

LibX Browser Toolbar – UC Melvyl® and Campus Libraries Edition

What is LibX?

Toolbar for Firefox and Internet Explorer: LibX is a browser toolbar that allows you to quickly search the UC Melvyl versions, WorldCat.org, any of the library catalogs of the 10 UC campuses and Google Scholar.

Downloadable Versions -

[Click here to install the LibX Toolbar for Firefox: UC Melvyl and Campus Libraries Edition](#)

This file works with Firefox 3.x or higher. If Firefox displays a message "To protect your computer, Firefox prevented this site... from installing software on your computer", press the button labeled "Edit Options..." and click "Allow" add libx.org to the list of websites from which extensions may be installed. Then click "Ok" and visit the "Install" link again.

[Click here to install the LibX Toolbar for Internet Explorer: UC Melvyl and Campus Libraries Edition](#)

This file works with Internet Explorer 6 or higher. Functionality is equivalent to the Firefox version.

How It Works –

Toolbar: Enter search words in the box in the LibX toolbar; the "Melvyl - University of California Libraries" version is the default, but you can search any of the campus Melvyl versions and/or the library catalogs of the 10 UC campuses. Click the **down arrow** next to the "Search Melvyl - University of California Libraries" button to select a campus catalog from the menu options. You can search by multiple terms in different fields (Author, Title, ISBN/ISSN, etc.) and by clicking on the **down arrow** next to the search box you can add additional search boxes.

LibX toolbar

The screenshot displays the LibX toolbar in a browser window. The toolbar includes a search box with the text "shakespeare" and "hamlet", and a dropdown menu for "Search Melvyl - University of California Libraries". A red box highlights the dropdown arrow with the text "Click here to add additional search boxes." Another red box highlights the search button with the text "Click here to search one of the UC campus catalogs." The right-click menu is open, showing options like "Search Melvyl - University of California Libraries for Keyword 'Analog Circuits'", "Search Google Scholar for 'Analog Circuits'", and "Search UC-eLinks for Journal Title 'Analog Circuits'".

Right-click menu: Highlight text on a web page or PDF document and right-click to get the following menu:

Right-click context menu

The screenshot shows the right-click context menu with the following options:

- Search Melvyl - University of California Libraries for Keyword "Analog Circuits"
- Search Melvyl - University of California Libraries for Title "Analog Circuits"
- Search Melvyl - University of California Libraries for Author "Circuits Analog"
- Search Google Scholar for "Analog Circuits"
- Search UC-eLinks for Journal Title "Analog Circuits"

From this menu you can:

- directly search Melvyl, a campus library catalog or Google Scholar


As an alternative, instead of right-clicking... you can drag and drop the selected text into the search box on the toolbar, or directly onto the Google Scholar button (which will immediately run a Google Scholar search).

Also, the context menu will change, depending on what text is highlighted. For instance, if an ISBN is selected, you will be offered appropriate ISBN searches. Currently recognized are CrossRef, DOIs, ISBNs, ISSNs, and PubMed IDs.

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