

Library Services Update

The LSU Libraries

Ingenta

www.lib.lsu.edu

Topic: Ingenta

- What is Ingenta?
- What can I do with Ingenta?
- How do I use Ingenta?
- How do I access Ingenta?

I.M. a Reference Librarian: Do you have questions about using the LSU Libraries? Do you need help finding information? Go to <http://www.lib.lsu.edu> click "Live Assistance" and instant message a reference librarian for real-time online help. Fall and spring semester hours are:

Monday & Wednesday 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Friday 12:00 noon - 3:00 p.m.

Questions? Call the Middleton Library Reference Desk at 578-8875

What is Ingenta?

The Ingenta Gateway is a database that allows patrons to search more than 11 million citations from over 20,000 journals. It is offered by the LSU Libraries to expand patrons' access to scholarly research. Electronic, fax and Ariel document delivery is available through Ingenta.

What can I do with Ingenta?

Graduate students, faculty and staff may order a wide variety of articles and citations for academic research purposes. Within the gateway, you will be able to freely access the electronic (html and pdf) full-text of articles from those publications to which we have subscription rights. If LSU is not a subscriber, document delivery of electronic and faxed copies of articles are available. Articles can also be ordered via Interlibrary Borrowing in Middleton Library. This material is delivered to the patron via fax or document delivery, or can be picked up in the Interlibrary Borrowing Office.

How do I use Ingenta?

Patrons may order articles by logging in to their Ingenta account and searching the online database. If there are problems or questions call Interlibrary Borrowing at 578-2138 and ask for LSU ingenta Help.

How do I access Ingenta?

From the LSU Libraries homepage (<http://www.lib.lsu.edu/>), click on the Ingenta link under Services.

Websites

LSU Libraries homepage
www.lib.lsu.edu

Ingenta
www.lib.lsu.edu/databases/descriptions/ingenta

Ingenta

Subject Area Resources

- Agriculture/Food Science
- Arts and Humanities
- Biology/Life Sciences
- Chemistry
- Computer and Information Sciences
- Earth/Environmental Sciences
- Economics and Business
- Engineering /Technology
- Mathematics and Statistics
- Medicine
- Nursing
- Philosophy/Linguistics
- Physics/Astronomy
- Psychology/Psychiatry
- Social Sciences

Technical Requirements

- Netscape Navigator 2.0 or higher, Internet Explorer 3.0 or higher recommended
- Adobe Acrobat 4.05 for Windows 95/98

Navigate through the subsequent connection/authentication pages - if you are connecting to the LSU Ingenta gateway from off campus, you are required to demonstrate your university affiliation by entering your 17-digit Tiger Card ID Number and your PIN.

After authentication/connection to the gateway, you will arrive at the Logon Screen.

New users have two options for registering with Ingenta; you may either create a User ID and Password by entering your 17-digit Tiger Card ID Number, or create a User ID and Password by registering as a new user.