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Periodical Section and its Activities

Location: The Periodical Section is situated in Annex Building at Central Library.

Functions: Subscription maintenance and servicing of journals, magazines and newspapers

- Journals 176
 - Magazines 29
 - Newspapers 28
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Journals are subscribed to from

Own Fund – 233 journals, magazines & newspapers

Consortium – 6634+ journals through INFLIBNET (UGC-Infonet Digital Library Consortium)

- ✓ American Chemical Society (37 journals)
- ✓ American Institute of Physics (18 journals)
- ✓ American Physical Society (10 journals)
- ✓ Annual Reviews (33 journals)
- ✓ Institute for studies in Industrial Development (database)
- ✓ Cambridge University Press (224 journals)
- ✓ Economic & Political Weekly (1 journal)
- ✓ Nature (1 journals)
- ✓ Institute of Physics (46 journals)
- ✓ J-STOR (1401 journals)
- ✓ Oxford University Press (206 journals)
- ✓ Project Muse (411 journals)
- ✓ Royal Society of Chemistry (29 journals + 6 databases)
- ✓ Science Direct (1036 journals)
- ✓ Springer (1389 journals)
- ✓ Taylor and Francis (1365 journals)
- ✓ Web of Science (database)
- ✓ Wiley-Blackwell (908)
- ✓ JCCC

Note

Visva-Bharati Library e-Newsletter is published monthly and uploaded on the Library website:

<http://172.16.2.2/index1.html>

(Intranet)

<http://14.139.211.2/index1.html>

(Internet)

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Major databases:

- (1) ARTstor
- (2) British Council Library (More than 7000 e-journals & 83000+ e-books)
- (3) Emerald (37 e-journals from Education & Library Studies)
- (4) Indiastat.com
- (5) J-Gate Plus (More than 33000 e-journals)
- (6) Odia Patrapatrika Sangraha (Digital Compilation of Odia Periodicals) 1856-1950
- (7) OLDO (Oxford Language Dictionary Online)
- (8) Sage Research Method Online

How does one get a copy of articles?

One can get a copy through

- ✓ Photocopying facilities at Central Library
- ✓ Scanning (Scanners are provided at Central Library; Scan yourself)
- ✓ Printing (under consideration)

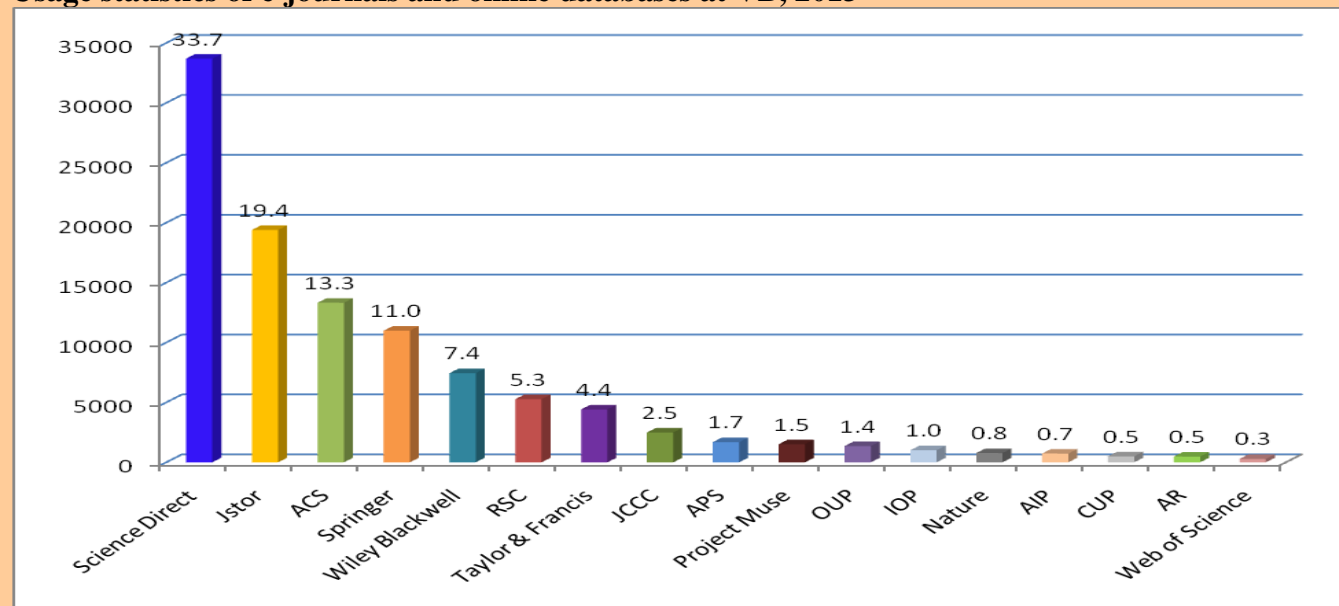
How to get documents that are not available in Visva-Bharati Library?

