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Providing your library with the best-in-class publication and citation data for confident discovery, access, and assessment, the Web of Science drives better research outcomes and more informed decisions about the future of your institution.

"The Web of Science contains a remarkable treasure of data on

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Brian Uzzi, Northwestern University

9K+

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Web of Science Core Collection, the world's first and most trusted citation index, connects the Web of Science platform.

What sets us apart?



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Our Web of Science Core Collection™ links citations from all items indexed back to 1900 — creating the world's most complete view of the best research publication and citation data.



Historical depth

Over 120 years of comprehensive data enabling you to explore the full scope of a discipline, capture the entire career of a researcher, and accurately assess the research impact of an institution.



Curated quality

The Web of Science Core Collection is the most authoritative global citation database — consistently and continuously curated by an independent team of full-time editors to include only the highest-quality journals across more than 250 subject areas.



Heritage

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Publisher-neutrality

The only publisher-neutral citation index, backed by unbiased decisions about coverage and delivering objective data.



Breadth of discovery

Research with a platform that makes it easy to monitor diverse outputs and explore connections between them.

Uncover hidden opportunities to advance your research
and conduct comprehensive literature reviews

254

subject categories

2M+

preprints

34K+

total journals across the full platform

15M+

research data sets and studies

2.4B

cited references

113M+

patents for 58 million inventions

5.5M+

dissertations and theses

21M+

records with funding data

21M+

peer-reviewed full-text
open access versions

208M+

records for journal articles,
conference papers, books,
patents, preprints, datasets,
dissertations, and more

Expanding research discovery

The Web of Science platform provides a multidisciplinary research experience spanning the sciences, social sciences, arts, and humanities, and connects...

- **Independent, regional indexes** covering journals throughout Latin America, South Africa, Mainland China, South Korea, and the Arab world

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...to the backbone of our editorially curated Web of Science Core Collection, the world's only true citation index. Access the interconnected history of science to drive future innovation.

Figure 1: The Web of Science platform.



Hear from our customers

"For me it has elevated the role of the Library in the academic project. The Library is now a recognised partner in research impact reporting, thanks to the Web of Science." — Paiki Muswazi, University Librarian, University of the Witwatersrand

"As a teaching tool, the Web of Science is unsurpassed in its indexing and the ease with which students can focus on specific subject categories. Undergraduates gain a new perspective on how to refine a search topic and can quickly see what areas of research are more active in terms of papers written in a discipline within a certain time frame." — Alison Ricker, Head, Science Library, Oberlin College

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"... I find the Web of Science to be an extremely useful tool. From creating alerts based on national/ federal funding to prioritize the recruitment of articles for our institutional repository to my own research studies involving co-citation analysis to helping student researchers in many different subject areas, the Web of Science has been incredibly versatile!" — Michael Hohner, Head of Collections, University of Winnipeg

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