

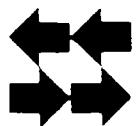
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**ESTUDIO Y ANTEPROYECTO DE DISTRIBUCION  
DE BASES DE DATOS EN ESPAÑA**

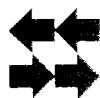
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**PARTE 2 ANEXOS**



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## ANEXO 1

### **Definiciones**



### Anexo 1. Definiciones

La información como "producto" no tiene unas definiciones normalizadas o standard que sean por un lado de fácil interpretación y por otro de general aceptación. La información es un producto sometido a muchos factores que la relativizan: calidad (exactitud o precisión, exhaustividad), actualidad, presentación (claridad, comodidad de uso), tipo de soporte o documento, etc., así como el propio usuario que la recibe que la puede entender y utilizar de muchas maneras.

La rápida evolución del sector de la información ha ocasionado también que la terminología utilizada por los diferentes protagonistas no siempre coincida.

Por tanto, se hace necesario que en este Estudio-Anteproyecto se den unas definiciones que sirvan de notas de alcance sobre los tipos de información, de manera que el lector sepa exactamente a cuáles se hace referencia. Evidentemente, aunque los autores de las mismas piensan que son definiciones aceptadas por una amplia mayoría, no pretenden que tengan una validez universal sino que simplemente sirvan a los objetivos de este trabajo.

Véanse más definiciones en el Apartado 7.1. "Mercado de la información. Definiciones".

#### A.1.1. Tipos de información

Aunque no hay una delimitación exacta entre los dos tipos que se definen a continuación, es frecuente que los servicios de información se clasifiquen teniendo en cuenta la caducidad y/o la rapidez de actualización de la información que suministran. Según esto hay dos tipos de información:



- en tiempo real (p.ej. despachos de agencia, horarios, negocios, cotizaciones, calendarios de actos, correo electrónico, etc.). A veces va ligada a un sistema "transaccional", que permite realizar compras, ventas o ejecutar acciones de cualquier tipo, a partir de la información suministrada.

- de interés "histórico", en principio permanente, aunque lógicamente cada información tiene un determinado gradiente de obsolescencia. Básicamente es de tipo científico (p.ej. estadísticas, bibliografías, propiedades, etc.).

La información de interés permanente tiene que estructurarse como mínimo en forma de fichas o registros y constituir colecciones para que sea utilizable (colecciones de tablas, ficheros, páginas, etc.).

Una de las formas más eficaces de distribuir información se consigue mediante su informatización ya sea como simple fichero o dándole estructura de base de datos, y a partir de aquí publicándola sobre diferentes soportes documentales: papel, disco óptico, cinta o disco magnético, etc., desde los cuales se recupera y lee para su uso.

#### A.1.2. Acceso online o en línea

Es una forma de trabajar en informática en la que el usuario tiene conexión directa desde su terminal o consola con la unidad de proceso central del ordenador.

Aunque el acceso online a la información y su proceso puede ser en local, estando el operador cerca del ordenador, a efectos de este Estudio-Anteproyecto se considera básicamente que el acceso online es a distancia o remoto, hecho que ha permitido la universalización



del sistema y la aparición del sector de la información online. Esta es la razón por la que en España se emplea la palabra **teledocumentación**, quizás no demasiado afortunada, para hacer referencia a los servicios de búsqueda de información en línea (en inglés, *online information searching*) o de acceso en línea a las bases de datos.

Otro concepto asociado a **online** es el trabajo (o búsqueda) conversacional o interactivo, de manera que entre el usuario y el ordenador se establece un diálogo de preguntas y respuestas.

Desde el punto de vista académico, el sector de información online engloba tanto los servicios convencionales **ascii** como los de **videotex**, pero en la práctica cuando se habla de **online** se hace usualmente referencia sólo a los primeros. Ver el apartado 7.1.

#### **A.1.3. Bases de datos**

Cuando se habla de la oferta de servicios de información se puede hacer referencia a cualquier colección de información en general como una "base de datos", aunque lo sea sólo potencialmente. Se considera que el trabajo más extenso y primordial es el de la creación intelectual de la bdd y que su informatización es sólo una tarea mecánica.

Desde un punto de vista documental puede darse la siguiente definición de la base de datos:

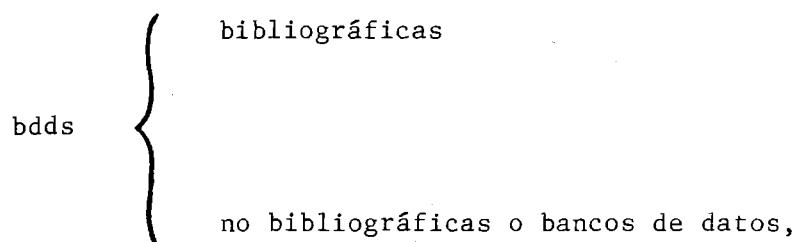
**Base de datos.** Fichero informatizado a partir del cual pueden extraerse selectivamente datos ya sea directamente del ordenador donde están almacenados mediante un sistema de recuperación de información (en línea o en diferido), ya sea a través de publicaciones realizadas sobre diversos soportes (papel, discos ópticos, etc.).



Esta definición está aceptada internacionalmente en el sector de la información online, pero no coincide con el concepto que de base de datos se tiene en informática, donde por tal se entiende un conjunto de datos menos pre-ligados, con posibilidad de establecer libremente las relaciones deseadas entre las piezas de información.

#### A.1.4. Tipos de bases de datos

Desde el comienzo de las técnicas online por los años 70's, se han ido haciendo clasificaciones de bases de datos para describir la oferta disponible. Por ser ésta el principio muy limitada los criterios de clasificación fueron simples y así durante unos años bastó hablar solamente de:



tal como se puede observar en las ediciones primitivas del conocido Directorio de Bdds Online de Cuadra Associates (1979).

A medida que fueron apareciendo nuevas colecciones de datos online se empezó a usar nueva terminología, no siempre aceptada por todos. Así por ejemplo Afnor (Asociación Francesa de Normalización, organismo oficial de normalización de Francia) decidió llamar bancos de datos a todas las bases de datos y no solamente a una parte de ellas, tal como se acepta universalmente.

En el Consorcio de Información y Documentación de Cataluña, se realizó un trabajo de clasificación(1) con el fin de utilizarlo en



los cursos impartidos, que no solamente revisó todas las bases de datos existentes, sino que encajó en un mismo cuadro toda la terminología de utilización frecuente, respetando las acepciones ya impuestas por el uso generalizado pero delimitando las correspondientes parcelas semánticas.

La clasificación no es homogénea, puesto que en ocasiones la práctica ha atendido al contenido informativo (estadísticas, directorios, propiedades), otras a la forma en que se presenta la información (textuales, bibliográficas), otras a la duración de la información (procesos en curso, actividades temporales), y aún otras a si la información es de uso directo o no (información fuente o primaria, referencial). La heterogeneidad viene causada por el hecho de que las piezas informativas son descripciones de entes o productos que no solamente dependen de éstos, sino de la extensión en que se describen y de cómo se agrupan los datos.

Se acepta en general llamar bases de datos a todas las colecciones de datos buscables online, por lo que la clasificación que sigue se empezará por este término. La primera división separa la información que es fuente o primaria (directamente utilizable), de la información que sólo constituye una referencia, por lo que el usuario debe hacer un paso u operación adicional para encontrar la información definitiva o los productos buscados.

El término banco de datos, aún es de amplia utilización. No se aplica al ordenador-host como al principio, al menos en medios

(1) T.Baiget, J.Bravo, V.Meléndez. "Clasificación de las bases de datos online". ST Informes CIDC. Nov. 87

profesionales, sino al conjunto de bdds fuente y referenciales. Ver el cuadro de la página siguiente.

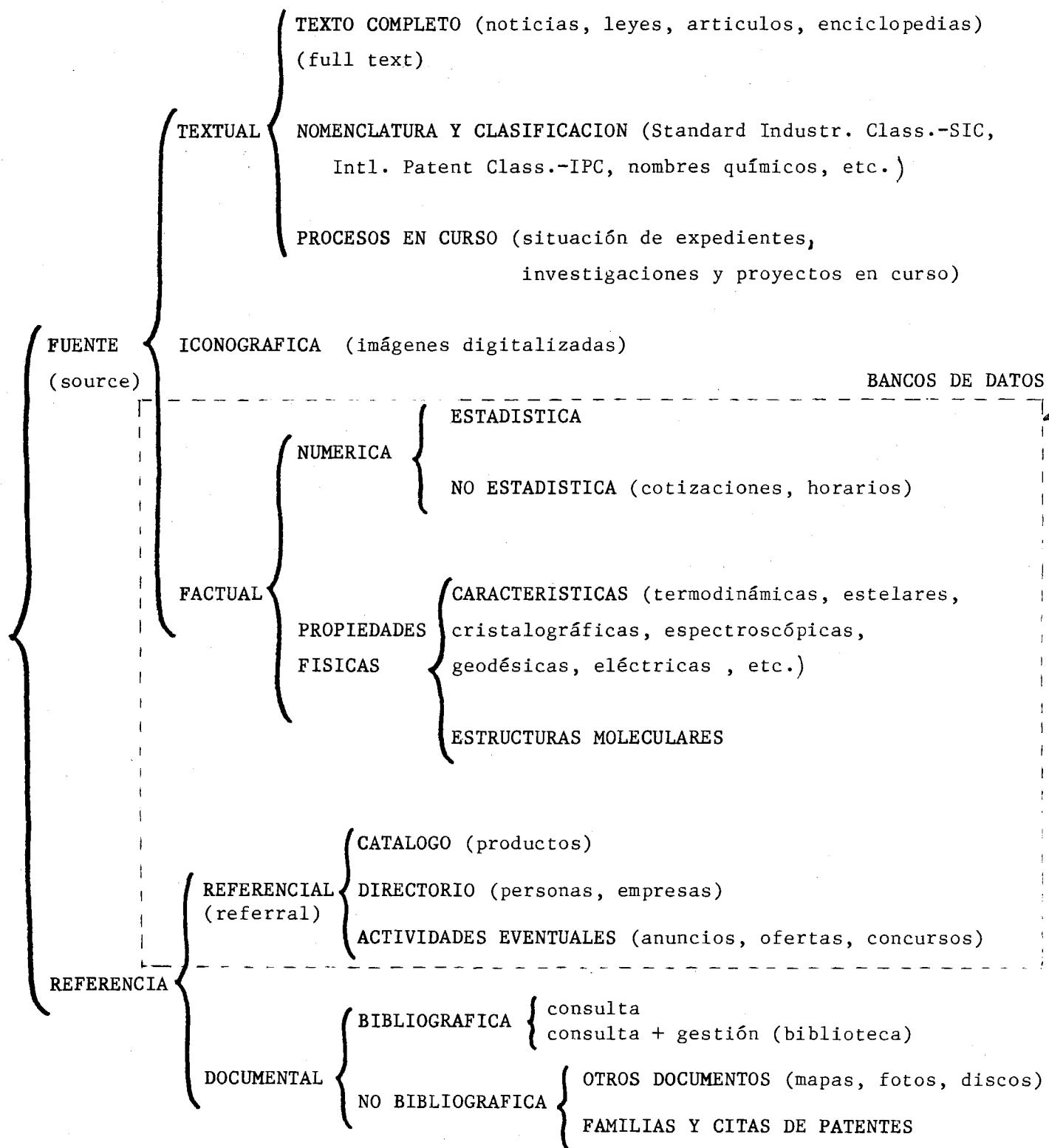
#### Bases de datos fuente

Utilizando una terminología inglesa que encaja bien en el idioma castellano, las bdds fuente se subdividen en textuales cuando en su contenido predomina el texto y factuales cuando en su contenido predominan datos numéricos y propiedades (lo que en inglés se llama también hard data).

Empieza a emerger tímidamente un tercer grupo de bdd fuente: las iconográficas, que contienen gráficos digitalizados. En el futuro las bdds fuente quizá tendrán que subdividirse en bdd de caracteres (textuales y factuales) y bdd digitalizadas (iconográficas y sonoras) pero a efectos de distribución online esto está aún en un futuro a muy largo plazo.