One can get such documents through the ILL (Inter Library Loan) services provided by DELNET; JCCC@UGC-INFONET; The American Library, Kolkata and British Council Library, Kolkata. Contact Librarian, Visva-Bharati at email: librarian@visva-bharati.ac.in or ajaysharma.lib@visva-bharati.ac.in for this service.

How to access e-journals / databases?

All the e-journals/databases are accessible from any computer, which is physically / wi-fi connected to the campus network. Some of the e-journals and e-resources are accessible through password which is given on the Central Library Website (<http://172.16.2.2/index1.html> / <http://14.139.211.2/index1.html>) and will be visible only within the Visva-Bharati Campus.

Usage statistics of e-journals and online databases at VB, 2013



Do you know...?

The Library offers various resources and services to the end-users. This feature will highlight one such in each of its issue. This issue focuses on the J-GATE PLUS.

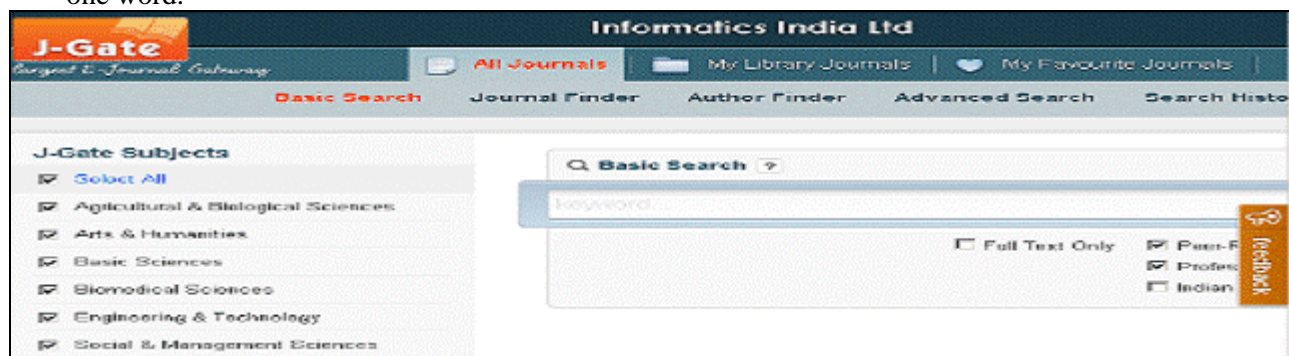
J-GATE PLUS

J-Gate is an electronic gateway to global e-journal literature. Launched in 2001 by Informatics India Limited, J-Gate provides seamless access to millions of journal articles available online offered by 9,000+ publishers. It presently has a massive database of journal literature, indexed from 29,000+ e-journals with links to full text at publisher sites. This service is activated in the Visva-Bharati Library Network: <http://14.139.211.2/index1.html>.

