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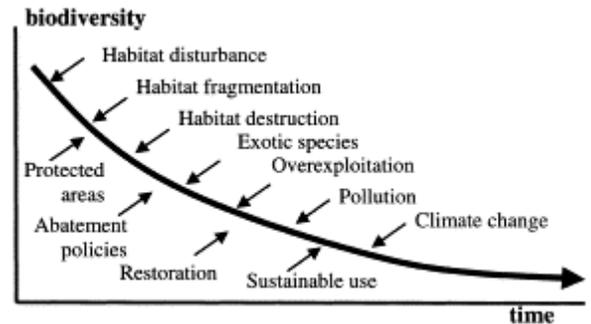
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[ScienceDirect](#) is the most recently added SUNYConnect database. This involves a SUNY-selected set of primarily science and technology journals published by the Elsevier Science subsidiary of Reed Elsevier PLC. The database and associated services include:

- full-text
- tables, graphs, [figures](#), etc.
- table of contents and current awareness services
- hypertext links to an article's cited references
- browsing capabilities beyond the SUNY-specific titles
- additional access to various [abstract/index databases](#)



The details of the Elsevier-SUNY agreement were described in SLiCAT meeting minutes (from February 26, 2001).

ScienceDirect: Larry Randall announced that a 3-year agreement with Elsevier for access to ScienceDirect was near completion. SUNY campuses will have online access to all titles in the ScienceDirect collection that any SUNY campus has a current subscription to. This amounts to over 700 individual titles. Each campus will need to continue to pay the annual subscription for the journals it currently subscribes to. Titles may be cancelled by individual campuses as long as a subscription to another Elsevier title of comparable worth is selected. SUNY will be assessed a content fee of 10% of total SUNY dollar investment (currently 3.8 million) or \$380,000.00. Individual campuses will not see any additional costs the first year, including the ten campuses that subscribe to no Elsevier titles currently. Elsevier has offered to participate in any public relations or educational efforts any campus wishes to engage in. Theresa Danks at Elsevier is our account manager and can be reached at (212) 462-1931. OhioLink made an agreement with Elsevier similar to the SUNY one and has seen usage increase especially at their 2-year colleges. Usage statistics will be available to each campus directly from Elsevier. There is an inflation cap of 6.5% on the renewal cost of Elsevier journal titles in the 2nd and 3rd years of the agreement. More details will be made available as the agreement is finalized.

SUNY OLIS and the office of Provost Salins have chosen to pay the "content fee" for the first year.

Reed Elsevier is, of course, a major international publisher. This agreement between Elsevier and SUNY represents a substantial increase in SUNYConnect's suite of electronic resources.



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