



Best Searchmachines: for example

International and german language:

Google: <http://www.google.de/>

Webcrawler: <http://www.webcrawler.com/>

Lycos: <http://www.lycos.de/>

Fireball: <http://www.lycos.de/>

German language:

Yahoo: <http://de.yahoo.com/>

Google: <http://www.google.de/>

Metager: <http://www.metager.de/>

Apollo7: <http://www.apollo7.de/>

Web: <http://www.web.de/>

Meta-Searchmachine

- If you cannot find, what you are looking for in one searchmachine
- If you are looking for wide ranged information about a special topic
- if you need a lot of results very quick

<http://www.metacrawler.com/>

<http://www.dogpile.com/>

<http://www.cyber411.com/>

Do you want to find some special topics? for example...

General History Research:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/>

Ecological Research:

<http://www.werc.usgs.gov/>

Future of nature Research:

<http://www.worldwildlife.org/>

History of Danube-Research:

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Danube>

Basic Boolean Search Operators

From <http://websearch.about.com/od/internetresearch/a/boolean.htm>

Is Boolean Search Complicated?

Using Boolean Logic to broaden and/or narrow your search is not as complicated as it sounds; in fact, you might already be doing it. Boolean logic is just the term used to describe certain logical operations that are used to combine search terms in many search engine databases and directories on the Net. It's not rocket science, but it sure sounds fancy (try throwing this phrase out in common conversation!).

Basic Boolean Search Operators - AND

Using AND narrows a search by combining terms; it will retrieve documents that use both the search terms you specify, as in this example:

- **Portland AND Oregon**

Basic Boolean Search Operators - OR

Using OR broadens a search to include results that contain either of the words you type in. OR is a good tool to use when there are several common spellings or synonyms of a word, as in this example:

- **liberal OR democrat**

Basic Boolean Search Operators - NOT

Using NOT will narrow a search by excluding certain search terms. NOT retrieves documents that contain one, but not the other, of the search terms you enter, as in this example:

- **Oregon NOT travel**

Search in the Internet

For Danube Networkers

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