### Clasificación de las bases de datos distribuidas online





Las bdds textuales pueden ser:

Texto completo (full text). El documento se ofrece online en su versión completa. Independientemente de que los documentos puedan ir indexados adicionalmente, normalmente la búsqueda se hace a través de todo el texto, recuperando los documentos por cualquiera de las palabras del mismo (excepto los stop-words o palabras vacías que haya decidido el distribuidor).

Hay bdds de texto completo de leyes, noticias, artículos, encyclopedias, determinados libros, etc.

Nomenclatura y clasificación. Son bases de datos auxiliares que contienen listas de nombres, términos, códigos o clases con sus equivalencias entre ellos. Pueden ser bancos de datos terminológicos, tesauros de bases de datos, clasificaciones internacionales (de actividades industriales-SIC, de patentes-IPC, etc.), nomenclatura química, etc.

Procesos en curso. Contienen descripciones de hechos o estudios aún no finalizados, por lo cual los textos van siendo completados o modificados a lo largo de un período de tiempo. Típicamente entran en este apartado las investigaciones y proyectos en curso, y los expedientes administrativos (p.ej. la situación legal de las patentes).

Las bdds factuales pueden dividirse en:

Numéricas, en las que la información principalmente consiste en datos numéricos, independiente de que puedan acompañar textos explicativos. Destaca el grupo de los bancos de datos estadísticos, con cifras agregadas por varios conceptos y series temporales.



Las otras bdds numéricas se agrupan bajo el título de no-estadísticas, puesto que de entre ellas no destaca conceptuamente ningún tipo en particular. Sin embargo son muy numerosos e importantes los bancos de datos de cotizaciones de bolsa y de precios, algunos de los cuales dan soporte a servicios transaccionales, de compra y venta online. En esta clase podrían incluirse también los servicios bancarios, de uso privado, y también los horarios de transportes públicos.

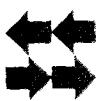
Propiedades físicas. Son manuales online con los datos físicos o químicos de substancias, componentes, zonas geográficas, etc. (p.ej. termodinámicas, cristalográficas, eléctricas, espectrométricas, geodésicas, estelares, etc.). Un caso particular muy importante lo constituyen los bancos de datos de estructuras moleculares para determinar substancias y familias de substancias a partir de la descripción de sus moléculas hallada en el laboratorio.

#### Bases de datos referencia

Se subdividen en:

Referenciales (conocidas en inglés por referral) dan información orientativa. Pueden ser catálogos, cuando en ellas predomina la descripción de productos desde un punto de vista externo, en relación a su uso, o comercial; y directorios, cuando se describen personas (biografías, profesionales) o se pone mayor énfasis en las direcciones (empresas, organizaciones).

Un tercer grupo dentro de las referenciales son las actividades eventuales, que ofrecen información de carácter efímero, con fecha fija de caducidad, como anuncios, ofertas y concursos.



Documentales, dan referencias de documentos. El grupo más importante está constituido por las bibliográficas, que toman este nombre de la raíz biblio = libro, y en las que se incluyen también los documentos que tienen una estructura unitaria similar: artículos de revista, tesis doctorales, ponencias, patentes, normas, etc. Un caso particular son los catálogos de biblioteca, que son bdds bibliográficas sin resumen del contenido y con descripción física del libro, asociadas generalmente a un programa que permite la gestión del préstamo. (Ver el Apartado 10.1.4. "Catálogos de biblioteca".)

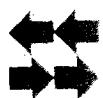
Las no-bibliográficas contienen referencias a otros tipos de documentos tales como mapas, discos, fotos, videos, etc. Un caso especial son las familias y citas de patentes, que contienen solamente números de patentes (agrupados por familias o citando otras patentes relacionadas). A primera vista estas bdds podrían parecer numéricas, pero aquí los números no tienen valor como cantidades, sino que son identificaciones de documentos.

Como nota final hay que recalcar que en la práctica puede haber bases de datos mixtas cuya clasificación deberá hacerse según el aspecto predominante.

#### A.1.5. Distribución y distribuidor

La función de distribución de bases de datos de uso público es un eslabón fundamental en la cadena que une los productores y los consumidores de información. Se trata fundamentalmente de una tarea de comercialización.

Tradicionalmente las versiones impresas de las bases de datos, y muy recientemente las informatizadas en soporte diskette y CD Rom, han sido distribuidas por el propio productor y vendidas directamente a los usuarios finales de la información.



También las cintas magnéticas se venden directamente a determinados usuarios (p. ej. grandes empresas, universidades, etc.), pero lo más frecuente es su venta a unos intermediarios llamados distribuidores de bases de datos en línea (vendors o hosts en inglés).

Los distribuidores-hosts venden al detalle tiempo de consulta a las bases de datos. Poseen un ordenador en el que cargan varias de ellas y un lenguaje común para su consulta en línea, y están conectados a las redes internacionales de transmisión de datos, por las que reciben las llamadas de los usuarios.

La distribución de bases de datos tiene las siguientes características:

1. Libera a los productores de unas funciones especializadas totalmente distintas de las que realizan para la creación de las bases de datos, la cual es una tarea suficientemente compleja como para usualmente absorber todos los recursos de una organización. Las organizaciones que elaboran bases de datos acostumbran a tener una componente vocacional importante sobre las materias de las que tratan y esta componente no se da necesariamente para la distribución, la cual requiere un planteamiento mucho más comercial.
2. Permite aprovechar las economías de escala propias de la operación sobre un gran número de bases de datos. Hay que tener en cuenta que cada organización productora de bases de datos produce solamente una o dos de ellas por término medio. Los usuarios prefieren utilizar los distribuidores que tienen muchas bases de datos puesto que con una sola conexión tienen acceso a más información, utilizan solamente un lenguaje de búsqueda y reciben una sola factura por el servicio.



3. Requiere una importante inversión en software de gestión y consulta de bases de datos, que hay que ir modernizando continuamente. Así, por ejemplo, en 1987 dos distribuidores han introducido la búsqueda simultánea de bases de datos diferentes. También es considerable la complejidad de la gestión de la facturación por los muchos componentes que tiene (tiempo de conexión, impresión en línea y en diferido, servicios de actualización, etc., con cánones diferentes sobre cada base de datos y todo ello para muchos usuarios). Recientemente dos influyentes organizaciones, una base de datos y un distribuidor, han anunciado nuevos sistemas de tarificación, lo cual hará replantear una vez más la idoneidad de los distintos criterios y las formas de facturar.
4. Requiere un importante esfuerzo de personal y equipos en informática de gestión de las telecomunicaciones al tener un ordenador que debe poder ser consultado por centenares de usuarios simultáneos desde diferentes zonas geográficas.
5. Tratándose de la venta de un producto con unas características tan peculiares como es la información, el marketing de los servicios debe reunir también características especiales. Las acciones publicitarias clásicas aptas para otros productos son válidas aquí sólo hasta cierto punto. Los servicios deben venderse además de una forma muy individualizada. Se requiere un importante equipo de personal dedicado a la formación y entrenamiento de usuarios. Un programa de seminarios de introducción y avanzados, tanto para enseñar el contenido de las bases como la forma de consulta, es imprescindible para que sean usados los servicios. Igualmente hay que cuidar de la publicación y mantenimiento actualizado de varios manuales de uso.

Explicadas las características de la distribución a continuación se hacen estas dos precisiones terminológicas:



A efectos de este estudio, la palabra distribución no se limita a su significado más usual de distribución online sino que abarca todos los posibles métodos y medios por los cuales puede hacerse llegar información desde los lugares en que se produce hasta los usuarios que la necesitan, sea información en tiempo real, sea la que antes se ha denominado de interés permanente.

Sin embargo, distribuidor sí que se referirá a un host, puesto que es la acepción normal aceptada dentro de la profesión, del que como recapitulación se da la siguiente definición formal:

**Distribuidor de bases de datos.** Organización que dispone de ordenador en el que carga diversas bases de datos que son consultables en línea mediante un programa o lenguaje de consulta común para todas ellas. El ordenador está conectado a las redes de transmisión de datos a través de las cuales puede recibir varias llamadas simultáneas de usuarios autorizados que formulan preguntas y obtienen las correspondientes respuestas por un terminal.



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**ANEXO 3**

**Modelo de contrato Distribuidor-Usuario**



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Anexo 3. MODELO DE CONTRATO

Contrato nº   

Contrato entre el Distribuidor-Gateway (DIGA), con domicilio social en:

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representado por su Director, D. \_\_\_\_\_  
y D. \_\_\_\_\_ referido en lo  
sucesivo como "Usuario",

a título individual  
como representante de \_\_\_\_\_  
con domicilio social en:

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Ambas partes acuerdan:

Artículo 1. Propósito del Contrato

Sujeto a los términos y condiciones establecidos en este contrato, el Usuario puede tener acceso online al servicio de distribución de bases de datos DIGA, situado en \_\_\_\_\_  
(España), a través de las redes públicas de transmisión de datos.



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Las bases de datos y los servicios que el Usuario puede utilizar se detallan en el Anexo 1 de este Contrato.

#### Artículo 2. Duración del Contrato

Este contrato estará en vigor durante un período de tiempo ilimitado a partir de su firma por ambas partes.

#### Artículo 3. Condiciones de acceso a las bdds

3.1. El Usuario conectará con el DIGA mediante un terminal "compatible teletipo" que cumpla con los requisitos dictados por su compañía telefónica local. El terminal es del usuario y está bajo su responsabilidad.

3.2. La conexión del terminal del Usuario a las diferentes redes de datos será de tal forma que las llamadas recibidas en el DIGA aparezcan como originadas en modo dial-up.

3.3. El DIGA ofrecerá servicio todos los días de la semana, de 7 a 24 horas, incluso festivos, excepto algunas señaladas festividades que se listarán y se comunicarán al Usuario en enero de cada año.

#### Artículo 4. Claves de acceso (passwords)

4.1. El DIGA asignará al Usuario como mínimo una clave de acceso para poder acceder a los servicios del DIGA. El Usuario deberá tramitar con su compañía telefónica local la asignación de una clave de usuario para poder utilizar la red pública de datos, si es que accede al DIGA a través de la misma y no por llamada directa por red telefónica comutada.



4.2. Los códigos de acceso asignados por el DIGA al Usuario estarán bajo la exclusiva responsabilidad de éste en cuanto a preservar su confidencialidad y a prevenir cualquier uso de los mismos por el personal no autorizado.

#### Artículo 5. Precios

Los precios de los diferentes servicios contemplados en este Contrato se detallan en el Anexo I.

#### Artículo 6. Responsabilidad

6.1. El DIGA no aceptará ninguna responsabilidad por daños directos o indirectos de cualquier tipo sufridos por el Usuario, su equipo o sus agentes como resultado de este Contrato ni ninguna reclamación originada por el uso indebido de los códigos.

6.2. El DIGA no será responsable de la no disponibilidad del acceso online a causa de las redes de telecomunicaciones.

6.3. Aunque el DIGA ha seleccionado e instalado cuidadosamente los ficheros ofrecidos online, no puede aceptar ninguna responsabilidad por la calidad de su contenido. Igualmente, algunos productores de bases de datos han expresado indemnidades sobre el contenido de sus ficheros que el Usuario deberá leer en los tutoriales online o en la documentación correspondiente de la base de datos.

6.4. El Usuario no podrá reclamar al DIGA ningún coste originado por la infracción de derechos de patente de terceros en relación a los servicios o materiales previstos en este Contrato.



### Artículo 7. Copyright

Los resultados impresos de las búsquedas online no pueden ser publicados con carácter lucrativo sin el consentimiento del DIGA.

### Artículo 8. Teledescarga (download)

El Usuario podrá teledescargar datos online y tenerlos de forma permanente en su equipo informático local, para su uso personal y exclusivo. Cabe subrayar lo siguiente:

- 8.1. El Usuario no podrá transferir, retransmitir, duplicar o revender a terceros ninguno de los datos recibidos por teledescarga, sin la aprobación previa del DIGA.
- 8.2. El Usuario no podrá combinar los datos de una o varias bases de datos para crear una nueva base de datos y ofrecerla online o de otra forma a terceros.

