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See pages 2-4 for product features, a use case, and more!

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As the world's leading aggregator of scholarly content, only Ovid provides a single destination – OvidSP – for current, relevant content with robust search functionality and features that support fast, accurate retrieval of critical research.

- Automatically generate appropriate search terms with OvidSP's targeted mapping
- Find precise information fast with OvidSP's implementation of the Emtree thesaurus
- Search the way you want – choose from a range of options, including natural language, controlled vocabulary, and multi-field searching
- Simultaneously search Embase and other resources using sophisticated multi-file searching—with de-duplication

OvidSP's intuitive search and workflow tools make it easy to quickly view and manage results and stay current on critical, proven search strategies.

- Make your workflow more efficient with inline citation abstracts, search results annotations, sorting, and more
- Set up time-saving saved searches and have them delivered via RSS feed or AutoAlert email
- Begin your search in Embase wherever you want with Ovid Jumpstarts
- Get to related full text fast from the bibliographic record using the advanced linking functionality of Links@Ovid

Access Current Literature with Embase

Embase is your trusted source for pharmacological and biomedical research based on its extensive coverage and comprehensive indexing of all biomedical terminology with Emtree.

- A growing list of more than 22 million bibliographic records spanning 1974-present
- Records indexed from over 7,500 journals—of which nearly 2,000 are unique and not found in any other major database
- Truly international representation, with record published in over 90 countries
- Over 1 million citations and abstracts added annually
- Fully-indexed citations, indexing terms, and codes
- 80% of all citations in Embase include author-written abstracts
- The Emtree thesaurus, organized alphabetically, which includes more than 59,000 preferred terms (of which half are drugs and chemicals) and more than 260,000 synonyms; plus, on OvidSP you'll get subject headings, subheadings, scope notes, explode capability, major distinctions, and a permuted index
- Drug indexing by trade name, manufacturer name, clinical trials, and more

Disciplines and Subject Areas Covered

Whether you're in the academic, pharmaceutical, or medical community—whether you're a student, practitioner, or researcher—Embase is a critical resource for:

- Basic research in bioscience, pharmacology, pharmacoeconomics, toxicology, psychiatry, forensic science, and more
- Biotechnology and biomedical engineering and medical devices
- Evidence-based medical practice
- Drug research and development
- Public, occupational, and environmental health research and policy management
- Designing and initiating clinical investigations
- Complementary therapy



Real-World Use Case: The Value of Searching Embase on OvidSP

OvidSP's flexible search options deliver unprecedented value to researchers. Users can quickly and easily pinpoint search terms for greater comprehensiveness, accuracy, and precision. In the scenario outlined below, a user selects OvidSP's **Search Fields** mode to search on a specific search field – **Drug Trade Names** – to uncover important articles on drug treatments. **Why is this important?**

- Practitioners looking for the best possible treatment cannot afford to miss important articles and, if a patient is not responding to approved therapies, need to consider other drugs
- Pharmaceutical company product managers with a drug in the pipeline for a particular treatment need to must keep abreast of the competition.

A researcher is looking for articles discussing the use of the drug **Avastin** in ophthalmology. Though this is not an approved indication for Avastin in the United States, it is often used intravitreally for age-related macular degeneration (AMD).

Searching in a leading biomedical database—first for **Ophthalmology**, then for the trade name **Avastin**—yields 0 results. However, the same search conducted in Embase on OvidSP generates 18 results discussing **Avastin** intravitreal administration in AMD.

Basic Search | Find Citation | Search Tools | Search Fields | Advanced Search | Multi-Field Search

Selected Resources
Ovid Resources: EMBASE 1980 to 2010 Week 18

avastin [Search] [Display Indexes >]

My Fields | All Fields | Clear Selected

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> tn: Drug Trade Name	<input type="checkbox"/> ec: EMBASE Section Headings	<input type="checkbox"/> ed: Editors
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1. Using OvidSP's **Search Fields** mode, select **Drug Trade Name** and enter **Avastin** into the search box. Using the **Advanced Search** mode, enter **Ophthalmology** in the search box.

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Results Tools [Options] [Select All] [Print] [Email] [Export] [Add to My Projects] [Keep Selected]

Search Information

You searched:
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- Search terms used:
avastin
ophthalmology

Search Returned:
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- Bevacizumab compared with macular laser grid photocoagulation for cystoid macular edema in branch retinal vein occlusion. [PDF (371KB)] [My Projects]
- Extrapolating anti-vascular endothelial growth factor therapy into pediatric ophthalmology: Promise and concern. [My Projects]
- The Annual Oxford Eye Updates.

2. OvidSP generates 18 citation records.

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