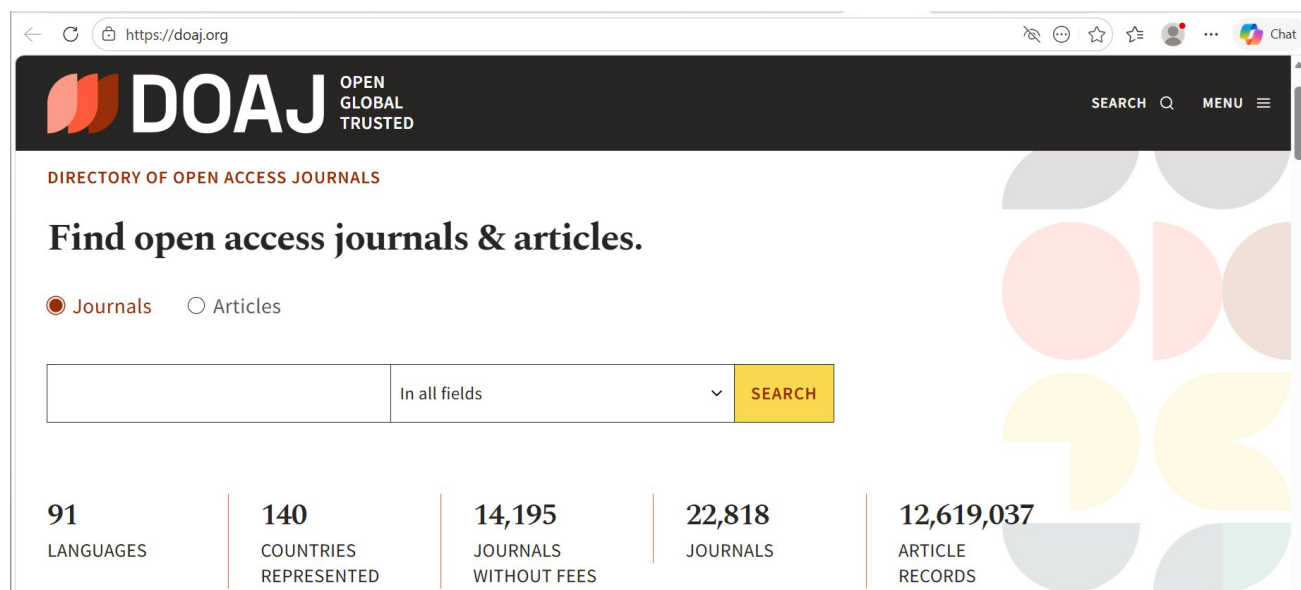


DOAJ: Directory of Open Access Journals (User Guide)

Click DOAJ on our website. The home page appears as follows:



The screenshot shows the DOAJ homepage in a web browser. The address bar displays 'https://doaj.org'. The header features the DOAJ logo with the tagline 'OPEN GLOBAL TRUSTED' and navigation links for 'SEARCH' and 'MENU'. Below the header, the text 'DIRECTORY OF OPEN ACCESS JOURNALS' is followed by the heading 'Find open access journals & articles.' There are two radio buttons for 'Journals' (selected) and 'Articles'. A search bar is present with a dropdown menu set to 'In all fields' and a yellow 'SEARCH' button. At the bottom, five statistics are listed: 91 LANGUAGES, 140 COUNTRIES REPRESENTED, 14,195 JOURNALS WITHOUT FEES, 22,818 JOURNALS, and 12,619,037 ARTICLE RECORDS. A decorative background pattern of overlapping circles is visible on the right side.

