Your Direct Connection

By means of the MPG Citation Linker you can use relevant MPG-SFX Services directly, without performing a database search first. This is a particularly convenient way to check if any relevant resources (such as the electronic full text) are available for a specific item which you have at least some bibliographic information about.

Links to the **MPG Citation Linker** are available from the Max Planck Virtual Library (vLib), but you may find it useful to set your own bookmark.

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Enter as much information about the specific article, journal or book you are interested in as you can. The more details you provide, the more options for services can be offered. After completing the form, click the MPGOSFEX button.

■ Further Information

Please note that for several of the **MPG-SFX Services** presented to you, access to the targeted information resource is restricted to authorized Max Planck locations (authorized IP range).

Answers to some of the most frequently asked questions are available in the **MPG-SFX FAQ:** http://sfx.mpq.de/sfx-faq.html

MPG-SFX Services and the MPG Citation Linker were both developed in connection with the Max Planck Virtual Library, a collaborative effort of various groups within the Max Planck Society involved in library and information services. See http://vlib.mpg.de.

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MPG S F X - Services MPG - CitationLinker

- Max Planck specific context sensitive reference linking
- Easy navigation from references to related services
- Finding the full text and more

Introduction to SFX

SFX is a context sensitive linking product licensed by the Max Planck Society (MPG) for the "intelligent" integration of various reference databases, library catalogs, full text collections and other scientific information resources available to staff and quests of the MPG.

SFX allows users to start with an item of interest found in one information resource ("Source"), to view a menu of relevant options ("Services") available for that specific item and, finally, to directly access another information resource ("Target") at the most appropriate level.

MPG-SFX Services

may currently include any of the following options (depending on where you started):

- · Direct access to the full text of an item (whenever possible).
- Check the Electronic Journals Library (EZB) for online availability or the MPG Journal Index for possible holding in a local.
- Order a copy via a document delivery service.
- Search authors' names in ISI Web of Science (Citation Indexes).
- View neighboring articles in the table of contents of the respective journal issue.
- View information about the journal or book an item has been published in.
- Search for relevant websites, using various internet search engines.

Further options are added continuously!

Enhance your Search Results

First Step:

You have found an item of interest in a database via the Max Planck Virtual Library, or any other MPG-SFX Source (such as ISI Web of Knowledge, Ovid, CSA, etc.), and have located the MPGOSIEX button (short or full view of a record).

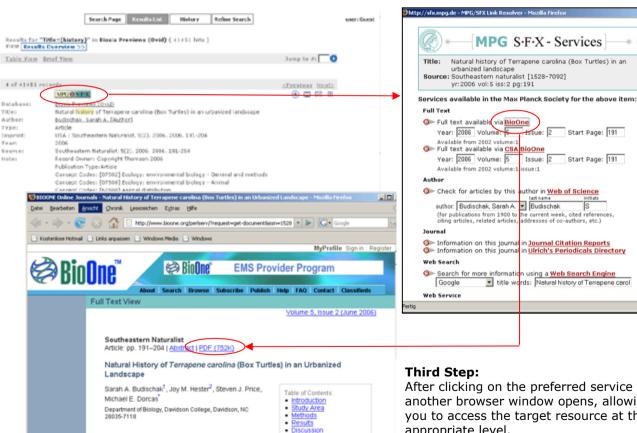


After clicking the MPGOSEX button, a new browser window opens, presenting a menu of MPG-SFX Services available for our specific reference.

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After clicking on the preferred service link, another browser window opens, allowing you to access the target resource at the appropriate level.