

EMBASE Excerpta Medica

A major biomedical and pharmaceutical database well known for its international scope and timely, in-depth indexing.

Source: Elsevier

EMBASE from Elsevier B.V. is a comprehensive pharmacological and biomedical database renowned for extensive indexing of drug information from 4,550 journals published in 70 countries. It is one of the most current biomedical databases available. Fully-indexed citations and complete author abstracts appear on average twenty days after receipt of the journal -- most appear earlier. Each record contains the full bibliographic citation, indexing terms and codes. More than 80% of the records contain abstracts. The database includes EMTREE, a hierarchically ordered controlled thesaurus, which contains 46,000 preferred terms and more than 200,000 synonyms. Specialty subsets of EMBASE are also available.

- n Advanced Ovid Mapping analyzes users' natural language queries and suggests appropriate terms for searching
- n Extensive Vocabulary Features include Graphical EMTREE Thesaurus with Scope Notes, Multiple Tree Structures, Subheadings, Explode Capability, Major/Minor distinctions, and Permuted Index.

Broad Subjects:

Clinical Medicine

Specific Subjects:

Internal Medicine; General Medicine; Primary Care/Family Medicine/General Practice

Access Options:

- n Ovid Internet, updated Weekly

Other Information:

- n Coverage: 1980-Present
- n Print Equivalent: 41 Expert Medical Journals
- n Number of Records: 7,700,000+
- n Online Equivalent: EMBASE
- n Data Type: Bibliographic with Abstracts
- n Records Added Annually: 500,000+