### Artículo 9. Cambios

- 9.1. El DIGA se reserva el derecho de modificar, ampliar, retirar y añadir bases de datos sin previo aviso. Igualmente, el DIGA se reserva el derecho a introducir cambios en los actuales servicios online.
- 9.2. El DIGA se reserva el derecho a introducir cambios en este Contrato con un mes de antelación.

### Artículo 10. Expiración

- 10.1. Este Contrato puede darse por concluido por cualquiera de las dos partes previo aviso con un mes de antelación.



10.2. El DIGA puede concluir este Contrato con efecto inmediato en caso de que el Usuario use indebidamente el sistema de forma deliberada, o por incumplimiento de algunos de los términos del mismo.

#### Artículo 11. Comunicaciones

Todas las comunicaciones que afecten a los términos y condiciones de este Contrato y relativas a su ejecución se harán o confirmarán por escrito.

#### Artículo 12. Legislación

Este Contrato se regirá por la legislación del país del Usuario.

#### Artículo 13. Arbitraje

Todas las disputas originadas por la interpretación de este Contrato se someterán, a petición de cualquiera de las dos partes, a las reglas de arbitraje del país del Usuario.

#### Artículo 14. Aprobación

La persona autorizada por el Patronato del DIGA para los propósitos de este Contrato es su Director D. \_\_\_\_\_.



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### Artículo 15. Confidencialidad

El DIGA garantiza que tomará todas las medidas razonables de seguridad para asegurar la confidencialidad de las búsquedas del Usuario y en particular no suministrará a terceros los resultados de dichas búsquedas, a menos que esté autorizado por escrito por el Usuario específicamente para ello.

### Artículo 16. Documentación

Por cada código válido, el Usuario recibirá gratuitamente un conjunto de documentación básica. Las actualizaciones de dicha documentación se cobrarán anualmente de forma automática mientras el código esté vigente, al precio indicado en el Anexo I.

Escrito y firmado en dos copias originales, una por cada parte implicada en este Contrato.

En representación del DIGA  
en \_\_\_\_\_,  
a \_\_\_ de \_\_\_\_ de 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Sr. D. \_\_\_\_\_  
Director del DIGA

Firma y sello

En representación del Usuario  
en \_\_\_\_\_,  
a \_\_\_ de \_\_\_\_ de 19\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Sr. D. \_\_\_\_\_  
(cargo)

Firma y sello



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### Datos del Usuario

Usuario

(a llenar por el DIGA)

### SECCION 1 Direcciones

I	DIRECCION CONTRACTUAL (para materias relacionadas con este Contrato)
II	DIRECCION PARA LISTADOS (para enviar los resultados impresos de las búsquedas -si es diferente de I)
III	DIRECCION PARA FACTURACION (para enviar las facturas -si es diferente de I)



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**SECCION 2. Tipo de organización (señale sólo uno)**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Comercial     | <input type="checkbox"/> Gubernamental |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial    | <input type="checkbox"/> Otro          |

Especificar:

**SECCION 3. Actividades (señale las necesarias)**

- |   |   |  |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Biología       | <input type="checkbox"/> Bioingeniería      | <input type="checkbox"/> Bioquímica    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Construcción   | <input type="checkbox"/> Contaminación      | <input type="checkbox"/> Documentación |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Economía       | <input type="checkbox"/> Educación          | <input type="checkbox"/> Electrónica   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Energía        | <input type="checkbox"/> Energía Nuclear    | <input type="checkbox"/> Estadística   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Física         | <input type="checkbox"/> Gestión            | <input type="checkbox"/> Humanidades   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Informática    | <input type="checkbox"/> Ingeniería         | <input type="checkbox"/> Medicina      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medio ambiente | <input type="checkbox"/> Metalurgia         | <input type="checkbox"/> Meteorología  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Negocios       | <input type="checkbox"/> Patentes           | <input type="checkbox"/> Periodismo    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Química        | <input type="checkbox"/> Telecomunicaciones | <input type="checkbox"/> Trabajo       |

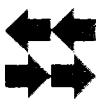
Por favor, especifique otras: \_\_\_\_\_

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**SECCION 4. Bases de datos**

Indique por favor las bases de datos accesibles a través del DIGA que le son de mayor interés:

- |          |           |
|----------|-----------|
| 1. _____ | 6. _____  |
| 2. _____ | 7. _____  |
| 3. _____ | 8. _____  |
| 4. _____ | 9. _____  |
| 5. _____ | 10. _____ |



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**ANEXO 4**

**Modelo de contrato Distribuidor-Productor de bases de datos**



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Anexo 4. MODELO DE CONTRATO DISTRIBUIDOR-PRODUCTOR DE BASE DE DATOS

LICENCIA DE DISTRIBUCION DE BASE DE DATOS

Acuerdo entre el Distribuidor-Gateway (DIGA), con domicilio social en:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

representado por su Director, Don \_\_\_\_\_  
y \_\_\_\_\_ denominado a partir de aquí  
"Productor", con domicilio social en:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

representado por D. \_\_\_\_\_

Ambas partes consideran:

Que el DIGA dispone de un ordenador con diversas bases de datos cargadas, consultables online mediante un lenguaje de consulta. Dicho ordenador está conectado a las redes de transmisión de datos a través de las cuales puede recibir varias llamadas simultáneas de usuarios distantes debidamente autorizados, que consultan las bases de datos mediante un terminal informático.

Que el Productor ha desarrollado una base de datos de tipo bibliográfico/factual/textual/ \_\_\_\_\_ en soporte informático, conocida como " \_\_\_\_\_" que contiene información de interés para el DIGA y sus usuarios.



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Que el DIGA desea obtener los derechos exclusivos/no exclusivos de distribución de dicha base de datos para suministrar servicios a sus usuarios.

Y acuerdan:

ARTICULO 1 - Sujeto del Acuerdo

1. El productor acuerda garantizar al DIGA, sus subsidiarios y agentes comerciales, una licencia exclusiva/no-exclusiva, no transferible, para todo el mundo, para usar dicha base de datos.

La base de datos cubrirá la información recopilada desde 19\_\_.

2. Sometido a los términos y restricciones que en este Acuerdo se señalan, el DIGA queda autorizado a distribuir la base de datos online, así como a hacer copias de la misma para un mejor servicio de los usuarios tanto en versión informatizada, como en soporte papel, CD Rom, microficha COM, etc.

El uso de estas copias por parte del DIGA o por alguno de sus usuarios, con el propósito de sustituir el normal servicio online o cualquiera de las versiones o subproductos que el Productor pueda tener en su catálogo de ventas queda expresamente prohibido y violaría este Acuerdo de Licencia de Distribución.

**3. Consulta de la base de datos a través de la gateway**

El Productor autoriza a que la base de datos cubierta por este Acuerdo pueda suministrarse a través de una o más gateways del



DIGA, de modo que pueda ser consultada por los usuarios de otros distribuidores nacionales o extranjeros.

El DIGA se asegurará por todos los medios a su alcance de que en el distribuidor distante se respeten los derechos del Productor.

#### 4. Búsqueda múltiple de bases de datos (clusters)

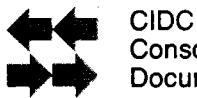
El Productor autoriza a que la base de datos pueda ser puesta junto a bases de datos de otros productores, de manera que se pueda realizar su búsqueda simultánea. En este caso, el tiempo de conexión o los parámetros que se utilicen para contabilizar los royalties serán asignados a cada base de datos según la fórmula:

$$\text{Royalties} = F(\text{parámetros, volumen}) \text{ (a especificar)}$$

#### 5. Teledescarga (download)

El Productor autoriza la teledescarga online de partes de la base de datos en el microordenador o cualquier otro soporte leíble por máquina de los usuarios, para uso exclusivo de ellos, con las siguientes condiciones:

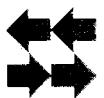
- a) El usuario no transferirá, retransmitirá, copiará o revenderá a terceros ninguno de los datos recibidos, sin la aprobación previa del DIGA, quien a su vez, solicitará la aprobación del Productor.
- b) El usuario no utilizará los datos teledescargados para combinarlos con otra información, con el fin de crear una nueva base de datos y ofrecerla online a terceros.



## ARTICULO 2 - Suministro de datos

1. El Productor suministrará al DIGA las cintas o cartuchos de ordenador licenciadas bajo este Acuerdo, publicadas durante el tiempo en que éste esté vigente. Igualmente, el Productor suministrará las ediciones antiguas antes de un mes después de la firma de este Acuerdo.
2. Las cintas de actualización se mandarán mensualmente al DIGA por correo aéreo o mensajero pagado en origen. Ambos firmantes podrán acordar el envío y recepción online de las actualizaciones (telecarga). En todos los casos el Productor se atendrá a las normas de envíos y formatos dadas por el DIGA.
3. El DIGA cargará las actualizaciones antes de transcurridas cuatro semanas desde su recepción.
4. El Productor reemplazará sin coste adicional para el DIGA cualquier cinta que no esté conforme a las especificaciones del DIGA, o que esté defectuosa o inutilizable, excepto en el caso de que los defectos se hayan producido en el DIGA.
5. Antes de que hayan transcurrido tres meses de la puesta online de la base de datos, el Productor suministrará una descripción detallada de la misma según la versión disponible en el DIGA. Esta descripción, que será incluida en el Manual del Usuario del DIGA, estará conforme al formato normalizado que indicará el DIGA. Igualmente el Productor suministrará frecuentemente información actualizada sobre su base de datos para todas las publicaciones, folletos y manuales del DIGA (por ejemplo listas de fuentes, esquema de clasificación de la bdd, etc.).

El DIGA suministrará gratuitamente al Productor los códigos de acceso necesarios para que pueda tener acceso online a la base de datos durante este período.



### ARTICULO 3 - Copyright

1. El copyright y la titularidad de todos los materiales de la base de datos a que hace referencia este Acuerdo serán de propiedad del Productor. El DIGA informará a todos sus usuarios del copyright y de otras posibles limitaciones, de conformidad con las instrucciones dadas por el Productor.
2. El Productor se compromete a salvaguardar los intereses del DIGA y sus empleados en el caso de que se produzca una infracción del copyright o un uso indebido de los datos por parte de terceros.

### ARTICULO 4 - Royalties

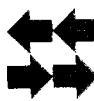
1. El DIGA pagará al Productor un royalty de PTA \_\_\_\_\_ por cada hora facturada de uso online de la base de datos. Las pruebas y búsquedas realizadas por el personal del DIGA, para uso interno, se excluyen específicamente de este pago.

Por cada registro impreso online por usuarios ajenos al DIGA,  
PTA \_\_\_\_\_

Por cada registro impreso offline por usuarios ajenos al DIGA,  
PTA \_\_\_\_\_

Por cada perfil SDI de usuarios ajenos al DIGA, PTA \_\_\_\_\_

2. El DIGA pagará los royalties dos veces al año: el 31 de Enero y el 31 de Julio de cada año. Con cada pago se suministrarán las correspondientes estadísticas de uso.



#### ARTICULO 5 - Comercialización

1. El Productor se aviene a no cobrar royalties cuando la base de datos sea utilizada en seminarios, demostraciones y otras actividades de promoción organizadas por el DIGA o sus agentes.
2. El DIGA acuerda ofrecer acceso gratuito a la base de datos al Productor hasta un máximo de 10 horas mensuales, no acumulables de un mes a otro, para realizar pruebas, así como el tiempo adicional que se acuerde con fines promocionales.

#### ARTICULO 6 - Duración del Acuerdo

Este Acuerdo tendrá una duración indefinida a partir de la fecha de la firma por ambas partes, la cual constituirá el aniversario por cada período de doce meses de calendario.

