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Advanced searching

CABICODES

What is a CABICODE?

A CABICODE is a unique classification code used for indexing records. Each database record is assigned with at least one CABICODE which describes the specific area of science the resource refers to. It is a very useful tool when performing advanced searches helping to limit searches down to a specific subject of scientific interest.

The CABICODES are a hierarchical list of classification codes that divide the subject coverage of the CAB ABSTRACTS database into 23 major sections. Each section then includes a series of codes that divides that subject into more specific subjects. The codes themselves are typically used to code for subjects that would be difficult to describe with keywords alone.

The CABICODES can be searched just like any other field tag. Two field tags are assigned to the CABICODE field and these are described below. Please note, as other field tags these must be entered in lowercase.

Field tag	Definition	Example
cc:	Allows users to search the index of the alphanumerical assigned code e.g. LL010	cc:LL010
cabicode:	Allows users to search both the alphanumerical assigned code index as above and the CABI code title index e.g. Apiculture	cabicode:LL010 or cabicode:Apiculture

Please see below for a full list of CABICODES and their associated subject area.

CABICODE Alphabetical List

[\[AA, BB, CC, DD, EE, FF, HH, JJ, KK, LL, MM, NN, PP, QQ, RR, SS, TT, UU, VV, WW, XX, YY, Z\]](#)
[Z\]](#)

AA000 Agriculture (General)

AA500 Research

BB500 History and Biography

BB700 Palaeontology and Archaeology

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CC000 Education, Extension, Information and Training (General)

CC100 Education and Training

CC200 Extension and Advisory Work

CC300 Information and Documentation

CC310 Documentation (Discontinued March 2000)

CC400 Collections

CC700 Professions: Practice and Service

CC720 Veterinary Profession (Discontinued March 2000)

CC740 Medical Profession (Discontinued March 2000)

CC760 Farming as a Profession (Discontinued March 2000)

CC780 Horticulture, Recreation and Amenity Professions (Discontinued March 2000)

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DD100 Agencies and Organizations

DD500 Laws and Regulations

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EE000 Economics (General) (New June 2002)

EE100 Economics (General) (Discontinued June 2002)

EE110 Agricultural Economics

EE111 Horticultural Economics (New March 2000)

EE112 Forestry Economics (New March 2000)

EE113 Aquacultural and Fisheries Economics (New March 2000)

EE115 Natural Resource Economics (New March 2000)

EE116 Food Economics (New March 2000)

EE117 Veterinary Economics (New March 2000)

EE118 Health Economics (New March 2000)

EE119 Leisure, Recreation and Tourism Economics (New March 2000)

EE120 Policy and Planning
EE125 Aid (New March 2000)
EE130 Supply, Demand and Prices
EE140 Input Supply Industries (Macroeconomics)
EE145 Input Utilization (Microeconomics)
EE150 Environmental Economics (Discontinued March 2000)
EE160 Land Use and Valuation (Discontinued March 2000)
EE165 Structure, Ownership and Tenure
EE170 Water Resources, Irrigation and Drainage Economics (Discontinued March 2000)
EE200 Farming Systems and Management (Discontinued March 2000)
EE300 Cooperatives (Discontinued March 2000)
EE350 Rural Industry and Enterprises
EE450 Development Aid, Agencies and Projects (Discontinued March 2000)
EE500 Food Policy, Food Security and Food Aid (Discontinued March 2000)
EE520 Food Industry (Discontinued March 2000)
EE600 International Trade
EE700 Marketing and Distribution
EE720 Consumer Economics
EE730 Transport (Discontinued March 2000)
EE800 Investment, Finance and Credit
EE900 Labour and Employment
EE950 Income and Poverty

