

Fast Start to Dialog Featuring DialogClassic Web™, Part 2: Refining your Search – ONTAP® Practice Exercises

Questions:

1. Using ONTAP® BIOSIS Previews® ([File 205](#)) find articles about molecular cloning of genes of rainbow trout. Hint: qualify the main concept to the Title OR the Descriptor fields.
2. In ONTAP® ABI/INFORM® ([File 215](#)) use the EXPAND command to find articles by author Reva Basch. Check the Bluesheet first to find out how the Author field (AU=) is structured. After creating Set 1 (S1) with records containing articles by Reva Basch, narrow results to an article by this author about Dialog. Hint: qualify Dialog to the Title OR the Abstract fields.
3. In ONTAP® Cengage/Gale PROMT® ([File 216](#)) find an article entitled “The Design Imperative” that was published in *Marketing Computers* in 1992. Hint: use the EXPAND command to find the journal.
4. Check the Bluesheet at library.dialog.com/bluesheets for ONTAP® Inspec® ([File 213](#)) to see how the Descriptor and the Identifier fields (/DE, /ID) are indexed. Are they word- or phrase-indexed or both? Go online to File 213 and EXPAND MAGNETIC to see if the list shows single words or phrases or both, for example, terms like MAGNETIC AFTEREFFECT. Browse the list. Enter “p” (page down) to see more index terms. Enter “p” until you get to MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING. SELECT the E reference number for MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING. Note: with EXPAND, do not qualify to a field nor should you put in any truncation.
- 4a. Using the same [File 213](#) (ONTAP® Inspec®), combine the search set with BRAIN on the Title OR the Descriptor fields.
5. Locate articles written between 2001 and 2003 about therapeutic or medicinal aspects of cranberries in ONTAP® CAB ABSTRACTS ([File 250](#)).

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