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Search and Display Field Codes

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Search Field Name	Search Code	Search Examples	Display Codes
Basic Index (contains single words from the title (TI), controlled term (CT), abstract (AB), index term (IT), and chemical name (CN) fields, as well as CAS Registry Numbers (RN))	None (or /BI)	S 302-79-4 S PREGNAN? (P) TRETINOIN S RETIN-A/BI	AB, CN, CT, IT, RN
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Author	/AU	S CAMERA, M?/AU	AU
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		S 28/CC	
		S 28:08/CC	
		S 28:08.04/CC	
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⁽¹⁾ Search with implied (S) proximity is available in this field.(2) There is a thesaurus associated with this field.(3) Numeric search field that may be searched with numeric operators or ranges.

Controlled Term (/CT) Thesaurus

All relationship codes may be used with the SEARCH and EXPAND command in the Controlled Term (/CT) field.

Code	Content	Examples
ALL	All associated terms (SELF, OLD, USE, UF, RT)	E TRAGACANTH+ALL/CT
KT	Keyword Terms (Multiword phrases that contain the term (SELF, KT)	E TOXICITY+KT/CT
PFT	Preferred and Forbidden Terms (SELF, USE, UF)	E POLLUTION+PFT/CT
STD	Related terms (SELF, RT)	E DRUGS, ADVERSE REACTIONS+STD/CT
UF	Used For (forbidden) terms (SELF, UF)	E HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE+UF/CT
USE	Use (preferred) terms (SELF, USE)	E ORETIC+USE/CT

Thesaurus Field Descriptors

Code	Description
SELF KT OLD RT UF USE	Term Keyword Term Old Preferred Term Related Term Used For Use

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HIT KWIC OCC (1)	Fields containing hit terms Hit terms with 20 words on either side (KeyWord-In-Context) Number of occurrences of hit terms and fields in which they occur	D HIT 1 5 D 1-7 KWIC NOH D OCC

⁽¹⁾ No online display fee for this format.

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Accession Number	AN	Υ	N
Author	AU	Υ	Υ
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Chemical Name	CN	Y	N
	NAME	Y (2)	N
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Classification Code	CC	Y	Y
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Document Number	DN	Υ	Υ
Document Type	DT	Υ	Υ
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International Standard (Document) Number	ISN	Y (4)	N
International Standard Serial Number	ISSN	N N	Y
Journal Title	JT	Y (5)	Y
Journal Title, Abbreviated	JTA	Y	Υ
Journal Title, Full	JTF	Υ	Υ
Language	LA	Y	Y
Occurrence Count of Hit Terms	OCC	N	Y
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Title	TI	Y (default)	Ϋ́
Treatment Code	TC	Y	Ϋ́

⁽¹⁾ HIT may be used to restrict terms extracted to terms that match the search expression used to create the answer set, e.g., SEL HIT TI

⁽²⁾ Appends /BI to the terms created by SELECT.

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Sample Records

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:9274 IPA

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 37-09275

TITLE: Flurbiprofen loaded poly-epsilon-caprolactone

nanospheres: in vitro release study performed under

several conditions

AUTHOR: Gamisans, F.; Egea, M. A.; Garcia, M. L.; Lacoulonche,

F.; Chauvet, A.

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SOURCE: Journal of Controlled Release (Netherlands), (Feb 14

2000) Vol. 64, pp. 315-318. 13 Refs.

CODEN: JCREEC; ISSN: 0168-3659.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Conference LANGUAGE: English

ABSTRACT: Nanospheres of poly(epsilon-caprolactone)(poly-epsilon-caprolactone)

loaded with flurbiprofen were prepared and characterized, and in vitro drug release from the nanospheres, in the presence and absence of lysozyme(muramidase), was studied using a dialysis bag diffusion technique and a dialysis inverse technique. The results showed that the release of flurbiprofen from the nanospheres was biphasic, characterized by an initial fast-release phase and a second

extended-release phase. In the presence of lysozyme, the release of flurbiprofen was slower but complete. Ramune T. Dailide

SECTION: 9 Pharmaceutics; 10 Drug Stability

CLASSIFICATION: 28:08.04 Anti-inflammatory agents; 44:00 Enzymes

INDEX TERM: Flurbiprofen; release; nanospheres

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CAS REGISTRY NO.: 5104-49-4 (Flurbiprofen)

CAS REGISTRY NO.: 24980-41-4 (Poly(epsilon-caprolactone))

CAS REGISTRY NO.: 9001-63-2 (Lysozyme)

CHEMICAL NAME: Poly(epsilon-caprolactone) (Poly-epsilon-

caprolactone); Lysozyme (Muramidase)

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DN 37-09533

TI Antibiogram development for an outpatient dialysis center

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SO Hospital Pharmacy (USA), (Mar 2000) Vol. 35, pp. 251-253. 12 Refs. CODEN: HOPHAZ; ISSN: 0018-5787.

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