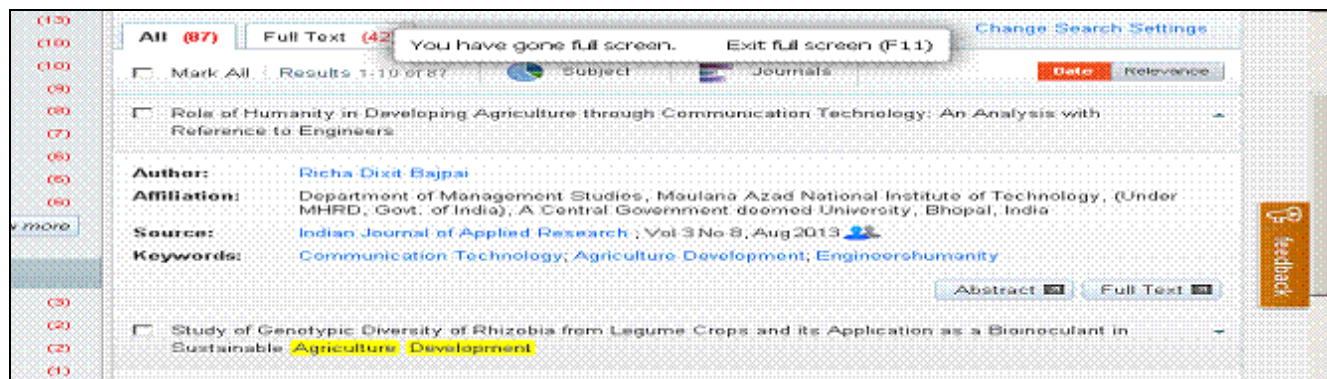
URL: www.jgateplus.com

Basic Search

- 1) Type the keyword to be searched in the search box.
- 2) Select the subject area from the left side if required (by default, J-Gate will search the given keyword in all the six different subject areas).
- 3) If needed, the researcher can select from peer reviewed, professional and industry journals, full text only and Indian journals before initiating the search.
- 4) It is always advised to use double inverted commas (“ ”) for searching phrases which contain more than one word.



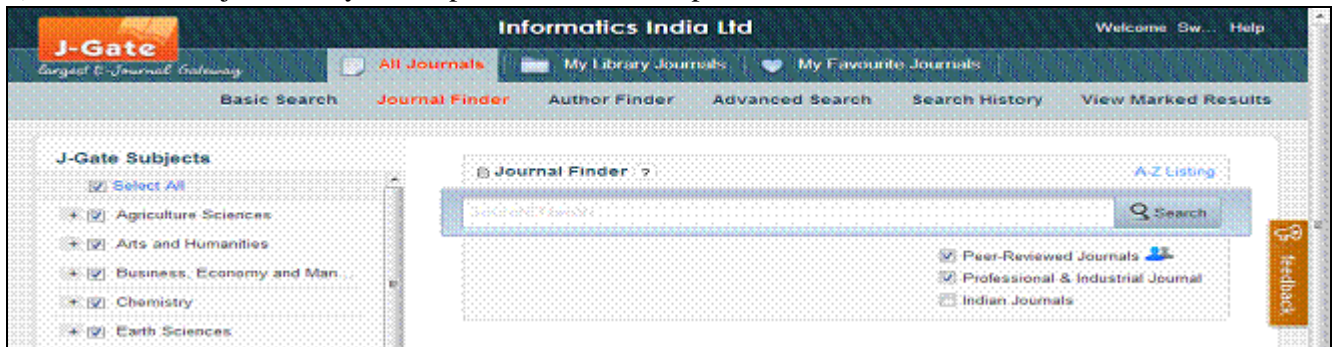
Metadata and Link-Resolver Page On clicking any article, its metadata is shown. If it is an open access article or an article from a journal subscribed to by the Library, a “Full Text” box appears along with the bibliographic information. Clicking on “Full Text” takes the user to the link resolver page through which the PDF of that particular article can be opened and downloaded. Else, the user will see a box indicating “Abstract”.