#### ARTICULO 7 - Modificación y cancelación

1. Cada parte se reserva el derecho de finalizar este Acuerdo o de introducir cambios después de notificarlo a la otra parte, al menos tres meses por adelantado.
2. Una vez terminado el Acuerdo:
  - a) El DIGA borrará y cancelará todos los datos correspondientes a la base de datos que estén en su posesión, de los soportes informáticos donde se encuentren, en concordancia con los procedimientos usuales de los centros de proceso de datos, sin que en ningún caso tenga derecho a utilizarlos más.
  - b) El DIGA pagará todos los royalties computados hasta la fecha de cancelación, dentro de los sesenta días siguientes a dicha fecha.



#### ARTICULO 8 - Confidencialidad

El Productor no comunicará a terceros ninguna información sobre los usuarios del DIGA que pueda adquirir como consecuencia de la ejecución práctica de este Acuerdo.

#### ARTICULO 9 - Comunicaciones

1. Todas las comunicaciones que afecten los términos y condiciones de este Acuerdo o que estén relacionadas con su ejecución, se harán o se confirmarán por escrito.
2. Toda la correspondencia para el DIGA se dirigirá a la dirección indicada en la primera página de este Acuerdo.
  - a) Sobre aspectos técnicos a D. \_\_\_\_\_  
con copia a D. \_\_\_\_\_
  - b) Sobre aspectos contractuales y administrativos a D. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ con copia a D. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Toda la correspondencia para el Productor se dirigirá a la dirección indicada en la primera página de este Acuerdo.

#### ARTICULO 10 - Legislación aplicable

Este Acuerdo se regirá por las leyes españolas.



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ARTICULO 11 - Arbitraje

En caso de disputa sobre la interpretación o ejecución de este Acuerdo, se someterá al arbitrio de \_\_\_\_\_, a solicitud de cualquiera de las dos partes.

La decisión final será vinculante para cada parte y no se apelará contra la misma.

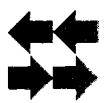
Hecho y firmado en dos copias originales, una para cada parte de este Acuerdo.

En representación del DIGA  
en \_\_\_\_\_  
fecha \_\_\_\_\_

En representación del Productor  
en \_\_\_\_\_  
fecha \_\_\_\_\_

D.  
Cargo: Director

D.  
Cargo:



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**ANEXO 5**

**Listado de bases de datos españolas obtenido de la base de datos  
"Cuadra Directory of Online Databases" del distribuidor ORBIT**

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## HOSTS ESPANOLES

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AN - 3388  
 NA - REGISTRO DE ESTABLECIMIENTOS INDUSTRIALES  
 NAS - RESIND  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Business & Industry Directories-Spain  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information.  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains descriptions of about 90,000 Spanish manufacturing firms registered with the Ministerio de Industria y Energia. Includes company name, address, telephone number, capital, capacity, number of employees, and products.  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI), Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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AN - 3387  
 NA - OFERTEC  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Business & Industry Directories-Spain  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains descriptions of about 500 Spanish engineering and consulting firms. Includes company name, address, telephone number, number of employees, and products and services. Source is the Ministerio de Industria y Energia.  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI), Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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AN - 3386  
 NA - DIRECTORIO DE EMPRESAS INDUSTRIALES  
 NAS - DATAEMP  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Business & Industry Directories-Spain  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information

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- UF - Annually  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains references to about 500,000 Spanish industrial firms registered with the Ministerio de Economia y Hacienda. Includes company name, address, and number of employees.  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI), Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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- AN - 3377  
 NA - EMPRESAS DE SUBCONTRATACION  
 NAS - BADASUB  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Business & Industry Directories-Spain  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains descriptions of about 5000 Spanish industrial subcontracting firms. Includes company name, address, telephone number, number of employees, subsidiaries, products, and factory-related data (e.g., equipment and capacity).  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI), Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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- AN - 2898  
 NA - LATIPAT  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
 IT - Patents  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Argentina, Colombia, and Mexico  
 TS - Argentina, 1968 to date; Mexico, 1975 to date; Columbia, 1977 to date.  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial (RPI)  
 OS - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial (RPI)  
 AB - Contains about 84,000 citations to patents granted in Argentina, Colombia, and Mexico. Includes international classification, applicant, significant dates, and priority information. Corresponds to Boletines de Propiedad Industrial.  
 SO - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial, Oficina de Difusion, Calle Panama 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 458 22 00 x331. Telex: 47020 RPI E. FAX: 34 (1) 259 24 28.

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AN - 2750  
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 NAS - PRES  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
 IT - News-Spain  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - 1983 to date  
 UF - About 700 records a week  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Hemeroteca Nacional; Servicios de Teledocumentacion (formerly Baratz, S.A.)  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de Información Cultural (PIC)  
 NO - Annual subscription fee of 75,000 pesetas to PIC required  
 AB - Contains over 140,000 citations, with abstracts, to Spanish newspaper articles on politics, socioeconomic, and labor.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Hemeroteca Nacional, Magdalena 10, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 468 54 99.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de Información Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
 SO - Servicios de Teledocumentacion, Gazztambide 61, 28015 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 449 20 48.  
 IS - Vol. 8, No. 3 (July 1987) [Revised]

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AN - 2649  
 NA - BIDAER  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
 IT - Energy  
 IT - Library Holdings-Catalogs  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - International  
 TS - 1975 to date  
 UF - About 100 records a week  
 PR - Instituto para la Diversificación y Ahorro de la Energía (IDAE)  
 OS - Instituto para la Diversificación y Ahorro de la Energía (IDAE)  
 AB - Contains over 10,000 citations, many with abstracts, to holdings of the Spanish Instituto para la Diversificación y Ahorro de la Energía (Institute for Diversification and Saving of Energy). Covers renewable energy sources (biomass, sun, wind) and energy balance, conservation, efficiency, and substitution. Sources include books, periodicals, pamphlets, and reports.  
 SO - Instituto para la Diversificación y Ahorro de la Energía (IDAE), Paseo de la Castellana 95, Edificio Torre Europa, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 442 90 22. Telex: 42885 SEID E.  
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AN - 2512  
NA - ESTACOM  
DT - Source (Numeric)  
IT - Trade-Spain  
CO - Spain  
TS - Current 5 years  
UF - Monthly  
PR - Instituto Espanol de Comercio Exterior (ICEX)  
OS - Instituto Espanol de Comercio Exterior (ICEX)  
AB - Contains monthly and annual time series on Spanish imports and exports. Data are aggregated by country of origin and destination. Also includes balance of trade figures for trading partners and regions. Source is the Spanish customs office.  
SO - Instituto Espanol de Comercio Exterior (ICEX), Paseo de la Castellana 14, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431 12 40. Telex: 44838 IECE E. FAX: 34 (1) 431 61 28.  
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AN - 2511  
NA - BISE  
DT - Reference (Referral)  
IT - Trade-International  
LA - Spanish  
CO - International  
TS - Current information  
UF - Daily  
PR - Instituto Espanol de Comercio Exterior (ICEX)  
OS - Instituto Espanol de Comercio Exterior (ICEX)  
AB - Contains about 47,000 notices of requests for bids on projects financed by international organizations and for international trade of goods and services. Includes name of organization, address, telephone and telex numbers, type of business activity, and description of goods or services being requested. Sources include Spanish consulates, commercial offices and chambers of commerce abroad, and publications and databases of international organizations (e.g., TED (Tenders Electronic Daily) (see)).  
SO - Instituto Espanol de Comercio Exterior (ICEX), Paseo de la Castellana 14, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431 12 40. Telex: 44838 IECE E. FAX: 34 (1) 431 61 28.  
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AN - 2510  
NA - FUNDESCO  
DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
IT - Communications & Telecommunications  
IT - Computer Science  
IT - Library & Information Science  
LA - Spanish, with titles also in original languages  
CO - Primarily Spain, with some international coverage  
TS - 1985 to date  
UF - About 50 items a day  
PR - Fundacion para el Desarrollo de la Funcion Social de las Comunicaciones (FUNDESCO)  
OS - Fundacion para el Desarrollo de la Funcion Social de las Comunicaciones (FUNDESCO)  
NO - Subscription to FUNDESCO required  
AB - Contains about 15,000 citations, with abstracts, to information science literature published in Spain or by Spanish authors outside of Spain. Covers applications and social impact of information science, artificial intelligence, electronics and telecommunications, public communications media, information and technology markets, programming, and robotics. Sources include books, technical reports, theses, conference proceedings, and over 70 periodicals.  
SO - Fundacion para el Desarrollo de la Funcion Social de las Comunicaciones (FUNDESCO), Calle Alcala 61, 28014 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431 12 14. Telex: 42608 USEF E.  
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AN - 2509  
NA - JURISTC  
DT - Source (Full Text)  
IT - Legal & Regulatory-Spain  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1981 to date  
UF - Twice a month  
PR - Datalex, S.A.  
OS - Datalex, S.A.  
AB - Contains brief discussions of points of law covered in the jurisprudence of the Spanish Constitutional Court. Includes keywords and names of relevant articles of law.  
SO - Datalex, S.A., Paseo de la Castellana 83-85, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 455 69 65.  
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AN - 2508  
NA - JURISP  
DT - Source (Full Text)  
IT - Legal & Regulatory-Spain  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1976 to date  
UF - Twice a month  
PR - Datalex, S.A.  
OS - Datalex, S.A.  
AB - Contains brief discussions of about 10,000 points of law covered in the jurisprudence of the criminal section of the Spanish Supreme Court. Includes keywords and names of relevant articles of law.  
SO - Datalex, S.A., Paseo de la Castellana 83-85, 28046 Madrid, Spain.  
Telephone: 34 (1) 455 69 65.  
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AN - 2507  
NA - JURISMC  
DT - Source (Full Text)  
IT - Legal & Regulatory-European Economic Community  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1972 to date  
UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
PR - Datalex, S.A.  
OS - Datalex, S.A.  
AB - Contains brief discussions of about 1000 points of law covered in the jurisprudence of the Court of Justice of the European Economic Community (EEC). Corresponds in part to CELEX (see).  
SO - Datalex, S.A., Paseo de la Castellana 83-85, 28046 Madrid, Spain.  
Telephone: 34 (1) 455 69 65.  
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AN - 2506  
NA - JURISL  
DT - Source (Full Text)  
IT - Legal & Regulatory-Spain  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1976 to date  
UF - Twice a month  
PR - Datalex, S.A.  
OS - Datalex, S.A.  
AB - Contains brief discussions of about 8000 points of law covered in the jurisprudence of the labor section of the Spanish Supreme

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Court. Includes keywords and names of relevant articles of law.

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AN - 2505  
NA - JURISCA  
DT - Source (Full Text)  
IT - Legal & Regulatory-Spain  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1976 to date  
UF - Twice a month  
PR - Datalex, S.A.  
OS - Datalex, S.A.  
AB - Contains brief discussions of about 8000 points of law covered in the jurisprudence of the administrative litigation section of the Spanish Supreme Court. Includes keywords and names of relevant articles of law.

SO - Datalex, S.A., Paseo de la Castellana 83-85, 28046 Madrid, Spain.  
Telephone: 34 (1) 455 69 65.

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AN - 2504  
NA - JURISC  
DT - Source (Full Text)  
IT - Legal & Regulatory-Spain  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1976 to date  
UF - Twice a month  
PR - Datalex, S.A.  
OS - Datalex, S.A.  
AB - Contains brief discussions of about 8000 points of law covered in the jurisprudence of the civil section of the Spanish Supreme Court. Includes keywords and names of relevant articles of law.

