Boolean Connectors

Boolean search connectors indicate the relationship that two or more terms in the search expression must have in order for a document to be included in your search results. To use Boolean connectors, simply type your search expression using the Boolean connector that fits your specific search criteria.

We've provided some examples here for your reference:

CONNECTOR	EXAMPLE	RESULT
AND	court AND appeals	Return results containing both court and appeals.
" "	"court appeals"	Returns results containing exact phrase "court appeals".
NOT	misleading NOT deceptive	Returns documents contacting misleading but not deceptive.
OR	misleading OR deceptive	Returns documents containing misleading or deceptive.
w/n	home w/5 office	Returns documents that contain home within 5 words of office. Note: value of n cannot exceed 127 words.
w/sen	"home office" w/sen expenses	Returns documents that contain home office within 20 words of expenses. Note: use quotation marks when searching for an exact phrase in combination with other search terms.
w/par	"home office" w/par expenses	Returns documents that contain home office within 80 words of expenses. Note: use quotation marks when searching for an exact phrase in combination with other search terms.
f/n	credit f/3 foreign	Returns documents that contain credit followed by foreign by no more than 3 words.
p/n	foreign p/3 credit	Returns documents that contain credit preceded by foreign by no more than 3 words.
*	depreciat*	Returns documents containing depreciate, depreciating, depreciation etc.
?	??clude	Returns documents containing exclude, include, occlude etc.

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