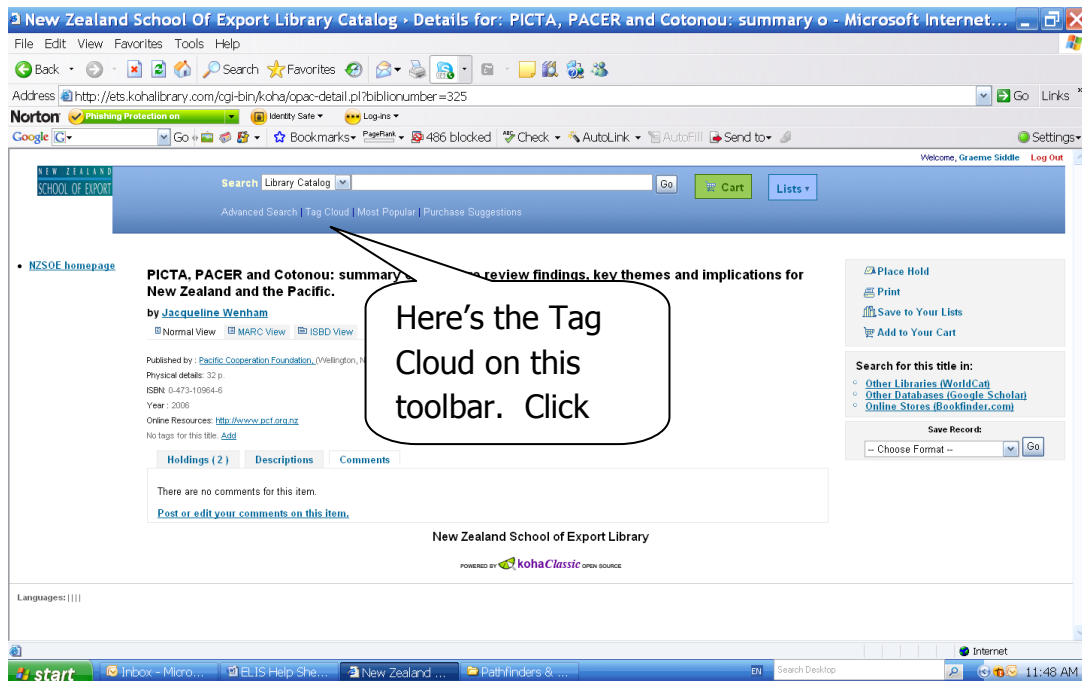NEW ZEALAND
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Using the Tag Cloud

Where is it?

What is it?

A **tag cloud** is a group of tags or keywords or subjects which have been attached to an internet resource often a website. Here is a New Zealand example http://mcgovernonline.blogspot.com/ - navigate to the bottom of the screen to see the tags.
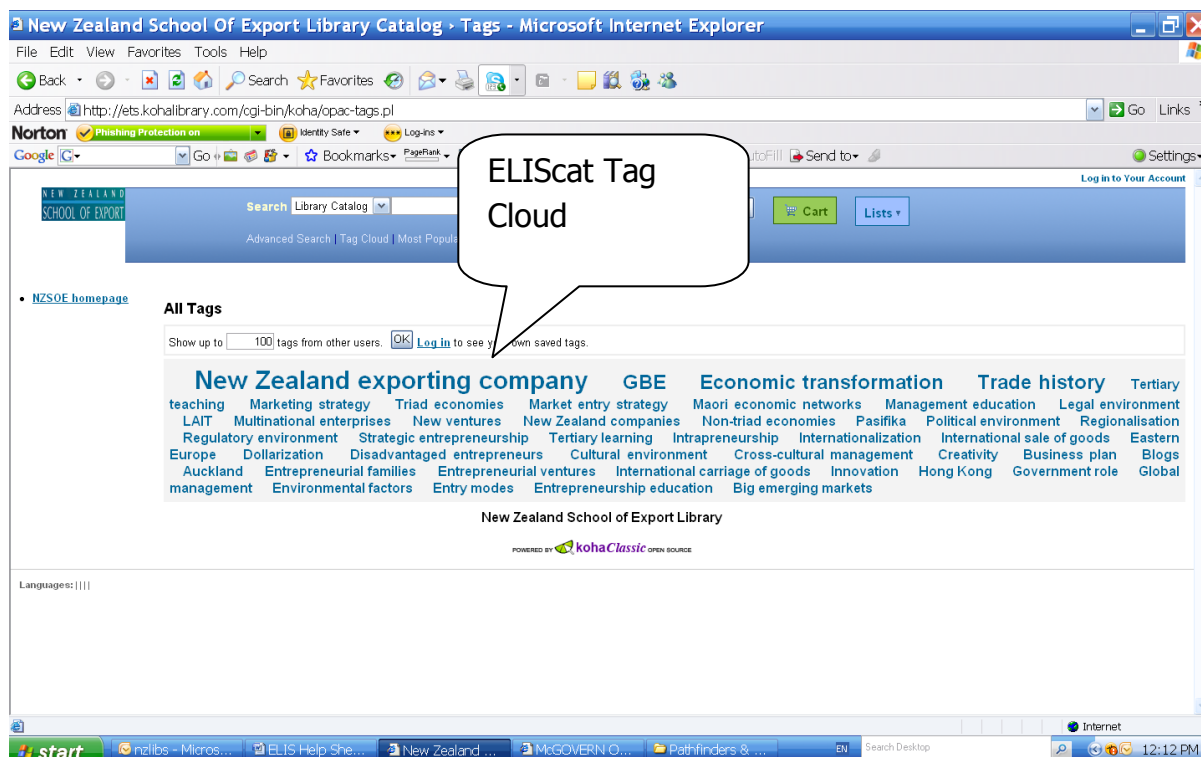
In ELIScat tags have been attached to resources, to describe the information that can be found there.

Why is it useful to an exporter using ELIScat?

You can click on a tag in the Tag Cloud and you will get a list of all the resources that have that tag. You can of course request these, or if they are electronic resources can click on URL to immediate access.

What does the ELIScat Tag Cloud look like?

Because tags are being added to resources each day, the Cloud will change but here is a snapshot:

Why are some tags in larger font than others?

This is because there are more resources attached to that tag, than to others in the cloud.

Who puts the tags on resources?

Any exporter with an ID and password can add tags.

How can I add a tag?

Read the Help Sheet 'Adding Tags'

Need More Help?

If you have difficulty logging in to the ELIS Catalogue and using any of its functions, please ask for help by emailing library@export.ac.nz or telephone 06-356-5656 ext.701.   Print and file this in your Guide to Study for further reference.

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