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FF000 Plant Science (General)
FF003 Horticultural Crops (New March 2000)
FF005 Field Crops (New March 2000)
FF007 Forage and Fodder Crops (New March 2000)
FF020 Plant Breeding and Genetics
FF030 Plant Morphology and Structure
FF040 Plant Composition
FF060 Plant Physiology and Biochemistry
FF061 Plant Nutrition
FF062 Plant Water Relations
FF100 Plant Production
FF150 Plant Cropping Systems
FF160 Plant Propagation
FF170 *in vitro* Culture of Plant Material
FF400 Mycorrhizas and Fungi of Economic Importance; Symbiotic Nitrogen Fixation (Discontinued March 2000)
FF500 Weeds and Noxious Plants
FF600 Pests, Pathogens and Biogenic Diseases of Plants (Discontinued March

2000)

FF610 Viral, Bacterial and Fungal Diseases of Plants (New March 2000)

FF620 Plant Pests (New March 2000)

FF700 Plant Disorders and Injuries (Not caused directly by Organisms)

FF800 Plant Toxicology

FF900 Environmental Tolerance of Plants

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HH000 Pathogen, Pest, Parasite and Weed Management (General)

HH100 Biological Control

HH200 Environmental Pest Management

HH300 Integrated Pest Management

HH400 Pesticides and Drugs (General)

HH405 Pesticides and Drugs; Control (New March 2000)

HH410 Pesticide and Drug Resistance

HH420 Pesticides and Drugs; Chemistry and Formulation (New March 2000)

HH430 Pesticide and Drug Residues and Ecotoxicology (New March 2000)

HH500 Repellents and Attractants

HH600 Host Resistance and Immunity

HH700 Other Control Measures

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JJ000 Soil Science (General)

JJ100 Soil Biology

JJ200 Soil Chemistry and Mineralogy

JJ300 Soil Physics

JJ400 Soil Morphology, Formation and Classification

JJ500 Soil Surveys and Land Evaluation

JJ600 Soil Fertility

JJ700 Fertilizers and other Amendments

JJ800 Soil Water Management (Irrigation and Drainage) (Revised June 2002)

[formerly Soil Water Management]

JJ900 Soil Management

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KK000 Forestry, Forest Products and Agroforestry (General)

KK100 Forests and Forest Trees (Biology and Ecology)

KK110 Silviculture and Forest Management

KK120 Forest Mensuration and Management (Discontinued March 2000)

KK130 Forest Fires

KK140 Protection Forestry (Discontinued March 2000)

KK150 Other Land Use (Discontinued March 2000)
KK160 Ornamental and Amenity Trees
KK500 Forest Products and Industries (General)
KK510 Wood Properties, Damage and Preservation
KK515 Logging and Wood Processing
KK520 Wood Utilization and Engineered Wood Products
KK530 Chemical and Biological Processing of Wood
KK540 Non-wood Forest Products
KK600 Agroforestry and Multipurpose Trees; Community, Farm and Social Forestry

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LL000 Animal Science (General)
LL001 Unallocated Animal Science Records (Discontinued 1995)
LL010 Apiculture
LL020 Sericulture
LL030 Other Invertebrate Culture (Not Aquaculture)
LL040 Laboratory Animal Science
LL050 Game Animals
LL060 Draught Animals
LL070 Pets and Companion Animals
LL075 Sport Animals (New March 2000)
LL080 Zoo Animals
LL100 Animal Husbandry (General) (Discontinued March 2000)
LL110 Dairy Animals
LL120 Meat Producing Animals
LL130 Egg Producing Animals
LL140 Animal Husbandry (Wool and Other Fibres) (Discontinued March 2000)
LL145 Wool Producing Animals (New March 2000)
LL148 Fur-bearing Animals (New March 2000)
LL150 Animal Husbandry (Other Products) (Discontinued March 2000)
LL180 Animal Husbandry and Production (New March 2000)
LL190 Animal Slaughter
LL200 Animal Breeding and Genetics (Discontinued March 2000)
LL210 Animal Reproduction and Development (Discontinued March 2000)
LL220 Animal Genetics (Discontinued March 2000)
LL240 Animal Genetics and Breeding (New March 2000)
LL250 Animal Reproduction and Embryology (New March 2000)
LL300 Animal Behaviour
LL400 Animal Anatomy and Morphology (New March 2000)
LL500 Animal Nutrition (General)
LL510 Animal Nutrition (Physiology)
LL520 Animal Nutrition (Production Responses)
LL600 Animal Physiology and Biochemistry (Excluding Nutrition)

