

Google™ cheat sheet

Example	Result: webpages with
psychology animals	the words psychology <i>and</i> animals
“Vaticano”	the <i>exact word</i> Vaticano
“Dutch language”	the <i>exact phrase</i> Dutch language
“global warming” OR “greenhouse effect”	the phrase global warming <i>and/or</i> the phrase greenhouse effect
post * syndrome	the words post and syndrome <i>separated by one word</i>
salsa -dancing	the word salsa , <i>not</i> the word dancing

Operator	Meaning	Example
##..##	Search within number range	“Kyoto protocol” 1990..2000
site:	Search specific website or specific domain	“human rights” site:un.org
-site:	Exclude website or domain	“global warming” -site:wikipedia.org
filetype:	Search specific file format	“social media” filetype:pdf
-filetype	Exclude specific file format	psychology -filetype:xls
()	Formulate complex queries	Siberia (site:gov OR site:edu)

Google <http://www.google.com/ncr>

Google Advanced Search http://www.google.com/advanced_search

Google Books <http://books.google.com/>

Google Scholar <http://scholar.google.com/>