

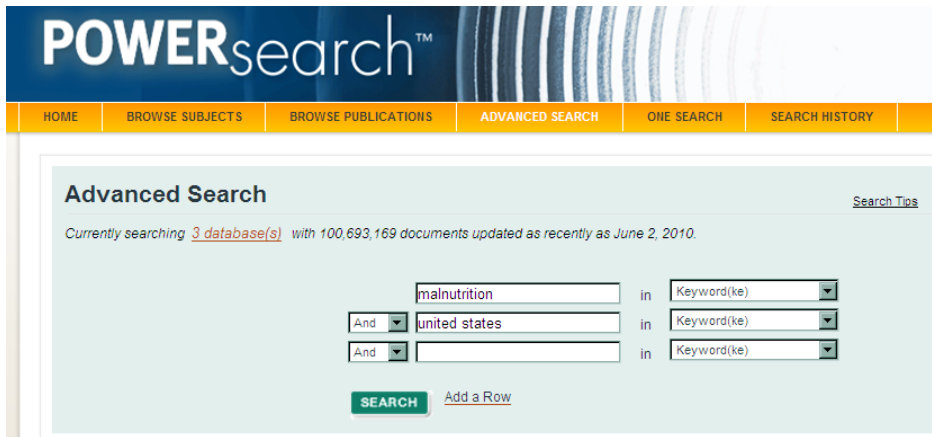
Database Exercise: Learn to be an Expert Searcher

Start off at the OneFile PowerSearch general research database:

Library | Databases | General | **OneFile PowerSearch**

Do a keyword search for:

Malnutrition
AND
United States



Look at the list of results and scroll down to find the article on child hunger in America by Mariana Chilton and Jenny Rabionwich.

After you have located the article, click on the title to access more information.

Is the article by Mariana Chilton from a popular or scholarly source?

Why or why not? (Opinions may vary; be prepared to defend your answer.)

Jot down the citation information for this article:

- Author(s) –
- Title –
- Journal Title –
- Volume and issue numbers –
- Date –
- Page numbers –

Now, look at the blue-shaded box on the left-hand side of the screen and write down two “Related Subjects” listed for this article that interest you:
(focus on main subjects, not “sub-headings”)

Related Subjects

a).

b).

Click on one of the “related subjects” (in the blue-shaded box)

How many magazine articles come up?

How many academic journal articles come up?

Now, write down a topic related to food that interests you:

Go to the OneFile PowerSearch Advanced Search screen and enter your own topic:

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Advanced Search [Search Tips](#)

Currently searching [3 database\(s\)](#) with 100,693,169 documents updated as recently as June 2, 2010.

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Write down the terms you used to search:

In the results lists, click on the academic journals tab and read through the results until you find a title that interests you.

Write down the title of the article and the title of the journal it’s in:

Be prepared to share your answers in class.