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Library Search Index Codes

Use these codes to focus/narrow your search results

Index Name	Type of Search	Label to insert before Word/Phrase <small>(no space after colon/equal sign)</small>	Examples
Author	Word	au:	au:shakespeare
	Phrase	au=	au=william shakespeare
Call Number	Word	nu:	nu:ps3515.e37
Country of Publication	Word	cp:	cp:Britain
	Phrase	cp=	cp=Great Britain
Descriptors	Word	de:	de:stress
	Phrase	de=	de=voice disorders
Genre/Form	Word	ge:	ge:novel
	Phrase	ge=	ge=solo piano
Geographic Coverage	Word	gc:	gc:America
	Phrase	gc=	gc=United States
Government Document	Number	gn:	gn:nas12sp146
ISBN <small>(do not use hyphens)</small>	Number	bn:	bn:085109130x
ISSN <small>(requires a hyphen)</small>	Number	in:	in:0018-165x
Keyword	Word	kw:	kw:space AND kw:aeronautics
Language	Word	ln:	ln:spanish
Material Type	Word	mt:	mt:url
	Phrase	mt=	mt=vhs tape
Musical Composition	Word	mc:	mc:jazz
	Phrase	mc=	mc=folk music
OCLC Control Number	Number	no:	No:10998406
Publisher	Word	pb:	pb:vintage
	Phrase	pb=	pb=vintage books
Publisher Location	Word	pl:	pl:china
Subject	Word	su:	su:french
	Phrase	su=	su=french language
Title	Word	ti:	ti:nature
	Phrase	ti=	ti=moby dick
Year	Number	yr:	yr:1999