

Description

ESPICOM Pharmaceutical & Medical Device News provides current news and developments on companies and markets in the pharmaceutical and medical device industries worldwide. It covers emerging and novel companies, strategic alliances within the industry and the latest market trends. Company financial results, R&D funding and product developments are all included.

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- Medical imaging news
- Orthopaedics news
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- Cardiovascular device news
- Diagnostics news
- Wound care news
- Pharmaceutical news
- Biosimilars
- Cancer drug news
- CNS drug news
- Anti-infective drug news
- Neuro drug focus
- Pharmaceutical agreement news
- Cardiovascular drug news
- Auto-immune drug focus
- Diabetes

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SEARCH FIELDS

Field Name	Field Code	Example	Selectable from Advanced Search form drop-down menu	Available as Limit Option	Available Look up / Browse	Displayed in Document View	Description and Notes
Accession number	AN	an(00464573)	Yes	No	No	Yes	
All fields (no full text)	ALL	all(research method*)	Yes	No	No	N/A	
All fields (plus full text)	-	research method*	No	No	No	N/A	
Company	ORG	org(pfizer)	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Document text	TX	tx(excessive and glucose)	Yes	No	No	Yes	
Document title	TI	ti(diabetes management)	Yes	No	No	Yes	
Document type	DTYPE	dtype(article)	No	No	No	Yes	
Language	LA	la(english)	No	No	No	Yes	
Last updated	LUPD	lupd(2011) lupd(201109) lupd(20110930)	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Publication date	PD	pd(20091021)	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Publication title	PUB	pub(medical)	No	No	No	Yes	
Publication type	PSTYPE	pstype(newsletter)	No	No	No	Yes	
Publication year	YR	yr(2007) yr(2009-2010)	No	No	No	No	
Subject	SU	su(pharmaceuticals) su(merck and medical devices)	No	No	No	Yes	<i>SU searches Subfile and Company</i>

LIMIT OPTIONS

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Pharmaceuticals, Medical devices

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Company

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