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- **Search Fields** -- Searching different fields gives you different results (KEYWORD, TITLE, SUBJECT, etc.)

  - **Local vs. I-Share** -- Local is our catalog / I-Share contains items in other libraries; more results with I-Share
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- **Quoted Search** -- Use quotes [“ ”] when you need a particular phrase searched together; fewer results

  ![Quoted Search Example](image1)

- **Wildcard** -- Use the star [*] character to search all possible variants of a base word; more results
  - Example: (republican) vs. (repub* —> repubLIC, repubLICAN, repubLICANS, repubLISH, etc.)

  ![Wildcard Example](image2)