

Information Retrieval Lab

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Exploring some IR tools

- You are probably all familiar with web-based IR tools, but we are going to play with three rather different ones today, mostly to look at their capabilities.
 - Google advanced search:
http://www.google.com/advanced_search
 - Teoma: <http://www.teoma.com/>
 - MedLine: <http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi>

Basic Interface

- Each of these tools has basic and advanced interfaces.
 - Try some queries on the basic interfaces
 - Then try some advanced query interfaces.
 - From Pubmed/Medline, click on the Limits tab to get to it.
- What do they have in common?
- How do they differ?