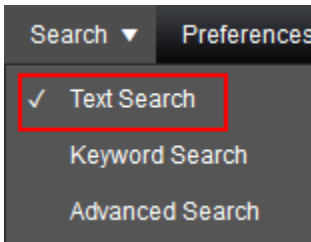
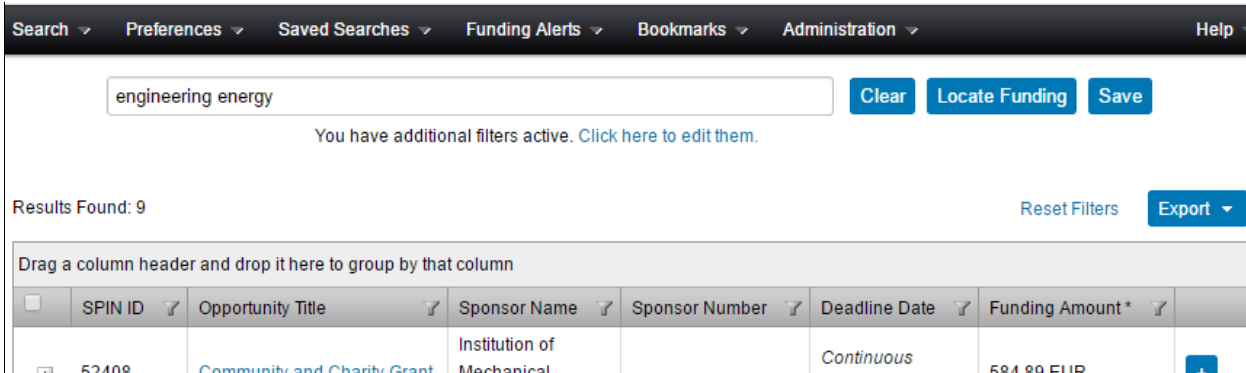


Text Search

A Text Search is the most commonly used search in SPIN.



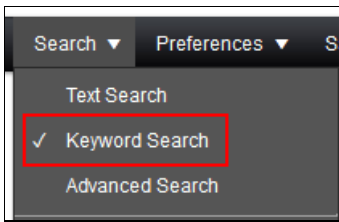
Search terms are matched against all data fields in the system.



The Text Search also has capabilities to build more complex searches. More information is available from the Help > Text Search Help menu item.

Example Input	Description
Scientific research	Searches for records containing scientific and research . Inflectional forms of science and research are included. AND is assumed in this example.
Scientific OR research	Searches for records containing either scientific or research . Inflectional forms of science and research are included. The OR must be specified.
"science research"	Wrapping terms in double quotes searches for records containing the phrase science research . Inflectional forms of science (science , sciences) are included such that results include science research and sciences research .
stem -cell	Inserting a minus symbol before a term searches for records containing stem and not cell .
lake*	Appending an asterisk to a term invokes a wildcard search: searches for records containing lake and any suffix (e.g. lakes, Lakeland, lakeview). Note that * cannot be the first character of a search.
b?ll	A question mark ? serves as a wildcard substitute for a single character. Searching for b?ll will return results for bell, ball, or bill.
b?ll "river basin" -columbia	Complex searches combining features can be used as in this example that will find results that include b?ll (bill, ball, bell...) AND the string river basin but will exclude opportunities containing the word columbia .

Keyword Search



Click “Select Keywords” to select keywords to include in your search.

Use the keyword “Explorer” to browse Keyword categories and choose keywords.

The 'Keyword Explorer' interface shows a hierarchical tree of categories. The 'HEALTH AND SAFETY/MEDICAL SCIENCES/BIO...' category is selected. Below the tree, there are two panels: 'Choose keywords' and 'Selected keywords'. The 'Choose keywords' panel has a 'Select All' button and a list of keywords with checkboxes. The 'Selected keywords' panel shows the keywords that have been selected.

CATEGORY 1	CATEGORY 2	CAT
INTERNATIONAL/GEOGRAPHICAL REGIONS	Anatomical Systems/Sites	Child/Maternal Health
AGRICULTURE/FOOD SCIENCES/FOODS	Biomedical Engineering	Family Health/Planning/S
ARTS/HUMANITIES/CULTURAL ACTIVITIES	Disciplines/Fields, Health & Safety/Med/Biomedical	Folk Medicine
BEHAVIORAL/SOCIAL SCIENCES	Disease Entities/Medical Problems, Behavior	Health Care Administrati
EDUCATION	Education/Instruction (Health/Safety/Medical)	Health Care Reform
ENGINEERING	Environment (Health/Safety/Medical)	Health Facilities Studies
HEALTH AND SAFETY/MEDICAL SCIENCES/BIO...	Health Care	Health Insurance

Choose keywords Select All

- Child/Maternal Health
- Family Health/Planning/Safety
- Folk Medicine
- Health Care Administration
- Health Care Reform

Selected keywords

- Health Care Administration
- Health Care Reform

Use the Keyword “Searcher” lookup box to type into and locate particular entries. Click “Show subset” and select the desired Keywords.

The 'Keyword Searcher' interface shows a search box with the word 'Engineering' entered. There are 'Reset list' and 'Show subset' buttons. Below the search box, there are two panels: 'Choose keywords' and 'Selected keywords'. The 'Choose keywords' panel has a 'Select All' button and a list of keywords with checkboxes. The 'Selected keywords' panel shows the keywords that have been selected.

Choose keywords Select All

- Agricultural Engineering
- Forest Engineering
- Aquacultural Engineering
- Food Engineering
- Engineering Planning/Policy
- Engineering Psychology
- Engineering Education
- ENGINEERING

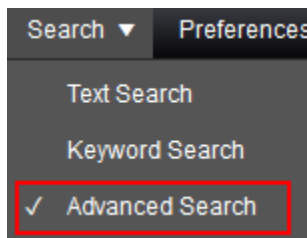
Selected keywords

- Health Care Administration
- Health Care Reform
- Engineering Education
- ENGINEERING

A keyword search matches keywords with those keywords attributed to a SPIN program.

Also, always ensure your Category Filters and Search Options have been configured appropriately.

Advanced Search



For more regular users of SPIN the Advanced Search offers capability to use Boolean logic and nested searches using specific SPIN data fields.

For example, the search below can be described as:

Show me all opportunities where

- the word 'engineering' is contained in any data field in the entire program
- the word 'fellowship' is contained in the Synopsis field
- the sponsor contact country is either Germany or U.S.A.

Add New

Full Program	Contains	engineering	✕
Synopsis	Contains	fellowship	✕
Contact Country	Equal To	Germany	✕
Contact Country	Equal To	United States	✕

You have additional filters active. [Click here to edit them.](#)

Results Found: 55

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<input type="checkbox"/>	SPIN ID	Opportunity Title	Sponsor Name	Sponsor Number	Deadline Date	Funding Amount
<input type="checkbox"/>	22446	Leibniz-DAAD Research	German Academic		None Posted	Not Specified

As always, please ensure your Category Filters and Search Options have been configured appropriately.