

## Sample Searches: ProQuest Central

1. You want to find articles on China and its economic conditions.
  - Click the **Advanced** tab to access this area.
  - Type *China* in the first search box and select **Location** from the drop-down menu.
  - Type *economic conditions* in the second search box and select **Subject** from the drop-down menu.
  - Click **Search**.
  
2. You want to set up a monthly alert to receive links to scholarly journal articles about *Terrorism and International Relations* or *Terrorism and Foreign Relations*, when they are added to *ProQuest Central*.
  - Click the **Advanced** tab to access this area.
  - Type *(Terrorism and International Relations)* in the first search box.
  - Type *(Terrorism and Foreign Relations)* in the second search box and select **OR** from the drop-down menu to the left of the second search box.
  - In the **More Search Options** area, select **Scholarly Journals** from the **Publication Type** drop-down menu.
  - Click **Search**.
  - Click **Set up Alert** on the results page.
  - Select an expiration date for the alert from the **Stop After** drop-down menu.
  - Enter a single email address in the Email Address box.
  - Click **Save**.
  
3. You want to find articles with tables, graphs or images that give information on mobile phones and the mobile phone market.
  - Click the **Advanced** tab to access this area.
  - Type *mobile phone AND market* in the search box.
  - Select **Image Caption** from the drop-down menu.
  - Click **Search**.
  
4. You want to find thesis or dissertations on bipolar disorder.
  - Click the **Advanced** tab to access this area.
  - Type *bipolar disorder* in the search box.
  - In the **More Search Options** area, select **Dissertations** from the **Publication Type** drop-down menu.
  - Click **Search**.

5. You want to find out how the climate change or global warming is affecting the Arctic or Antarctic regions.
  - Click the **Advanced** tab to access this area.
  - Type *climate change OR global warming* in the first search box. Select **Subject** from the drop-down menu.
  - Type *Arctic region OR Antarctic region* in the second search box. Select **Location** from the drop-down menu.
  - Click **Search**.
  
6. You want to find documents related to social networks and how data protection is affected.
  - Click the **Advanced** tab to access this area.
  - Type *data protection* in the first search box.
  - Type *social network\* OR "social information services"* in the second search box.
  - Click **Search**.

**Note:** Use \* asterisk to include words with multiple endings of any length. You must enter at least three characters before using \*, and \* must be entered at the end of a word only. Singulars and plurals are found automatically, you don't need \*.

7. Find all law journals
  - Click the **Publications** tab to access this area.
  - Type *law OR legal OR legislat\** in the search box.
  - Click **Search**.
  
8. You are interested in recent research on osteoporosis and the connection with calcium deficiency. You also want information on prevention of the condition.
  - Click the **Advanced** tab to access this area
  - Type *osteoporosis* in the first search box.
  - Type *calcium deficien\** in the second search box.
  - Type *prevent\** in the third search box.
  - Click **Search**.
  
9. You want to find scholarly articles on nuclear magnetic resonance applied to neurology.
  - Click the **Advanced** tab to access this area
  - Type *"nuclear magnetic resonance"* in the first search box. Select **Subject** from the drop-down menu.
  - Type *brain OR neurolog\** in the second search box. Select **Subject** from the drop-down menu.



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- In the **More Search Options** area, select **Scholarly Journals** from the **Publication Type** drop-down menu.
- Click **Search**.

**NOTE:** Use quotation marks ("" ) to search for exact phrases. Two word queries such as **magnetic resonance** are searched as an exact phrase by default. However, three word queries such as **nuclear magnetic resonance** are searched as words that need to appear in proximity to each other by default.

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