LibrarySearch is the new literature search engine of the TU/e. It contains bibliographic information of full-text and printed items in the TU/e collection and other library collections.

**While searching in LibrarySearch, you can improve your search results:**

- Use **Boolean operators**: AND, OR and NOT. Always spell Boolean terms in capitals to distinguish from search terms. To determine the order in which the Boolean operators are used, use parentheses. Example: \((program \ OR \ application) \ AND \ (measure \ OR \ calculate)\)

- Use **Quotation marks** to find an exact phrase. Example: “air quality”

- Use **Truncation (*)** or **Wildcards** (? or #). Example: \(process^*\) to find process, processes, processed, etc. Example: \(wom^n\) or \(wom?n\) finds both women and woman

- Select a specific **index** by using a **prefix**. Example: \(ti: \ air \ quality\) searches for titles with the words air and quality. Example: \(au:smith \ ti:blend^*\) searches for authors Smith and titles with Blend.
  
  With prefix \(ti=\) you find titles beginning with the search word. Example: \(ti=nature\)

- Use the **filters** in the left menu: e.g. Year, Topic, Language, Format
- Change the **Sort order**
- Use **Advanced search**

**Other tips:**

- **Log in** with your NT account or the number of your library card
- **Click on a title** to find details like availability and to place a hold, stackroom request or ILL request