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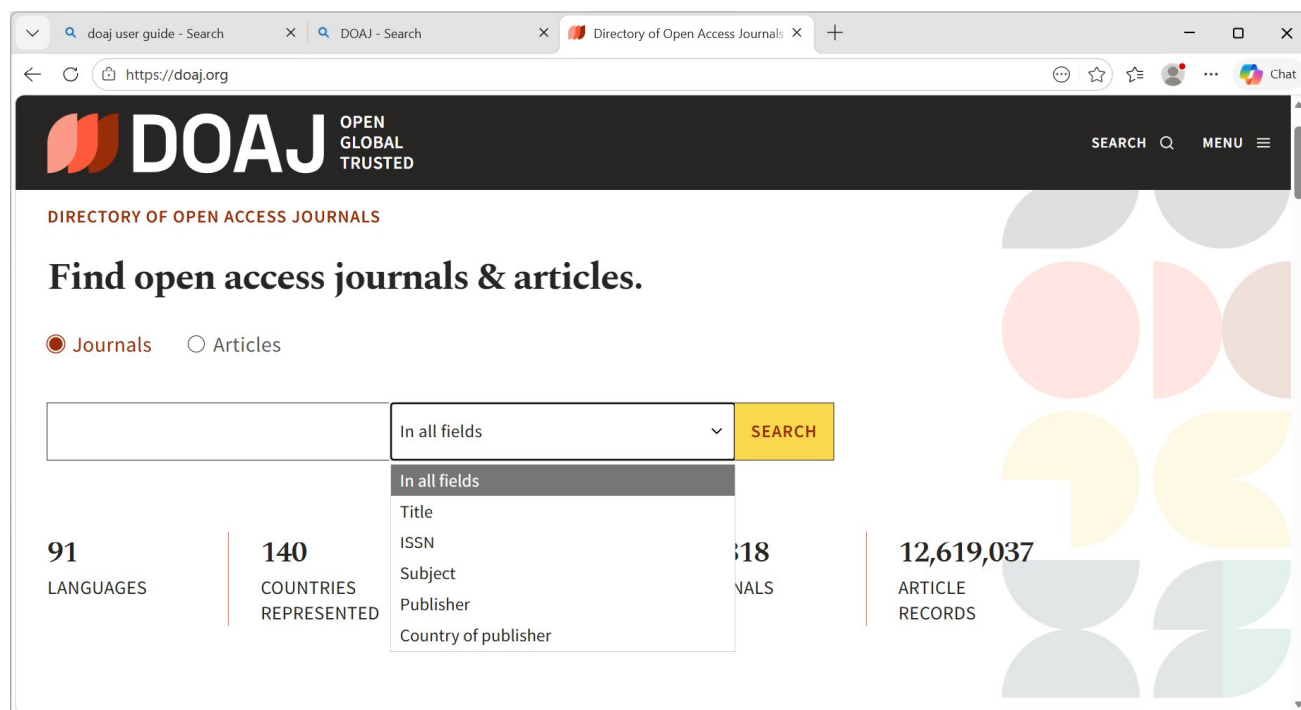
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If you click the search field you may find the search options like Title, ISSN, Subject, Publisher, Country of Publisher.



This screenshot shows the same DOAJ homepage as the previous one, but with the search dropdown menu open. The dropdown menu lists the following search options: 'In all fields' (highlighted), 'Title', 'ISSN', 'Subject', 'Publisher', and 'Country of publisher'. The rest of the page content remains the same.

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Example, if you type Information and click the option Title, you may find the below page:

The screenshot shows the DOAJ search results page. The header includes the DOAJ logo and navigation links. The search bar contains the text 'Information' and the dropdown menu is set to 'Title'. Below the search bar, there is a 'SHARE OR EMBED' button. The results section shows '124 indexed journals'. On the left, there are filter options: 'Refine search results', 'Without fees', and 'Author retains all rights'. On the right, there are sorting and pagination options: 'Sort by' (set to 'Added to DOAJ (newest first)'), 'Results per page' (set to '10'), and 'Page 1 of 13'.

Here at the left side, you have the filter options like Journals, Subjects, Languages, Publishers, Publishers' Countries, Peer Review Types, and Date Added.

The screenshot shows the DOAJ search results page with filters applied. The left sidebar contains a list of filter categories: 'SUBJECTS', 'LANGUAGES', 'LICENSES', 'PUBLISHERS', 'PUBLISHERS' COUNTRIES', 'PEER REVIEW TYPES', and 'DATE ADDED'. The main content area shows the search results for 'Information'. The first result is 'Journal of Electrical Systems and Information Technology', published by SpringerOpen in the United Kingdom. It accepts manuscripts in English and has a last full review on 17 Mar 2026. The journal subjects are: Technology: Electrical engineering, Electronics, Nuclear engineering, Technology: Technology (General); Industrial engineering, Management engineering; Information technology. The license is CC BY, CC BY-NC-ND. The second result is 'Buana Information Technology and Computer Sciences', with a last full review on 20 May 2022. The page is 'Page 1 of 13'.

You may filter the hits (results) you received as per your choice.

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- anyone studying, working or contracted at a non-commercial, not-for-profit organisation* from any of the Low- and Lower-Middle Income Countries, as determined by [the World Bank](#).

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	OAI-PMH	DOAJ team	Institutional and library supporters	Transparency & best practice	Github
	Widgets	Ambassadors	Funders	Publisher information	Instagram
	Public data dump	Foundation and Advisory Boards	Premium Mode	Licensing & copyright	Linkedin
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