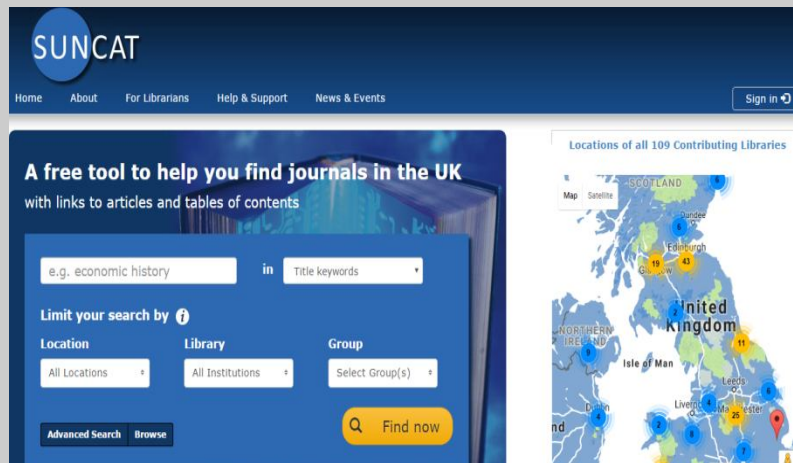


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<http://suncat.ac.uk/search>

Subject

United Kingdom – Periodicals – Union catalogue

Accessibility

Free

Language

English

Publisher

EDINA on behalf of Jisc

Brief History

In 2001, a research project was undertaken to examine the feasibility of developing a UK National Union Catalogue, for all materials, including monographs and serials. During this project, the researchers met with librarians and academics and one of the main messages which emerged was that there was a real need for improved information about serials held in the UK, including information about the existence and location of serials and also details about serials holdings. That was the initiation of SUNCAT. SUNCAT development was scheduled in three phases: Phase 1 (2003-04): a union catalogue was created from the records of twenty two leading research libraries and from CONSER and the ISSN Register. Records are held in MARC21 format and cover a critical mass of titles held in UK research libraries.

Phase 2 (2005-07): coverage increased to include specialist collections and older and rarer materials. SUNCAT became the first port of call for information about serials held in UK libraries.

Phase 3 (2007-): the service is consolidating to ensure its long-term stability.

Scope and Coverage

SUNCAT is the Serials Union Catalogue for the UK research community, delivered by EDINA on behalf of Jisc. SUNCAT contains records for both print and electronic serials, including open access titles. SUNCAT contains information about serials at the title level, it does not contain article level information. SUNCAT is a tool to locate where serials are held in the UK.

The catalogue contains information on both print and electronic serials, including journals, periodicals, newspapers, newsletters, magazines, annual reports and other publications of a continuing nature. The coverage of SUNCAT is steadily increasing, now with serials information from more than 100 libraries of the most significant research libraries in UK, including the national libraries (the British Library and the National Libraries of Scotland and Wales), most of the larger universities, key specialist libraries and the Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ). List of some libraries are: Aberdeen University, Aberystwyth University, Bath University, Birmingham University, Bolton University, Bradford University, Bristol University, British Film Institute, British Library, British Museum, Brunel University London, Cambridge University, Cardiff University, City University of London etc.

Kind of Information

Against a particular search entries are appeared here in a listed form. Under an entry (hyperlinked title of journal) detail bibliographic information of that particular entry is available here. In SUNCAT, the bibliographic information includes title, uniform title, added title, author, publisher name, publication history, frequency, language, location, ISSN, etc. An example is given below for clear understanding.

The beeline.	1997	• National Library of Scotland
EBEA report and accounts for the year ended.. / Economics and Business Education Association.	1999	• Trinity College Dublin
The beeline : the newsletter of the Economics and Business Education Association.	1997	• British Library • Cambridge University • National Library of Wales • Oxford University • Trinity College Dublin
Teaching business & economics.	200u	• British Library • National Library of Scotland
EBEA news.	2008	• British Library • National Library of Scotland
Economics and business education : the quarterly journal of the Economics and Business Education Association.	1993	• Brunel University London • Cambridge University • Oxford University

Title	Teaching business & economics.
Variant Title	Teaching business and economics
Uniform Title	Teaching business & economics (Online)
Author	Economics, Business and Enterprise Association.
ISSN	2044-043X
Publication Details	Burgess Hill : Economics and Business Education Association
Current Frequency	Three issues yearly
Publication History	Print began with vol.1, pt.1 (spring 1997)
Notes	Description based on: Spring 2010 issue; title from PDF cover (viewed on Feb. 18, 2010). Teaching Business and Economics is published each term normally in October, February and May. Mode of access: World Wide Web. System requirements: Adobe Acrobat Reader.
Subject Headings	Economics -- Study and teaching (Secondary) -- Great Britain -- Periodicals. Business education -- Great Britain -- Periodicals.
Other Format	Teaching business & economics 1367-3289
Languages	English
Locations	All libraries • British Library • National Library of Scotland

The holding institutions are mentioned here.

Library	Shelfmark	Availability	Notes	Local library catalogue links
British Library Electronic Resource		Available online	For subscribers only, requires password	✓
British Library Humanities and Social Sciences	ELD Digital store		Vol. 17, no. 2(2013)-***Previous issues available in print copy	✓
National Library of Scotland E-Legal Deposit				✓

MARC view of an entry also present here.

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(Its not a complete view)

Special Features

- A satellite map (that indicates the location of members library) present here.
- Links to social networking sites Facebook, Twitter, Google++ etc.
- Latest news and events are available here regarding suncat database.
- Feedback and good contact option present.
- Information on SUNCAT steering committee and bibliographic advisory group are mentioned here.
- Users of UK and Other can register their profile via different form.

Arrangement Pattern

Under the search option one can search any topic by various categories (like exact title, ISSN, publisher, place of publication, series, subject heading etc.). Then under a particular category entries are arranged in alphabetical order. some examples are given below.

For topic 'Economic' and category 'Exact title' entries are:

Economics 21
Economics : a biannual collection of recent German contributions to the field of economic science
Economics : a guide to first degree courses in U.K. universities.
Economics. A select list of books in the Polytechnic Library. 1940, etc.
Economics alert : Elsevier/North Holland's bi-monthly browsing service for economists.
Economics: An Emerging Small World?
Economics analysis working papers
Economics analyst--Central & Eastern Europe, Middle East & Africa
Economics and administration

For topic 'Economic' and category 'Publisher' entries are:

Economics Advice and Statistics Division, Scottish Office Education and Industry Department,
Economics Advice and Statistics Division, Scottish Office Education and Industry Dept.
Economics America, Inc.,
Economics Analysis Branch,
Economics and Business Association,
Economics and Business Education Association
<u>Economics and Commercial Teachers' Association of N.S.W.</u>
Economics and Development Resource Center,

Remarks

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Comparable Tools

- Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ) (<https://doaj.org/>)
- African Journals OnLine (AJOL) (<http://www.ajol.info/>)

Date of Access

November 30, 2016