DOAJ (Directory of Open Access Journals)

Characteristics:

The DOAJ (Directory of Open Access Journals) database was established in 2003 at Lund University, Sweden. It provides access to over 20,000 peer-reviewed open access scientific journals (links to journal homepages, abstracts, and full-text articles). The database covers all scientific disciplines, including technology, medicine, social sciences, and humanities.

Search Functionality:

Basic search allows entering any term and selecting collections such as journals and/or articles. Each journal entry provides information about the license under which it publishes articles.

Advanced search enables filtering by subject area, license type (e.g., CC-BY, CC-BY-NC, etc.), publisher name, publisher country, and publication language. It also allows filtering journals based on Article Processing Charges (APC), making it easy to distinguish free journals from those requiring payment.

All journals and articles in the database are classified according to the Library of Congress Classification system.

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