

Resource Summary Report

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EBI Dbfetch

RRID:SCR_004393

Type: Tool

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Resource Information

URL: <http://www.ebi.ac.uk/Tools/dbfetch/dbfetch>

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Description: Dbfetch is an acronym for database fetch. Dbfetch provides an easy way to retrieve entries from various databases at the EBI in a consistent manner and allows you to retrieve up to 50 entries at a time from various up-to-date biological databases. It can be used from any browser as well as within a web-aware scripting tool that uses wget, lynx or similar. From the browser, follow these instructions... * Select a database: If you are using the first form to paste your search items: choose a database name from this form. If you are using the second form to upload your search items: the database name is included at the beginning of each line of the upload file followed by a colon. * Enter search terms: These MUST BE in the appropriate database format, up to 200 search items can be queried in one run. If you are using the first form: separate search items with a comma or space. If you are using the second form: separate search items with a new line. * Choose an output format: Here you can choose the simpler fasta format, or the databases' default format for the chosen database. * Style: You can get your results as text or html. * Retrieve! - You are now ready to fetch your results, by pressing the Retrieve button.

Synonyms: Database fetch, emblfetch, Dbfetch, EMBL fetch

Resource Type: database, data or information resource

Keywords: database browsing, fetch, tool, gold standard

Resource Name: EBI Dbfetch

Resource ID: SCR_004393

Alternate IDs: nlx_40225

Record Creation Time: 20220129T080224+0000

Record Last Update: 20260808T190358+0000

Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for EBI Dbfetch.

No alerts have been found for EBI Dbfetch.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 3 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [SPARC SAWG](#) .

Palukaitis P, et al. (2022) The Secret Life of the Inhibitor of Virus Replication. Viruses, 14(12).

Li W, et al. (2013) The annotation-enriched non-redundant patent sequence databases. Database : the journal of biological databases and curation, 2013, bat005.

Bonner MK, et al. (2011) Mitotic spindle proteomics in Chinese hamster ovary cells. PloS one, 6(5), e20489.