

# HOW TO

Combine Answer Sets



SciFinder® lets you combine both saved and active answer sets in a variety of ways. The combined answer sets must be of the same type: reference, substance, or reaction.

1. Save two or more answer sets to be combined.

To save an answer set, click **Save** in the upper right corner of the answer set, enter a title and optional description, and click **OK**.



Save This Answer Set ⓘ

\* Required

**Save:**

All answers

Only selected answers

**Title: \***

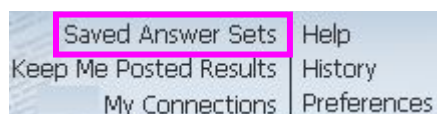
sleep disorders - review articles

**Description:**

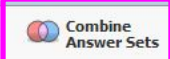
OK Cancel

**Tip:** Only answer sets of the same type, e.g., two or more reference answer sets, can be combined.

2. Click **Saved Answer Sets** to view the saved answer sets.



3. Select at least two answer sets. Then, click **Combine Answer Sets**.

Saved Answer Sets 

References (3) Substances (1) Reactions (0)

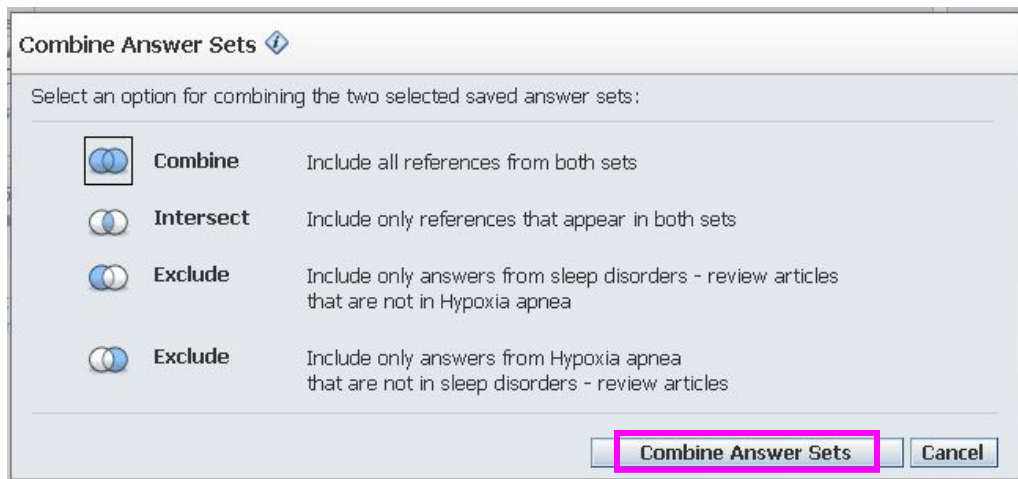
3 Answer Sets 2 Selected Delete Selected

Reference Answer Set Details			Date Saved
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	sleep disorders - review articles (379) Research Topic " <b>sleep disorders</b> " with limiters > references (3591) > refine " <b>CAPLUS</b> " (610) > refine " <b>2005-</b> " (379)	Edit <a href="#">Link</a>	Mar 18, 2010
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hypoxia apnea (26) Research Topic " <b>hypoxia apnea</b> " with limiters > references (26)	Edit <a href="#">Link</a>	Mar 18, 2010
<input type="checkbox"/>	sleep apnea (20) Research Topic " <b>treatment of obstructive sleep apnea</b> " > references (632) > refine " <b>2000-</b> " (387)	Edit <a href="#">Link</a>	Mar 18, 2010

4. Select the type of combination to be performed.

- **Combine** performs a logical OR combination. The combined answer set includes all answers from both original sets.
- **Intersect** performs a logical AND combination. The combined answer set includes only answers that are present in both original sets.
- **Exclude** performs a logical NOT combination. The combined answer set includes only answers from the one set that are not in the other set. Both types of Exclude options ([A not B] and [B not A]) are available.

