistry, chiropractic, human geography, linguistics, psychology, electronics, mathematics, physics and environment. Full-text is not available.

**JSTOR**
*JSTOR* is an electronic archive providing access to the back issues of core scholarly journals in the arts, humanities and social sciences. It includes some coverage of science disciplines. Depending on the title, full-text of the earliest issues to within a few years of current publication is available. Users may browse by journal title or discipline, or may search the full-text or citations/abstracts. New and existing titles are added on an ongoing basis. The database is divided into multidisciplinary and discipline specific collections.

**Mergent Online International set (excluding USA)**
*Mergent Online International* is a suite of information resources that enables in-depth business and financial research in the following areas: international company data, archives, annual reports, HSD equity pricing; unadjusted equity pricing, standardized financials, and institutional holdings. Other features include: company news, accessing annual reports in other languages, such as Chinese and Japanese, and creating reports by customising various datasets and exporting them into Excel.

**OECD iLibrary**
This database comprises country reports, tables, outlooks, annuals, journals, newsletters, book series; legal and reference materials, and statistical databases issued by OECD. Many topics are covered including: agriculture, food, education skills, emerging economies, employment, enterprise, industry, trade, finance; energy, environment, sustainable development, investment; insurance, pensions, general economics, future studies; governance, international development, national accounts, historical statistics; nuclear energy, science, information technology; social issues, migration, health, statistics sources and methods; taxation, territorial economy, transition economics and transport.

**On Demand Media**
This is a searchable multiple-media archive with content dated back to September 2012. It provides access to Australian media content from television, radio, press, and newspapers. TV coverage includes local daily news from Channels Nine, Seven and Ten in Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide and Perth. Press clips cover all News Ltd titles around Australia including *The Australian*, *Daily Telegraph*, *Courier Mail*, *Herald Sun*, *Adelaide Advertiser*, *The Mercury* and more.

**OneSource**
*OneSource* facilitates access to in-depth business information on industries, companies (both public and private), executives and corporate family structures operating in the global market. It delivers accurate and up-to-date information on thousands of companies in Asia and the Pacific Rim, as well as leading global companies. In addition, it allows users to search companies, executives, industries, news and reports using multiple variables, including industry code, description, and location; screen and download financials on public companies; track key developments in fields of interest; access biographical data on key executives; access director and shareholder report.
**Periodicals Archive Online (PAO)**

PAO is a searchable online archive that provides electronic access to the back files of scholarly periodicals in 37 subject areas of the humanities and social sciences.

**Passport**

The database contains national, regional and global market data; statistics and strategic research. It offers an annual update and insight into global business intelligence and strategic market analysis, which includes: consumer, product and marketing trends, manufacturer and brand competition; retail distribution patterns and market forecasts.

**ProQuest ANZ Newsstand**

This database contains a selection of full-text newspapers (including the *Sydney Morning Herald*, *The Age*, and *The Australian*) and newswires from Australia and New Zealand covering regional and international topics.

**Proquest dissertations and theses: global**

This database contains citations for dissertations and theses from 1861 to the present. It provides full-text access to most of the dissertations added since 1997, with a substantial proportion for the period 1961 to 1996, along with selected theses back to 1861. It also contains citations covering the period 1637-1860, most of which are in Latin, French and German. Paper copies of theses from 1861 onwards can be ordered from Document Supply. Contact Document Supply for the period 1637 to 1860.

**Sage Reference**

This is a searchable database of reference books, published by Sage, covering particularly the social sciences, psychology and education.

**SAGE Research Methods**

SAGE Research Methods Online (SRMO) is a research tool supported by a newly devised taxonomy that links content and methods terms. It provides the most comprehensive picture available today of research methods (quantitative, qualitative and mixed methods) across the social and behavioural sciences. It includes more than 100,000 pages of SAGE book and reference material on research methods as well as editorially selected material from SAGE journals. In addition, SRMO contains content from more than 600 books, including the complete Quantitative Applications in the Social Sciences "Little Green Books" series from SAGE.

**Scopus**

Scopus is a multidisciplinary abstract and citation database, providing coverage of over 18,000 peer-reviewed journals in the scientific, technical, medical and social science fields; and more than 5,000 international publishers. It also indexes open access journals, conference proceedings, book series and trade publications, as well as patent records from 5 patent offices. References go back to 1996, while abstracts go back further. Links to full-text articles are also available.

