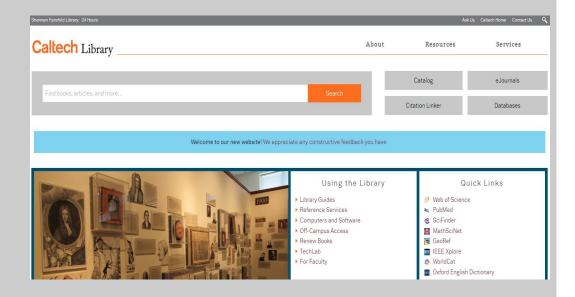
Name of the Tool

Caltech Library

Home Page



Logo



 URL
 https://www.library.caltech.edu/

 Subject
 California Institute of Technology Library--Catalogs

 Accessibility
 Partially free

 Language
 English

 Publisher
 California Institute of Technology

 Scope and Coverage
 The library has 364,175 collection of thesis, course reserves, databases, e-books, e-journals, library guides etc.

 Kind of Information
 In the home page of the library website there is a simple search option. In this search

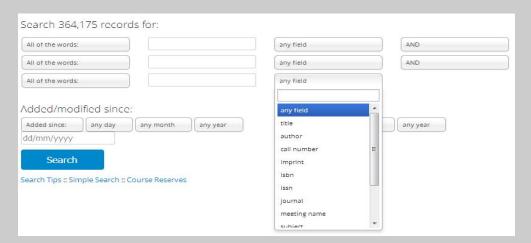
bar users has to put keyword to access desirable resources (following screen shot):

Caltech Library	About	Resources	Services
Find books, articles, and more		Catalog	eJournals
Find books, articles, and more Search		Citation Linker	Databases

The right side of the search bar contains option "Catalog". By clocking this button users can reach another web page where they are provided simple as well as advanced search facilities. The following screen shot shows it:

Caltech Library Catalog	
Search 364,175 records for:	Search
Search Tips :: Advanced Search :: Course Reserves	

The above screen shot shows that the library website provides search tips for users. The button 'Advanced Search' if is clicked then the following search portal is opened in another webpage (the following screen shot):



In advanced search process, users can put more than one search terms related to bibliographic fields like title, author, call number, imprint, ISBN, ISSN, journal, meeting name, subject, summary, year. The search terms can be added by 'and', 'or', 'and not' connectors.

After completing the search process, users get list of documents relevant to the search

queries. The list includes title of the documents, author name, publication details, and language. The titles are hyperlinked with another webpage where detailed bibliographic information on each documents are provided. These are title, author, variant title (if any), imprint, physical description, subject(s), notes, system details note, linked resources, resource type.

Special Features

- There are quick Links to Web of Science, PubMed, SciFinder, MathSciNet, GeoRef, IEEE Xplore, WorldCat, and Oxford English Dictionary.
- The bibliographic records can be viewed in MARC, MARCXML, DC formats.
- ➤ The bibliographic records can be exported as BibTeX, MARC, MARCXML, DC, EndNote, NLM, RefWorks.

Arrangement Pattern

The search results are arranged by relevancy to the search queries. One can arrange the results chronologically by the date of publication (oldest or newest) or alphabetically by the title of the documents, author's names etc.

Remarks

Caltech is frequently cited as one of the world's best universities. Caltech has appeared in many works of popular culture, both as itself and in disguised form.

Comparable Tools

- The University of Illinois Urbana Champaign Library Online Catalogs (http://www.library.illinois.edu/catalog/)
- University of Calcutta: University Library Online Catalogue (http://www.caluniv.ac.in/opac/OPAC.HTM)
- Harvard Library Catalogs (http://www.lib.cam.ac.uk/camlibraries/catalogues.htm)
- ➤ New York University Libraries (http://library.nyu.edu/)

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