

How to use electronic information resources at Masaryk University?

- an overview of all electronic information resources can be found on <https://ezdroje.muni.cz/>
- access to electronic information resources is allowed only to devices connected in the **Masaryk University network** (Eduroam) or via **remote access services** (for more information see <https://it.muni.cz/en/services/vpn>)
- for an overview click on the link **Resources** by title on the front page and see the list of all the electronic information resources accessible at MU with their description and verify the access (not every database is accessible for everybody or via remote access)
- for searching in electronic information resources is recommended to use **Discovery Service**, which can search in all the resources simultaneously – start typing into the searching box on the front page or use direct link <https://discovery.muni.cz> for advanced search.
- we recommend advanced search where you can fill in more keywords, choose a searching area, or set other options (language, date, full text...)
- for more effective searching connect the keywords with Boolean operators:
 - **AND** is used to combine words for different concepts, e.g. children AND education; it tells the database to find results where all of the terms appear
 - **OR** is used to add synonyms or similar concepts to the search. It tells the database to find results where at least one of the words or phrases appears, e.g. education OR learning
 - **NOT** is used to exclude terms you don't want to find, e.g. intelligence NOT artificial
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- **List of electronic journals and books at MU** can be found on the top of the page <https://discovery.muni.cz>
- **FULL TEXT FINDER** helps you to find the full text of the document available at MU (an electronic version in e-resources or a printed version in the library catalogue)