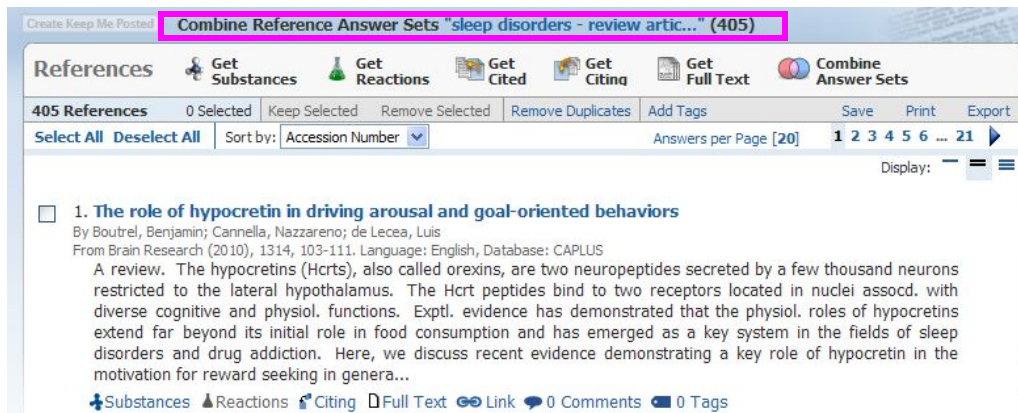
Click **Combine Answer Sets**.



**Notes:**

- If three or more answer sets are selected, only the Combine and Intersect options are available.
- Answers are displayed in the same order as they appeared before the combination.

5. Your combined answer set displays.



6. You can combine an active and saved answer set in the same manner. While in an active answer set, click **Combine Answer Sets**

Research Topic "narcolepsy" > references (4510)

References

4510 References 0 Selected Keep Selected Remove Selected Remove Duplicates Add Tags Save Print Export

Select All Deselect All Sort by: Accession Number Answers per Page [20] 1 2 3 4 5 6 ... 226 Display: [icon]

1. **IgG abnormality in narcolepsy and idiopathic hypersomnia**  
By Tanaka, Susumu; Honda, Makoto  
From PLoS One (2010), 5(3), No pp. given. Language: English, Database: CAPLUS  
Background: A close assocn. between **narcolepsy** and the Human Leukocyte Antigen (HLA)-DQB1\*0602 allele suggests the involvement of the immune system, or possibly an autoimmune process. We investigated serum IgG levels in **narcolepsy**. Methodol./Principal Findings: We measured the serum total IgG levels in 159 Japanese **narcolepsy**-cataplexy patients pos. for the HLA-DQB1\*0602 allele, 28 idiopathic hypersomnia patients with long sleep time, and 123 healthy controls (the HLA-DQB1\*0602 allele present in 45 subjects). The serum levels of each IgG subclass were subsequently measured. The distributio...

7. In this example, we are using the **Intersect** option to include only answers that appear in both the active answer set AND the saved answer set of review articles.

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Select saved answer set(s) to combine with your current answer set (4510):

3 Answer Sets 1 Selected

reference Answer Set Details	Date Saved
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> sleep disorders - review articles (379) Research Topic "sleep disorders" with limiters > references (3591) > refine "CAPLUS" (610) > refine "2005-" (379)	Mar 18, 2010
<input type="checkbox"/> Hypoxia apnea (26) Research Topic "hypoxia apnea" with limiters > references (26)	Mar 18, 2010
<input type="checkbox"/> sleep apnea (20) Research Topic "treatment of obstructive sleep apnea" > references (632) > refine "2000-" (387)	Mar 18, 2010

Select an option for combining the answer sets:

- Combine** Include all answers from both sets
- Intersect** Include only answers that appear in both sets
- Exclude** Include only answers from **current answer set (4510)** that are not in **sleep disorders - review articles (379)**
- Exclude** Include only answers from **sleep disorders - review articles (379)** that are not in **current answer set (4510)**

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