**ScienceDirect**

This database offers comprehensive, full-text access to Elsevier books, journals and reference works and also includes citations and abstracts of other journals. Subject coverage emphasises the life, medical, technical, and physical sciences; however, there is also coverage of the arts, business, management, social sciences and psychology.
WARC (World Advertising Research Centre)
WARC is a searchable database providing access to advertising and marketing information from various sources. These include organisations from a range of countries, monographs, conference papers, abstracts (including 'Market research abstracts') and the full-text of numerous journals, including the *International Journal of Market Research*, *Journal of Advertising Research*, *International Journal of Advertising*, *Admap*, *Journal of Advertising History* and *Market Leader*.

Web of Science
*Web of Science* is an aggregate of several citation databases, such as *Science Citation Index Expanded*, *Social Sciences Citation Index*, and *Arts and Humanities Citation Index*. These enable access to bibliographic information in thousands of scholarly research journals and conference proceedings in all areas of research. Subjects include science, social sciences and humanities. Database records include a link to the cited references used in a journal article, which can also be accessed and viewed through links to the abstract or full-text. Date coverage is variable according the database, extending from 1981 for subject-based indexes, 2005 for the 2 book citation indexes and 1990 for the conference proceedings.

Wiley Online Library
*Wiley Online Library* is a database providing full-text access to books and journals published by Wiley-Blackwell. Its search functionality incorporates searching across multiple publications and browsing within specific publications. Subject areas include: business, chemistry, computer science, earth and environmental science; education, engineering, law, life sciences, mathematics and statistics; medicine, healthcare, physics, astronomy, polymers, materials science, psychology and social sciences.

World Databank
The World Bank has made a range of data freely available from the following site:
This encompasses comprehensive, downloadable indicators about development in countries around the globe, such as WDI (World Development Indicators), Global Development Finance (GDF) and Global Economic Monitor (GEM). Data can be customised into Excel spread sheets. Another access point for World Bank publications is: http://datacatalog.worldbank.org/

Useful web sites:

Higher Degree Researchers
http://libguides.mq.edu.au/postgrad-research

Referencing
http://libguides.mq.edu.au/Referencing

Bibliographic reference software: Endnote, RefWorks
http://libguides.mq.edu.au/referencing-software

Macquarie Research Online
http://www.researchonline.mq.edu.au/vital/access/manager/Index

Web resources for business, economics and management
http://libguides.mq.edu.au/home
MultiSearch

MultiSearch provides one-stop searching across the Library’s resources including:

- Books, journals and articles,
- Unit Readings (eReserve and the print Reserve Collection),
- Macquarie University ResearchOnline,
- Numerous library databases and online journal collections

MultiSearch enables clients to search across the full range of Library resources via a single interface with a Simple Search box; retrieve results and, where results relate to electronic resources, link directly through to the full-text without having to search individual catalogues, databases or journals for relevant content.

Searching for a book or journal

Use Advanced Search to find a journal or book quickly and easily.

1. Use the Books, articles & more search tab.
2. In Advanced Search, type the journal or book title in the first search box and select ‘in the title’ and ‘is (exact)’ from the drop down menus.
3. Select either Journals or Books from the Material type drop down menu.
4. Click SEARCH.

Searching for a database

You can find databases by doing a keyword search using the Simple Search box on the Databases tab. You can also find specific databases by searching for them by name.

1. Use the Databases tab.
2. Type your keyword into the Simple Search box.
3. Click SEARCH.
4. Click on the title to go to the database.
5. Use the Databases by Subject filter to refine your results to those recommended for a particular subject area.
Keyword searching

You can search across the full range of Library resources through the Simple Search box.

1. Use the Books, articles and more tab.
2. Type your keywords into the Simple Search box.
3. Once you have done your initial search you can refine your results using the facets down the left hand side of the results list. These facets allow you to narrow your results according to resource type, subject area, and author.
4. Click on Details to access electronic resources or Check Availability to get the call number of items held in the Library.
Interlibrary Loan Service

MGSM students can submit a request for an item through Interlibrary Loan, if Macquarie University Library does not hold it in print or electronic format. Interlibrary Loan requests can be submitted via the Library’s homepage. This service can provide direct delivery of articles to your desktop. The system also searches multiple catalogues at once and allows you to check the progress of your requests online. Full details can be found on the following link:

Where to find more help

Student IT Support
http://informatics.mq.edu.au/help/

The Student IT Help provides information about information technology and remote access issues to the students and staff of Macquarie University.

Ask a Librarian Online
http://www.libanswers.mq.edu.au/

This service offers access to Reference Librarians and their expertise either by email, telephone, or chat. Staff and Students can get help with information searching or with specific reference questions.

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