

Catalog Use Tutorial

Basic Search

The screenshot displays the NUST Library website interface with several callout boxes indicating search steps:

- Step 1 - logon to the website: library.nust.ac.zw** (points to the browser address bar)
- Step 2 - Enter keywords (title, author or subject)** (points to the search input field containing "thermodynamics")
- Step 3 - press "Search Catalog"** (points to the "Search Catalog" button)

The website header includes navigation links: NUST Home, Home, About, Catalog, eResources, and Research Support. Below the header, there are links for "My Library Account", "Client Services Charter", "Past Exam Papers", "ETD Abstracts", and "Scholarly Communication". The main search area features a "Library catalog" dropdown menu, a search input field with "thermodynamics", and a "Search Catalog" button. Below this is an "Advanced Catalog Search" section with a "Search EBSCOHost" button and a text input field labeled "Enter your search terms here!".

At the bottom of the page, there is a "SAGE researchmethods" logo and a "Register to access Electronic Resources remotely (off Campus!)" button labeled "Register Now". A "Chat With Us" button is also visible in the bottom right corner.

The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows various application icons and the system clock indicating 5:45 PM on 11/26/2024.

Viewing Results

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying a library search results page. The browser's address bar shows the URL `libraryopac.nust.ac.zw/cgi-bin/koha/opac-search.pl`. The page title is "Your search returned 235 results." and it indicates "Found 9097 results in the library's OpenLibrary collection".

On the left side, there is a sidebar for refining the search, including sections for Availability, Authors (listing names like Abbott, M.M. and Eastop, T.D.), Collections (Non-fiction, 235), Holding libraries (Faculty of Medicine Library, Main Library), Item types (Ordinary Loan Books, Short Loan Books), and Locations (General Stacks).

The main content area shows a list of search results. The first result is "Introduction to chemical engineering thermodynamics / J.M. Smith, H.C. Van Ness, M.M. Abbott..". A callout box labeled "Step 4 - Browse the list of results" points to the search results area. A second callout box labeled "Step 5 - Click on a title for more details" points to the title of the first result. A third callout box labeled "Step 6 - Take down the call number and visit the help desk for directions to the location of the book" points to the availability information for the first result, which includes the call number "GEN QD504 SM1".

Below the search results, the Windows taskbar is visible, showing various application icons and the system clock indicating 5:54 PM on 11/26/2024.