Journal Finder The “Journal Finder” tab can be used for the following functions:

- 1) To view the list of all available journals (library subscribed, open access and abstract level) - “Journal Finder” tab is clicked under “All Journals” tab.
- 2) To view the list of all the library subscribed journals - “Journal Finder” tab is clicked under “My Library Journals” tab.

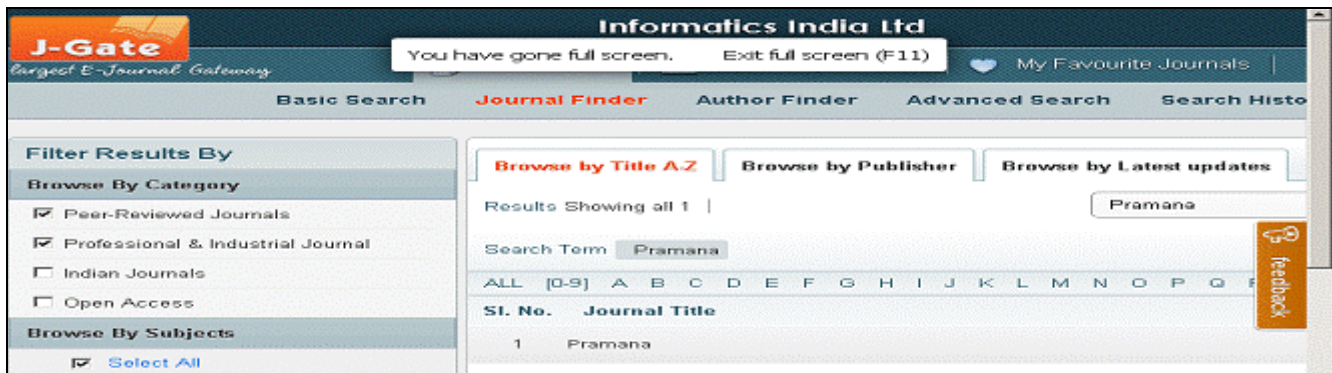
- 3) To find and see the archives of a particular journal.
- 4) To see the list of journals in a specific subject area.
- 5) To browse the journals by name, publisher or latest update.



Click on ‘A-Z Listing’ (just above the search button) to view the complete list of journals.

Now suppose the researcher wants to check the journal titles available in her/his particular subject area (eg. Agricultural Biotechnology), she/he can select the subject and click on “Apply Filters” button.

Making Search by the Name of the Journals

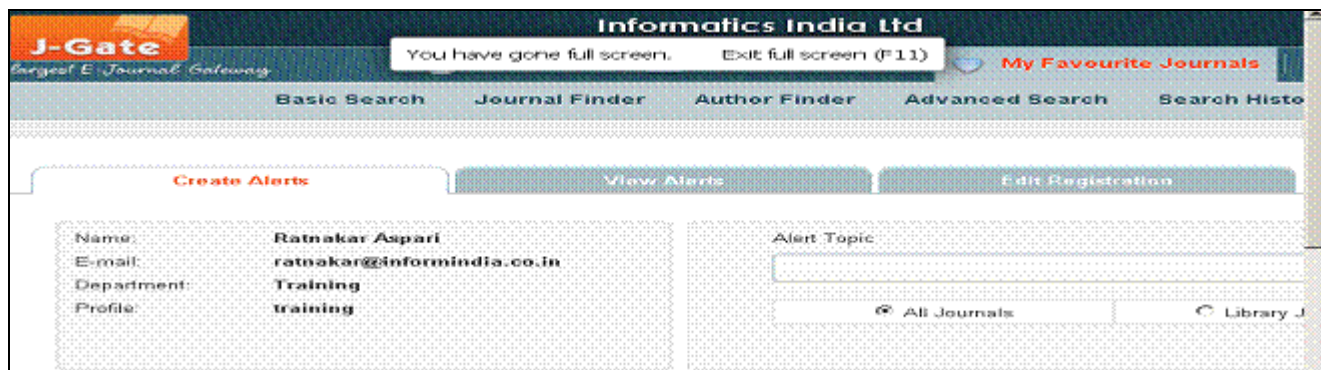


Advanced Search Screen Using Advanced Search feature, the user can search more than one word choosing the relevant field or all fields indicated in the side box (like Title, Keyword Only, Title / Keyword, Title / Keyword / Abstract, Author, Author Address).



