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- By default, Search History is set to **OFF**.
- To start recording your search history, go to [MY SETTINGS](#) then choose [PREFERENCES](#).
- Set your search history recording to **ON**.
- Click [UPDATE](#).

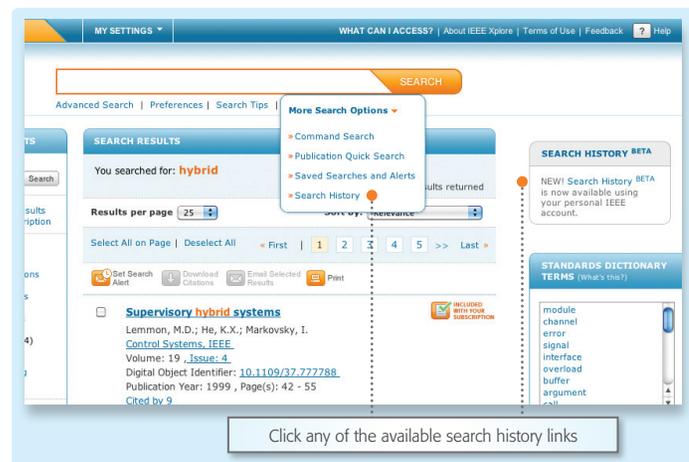


Using the New Search History^{BETA}

- Perform your searches.
- Click any of the available [SEARCH HISTORY](#) links to view your search history.
- View, rerun, or combine your search(es).

NOTE:

- Searches are stored over multiple sessions for later viewing.
- The 50 most recent searches are displayed.



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Navigating the New Search History^{BETA}

- Search history recording indicator should be set to ON.
- Rerun your search by clicking any keyword.
- All refinements are recorded and displayed.
- View all search details in the details column, including time/date, number of results, and search scope.

Search History^{BETA}

IEEE is pleased to release this beta version of search history. Submit comments or feedback through our feedback form. Combine searches by selecting at least two checkboxes.

Search History Recording: **ON**
(Modify settings in your preferences)

#	Search Query	Details
<input type="checkbox"/> 4	cloud	14776 Metadata Mar. 24, 2012 23:04 UTC
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	mems You Refined By: Content Type: Conferences Publisher: IEEE	18318 Metadata Mar. 24, 2012 23:03 UTC
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Electronic	473852 Metadata Mar. 24, 2012 23:03 UTC
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	hybrid	69983 Metadata Mar. 24, 2012 23:03 UTC

Callouts:
- Rerun your search by clicking the keyword (points to 'cloud')
- View number of records, scope of search, and date/time search was performed (points to details for 'mems')
- Refinements are recorded and displayed (points to 'You Refined By')
- Indicates search history is ON (points to 'Search History Recording: ON')

How to combine searches

- Select the checkbox to the left of the record you would like to combine.
- **START** will appear next to the first item you are combining and a dialog box will appear at the bottom of the search history page.
- Choose the next record to combine and choose a Boolean operator to combine the searches. Common operators are: **AND, OR, NOT**. The dialog box will automatically update to reflect your combined query.
- Click **COMBINE** when you have finished building your combined query.

Search Query

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4	START cloud	14776 Metadata Mar. 24, 2012 23:04 UTC
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3	AND OR NOT mems	18318 Metadata Mar. 24, 2012 23:03 UTC

4 AND 3
Keywords: 2 Wildcards: 0

Callouts:
- Start combining searches (points to 'START')
- The common operators are: AND, OR, NOT (points to 'AND OR NOT')
- Click combine when you have finished building your combined query (points to 'COMBINE')

Tips for combining searches

- There is a 50 keyword/5 wildcard limit for combined searches.
- Date range refinements need to be reapplied when searches are combined.
- Any refinements applied will be merged when combined.
- Saved search alerts are not available for combined searches.

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