Bioland 2 – Search

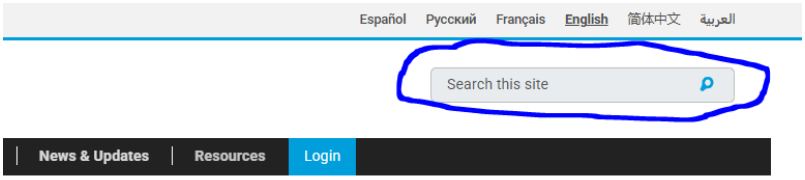
Introduction

Bioland 2 features an updated search functionality. It is accessible directly as an advanced search and – behind the scenes – powers many of the lists of entries that make Bioland search-engine friendly.

Accessing advanced search directly

Search is available throughout the site from its global position in the top-right of the page.

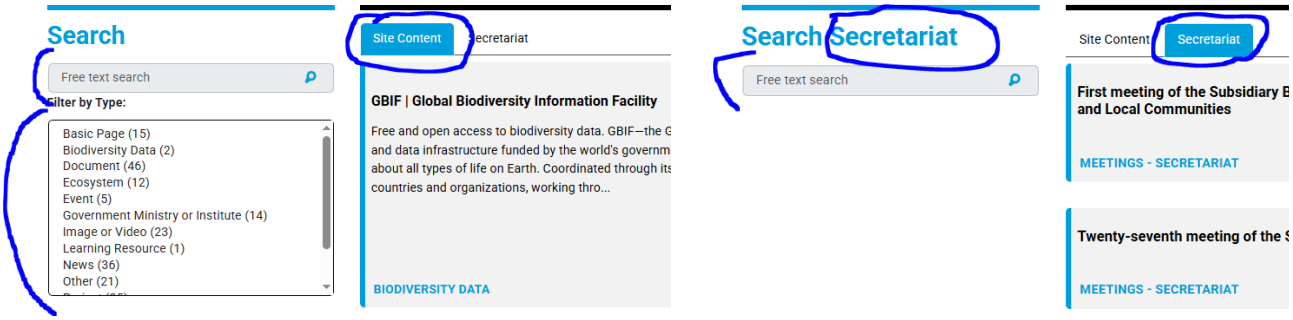
The search can be started direclty from the input box by entering a term followed by enter key.



To access the advanced search without a specific term, just hitting enter will work. Or the Loup symbol can be clicked on with the mouse.

Choosing the content to search

The search interface differentiates between searching the local site content and searching information from the global CHM via interoperability with the secretariat. Local content search supports additional filtering by content type that is not available with the Secretariat search. Switching between tabs (search types) reset the search terms.

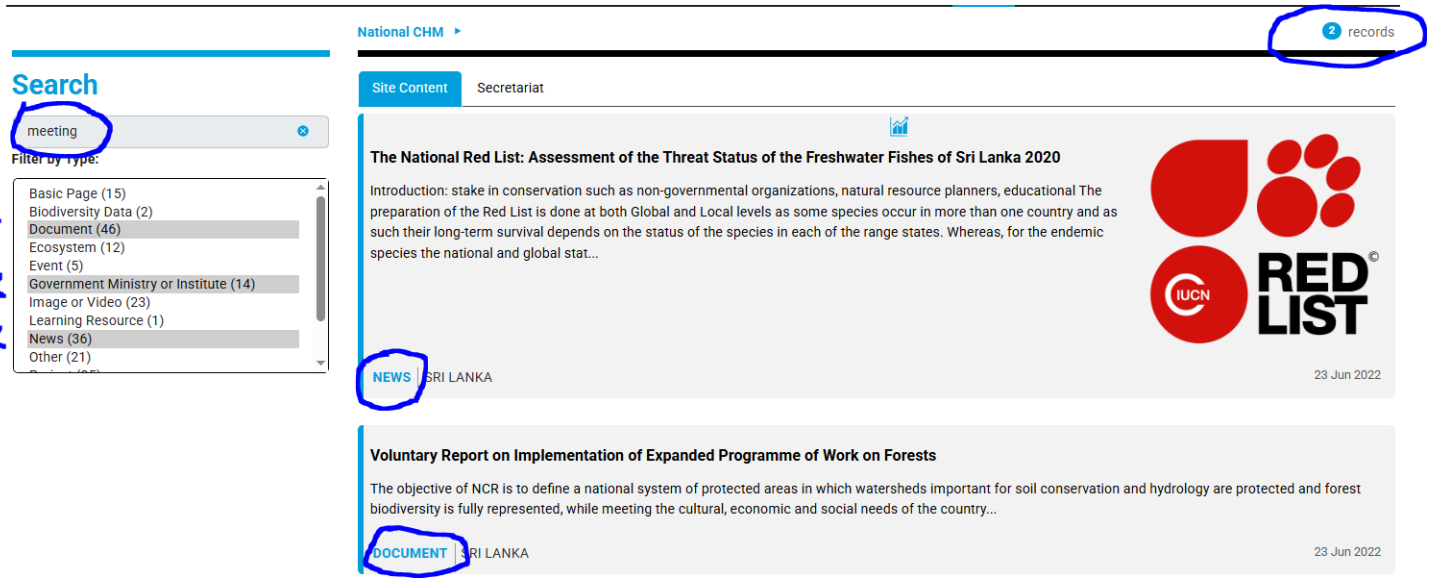


The search itself is responsive. If you pause typing the query or select a content type, the search results are updated immediately.

For the keywords search, all entered keywords must be present in the found documents, but in any order or location. If a phrase search is required instead, the phrase can be entered in the double-quotes. For example: “subregional dialogue”.