SO - Datalex, S.A., Paseo de la Castellana 83-85, 28046 Madrid, Spain.  
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AN - 2503  
 NA - PRINCIPIOS ACTIVOS FARMACOLOGICOS COMERCIALIZADOS EN ESPANA  
 NAS - PACTIV  
 DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
 IT - Pharmaceuticals & Pharmaceutical Industry  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Monthly  
 PR - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
 OS - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana;  
     Ministerio de Sanidad y Consumo, Direccion General de Farmacia y  
     Productos Sanitarios  
 NO - Subscription required  
 AB - Contains information on about 4700 active ingredients in drugs  
     authorized for use in Spain. Includes name, Chemical Abstracts  
     Service Registry Number, type of substance (e.g., chemical  
     compound, plant product, microorganism), clinical action and  
     mechanism, indications and contraindications, precautions,  
     interactions, side effects, posological data, pharmacokinetics,  
     and notes on use during pregnancy and lactation. Sources include  
     the pharmaceuticals register of the Ministerio de Sanidad y  
     Consumo and the international scientific literature.  
 SO - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana,  
     Calle Villanueva 11, 28001 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431  
     25 60.  
 SO - Ministerio de Sanidad y Consumo, Direccion General de Farmacia y  
     Productos Sanitarios, Paseo del Prado 18-20 #920, 28014 Madrid,  
     Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 468 63 40.  
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AN - 2502  
 NA - MEDICAMENTOS EN ENFERMEDADES CRONICAS  
 DT - Source (Full Text)  
 IT - Pharmaceuticals & Pharmaceutical Industry  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
 OS - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
 AB - Contains full text of original articles on risks associated with  
     the use of over 1700 drugs or active ingredients available in  
     Spain by patients with such chronic conditions as allergy to  
     penicillin or salicylate, angina, asthma, depression, diabetes,  
     epilepsy, glaucoma, hypertension, peptic ulcers, or insufficient  
     function of the heart, liver, or kidneys. Covers general actions  
     of each drug, possible effects on patients with chronic  
     conditions, contraindications, and precautions. Sources include  
     the international scientific literature and pharmacology

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databases.

- SO - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana,  
Calle Villanueva 11, 28001 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431  
25 60.  
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- AN - 2501  
NA - MEDICAMENTOS EN EL EMBARAZO  
DT - Reference (Bibliographic); Source (Full Text)  
IT - Pharmaceuticals & Pharmaceutical Industry  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - Articles, current information; bibliographies, 1980 to date.  
UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
PR - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
OS - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
AB - Contains full text of original articles, with bibliographies, on  
risks associated with the use of about 390 drugs available in  
Spain by pregnant women. Includes description, mechanism, and  
frequency of adverse effects on mother and fetus, relevant  
research results, and recommendations on usage. Sources include  
the international scientific literature and pharmacology  
databases.  
SO - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana,  
Calle Villanueva 11, 28001 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431  
25 60.  
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- AN - 2500  
NA - LABORATORIOS FARMACEUTICOS ESPANOLES  
DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
IT - Pharmaceuticals & Pharmaceutical Industry  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1972 to date  
UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
PR - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
OS - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
AB - Contains data on drugs produced by about 550 Spanish  
pharmaceutical manufacturers active since 1972, including those  
that have since discontinued business. Provides drug trade name,  
therapeutic category as defined in GRUPOS TERAPEUTICOS (see),  
number of dosage forms available, shelf life, conditions of  
dispensation (e.g., prescription required), and method of  
administration. Source is the pharmaceuticals register of the  
Ministerio de Sanidad y Consumo.  
SO - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana,  
Calle Villanueva 11, 28001 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431  
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AN - 2499  
NA - INTERACCIONES ENTRE MEDICAMENTOS  
DT - Reference (Bibliographic); Source (Textual-Numeric)  
IT - Pharmaceuticals & Pharmaceutical Industry  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1978 to date  
UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
PR - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
OS - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
AB - Contains descriptions of interactions between about 6700 pairs of drugs or active ingredients available in Spain. Provides names of drugs, mechanism of interaction, clinical effects and frequency of appearance, means for halting or preventing interaction, summaries of relevant published clinical studies, and bibliography. Sources include the international scientific literature and pharmacology databases.  
SO - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana, Calle Villanueva 11, 28001 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431 25 60.  
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AN - 2498  
NA - INTERACCIONES CON ANALISIS CLINICOS  
DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
IT - Pharmaceuticals & Pharmaceutical Industry  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - Current information  
UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
PR - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
OS - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
AB - Contains brief descriptions of the effects of about 175 drugs or their active ingredients on chemicals in the human body, as determined by blood and urine tests for such substances as bilirubin, calcium, cholesterol, corticosteroids, glucose, lactic acid, magnesium, potassium, prolactin, proteins, triglycerides, urea, and uric acid. Sources include the international scientific literature and pharmacology databases.  
SO - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana, Calle Villanueva 11, 28001 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431 25 60.  
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AN - 2497  
 NA - INFORMACION TERAPEUTICA A LOS PACIENTES  
 DT - Source (Full Text)  
 IT - Pharmaceuticals & Pharmaceutical Industry  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
 OS - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
 AB - Contains full text of instructions to patients for over 11,000  
 prescription drugs available in Spain. Includes correct  
 utilization, possible side effects, precautions, and  
 contraindications.  
 SO - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana,  
 Calle Villanueva 11, 28001 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431  
 25 60.  
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AN - 2413  
 NA - DATABAS  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Information Systems & Services-Directories  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Annually  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains descriptions of about 600 worldwide databases available  
 in Spain. Includes database name, type, size, geographical and  
 chronological coverage, country of origin, data sources and  
 producer, distributor, frequency of updating, and subject matter.  
 Source is the Centro para el Desarrollo de la Empresa CDE.  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI),  
 Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34  
 (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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AN - 2384  
 NA - GRUPOS TERAPEUTICOS  
 DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
 IT - Pharmaceuticals & Pharmaceutical Industry  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available

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PR - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
 OS - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
 AB - Contains data on 423 therapeutic categories of drugs available in Spain. Provides trade name, number of dosage forms available, shelf life, conditions of dispensation (e.g., prescription required), and method of administration. Source is the pharmaceuticals register of the Ministerio de Sanidad y Consumo.  
 SO - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana, Calle Villanueva 11, 28001 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431 25 60.  
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AN - 2200  
 NA - DISPOSICIONES LEGALES  
 NAS - DISLEG  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
 IT - Legal & Regulatory-Spain  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - 1980 to date  
 UF - Daily  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains citations, with abstracts, to about 4000 Spanish national and local business regulations.  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI), Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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AN - 2199  
 NA - AYUDAS  
 NAS - ACCIONES DE FOMENTO  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Funding Sources, Contracts & Awards  
 IT - Government-Spain  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Daily  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains about 1700 references to Spanish national and local government subsidies and other forms of financial support for businesses.  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI), Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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AN - 2198  
 NA - ACTIVIDADES FORMATIVAS  
 NAS - ACTFOR  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Conferences & Meetings  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Daily  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains references to about 2500 publicly and privately sponsored courses and training programs of interest to businesses.  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI), Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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AN - 2197  
 NA - FERIAS Y EXPOSICIONES  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Conferences & Meetings  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - European Economic Community (Belgium, Denmark, Federal Republic of Germany, France, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, The Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, and U.K.)  
 TS - Current year  
 UF - Weekly  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains references to about 1800 European Economic Community (EEC) trade fairs and expositions. Includes dates and location, frequency, size of exposition space, expected number of exhibitors, products being exhibited, and organizer address, telephone, and telex.  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI), Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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AN - 2196  
 NA - EMPRESAS  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Business & Industry Directories-Spain  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information

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UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains descriptions of about 7000 Spanish business firms.  
     Includes company name, address, telephone, telex, and a summary  
     of products or services offered.  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI),  
     Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34  
     (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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AN - 2195  
 NA - TRAMITES  
 DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
 IT - Legal & Regulatory-Spain  
 IT - Legal Forms & Procedures  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current as of January 1987  
 UF - Not updated  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains descriptions of about 250 administrative reporting  
     procedures required of industries by the Spanish national and  
     regional governments. Includes summaries of required forms and  
     documents, and offices to which they should be submitted.  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI),  
     Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34  
     (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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AN - 2194  
 NA - ORGANISMOS DE LA ADMINISTRACION  
 NAS - ORGADM  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Government-Spain  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current as of January 1987  
 UF - Not updated  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains references to about 2300 Spanish national and regional  
     government administrative offices. Includes address, position  
     within the government, and function.  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI),  
     Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34  
     (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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AN - 2193  
 NA - CONCURSOS PUBLICOS  
 NAS - CONPUB  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Funding Sources, Contracts & Awards  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Daily  
 PR - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 OS - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI)  
 AB - Contains about 5000 references to requests by Spanish national,  
 regional, and local governments for competitive bids on supplies  
 and services.  
 SO - Instituto de la Pequena y Mediana Empresa Industrial (IMPI),  
 Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34  
 (1) 450 80 48 x11.  
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AN - 2091  
 NA - BASE DE DATOS GEOMAGNETICOS  
 NAS - BASEMAG  
 DT - Source (Numeric)  
 IT - Earth Sciences  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - 1962 to date  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Instituto Geografico Nacional (IGN)  
 OS - Instituto Geografico Nacional (IGN)  
 AB - Contains about 1200 records of geomagnetic measurements taken by  
 observation stations in Spain. Includes station name and  
 number, latitude, longitude, altitude, and geomagnetic values.  
 SO - Instituto Geografico Nacional, Calle General Ibanez de Ibero 3,  
 28003 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 233 38 00 x461.  
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AN - 2052  
 NA - BIBLIOGRAFIA ESPECIALIZADA SOBRE MATERIAS ESPECIFICAS  
 NAS - BIBLIOGRAFIA ESPECIALIZADA SOBRE CIENCIAS DE LA INFORMACION;  
     BIBLIOGRAFIA ESPECIALIZADA SOBRE COMUNICACION PUBLICITARIA;  
     BIBLIOGRAFIA ESPECIALIZADA SOBRE ADMINISTRACION PUBLICA;  
     BIBLIOGRAFIA ESPECIALIZADA SOBRE LA MUJER; BIES-BECI; BIES-BIMU;  
     BIES-DCPE; BIES-INAP  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
 IT - Administration & Management  
 IT - Advertising & Advertising Industry  
 IT - Library & Information Science

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IT - Science & Technology  
 IT - Women's Studies  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Public administration, international; other topics, Spain.  
 TS - Varies by topic, with earliest data from 1900  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Instituto de la Mujer; Instituto Nacional de la Administracion Publica, Centro de Estudios y Documentacion; Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Facultad de Ciencias de la Informacion  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tcnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Consists of 5 files of citations to Spanish periodicals, books, and conference proceedings.  
 AB - BIBLIOGRAFIA ESPECIALIZADA SOBRE ADMINISTRACION PUBLICA. Contains about 31,000 citations to literature on public administration.  
 AB - BIBLIOGRAFIA ESPECIALIZADA SOBRE CIENCIAS DE LA INFORMACION. Contains about 7,000 citations to literature on information science.  
 AB - BIBLIOGRAFIA ESPECIALIZADA SOBRE COMUNICACION PUBLICITARIA. Contains about 12,000 citations to literature on advertising.  
 AB - BIBLIOGRAFIA ESPECIALIZADA SOBRE LA MUJER. Contains about 7,000 citations to literature on women's issues.  
 AB - INDICE ESPANOL DE CIENCIA Y TECNOLOGIA. (see)  
 SO - Instituto de la Mujer, Almagro 36, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 410 39 74.  
 SO - Instituto Nacional de la Administracion Publica, Centro de Estudios y Documentacion, Alcala de Henares, Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 888 22 00.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tcnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
 SO - Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Facultad de Ciencias de la Informacion, Ciudad Universitaria, 28040 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 449 67 30.  
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AN - 1830  
 NA - YACIMIENTOS ARQUEOLOGICOS ESPANOLES  
 NAS - YAAR  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic and Referral)  
 IT - Archaeology  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Direccion General de Bellas Artes y Archivos  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tcnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains references to over 13,000 archaeological sites in Spain.

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Includes site name, county and province, location on national topographical map, culture and period of the site contents, a general description of the archaeological finds, and a relevant bibliography.

- SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Direccion General de Bellas Artes y Archivos, Centro Nacional de Informacion y Documentacion del Patrimonio Historico, Museo Espanol de Arte Contemporaneo, Juan de Herrera s/n, 28040 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 449 71 50.
- SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.
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- AN - 1828
- NA - TELEBROKER
- DT - Source (Numeric)
- IT - Agricultural Industry
- IT - Commodities-Spain
- CO - Spain
- TS - Current information
- UF - Daily
- PR - Telebroker, S.A.
- OS - Telebroker, S.A.
- AB - Contains daily, weekly, and biweekly price data on primary agricultural products used for livestock feeds in Spain. Also contains warehouse and market prices for livestock products. Includes current prices, trends, and market indicators, aggregated by region and by product.
- SO - Telebroker, S.A., Principe de Vergara 7, 3-Izquierda, 28001 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 275 12 16; 34 (1) 275 15 36; 34 (1) 275 14 99. Telex: 45480 E.
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- AN - 1827
- NA - SITADEX
- DT - Reference (Referral)
- IT - Patents
- IT - Trademarks
- LA - Spanish
- CO - Spain
- TS - 1964 to date
- UF - Twice a month
- PR - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial (RPI)
- OS - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial (RPI)
- AB - Contains information on the current status of about 650,000 applications for patents, designs, and trademarks in Spain.
- SO - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial, Oficina de Difusion, Calle Panama 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 458 22 00 x331.

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Telex: 47020 RPI E. FAX: 34 (1) 259 24 28.  
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AN - 1826  
NA - SEGURIDAD E HIGIENE EN EL TRABAJO  
NAS - SEGUTRA  
DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
IT - Occupational Safety & Health  
LA - Spanish  
CO - International  
TS - 1972 to date  
UF - Monthly  
PR - Instituto Nacional de Seguridad e Higiene en el Trabajo  
OS - Instituto Nacional de Seguridad e Higiene en el Trabajo  
AB - Contains approximately 50,000 citations to the worldwide journal literature on industrial health and safety. Covers industrial hygiene and medicine, industrial toxicology, legislation, psycho-social factors, risk prevention, and safety training.  
SO - Instituto Nacional de Seguridad e Higiene en el Trabajo, Centro Nacional de Informacion y Documentacion, Calle Dulcet s/n, 08034 Barcelona, Spain. Telephone: 34 (3) 204 45 00.  
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AN - 1824  
NA - REGISTROS SONOROS  
NAS - BNRS  
DT - Reference (Referral)  
IT - Audiovisual Materials-Catalogs  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - Current information  
UF - Annually  
PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Biblioteca Nacional  
OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
AB - Contains references to more than 12,000 audio recordings included in the collection of the Biblioteca Nacional de Madrid. Includes author or composer, title, performers, physical data (e.g., record or tape, size, speed, stereophonic), and the names of other pieces on the same recording.  
SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Biblioteca Nacional, Recoletos 20 and 22, 1st Floor, 28004 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 275 68 00.  
SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1823  
NA - AGUAS  
DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
IT - Water Resources Management  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - Current information  
UF - Monthly  
PR - Instituto Geologico y Minero de Espana (IGME)  
OS - Instituto Geologico y Minero de Espana (IGME) (to be available in 1989)  
AB - Contains descriptions of approximately 310,000 water wells in Spain. Includes hydrological measurements, geothermal and lithological data, chemical analyses, and current use information.  
SO - Instituto Geologico y Minero de Espana (IGME), Calle Rios Rosas 23, 28003 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 441 65 00.  
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AN - 1822  
NA - PRIMEROS PUESTOS DEL DEPORTE ESPANOL  
NAS - DESP  
DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
IT - Sports  
LA - Spanish  
CO - International  
TS - 1938 to date  
UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Consejo Superior de Deportes  
OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
AB - Contains information on approximately 1000 medals and other honors won by Spanish athletes in international sports competitions. Includes year, name of competition, type of sport, event, place won (i.e., 1st, 2nd, 3rd), and names of winning Spanish participants.  
SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Consejo Superior de Deportes, Martin Fierro s/n, 28040 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 449 39 24 x334.  
SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1821  
 NA - OLIMPIADAS  
 NAS - OLIM  
 DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
 IT - Sports  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - International  
 TS - Olympics events, 1896 to date; other world competitions, 1960 to date.  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Consejo Superior de Deportes  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de Información Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains results of over 3000 Winter and Summer Olympics events and other world championships. Includes year, name of competition, location, event, and countries winning each of the medals.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Consejo Superior de Deportes, Martín Fierro s/n, 28040 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 449 39 24 x334.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de Información Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1820  
 NA - OFERES  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Business & Industry Directories-Spain  
 IT - Trade-Spain  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Most data, current information; total export volume, most recent 4 years.  
 UF - Every 2 weeks  
 PR - Instituto Español de Comercio Exterior (ICEX)  
 OS - Instituto Español de Comercio Exterior (ICEX)  
 AB - Contains trade data for approximately 45,000 export companies in Spain. Includes name, address, telephone and telex numbers, number of employees, export representative, languages, activity (e.g., manufacture, trade), current annual and total export volume, product sector, trademarks and brand names, and trade partners.  
 SO - Instituto Español de Comercio Exterior (ICEX), Paseo de la Castellana 14, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431 12 40. Telex: 44838 IECE E. FAX: 34 (1) 431 61 28.  
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AN - 1819  
 NA - OBRAS DE TEATRO ESTRENADAS EN ESPANA  
 NAS - TEAT  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Performing Arts  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - 1945 to date  
 UF - Annually  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains information on first performances of over 2200 plays in Spain. Includes author, title, theater, director, set designer, costume designer, and actors for each play.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1818  
 NA - OBRAS EXPUESTAS EN MUSEOS ESPANOLES  
 NAS - ARTE  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Art  
 IT - Museums & Galleries-Catalogs  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Direccion General de Bellas Artes y Archivos  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains over 9100 references to art works displayed in several museums of Spain. References include museum, location, source of acquisition, title, date, the work, and other pertinent information (e.g., doubtful authorship).  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Direccion General de Bellas Artes y Archivos, Centro Nacional de Informacion y Documentacion del Patrimonio Historico, Museo Espanol de Arte Contemporaneo, Juan de Herrera s/n, 28040 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 449 71 50.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.

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AN - 1817  
NA - LINEAS LIMITE DE TERMINOS MUNICIPALES  
DT - Source (Numeric)  
IT - Maps  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1870 to date  
UF - Annually  
PR - Instituto Geografico Nacional (IGN)  
OS - Instituto Geografico Nacional (IGN)  
AB - Contains 8000 records of cartographic data on Spain. Includes coordinates for all component points along municipal administrative boundaries.  
SO - Instituto Geografico Nacional, Calle General Ibanez de Ibero 3, 28003 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 233 38 00 x461.  
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AN - 1816  
NA - LIBROS ESPANOLES EN VENTA  
NAS - SPANISH BOOKS IN PRINT; ISBN  
DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
IT - Publishers & Distributors-Catalogs  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1965 to date  
UF - Monthly  
PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Agencia Espanola del ISBN  
OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
AB - Contains citations to about 450,000 books published in Spain for which an International Standard Book Number (ISBN) has been assigned. Includes ISBN, author, title, publisher, date, physical format, price, and subjects.  
SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Agencia Espanola del ISBN, Santiago Rusinol 8, 28040 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 253 93 29; 34 (1) 233 08 02.  
SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1815  
 NA - INVENTARIO DEL PATRIMONIO HISTORICO-ARTISTICO ESPANOL  
 NAS - IPAT  
 DT - Source (Full Text)  
 IT - Architecture  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Documents currently in force  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains full text of approximately 4000 Spanish government documents regarding historical and artistic monuments. Covers buildings, ruins, and architectural aggregations.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1814  
 NA - INVENTARIO DEL PATRIMONIO ARQUITECTONICO ESPANOL  
 NAS - IPAA  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Architecture  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Direccion General de Bellas Artes y Archivos  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains data on the preservation of more than 71,500 architectural monuments in Spain. Includes name, location, relevant centuries, relevant architectural styles, descriptions of the exterior and interior, and observations on other art works within the building.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Direccion General de Bellas Artes y Archivos, Centro Nacional de Informacion y Documentacion del Patrimonio Historico, Museo Espanol de Arte Contemporaneo, Juan de Herrera s/n, 28040 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 449 71 50.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.

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AN - 1813  
 NA - INVENTARIO MUSICAL  
 NAS - IMUS  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Music & Music Industry  
 IT - Performing Arts  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Annually  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Instituto Nacional de las Artes Escénicas  
       y de la Musica, Centro de Documentacion Musical  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de  
       Información Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains descriptions of about 4100 music performance groups,  
       academies, and other musical entities in Spain. Includes name,  
       type of group, director, management name and address, number of  
       musicians, sponsors, date of founding, and a description of the  
       group's repertoire.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Instituto Nacional de las Artes Escénicas  
       y de la Musica, Centro de Documentacion Musical, Teatro Real,  
       Plaza Isabel II, 28013 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 248 72 48.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de  
       Información Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain.  
       Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286  
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AN - 1812  
 NA - INFRAESTRUCTURA TEATRAL  
 NAS - ITEA  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Performing Arts  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Instituto Nacional de las Artes Escénicas  
       y de la Musica, Centro de Documentacion Teatral  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de  
       Información Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains descriptions of the 490 theater facilities in Spain.  
       Includes theater name and address, name and address of  
       management organization, type of facility, proscenium and stage  
       measurements, orchestra pit capacity, data on stage lights and  
       circuitry, other facilities (e.g., dressing rooms, heating, bar),  
       number of productions presented annually, and types of events

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- presented (e.g., plays, concerts, ballet, opera).
- SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Instituto Nacional de las Artes Escenicas y de la Musica, Centro de Documentacion Teatral, Capitan Haya 44, 28020 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 270 57 49.
- SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de Información Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.
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- AN - 1811
- NA - INDICE ESPANOL DE CIENCIA Y TECNOLOGIA
- NAS - ICYT
- DT - Reference (Bibliographic)
- IT - Science & Technology
- LA - Spanish
- CO - Spain
- TS - 1979 to date
- UF - Every 6 months
- PR - Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Cientificas, Instituto de Informacion y Documentacion en Ciencia y Tecnologia
- OS - Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Cientificas, Instituto de Informacion y Documentacion en Ciencia y Tecnologia; Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de Información Cultural (PIC); Ministerio de Educacion y Ciencia
- AB - Contains over 30,000 citations to Spanish literature on science and technology. Covers agronomy, astronomy and astrophysics, chemistry, earth sciences, life sciences, logic, mathematics, pharmacology, physics, and technology. Sources include journals, monographs, theses, yearbooks, and proceedings.
- SO - Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Cientificas, Instituto de Informacion y Documentacion en Ciencia y Tecnologia (ICYT), Calle Joaquin Costa 22, 28002 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 261 48 08. Telex: 22628 CIDMD E.
- SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de Información Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.
- SO - Ministerio de Educacion y Ciencia, Centro de Proceso de Datos, Calle Vitrubio 4, 5th Floor, 28006 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 262 96 11.
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AN - 1809  
 NA - INDICE MEDICO ESPANOL  
 NAS - IME; INDEX MEDICUS ESPANOL  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
 IT - Biomedicine  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - 1971 to date  
 UF - Quarterly  
 PR - Caja de Ahorros de Valencia; Universidad de Valencia CSIC;  
       Universidad de Valencia, Facultad de Medicina, Centro de  
       Documentacion e Informatica Biomedica (CEDIB)  
 OS - Universidad de Valencia, Facultad de Medicina, Centro de  
       Documentacion e Informatica Biomedica (CEDIB)  
 AB - Contains about 100,000 citations to articles in medical journals  
       published in Spain.  
 SO - Caja de Ahorros de Valencia, c/o Universidad de Valencia,  
       Facultad de Medicina, Centro de Documentacion e Informatica  
       Biomedica (CEDIB), Avenida Blasco Ibanez 17, 46010 Valencia,  
       Spain. Telephone: 34 (6) 369 24 66.  
 SO - Universidad de Valencia CSIC, c/o Universidad de Valencia,  
       Facultad de Medicina, Centro de Documentacion e Informatica  
       Biomedica (CEDIB), Avenida Blasco Ibanez 17, 46010 Valencia,  
       Spain. Telephone: 34 (6) 369 24 66.  
 SO - Universidad de Valencia, Facultad de Medicina, Centro de  
       Documentacion e Informatica Biomedica (CEDIB), Avenida Blasco  
       Ibanez 17, 46010 Valencia, Spain. Telephone: 34 (6) 369 24 66.  
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AN - 1808  
 NA - INPAMAR  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Trademarks  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - 1876 to date  
 UF - Twice a month  
 PR - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial (RPI)  
 OS - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial (RPI)  
 AB - Contains information on the approximately 1 million trademarks,  
       commercial names, and logos registered in Spain. Includes name,  
       registration number, date of registration, and classification.  
 SO - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial, Oficina de Difusion, Calle  
       Panama 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 458 22 00 x331.  
       Telex: 47020 RPI E. FAX: 34 (1) 259 24 28.  
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AN - 1807  
 NA - HEMEROTECA NACIONAL  
 NAS - HENA  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
 IT - Library Holdings-Catalogs  
 LA - Spanish, with titles in original languages  
 CO - Primarily Spain, with some international coverage  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Annually  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Biblioteca Nacional  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains citations to the more than 3100 periodicals held by the Hemeroteca Nacional in Madrid, Spain. Includes title, type of publication, periodicity, starting date, location, subject matter, format, price, and current director and editor.  
 S0 - Ministerio de Cultura, Biblioteca Nacional, Recoletos 20 and 22, 1st Floor, 28004 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 275 68 00.  
 S0 - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1806  
 NA - GASTRONOMIA ESPANOLA  
 DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
 IT - Cooking & Recipes  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains approximately 2100 recipes for Spanish dishes, collected from various cookbooks.  
 S0 - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
 S0 - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1805  
 NA - GALERIAS DE ARTE Y SALAS DE EXPOSICIONES  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Art  
 IT - Museums & Galleries-Directories  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains descriptions of the approximately 1000 art galleries and exposition halls in Spain. Descriptions of each entity include name, location, date established, director, permanent holdings, emphasis, and a summary of activities.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1803  
 NA - FUTBOL INTERNACIONAL  
 DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
 IT - Sports  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Primarily Spain, with some international coverage  
 TS - Spanish matches, 1920 to date; international matches, 1930 to date.  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Consejo Superior de Deportes  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains descriptions of over 700 soccer games from Spanish national and international final matches. Descriptions include teams names, type of competition (e.g., Seleccion Nacional, World Cup), category (e.g., professional, amateur A), location of match, score, names of players who scored goals, name and country of head referee, starting line-ups, and a summary of the game.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Consejo Superior de Deportes, Martin Fierro s/n, 28040 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 449 39 24 x334.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.