LL650 Animal Immunology (New March 2000)
LL700 Animal Tissue and Cell Culture
LL800 Animal Health and Hygiene (General)
LL810 Animal Welfare
LL820 Parasites, Vectors, Pathogens and Biogenic Diseases of Animals
(Discontinued March 2000)
LL821 Prion, Viral, Bacterial and Fungal Pathogens of Animals (New March 2000)
LL822 Protozoan, Helminth, Mollusc and Arthropod Parasites of Animals (New
March 2000)
LL823 Veterinary Pests, Vectors and Intermediate Hosts (New March 2000)
LL860 Non-Communicable Diseases and Injuries of Animals
LL870 Animal Injuries (Discontinued March 2000)
LL880 Animal Treatment and Diagnosis (Non Drug) (Discontinued March 2000)
LL882 Veterinary Pharmacology and Anaesthesiology (New March 2000)
LL884 Animal Surgery and Non-drug Therapy (New March 2000)
LL886 Diagnosis of Animal Diseases (New March 2000)
LL900 Animal Toxicology, Poisoning and Pharmacology (Discontinued March 2000)
LL950 Toxicology and Poisoning of Animals (New March 2000)

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MM000 Aquatic Sciences (General)
MM110 Fisheries
MM120 Aquaculture (Animals)
MM130 Aquaculture (Plants)
MM300 Aquatic Biology and Ecology

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NN000 Engineering and Equipment (General)
NN050 Automation and Control
NN100 Ergonomics and Safety (Discontinued March 2000)
NN200 Farm Vehicles as Power Sources (Discontinued March 2000)
NN300 Farm and Horticultural Structures
NN310 Environmental Control in Structures (Discontinued March 2000)
NN400 Agricultural and Forestry Equipment (General)
NN410 Aquacultural Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN420 Fertilizer Application Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN430 Pest and Weed Control Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN440 Irrigation and Drainage Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN450 Soil Cultivation and Handling Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN451 Crop Sowing and Planting Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN452 Crop Tending Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN453 Crop Harvesting Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)

NN460 Cleaning, Grading, Handling, Storage and Transport Equipment
NN461 Food and Feed Packaging Technology and Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN470 Drying Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN480 Animal Feeding and Watering Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN490 Milking and Dairy Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN500 Storage Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN600 Processing Equipment and Technology
NN700 Waste Handling and Treatment Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN800 Cooling and Refrigeration Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)
NN900 Other Equipment (Discontinued March 2000)

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PP000 Natural Resources (General)
PP100 Energy
PP200 Water Resources
PP210 Freshwater and Brackish Water (Discontinued March 2000)
PP220 Saltwater (Discontinued March 2000)
PP300 Land Resources
PP320 Wetlands
PP350 Grasslands and Rangelands
PP400 Erosion; Soil and Water Conservation
PP500 Meteorology and Climate
PP600 Pollution and Degradation
PP700 Biological Resources (General)
PP710 Biological Resources (Animal)
PP720 Biological Resources (Plant)
PP800 Natural Disasters

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QQ000 Food Science and Food Products (Human)
QQ010 Milk and Dairy Produce
QQ020 Sugar and Sugar Products
QQ030 Meat Produce
QQ040 Eggs and Egg Products
QQ050 Crop Produce
QQ060 Aquatic Produce
QQ070 Other Produce
QQ100 Food Processing (General)
QQ110 Food Storage and Preservation
QQ111 Storage Problems and Pests of Food
QQ120 Microbial Technology in Food Processing