Suppose the user wants to search for articles related to marketing published only from “Indian Institute of Management”, he can do it using method shown above.

My Favourite Journals This feature enables the user to choose journals from either J-gate or her/his library subscribed journals for searching any topic of her/his choice. It will also send an alert whenever the database updates the journals chosen by a particular user. For using this facility, the user must register herself/himself on the J-Gate platform using the "Institutional ID" received from the Librarian



All the features like 'Basic Search', 'Journal Finder', 'Author Finder' and 'Advance Search' can be carried out on 'All Journals', 'My Library Journals' and 'My Favorite Journals' independently.

Some Recent Activities/Development

Inauguration of Siksha Bhavana Library The Library has been shifted to its new premise at Science Complex and was inaugurated by Shri M. K. Narayanan, Hon'ble Rector, Visva-Bharati and Governor of West Bengal on 13 April 2014 in the presence of Vice-Chancellor, dignitaries, faculty, staff and students.

New Subscriptions (all are accessible on the Library website)

Following online products have been added to the library network in the current month:

- *Education* (20 e-journals) and *Library Studies* (17 e-journals) from Emerald. The latter collection will be of immense use to the library professionals.
- *Odia Patrapatrika Sangraha* (Digital Compilation of Odia Periodicals) 1856-1950.
- ARTstor (e-resource package).

Wi-fi service has been introduced at the Periodical Reading Room (Annexe Building).

Visit of Library Review Committee The Committee has visited all Sectional Libraries during 7-8 April 2014 as part of their study.



**INAUGURATION OF SIKSHA BHABANA LIBRARY AT
SCIENCE (NEW) COMPLEX ON 13.04.2014**

Inauguration of Siksha Bhavana Library at Science Complex on 13 April 2014; A Partial View

New Arrivals (Books and Periodicals)

[Books](#) (click)

[Journals](#) (click)

Conferences/Seminars/Workshops in Library & Information Science

1. National Workshop on ***Library Automation (Koha), Content Management System (Joomla) Data Migration: Challenges and Prospects*** under the Series ***Empowering Library Professionals to Empower Society (ELPES)-I*** scheduled to be held at NIT Rourkela during 2-5 May 2014. For details please visit: <http://library.nitrkl.ac.in/bpcl/workshop/brochure.pdf>
2. Department of Library and Information Science, Kuvempu University in association with Institute of Scientometrics is organizing a One Day National Conference on ***Scientometrics and Big Data Analytics (BDA) and Libraries*** on 31 May 2014. For details please visit: http://www.instmetrics.org/uploads/1/7/4/1/17415289/broucher_3rd__national_conference_05.02.2014.pdf
3. UGC-DEB sponsored 2-Day National Seminar on ***Distance Learning and Reciprocal Library Services: Is Public Library Network the better Option*** to be organised by Netaji Subhas Open University, Kolkata during 6-7 June 2014. For details please visit: http://wbnsou.ac.in/wbnsou/pdfcontainer1/NSOU_Seminar_Brochure_24032014.pdf
4. National Conference on ***Emerging Trends, Advancements and Challenges of Academic and Public Libraries*** to be held at SVKM's Narsee Monjee Institute of Management Studies (NMIMS) Deemed to be University, Mumbai at Shirpur Campus, Dist- Dhule (Maharashtra), during 13-14 June 2014. For details please visit: <http://nlc.nmims.edu/>
5. National conference on ***Scholarly Communication and Intellectual Property Rights (SCIPR-2014)***, scheduled to be held at SPA, Vijayawada during 4 5 August 2014. For details please visit: <http://www.spav.ac.in/sites/default/files/SCIPR-2014.pdf>