

CHINOOK: The Library Catalog & E-Resources Access for BURST students

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Databases of interest:

- [Biological Abstracts](#)
All aspects of biology, 1969 to present
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U.S. National Institutes of Health (NIH) free digital archive of biomedical and life sciences journal literature, 1967 to present. Expanded coverage of the life sciences; more than **Medline**.
- [PubMed Central](#)
Free Web access to archived life science literature, includes citations from MEDLINE and other life science journals from the 1950's to the present, some full-text. <http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/>
- [SciFinder Scholar](#)
All aspects of the chemical literature searching the Chemical abstracts database and MEDLINE from 1907 to the present. *Access requires filling out a form.*
- [Web of Science / Web of Knowledge](#)
Science Citation Index, 1974 to present
- [Google Scholar](#)

FULL-TEXT DATABASES:

- [JSTOR](#)
Full-text ecology, biology, and many other subject areas.
- [Science Direct](#)
Web-based database searching over 1800 Elsevier journal in science and social science. Access for many (1200 approx.) of the titles held by CU is 1997 and forward.
- [CHEMnetBase](#)
Collection of full text chemistry reference books.

Other Resources for Research

Interlibrary Loan:

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- **ILLiad** – Traditional borrowing from other institutions, 2 week or less delivery of copies (paper or electronic) of articles, dissertations, books, etc., are sent at no cost.
- **Prospector** – Borrowing from Front Range Libraries, usually 3-5 days.
- **PASCAL** (CU's off-site storage facility in Denver) – Science journal articles, pre-1980 are available on a 24 hour turn around, scanned copies under 50 pages.

What must be cited?

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