QQ130 Food Additives
QQ200 Food Contamination, Residues and Toxicology
QQ500 Food Composition and Quality
QQ600 Food Chemistry (New June 2002)
QQ700 Food Service (New June 2002)

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RR000 Forage and Feed Products (Non-human)
RR100 Forage and Feed Processing
RR110 Feed Storage and Preservation (Discontinued March 2000)
RR111 Biodeterioration, Storage Problems and Pests of Feed (Discontinued March 2000)
RR120 Microbiology of Feed Processing (Discontinued March 2000)
RR130 Feed Additives
RR200 Feed Contamination, Residues and Toxicology
RR300 Feed Composition and Quality

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SS000 Non-food/Non-feed Agricultural Products (General)
SS100 Non-food/Non-feed Animal Products
SS110 Biodeterioration, Storage Problems and Pests of Animal Products (Discontinued March 2000)
SS120 Residues and Contamination of Animal Products (Discontinued March 2000)
SS130 Composition and Quality of Animal Products (Discontinued March 2000)
SS200 Non-food/Non-feed Plant Products
SS210 Storage Problems and Pests of Non-food/Non-feed Plant Products
SS220 Residues and Contamination of Plant Products (Discontinued March 2000)
SS230 Composition and Quality of Non-food/Non-feed Plant Products
SS300 Biodeterioration
SS310 Biodeterioration (Non-biological Products) (Discontinued March 2000)
SS320 Biodeterioration Organisms (Discontinued March 2000)

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TT100 Medical and Veterinary Helminthology Records (Discontinued 1995)
TT200 Medical and Veterinary Protozoology Records (Discontinued 1995)
TT300 Medical and Veterinary Entomology Records (Discontinued 1995)

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UU000 Social Sciences (General)
UU100 Housing and Settlement
UU150 Urban Regeneration (Discontinued March 2000)

UU200 Demography
UU250 Human Fertility (Discontinued March 2000)
UU300 Public Services and Infrastructure
UU350 Health Services
UU360 Communication and Mass Media
UU450 Community Participation and Development (New March 2000)
UU460 Community Development (Discontinued March 2000)
UU470 Participation and Self Help (Discontinued March 2000)
UU480 Social Structure (Discontinued March 2000)
UU485 Social Psychology and Social Anthropology (New March 2000)
UU490 Social Psychology and Culture (Discontinued March 2000)
UU495 Conflict (New March 2000)
UU500 Women
UU600 Leisure
UU610 Recreational Facilities and Management (New March 2000)
UU620 Recreation and Sport (Discontinued March 2000)
UU625 Sport and Recreational Activities (New March 2000)
UU630 Arts, Entertainment and Cultural Heritage
UU640 Pastimes and Social Life (Discontinued March 2000)
UU670 Gardening, Landscaping and Landscapes (Discontinued March 2000)
UU700 Tourism and Travel
UU800 Rural Sociology (New March 2000)
UU850 Rural Development (New March 2000)

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VV000 Human Health and Hygiene (General) (Revised June 2002)
 [formerly Human Health and Hygiene (General)]
VV050 Human Physiology and Biochemistry
VV055 Human Immunology and Allergology (New March 2000)
VV060 Human Reproduction and Development
VV065 Human Sexual and Reproductive Health (New March 2000)
VV080 Human Genetics and Molecular Medicine (New June 2002)
VV100 Human Nutrition (General)
VV110 Diet Studies
VV120 Physiology of Human Nutrition
VV130 Nutrition Related Disorders and Therapeutic Nutrition
VV140 Animal Models of Human Nutrition
VV200 Parasites, Vectors, Pathogens and Biogenic Diseases of Humans
(Discontinued March 2000)
VV210 Prion, Viral, Bacterial and Fungal Pathogens of Humans (New March 2000)
VV220 Protozoan, Helminth and Arthropod Parasites of Humans (New March 2000)
VV230 Public Health Pests, Vectors and Intermediate Hosts (New March 2000)
VV300 Public Health and Nuisance Pests (Discontinued March 2000)

