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## » Inside GeoRef and GeoBase

Access global geosciences content from two trusted resources in one place. Engineering Village’s powerful search tools leverage geosciences controlled terms in the GeoBase and GeoRef databases, providing intelligence and insight that help researchers drive progress forward.

**Engineering Village’s new mapping tool** plots geographical locations from GeoRef and GeoBase search results on a digital map, giving further insight into the geographical context of results.

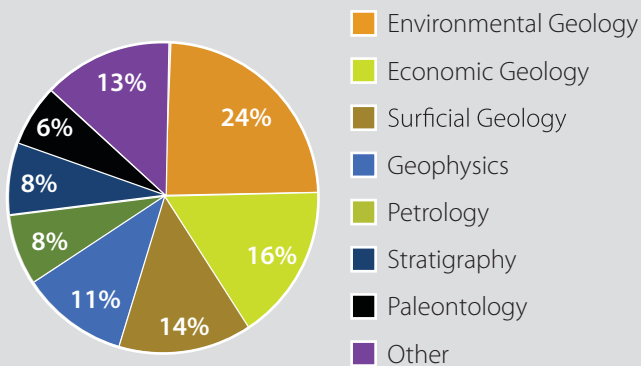
### GeoRef

The American Geological Institute’s GeoRef database provides a comprehensive history of geology and its subfields. With more than 3 million abstract records, it includes the information researchers need to evaluate geology and its role in the context of history, economics, engineering and more.

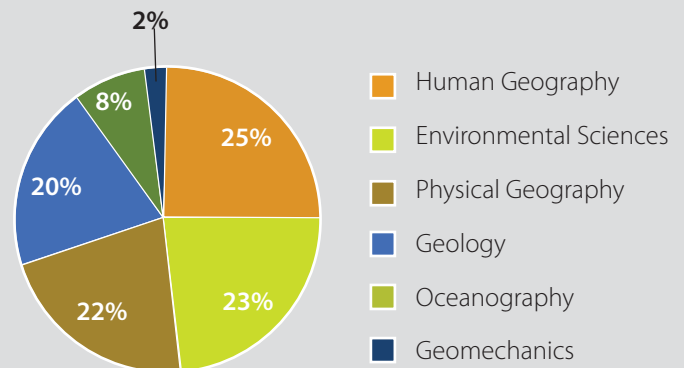
### GeoBase

GeoBase’s over 2.2 million earth sciences abstracts provide information needed for comprehensive evaluation of a region, including geographical structure and relation to natural resources as well as linking resource management, transport, and regional and urban planning.

GeoRef Subject Coverage



GeoBase Subject Coverage



### GeoRef Quick Facts

- Over 3.2 million abstract records
- Coverage of North America: 1669-present
- Coverage of the rest of the world: 1933-present
- Over 3,500 journals, books, maps, conference papers, reports, and theses
- Includes all publications of the US Geological Survey plus masters' theses and doctoral dissertations from US and Canadian universities
- 100,000 new records added annually

### GeoBase Quick Facts

- Over 2.2 million abstract records
- Coverage dates from 1973-present
- Over 2,000 peer-reviewed journals, trade publications, book series, and conference proceedings
- Publications from over 60 countries
- 125,000 new records added annually

### Why access GeoRef and GeoBase on Engineering Village?

- **Save valuable time:** Easy-to-use search functionality
- **Gain at-a-glance knowledge:** Faceted results display trends and quickly narrow searches
- **Stay up-to-date:** Customizable email or RSS alerts
- **Streamline research:** Personalization options allow collaboration and results management

Plus... Engineering Village's unique mapping tool uses Google Maps technology to put results in a geographic context

- **Visualize** a topics' associations with different areas of the world or geological features
- **Facilitate** discovery of features or locations not initially associated with a topic
- **Encourage** a third dimension of insight and easy narrowing of results

**Search Results**  
7761 records in GeoBase & GeoRef for 1785-2008    Remove Duplicates - Save Search - Create Alert - **RSS** ?    Hide Map **BETA**

Click on a pin to refine search results

Geographic terms

- ALASKA (218)
- RUSSIAN FEDERATION (175)
- CANADA (140)
- GULF OF MEXICO (102)
- CHINA (101)
- AUSTRALIA (87)
- NORTHWEST TERRITORIES (86)
- CALIFORNIA (80)
- NORTH SEA (71)
- USSR (69)

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