

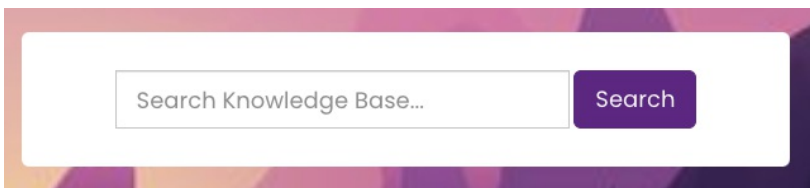
## Custom Search using Embed Component in Pages

### Overview

You can create a component allowing users to perform searches on specific applications such as Knowledge Base, Documents or InfoCapture from any Intranet page made in the Pages application by using Embed Components.

## 1. Knowledge Base Search

### 1.1 Basic Knowledge Base Search.



Step 1: In Pages add an **Embed Component**

Step 2: **Copy** Code below

```
<div style="padding:30px; text-align:center;">
<form id="kbSearchForm" class="form-inline" action="/intranet/knowledgebase/search.php" method="get" role="search">
<div class="form-group">
<input type="text" class="form-control input-lg" placeholder="Search Knowledge Base..." name="q" width="100%" id="simple_search_keyword" size="35">
<button class="btn btn-primary btn-lg" type="submit">Search</button>
</div>
</form>
</div>
```

Step 3: **Paste** the code into the embed component

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```
<div style="padding:30px; text-align:center;">
<form id="kbSearchForm" class="form-inline"
action="/intranet/knowledgebase/search.php" method="get"
role="search">
```

Allow scroll

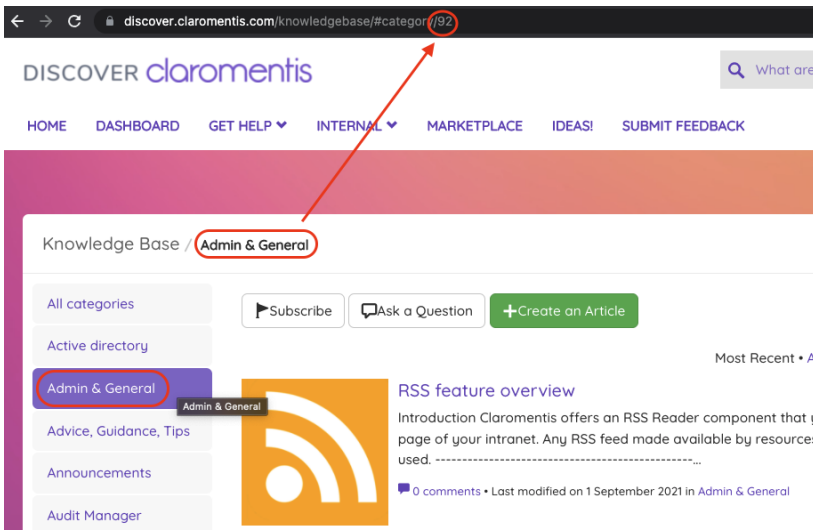
**Submit**

## 1.2. Knowledge Base Search within a Category.

In some cases, you may want to limit the search into certain categories of the Knowledge base by utilising Knowledge Base Advance Search in Pages component.

Step1: Find the **category ID** you wish to limit the search.

This can be found by clicking on the category you wish for and taking a note of the ID in the address bar.

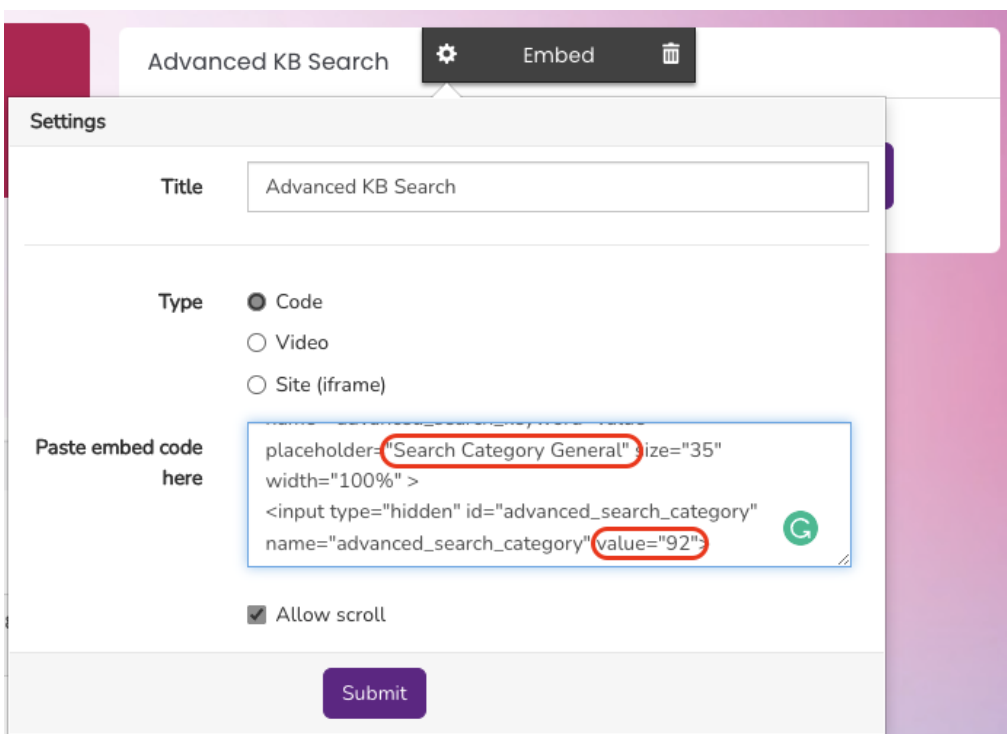


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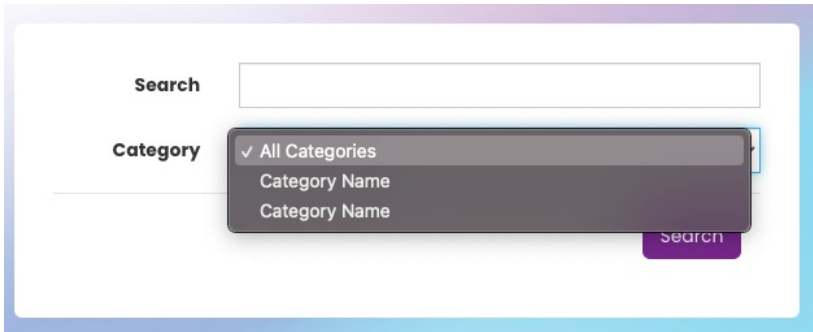
```
<div style="padding:30px; text-align:center;">
<form action="/intranet/knowledgebase/search.php" method="get" class="form-inline">
<div class="form-group">
  <input type="text" id="advanced_search_keyword" class="form-control input-lg" name="advanced_search_keyw
ord" value="" placeholder="Search Category XX" size="35" width="100%" >
  <input type="hidden" id="advanced_search_category" name="advanced_search_category" value="XX">
  <button type="submit" class="btn btn-primary btn-lg" name="advanced_search" value="advanced_search">Search
</button>
</form>
</div>
```

Replace **Search Category XX** with the actual category name and value= **XX** with Category ID you've noted earlier.

Step 3: Paste the code into the Pages embed component



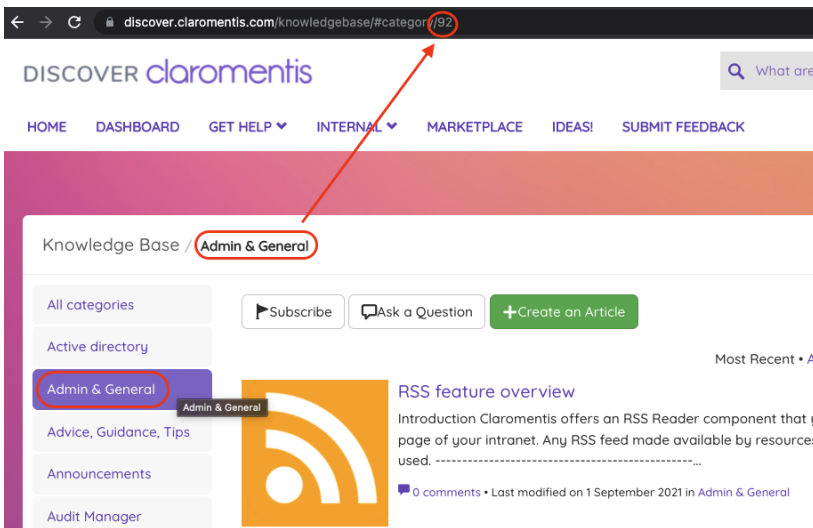
# 1.3. Advanced Knowledge Base Search Dropdown



In some cases, you may want to limit the search within selected categories within the Knowledge base, this can be achieved by showing Category drop-down. First, you need to find Category Names and IDs to be included in the arrays.

Step1: Find the **category Names and IDs** you wish to present in the search dropdown

This can be found by clicking on the category you wish for and taking a note of the ID in the address bar and make a note of name and ID you wish to be included in the arrays.



Step 2: Copy the code below

```

<div style="padding:30px;">
<form class="form-horizontal" action="/intranet/knowledgebase/search.php" method="get">
<div class="form-group"><label class="control-label col-md-3 col-sm-2">Search</label>
<div class="col-md-9 col-sm-10"><input type="text" id="advanced_search_keyword" class="form-control" name="advanced_search_keyword" value=""></div>
</div>
<div class="form-group"><label class="control-label col-md-3 col-sm-2">Category</label>
<div class="col-md-9 col-sm-10"><select id="advanced_search_category" name="advanced_search_category" class="form-control">
  <option value="0" selected="selected">All Categories</option>
  <option value="XX">Category Name</option>
  <option value="XX">Category Name</option>
</select>
</div>
</div>
<div class="modal-footer">
<button type="submit" class="btn btn-primary" name="advanced_search" value="advanced_search">Search</button>
</div>
</form>
</div>

```

Replace **Category Name** with the actual category name and value= **XX** with Category ID you've noted earlier.

Step 3: **Paste** the code into the Pages embed component

### Open in a new tab (optional)

If you wish to have search results open in a new tab you can add the following code within `<form>` HTML tag

Example:

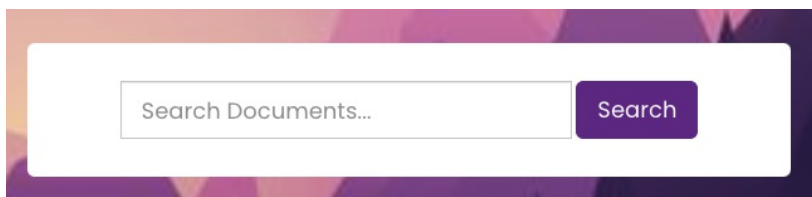
```

<form action="/intranet/knowledgebase/search.php" method="get" class="form-inline" target="_blank">

```

## 2. Document Search

- General search of the Directory (will only return content a user has permission to see)



The image shows a search interface with a white search bar containing the placeholder text "Search Documents..." and a purple button labeled "Search". The background is a dark purple gradient with a geometric pattern.

Embed code to copy :