VV400 Animal Models of Human Diseases (New March 2000)
VV450 Animal and *in-vitro* Models for Pharmaceuticals (New March 2000)
VV500 Human Health and the Environment
VV550 Rural Health (New March 2000)
VV600 Non-communicable Human Diseases and Injuries
VV610 Human Injuries (Discontinued March 2000)
VV700 Human Treatment and Diagnosis (Non-drug) (Discontinued March 2000)
VV710 Non-drug Therapy and Prophylaxis of Humans (New March 2000)
VV720 Diagnosis of Human Disease (New March 2000)
VV730 Pharmacology (New March 2000)
VV800 Human Toxicology, Poisoning and Pharmacology (Discontinued March 2000)
VV810 Human Toxicology and Poisoning (New March 2000)
VV820 Toxinology (New March 2000)
VV900 Occupational Health and Safety

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WW000 Biotechnology (General) (Revised June 2002)
[Formerly Biotechnology]
WW100 Genetic Engineering, Gene Transfer and Transgenics (New June 2002)
WW300 Cell, Tissue and Embryo Manipulation (New June 2002)
WW500 Fermentation Technology and Industrial Microbiology (New June 2002)
WW700 Diagnostic, Therapeutic and Pharmacological Biotechnology (New June 2002)
WW900 Biosensors and Biological Nanotechnology (New June 2002)

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XX000 Wastes (General)
XX100 Animal Wastes
XX200 Plant Wastes
XX300 Human Wastes and Refuse
XX400 Industrial Wastes and Effluents
XX500 Radioactive Wastes (Discontinued March 2000)
XX600 Waste Conversion and Utilization (Discontinued March 2000)
XX700 Biodegradation

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YY000 Zoology of Wild Animals (Vertebrates and Invertebrates) (General) (New March 2000)
YY100 Anatomy and Morphology (Wild Animals) (New March 2000)
YY200 Reproduction, Development and Life Cycle (Wild Animals) (New March 2000)
YY300 Genetics and Molecular Genetics (Wild Animals) (New March 2000)

YY400 Physiology and Biochemistry (Wild Animals) (New March 2000)
YY500 Behaviour (Wild Animals) (New March 2000)
YY700 Pathogens, Parasites and Infectious Diseases (Wild Animals) (New March 2000)
YY800 Other Wildlife Diseases (New March 2000)
YY900 Toxicology and Poisoning (Wild Animals) (New March 2000)

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ZZ000 Other Sciences
ZZ100 Mathematics and Statistics
ZZ200 Materials Science
ZZ300 Life Sciences (General)
ZZ310 Anatomy, Morphology and Structure (General) (Discontinued March 2000)
ZZ320 General Biology (Discontinued March 2000)
ZZ330 Ecology (General)
ZZ331 Plant Ecology
ZZ332 Animal Ecology
ZZ333 Microbial Ecology (New March 2000)
ZZ340 General Physiology (Discontinued March 2000)
ZZ350 General Biochemistry (Discontinued March 2000)
ZZ360 General Molecular Biology (Discontinued March 2000)
ZZ360 Molecular Biology and Molecular Genetics (New June 2002)
ZZ370 Genetics (General and Theoretical) (Discontinued March 2000)
ZZ380 Taxonomy and Evolution
ZZ390 Microbiology (General)
ZZ392 Morphology of Microorganisms (New March 2000)
ZZ394 Biochemistry and Physiology of Microorganisms (New March 2000)
ZZ395 Genetics and Molecular Biology of Microorganisms (New March 2000)
ZZ396 Microbial Life Cycles (New March 2000)
ZZ400 Environmental Sciences (General) (Discontinued March 2000)
ZZ500 Physical Sciences (General)
ZZ600 Chemistry (Discontinued March 2000)
ZZ700 Forensic Science
ZZ800 Geology and Geomorphology (General)
ZZ900 Techniques and Methodology

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