

Information Literacy 1 Open Course Ware

Answers and feedback sheet Level 1

Exercise 2

- **Q1** The directive word tells you what to do. In this case: **describe**.
- Q2 recent, (from 2010), recent developments, recent developments (from 2010), from 2010, recent (from 2010)

The search question mentions recent [...] (from 2010), which means that you have to take that into account when searching for information.

- Q3 False The search question does not include a geographical constraint.
- Q4 "Self-healing", "touchscreen" and "materials" are the three key concepts.
- "Describe" is a directive word and "recent (from 2010)" is a constraint. "Developments" and "application" are too general to be of use for searching.

Exercise 3

- Q1 Reference (9) is a patent (B). You can recognize a patent by the patent numbers in the reference.
- Q2 Reference (9) is a patent, and the best place to search for patents is Espacenet (C).
- Q3 Reference (13) is a journal article (E). A journal article reference includes the title of the journal it is published in, as well as the volume number.
- **Q4** Reference (13) is a journal article, best places to search for journal articles are Scopus or Google Scholar (**B**)
- **Q5** Reference (14) is a book (**B**). In a book reference, the name of the publisher and the place of publication are mentioned.
- Q6 Reference (14) is a book, and can best be found in WorldCat Discovery (F).
- **Q7** Reference (19) is a standard (**A**). You can recognize a standard by the standard number and the information about the standard institute.
- **Q8** Reference (19) is a standard. NEN Connect (**B**) is a good source to look for standards.