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## Folder Name

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Exclude Reference / Bibliography	• yes • no
Exclude Quotes	o yes o no
Exclude small sources (less than 14 similarity words)	• yes ono (Standard 5 similarity words)
Option To Exclude/Include Sources	° yes <sup>®</sup> no
Grammar Check	O yes ● no
Exclude Phrases Entered Phrases will be excluded for plagiarism check. Enter one Phrase per each text box without punctuation. Each Phrase should have a minimum of 3 and maximum of 200 characters	• yes • no

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  - B) And changing the folder settings.i.e., Exclude Quotes should be- Yes

Exclude Quotes	• yes • no

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