Searching local site

Local site search supports both Free Text field and Type filtering. For Type filtering, as it is a standard list box, multiple Types can be selected individually or as a range; they can also be deselected.

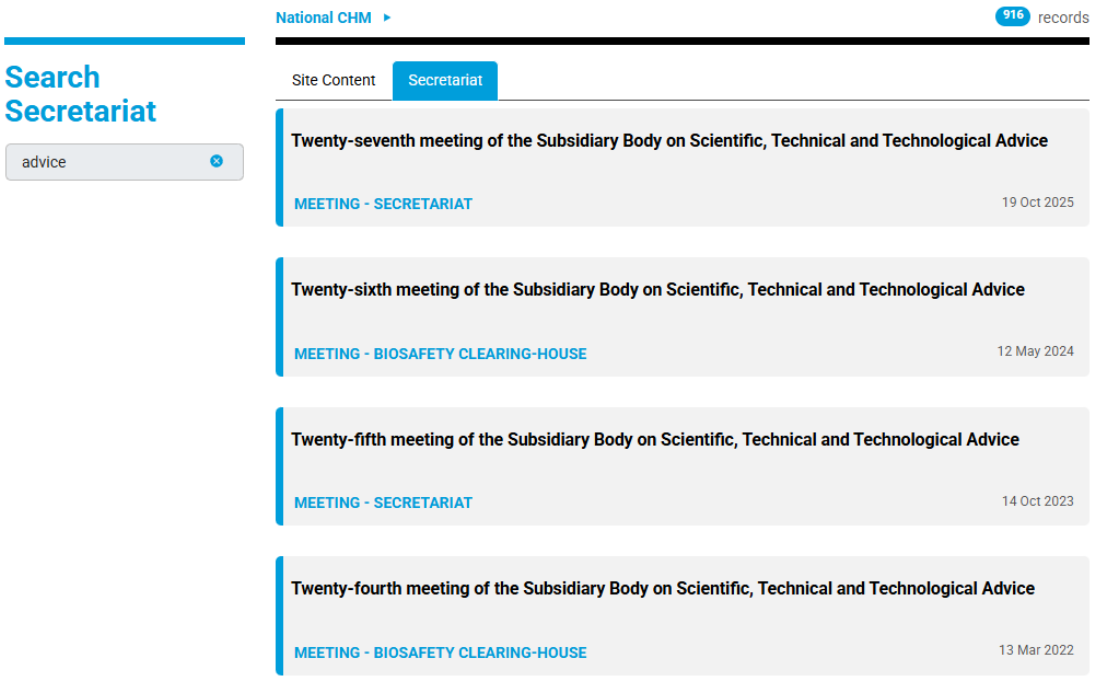


Free Text search and Type filtering can be both applied at the same time. The result count in the top-right corner will show the final count of matches.

Note that the counts next to types do not represent the final number when Free Text search is also used. Those are the original numbers of local content items for the respective categories.

Secretariat search

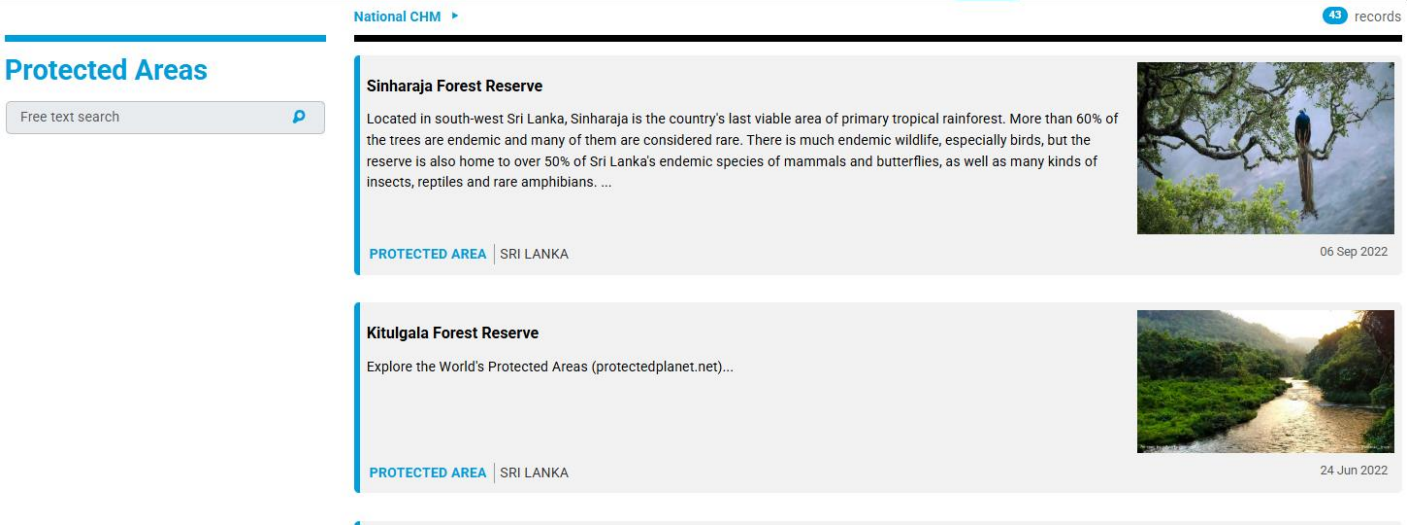
For the secretariat, only a simpler Full Text search is available. Make sure to use the pager at the bottom, as the number of matching records is often quite large.



If the search matches no records, the listing will be empty with no pager or matching counts.

Category search

Note that because the listings of entries is powered by the search behind the scenes, the page may look very similar but not show the Type filter. That's because the records all come from a single type.



If you need to view several types of content, just go to the advanced search. It will have the matching content type in the list, as well as all the other ones:

