

WUGate Services – Washington University Library/Database Access System

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Description

WUGate's services is a captive account providing telnet access to 200 library and database systems on the Internet. Included are connections to databases from the FDA, NASA and many universities. Libraries at Boston University, the University of California System and others offer catalog services via the Internet and may be reached using WUGate services. Several public libraries are also accessible along with bulletin board systems, weather updates, campus-wide information systems and tools for navigating the Internet produced by many different organizations.

Network Access

WUGate is accessible by telnet to wugate.wustl.edu (128.252.120.1). Login as services, no password is required.

Who Can Use WUGate Services

Anyone may use WUGate services freely at any time.

Miscellaneous

Since many systems accessible by WUGate services are auto baud, press return several times to get a response. Systems may use IBM3270 emulation. If a connection accessed using services does not exit gracefully, use control-] to escape.

Whenever possible, each WUGate services entry includes a short description of the remote library/database system with a contact name. Some systems require passwords and fees. Contact the remote system for details.

All remote systems accessible via WUGate services can be reached directly using telnet. To telnet directly to a remote system use the address given in the menu.

If you have a resource to add to WUGate services, send E-mail to services@wugate.wustl.edu. Include a short description on how to access your system.

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