```
<div style="padding:30px; text-align:center;">
<form id="search_params" class="form-inline" action="/intranet/documents/data_search.php" method="get" role="s
earch">
<div class="form-group">
<input type="text" class="form-control input-lg" placeholder="Search Documents..." name="q" width="100%" id="Co
mmonSearchFor" size="35">
<button class="btn btn-primary btn-lg" type="submit">Search</button>
</div>
</form>
</div>
```

### - Set the search to be within a specific folder only

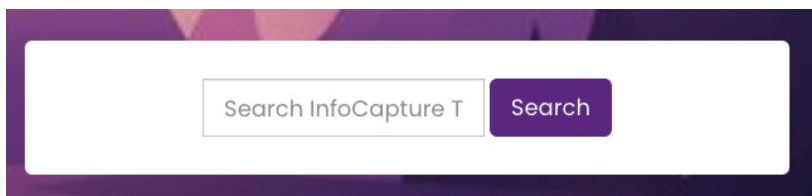
Take the folder ID (from the end of the URL when in the folder) and add:

```
<input type="hidden" name="doc_folder_id" value="xx">
```

Embed code to copy:

```
<div style="padding:30px; text-align:center;">
<form id="search_params" class="form-inline" action="/intranet/documents/data_search.php" method="get" role="s
earch">
<div class="form-group">
<input type="hidden" name="doc_folder_id" value="37">
<input type="text" class="form-control input-lg" placeholder="Search Documents..." name="q" width="100%" id="Co
mmonSearchFor" size="35">
<button class="btn btn-primary btn-lg" type="submit">Search</button>
</div>
</form>
</div>
```

## 3. InfoCapture Ticket Search

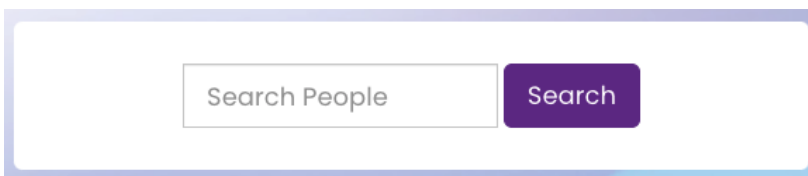


The image shows a search interface for InfoCapture tickets. It consists of a white search input field with the placeholder text "Search InfoCapture T" and a purple "Search" button to its right. The entire search area is set against a dark purple background with a subtle geometric pattern.

Embed code to copy:

```
<div style="padding:30px; text-align:center;">
<form id="search_string_form" name="search_form" action="/intranet/infocapture/search.php" method="get" class="
"form-inline text-center search-form">
<input type="text" name="q" value="" width="100%" id="searchTerm" class="form-control input-lg search-form__inp
ut" placeholder="Search InfoCapture Ticket...">
<button class="btn btn-primary btn-lg" type="submit">Search</button>
<input type="hidden" name="obj_stype" value="">
</form>
</div>
```

## 4. People Search

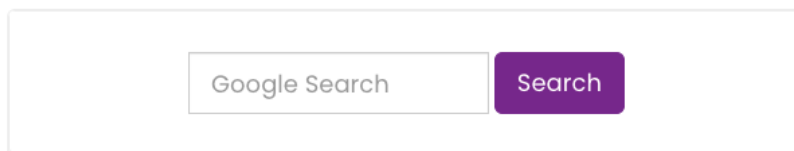


Embed code to copy:

```
<div style="padding:30px; text-align:center;">
<form id="people_form" name="people_form" action="/intranet/people/" method="get" class="form-inline text-center
search-form">
<input type="text" name="search_terms" value="" width="100%" id="search_terms" class="form-control input-lg sea
rch-form__input" placeholder="Search People">
<button class="btn btn-primary btn-lg" type="submit">Search</button>
<input type="hidden" name="obj_stype" value="">
</form>
</div>
```

## 5. Google Search

It is also possible to embed Google Custom Search or general Google Search by copying the code below into the embed component.



Embed code to copy:

```
<div style="padding:30px; text-align:center;">
<form target="_blank" class="form-inline text-center search-form" id="google" method="get" action="https://www.g
oogle.com/search" target="main">
  <input name="q" id="google" placeholder="Google Search" class="form-control input-lg" value="" type="text" aut
ofocus ></input>
<button class="btn btn-primary btn-lg" type="submit">Search</button>
</form>
</div>
```

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