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AN - 1802  
NA - ESPECIALIDADES FARMACEUTICAS ESPANOLAS  
NAS - ESPES  
DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
IT - Pharmaceuticals & Pharmaceutical Industry  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1979 to date  
UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
PR - Ministerio de Sanidad y Consumo, Direccion General de Farmacia y Productos Sanitarios  
OS - Ministerio de Sanidad y Consumo, Direccion General de Farmacia y Productos Sanitarios  
AB - Contains descriptions of the approximately 12,000 drugs registered for use in Spain. Includes trade name, form and size, definition, active and excipient ingredients, usage and benefits, dosage and administration, manufacturer, and price.  
SO - Ministerio de Sanidad y Consumo, Direccion General de Farmacia y Productos Sanitarios, Paseo del Prado 18-20 #920, 28014 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 468 63 40.  
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AN - 1801  
NA - ESPECIALIDADES CONSUMIDAS POR LA SEGURIDAD SOCIAL  
NAS - ECOM  
DT - Source (Numeric)  
IT - Pharmaceuticals & Pharmaceutical Industry  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1980 to date  
UF - Annually  
PR - Ministerio de Sanidad y Consumo, Direccion General de Farmacia y Productos Sanitarios  
OS - Ministerio de Sanidad y Consumo, Direccion General de Farmacia y Productos Sanitarios  
AB - Contains consumption data on about 21,000 drugs distributed under authority of the Social Security system of Spain. Includes quantities (i.e., units sold) and prices. Data are aggregated by province.  
SO - Ministerio de Sanidad y Consumo, Direccion General de Farmacia y Productos Sanitarios, Paseo del Prado 18-20 #920, 28014 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 468 63 40.  
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AN - 1799  
 NA - DESCRIPCION DEL PATRIMONIO HISTORICO-ARTISTICO ESPANOL  
 NAS - DPHA  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Architecture  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains approximately 2000 descriptions of important architectural monuments in Spain covered in INVENTARIO DEL PATRIMONIO ARQUITECTONICO ESPANOL (see). Includes name of monument, location, type of building, style, period, relevant dates, and a brief summary of architectural features.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1798  
 NA - CRONOS-INE  
 DT - Source (Numeric)  
 IT - Economics-Spain  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Varies by series  
 UF - Monthly  
 PR - Instituto Nacional de Estadistica (INE)  
 OS - Instituto Nacional de Estadistica (INE)  
 AB - Contains approximately 78,000 time series of Spanish economic, demographic, and sociological statistics.  
 SO - Instituto Nacional de Estadistica (INE), Paseo de la Castellana 183, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 279 77 87.  
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AN - 1797  
 NA - CONCURSOS Y CERTAMENES CULTURALES  
 NAS - CECU  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Art  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Weekly  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de  
     Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains references to art and cultural competitions in Spain.  
     Includes type of art, name of competition, sponsor, location,  
     dates, and prizes.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Plaza del Rey  
     1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429  
     77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de  
     Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain.  
     Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286  
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AN - 1796  
 NA - CINEMATOGRAFIA  
 NAS - CINE  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Films & Film Industry  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Spanish-made films, 1898 to date; foreign-made films, 1945 to  
     date.  
 UF - Every 2 months  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Instituto de la Cinematografia y de las  
     Artes Audiovisuales  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de  
     Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains references to approximately 27,000 films that have been  
     made or distributed in Spain. Includes Spanish title, country of  
     origin, producers, directors, source of the film story, script  
     writers, photographers, composers, major actors, running time,  
     projection format, film rating (e.g., adults only, parental  
     guidance), and distributors.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Instituto de la Cinematografia y de las  
     Artes Audiovisuales, Ctra. Dehesa de la Villa s/n, 28040 Madrid,  
     Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 449 00 11.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de  
     Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain.  
     Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286

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AN - 1795  
 NA - CIBERPAT  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
 IT - Patents  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - 1964 to date  
 UF - Every 2 weeks  
 PR - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial (RPI)  
 OS - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial (RPI)  
 AB - Contains approximately 350,000 references to patents and utility models granted in Spain. Includes international classification, applicant, significant dates, and priority information. References to patents granted after 1982 also include an abstract of the patented work.  
 SO - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial, Oficina de Difusion, Calle Panama 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 458 22 00 x331. Telex: 47020 RPI E. FAX: 34 (1) 259 24 28.  
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AN - 1792  
 NA - CENSO DE MUSEOS DE ESPANA  
 NAS - CMUS  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic and Referral)  
 IT - Museums & Galleries-Directories  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Direccion General de Bellas Artes y Archivos  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains descriptions of the 743 museums in Spain. Each record includes location, date of founding, history, administrative staff, holdings, entrance fee, and hours of service. Also includes a bibliography of materials on Spanish museums. Corresponds to Museos y Colecciones de Espana.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Direccion General de Bellas Artes y Archivos, Centro Nacional de Informacion y Documentacion del Patrimonio Historico, Museo Espanol de Arte Contemporaneo, Juan de Herrera s/n, 28040 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 449 71 50.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286  
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AN - 1790  
NA - CENSO DE EDITORIALES  
NAS - EDIT  
DT - Reference (Referral)  
IT - Publishing & Publishing Industry-Directories  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Primarily Spain, with some coverage of other Spanish-speaking countries  
TS - Current information  
UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Agencia Espanola del ISBN  
OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
AB - Contains references to about 3153 publishing companies in Spain.  
Also includes selected Latin American publishing companies represented in Spain.  
SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Agencia Espanola del ISBN, Santiago Rusinol 8, 28040 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 253 93 29; 34 (1) 233 08 02.  
SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain.  
Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1789  
NA - CENSO DE BIBLIOTECAS  
NAS - CBIB  
DT - Reference (Referral)  
IT - Information Systems & Services-Directories  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - Current information  
UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Biblioteca Nacional  
OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
AB - Contains references to about 6000 public libraries in Spain.  
Descriptions include address and telephone number, type of library, date established, number of works by type (e.g., books, periodicals, encyclopedias, dictionaries), hours of service, conditions of access, other services available (e.g., photocopying), and interlibrary connections.  
SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Biblioteca Nacional, Recoletos 20 and 22, 1st Floor, 28004 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 275 68 00.  
SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain.

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AN - 1788  
 NA - CENSO DE ARCHIVOS  
 NAS - CARC  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Information Systems & Services-Directories  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Direccion de los Archivos Estatales  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tcnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains references to more than 23,000 Spanish government, church, and private archives. Descriptions of each archive include address, business hours, administrative classification, conditions of access, and a summary of the collections and statistical data available.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Direccion de los Archivos Estatales (C.I.D.A), Direccion General de Bellas Artes y Archivos, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 521 56 26. Telex: 27286 CULTU E.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tcnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1787  
 NA - CATASTRO MINERO  
 DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
 IT - Mining & Mining Industry  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Monthly  
 PR - Direccion General de Minas  
 OS - Instituto Geologico y Minero de Espana (IGME) (to be available in 1989)  
 AB - Contains descriptions of the approximately 18,000 mining grants in Spain. Contains administrative, topographical, and technical information on exploration and mining permits, mining concessions, and national reserves.  
 SO - Direccion General de Minas, Paseo de la Castellana 160, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 259 80 51.  
 SO - Instituto Geologico y Minero de Espana (IGME), Calle Rios Rosas 23, 28003 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 441 65 00.

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AN - 1786  
 NA - CATALOGO COLECTIVO DE PUBLICACIONES PERIODICAS  
 NAS - CPUP  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
 IT - Library Holdings-Catalogs  
 IT - Social Sciences & Humanities  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Annually  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Biblioteca Nacional  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de Información Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains approximately 15,000 citations to periodicals held in the libraries of Spain. Currently covers only the social sciences. Each citation includes a list of the libraries in which the work may be found.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Biblioteca Nacional, Recoletos 20 and 22, 1st Floor, 28004 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 275 68 00.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de Información Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1784  
 NA - BIOGRAFIAS  
 NAS - BIOG  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Biographies  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Primarily Spain  
 TS - Painters born prior to 1900; writers born in the 20th century; musicians born prior to 1940.  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica  
 OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de Información Cultural (PIC)  
 AB - Contains over 13,000 biographies of Spanish painters, writers, and musicians. Also covers musicians from other countries. Biographies include lists of major works and bibliographies.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
 SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Técnica, Puntos de Información Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286

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AN - 1783

NA - BIBLOS

DT - Reference (Bibliographic)

IT - Library Holdings-Catalogs

IT - Trade-International

LA - Spanish

CO - Spain

TS - Current information

UF - Weekly

PR - Instituto Espanol de Comercio Exterior (ICEX)

OS - Instituto Espanol de Comercio Exterior (ICEX)

AB - Contains citations, with abstracts, to the approximately 7000 books and periodicals in the library of the INFE. Includes general interest and trade periodicals, directories, market information, and studies of foreign trade.

SO - Instituto Espanol de Comercio Exterior (ICEX), Paseo de la Castellana 14, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431 12 40. Telex: 44838 IECE E. FAX: 34 (1) 431 61 28.

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AN - 1782

NA - BIBLIOGRAFIA EXTRANJERA DEPOSITADA EN LA BIBLIOTECA NACIONAL

NAS - BNBE

DT - Reference (Bibliographic)

IT - Library Holdings-Catalogs

LA - Spanish

CO - Spain

UF - Annually

PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Biblioteca Nacional

OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)

AB - Contains approximately 27,500 citations to books of non-Spanish origin in the Biblioteca Nacional of Spain.

SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Biblioteca Nacional, Recoletos 20 and 22, 1st Floor, 28004 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 275 68 00.

SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.

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AN - 1779  
NA - BIBLIOGRAFIA ESPANOLA  
NAS - BIBL  
DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
IT - Library Holdings-Catalogs  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1976 to date  
UF - Monthly  
PR - Ministerio de Cultura, Biblioteca Nacional  
OS - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC)  
AB - Contains citations to the approximately 160,000 books cataloged by the Biblioteca Nacional since 1976. Includes author, title, publisher, International Standard Book Number, price, and subjects.  
SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Biblioteca Nacional, Recoletos 20 and 22, 1st Floor, 28004 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 275 68 00.  
SO - Ministerio de Cultura, Secretaria General Tecnica, Puntos de Informacion Cultural (PIC), Plaza del Rey 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 429 24 44; 34 (1) 429 77 11. Telex: 27286 CULTURA E.  
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AN - 1778  
NA - BASE DE DATOS DE VERTICES GEODESICOS  
DT - Source (Numeric)  
IT - Geography  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1870 to date  
UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
PR - Instituto Geografico Nacional (IGN)  
OS - Instituto Geografico Nacional (IGN)  
AB - Contains data on approximately 3200 vertices in the national geodetic grid of Spain. Includes coordinates, altitude, constructive characteristics, access, and relationship to other vertices.  
SO - Instituto Geografico Nacional, Calle General Ibanez de Ibero 3, 28003 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 233 38 00 x461.  
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AN - 1775  
 NA - BASE DE DATOS DE ENTIDADES DE POBLACION  
 DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
 IT - Demographics & Population  
 IT - Geography  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - 1870 to date  
 UF - Approximately every 10 years  
 PR - Instituto Geografico Nacional (IGN)  
 OS - Instituto Geografico Nacional (IGN)  
 AB - Contains approximately 63,000 records of Spanish geographic and population data. For each geographic entity, includes location (e.g., municipality, province, map coordinates), altitude, category (e.g., settlement, village, town, city), historical and current population statistics, and other cartographic data.  
 SO - Instituto Geografico Nacional, Calle General Ibanez de Ibero 3, 28003 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 233 38 00 x461.  
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AN - 1774  
 NA - BASE DE DATOS DE SENALES GRAVIMETRICAS  
 NAS - BASEGRA  
 DT - Source (Numeric)  
 IT - Earth Sciences  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - 1870 to date  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Instituto Geografico Nacional (IGN)  
 OS - Instituto Geografico Nacional (IGN)  
 AB - Contains approximately 30,000 records of gravimetric analyses of Spain. Includes location of the gravimetric station (latitude, longitude, altitude, geographical entity), date of observation, anomalies, and zonal information.  
 SO - Instituto Geografico Nacional, Calle General Ibanez de Ibero 3, 28003 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 233 38 00 x461.  
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AN - 1773  
 NA - BASE DE DATOS ESTADISTICOS MUNICIPALES DE CATALUNA  
 NAS - BEM  
 DT - Source (Numeric)  
 IT - Demographics & Population  
 IT - Economics-Spain  
 CO - Spain (Catalonia)  
 TS - 1975 to date  
 UF - Annually  
 PR - Consorcio de Informacion y Documentacion de Cataluna (CIDC)

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- OS - Consorcio de Informacion y Documentacion de Cataluna (CIDC)  
 AB - Contains over 400 annual time series of socio-economic and demographic data for each of the 940 municipalities in Catalonia. Covers population, including language census; housing and utilities; schools and pre-schools; health-care facilities; communications (e.g., number of telephone lines); transportation (e.g., numbers of automobiles, public vehicles, tractors); business and industry; financial institutions; agriculture; and tourist facilities (e.g., hotels, campsites).  
 SO - Consorcio de Informacion y Documentacion de Cataluna, Calle Urgell 187, 08036 Barcelona, Spain. Telephone: 34 (3) 321 80 00.  
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- AN - 1772  
 NA - BARATZ  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
 IT - Social Sciences & Humanities  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - 1981 to date  
 UF - About 200 records twice a week  
 PR - Servicios de Teledocumentacion  
 OS - Servicios de Teledocumentacion (formerly Baratz, S.A.)  
 NO - Monthly subscription to Servicios de Teledocumentacion required  
 AB - Contains about 190,000 citations, with abstracts, to articles on the social sciences and humanities. Emphasis is on economics, labor, politics, and social welfare. Covers about 180 Spanish journals and other periodicals. Citations include descriptors, geographical coverage, and type of publication.  
 SO - Servicios de Teledocumentacion, Gatzambide 61, 28015 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 449 20 48.  
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- AN - 1083  
 NA - ESPECIALIDADES FARMACEUTICAS DE ESPANA  
 DT - Source (Textual-Numeric)  
 IT - Pharmaceuticals & Pharmaceutical Industry  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - 1972 to date  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available  
 PR - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
 OS - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana  
 AB - Contains data on about 22,000 drugs marketed in Spain, including repealed and discontinued drugs. Provides trade name, manufacturer code, therapeutic category as defined in GRUPOS TERAPEUTICOS (see), dosage forms and prices, posological data, cautions, pharmacological actions, indications, contraindications, interactions, and side effects. Sources

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include the pharmaceuticals register of the Ministerio de Sanidad y Consumo, international scientific literature, and technical documentation from pharmaceutical manufacturers.

- SO - Consejo General de Colegios Oficiales de Farmaceuticos de Espana, Calle Villanueva 11, 28001 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 431 25 60.  
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- AN - 1059  
 NA - INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASSIFICATION  
 NAS - CIB; CLINPAT  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Patents  
 LA - English, French, German, and Spanish  
 CO - International  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Every 5 years  
 PR - Data are produced by World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) and supplied to Registro de la Propiedad Industrial and to Telesystemes-Questel by Institut National de la Propriete Industrielle (INPI).  
 OS - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial (CLINPAT); Telesystemes-Questel (CIB)  
 AB - Contains subject headings and classification codes for the 59,000 groups and subgroups of the International Patent Classification System, with an online thesaurus and explanations of the subgroups. Classification codes obtained from this database can be used as search terms in other patents databases. Corresponds to the 4th edition (1985) of International Patent Classification.  
 SO - Institut National de la Propriete Industrielle (INPI), 26 bis, rue de Leningrad, 75800 Paris Cedex 08, France. Telephone: 33 (1) 42 94 52 60. Telex: 290368 F.  
 SO - Registro de la Propiedad Industrial, Oficina de Difusion, Calle Panama 1, 28071 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 458 22 00 x331. Telex: 47020 RPI E. FAX: 34 (1) 259 24 28.  
 SO - Telesystemes-Questel, 83-85 boulevard Vincent Auriol, 75013 Paris, France. Telephone: 33 (1) 45 82 64 64; 800/424-9600 (in U.S.). Telex: 204594 TELQUES F. FAX: 33 (1) 45 85 43 08.  
 SO - World Intellectual Property Organization, 34 chemin des Colombettes, 1121 Geneva 20, Switzerland. Telephone: 41 (22) 99 91 11. Telex: 22376 OMPI CH. FAX: 41 (22) 33 54 28.  
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AN - 0992  
NA - PARLAMADRID  
DT - Source (Full Text)  
IT - Government-Spain  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1982 to date  
UF - Weekly  
PR - Empresa Provincial de Informatica de Madrid (EPIMSA)  
OS - Empresa Provincial de Informatica de Madrid (EPIMSA)  
AB - Contains full text of about 35,000 parliamentary statements made by members of the Spanish national assembly. Source is the daily record of assembly sessions.  
SO - Empresa Provincial de Informatica de Madrid (EPIMSA), Avenida de los Madronos 29, 28043 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 200 81 40.  
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AN - 0991  
NA - NORMADRID  
DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
IT - Legal & Regulatory-Spain  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain (Madrid)  
TS - Current information  
UF - Weekly  
PR - Empresa Provincial de Informatica de Madrid (EPIMSA)  
OS - Empresa Provincial de Informatica de Madrid (EPIMSA)  
AB - Contains citations, with abstracts, to about 10,000 local and national regulations and standards in force in Madrid, Spain. Sources include the Boletin Oficial de la Comunidad de Madrid and the Boletin Oficial del Estado.  
SO - Empresa Provincial de Informatica de Madrid (EPIMSA), Avenida de los Madronos 29, 28043 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 200 81 40.  
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AN - 0988  
NA - IBERLEX  
NAS - INDILEX  
DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
IT - Legal & Regulatory-Spain  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1968 to date  
UF - Weekly  
PR - Boletin Oficial del Estado (BOE)  
OS - Boletin Oficial del Estado (BOE)  
AB - Contains over 45,000 citations, with abstracts, to Spanish

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national legislative dispositions published in the Boletin Oficial del Estado y Repertorio Legislativo, Disposiciones Generales. Covers laws, regulations, decrees, and resolutions. Includes date, government department, keywords, and references to related dispositions.

- SO - Boletin Oficial del Estado, Calle Trafalgar 29, 28010 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 446 60 00 x335.  
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- AN - 0985  
NA - ESPAN  
DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
IT - Government-Spain  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1960 to date  
UF - Monthly  
PR - Consorcio de Informacion y Documentacion de Cataluna (CIDC)  
OS - Consorcio de Informacion y Documentacion de Cataluna (CIDC)  
AB - Contains about 1200 citations, with abstracts, to statistical publications issued by government agencies in Spain.  
SO - Consorcio de Informacion y Documentacion de Cataluna, Calle Urgell 187, 08036 Barcelona, Spain. Telephone: 34 (3) 321 80 00.  
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- AN - 0977  
NA - ECOCAT  
DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
IT - Economics-Spain  
LA - Catalan  
CO - Spain (Catalonia)  
TS - 1980 to date  
UF - Monthly  
PR - Consorcio de Informacion y Documentacion de Cataluna (CIDC)  
OS - Consorcio de Informacion y Documentacion de Cataluna (CIDC)  
AB - Contains about 2250 citations, with abstracts, to literature on the economics of Catalonia. Sources include periodicals, catalogs, and conference proceedings.  
SO - Consorcio de Informacion y Documentacion de Cataluna, Calle Urgell 187, 08036 Barcelona, Spain. Telephone: 34 (3) 321 80 00.  
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AN - 0929  
NA - BD-INE  
DT - Source (Numeric)  
IT - Demographics & Population  
IT - Economics-Spain  
CO - Spain  
TS - Varies by series, with earliest data from 1900  
UF - Monthly  
PR - Instituto Nacional de Estadistica (INE)  
OS - ENTEL, S.A.  
AB - Contains about 45,000 time series of socio-economic, demographic, and business data for Spain.  
SO - ENTEL, S.A., Paseo de la Castellana 141, 28046 Madrid, Spain.  
Telephone: 34 (1) 450 90 96.  
SO - Instituto Nacional de Estadistica (INE), Paseo de la Castellana 183, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 279 77 87.  
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AN - 0664  
NA - SISTEMA DE INFORMACION BURSATIL  
NAS - MADRID STOCK EXCHANGE INFORMATION SYSTEM; S.I.B.  
DT - Source (Full Text and Numeric)  
IT - Business & Industry News-Spain  
IT - Securities-Spain  
LA - Spanish  
CO - Spain  
TS - 1975 to date  
UF - Continuously, throughout the day  
PR - Bolsa Oficial de Comercio de Madrid  
OS - Bolsa Oficial de Comercio de Madrid  
NO - Annual subscription required  
AB - Contains current and historical prices and volumes for stocks and securities traded on the Madrid Stock Exchange. Also covers foreign currencies and money market instruments (e.g., Eurodollar bonds). Includes quarterly and annual corporate earnings reports, growth rates, dividend news, securities tax information, and legal and financial stock market news.  
SO - Bolsa Oficial de Comercio de Madrid, Plaza de la Lealtad 1, 28014 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 521 47 90 x405. Telex: 49184 BOLMD E.  
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AN - 0558  
 NA - LEDA  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic); Source (Full Text)  
 IT - Education News  
 IT - Funding Sources, Contracts & Awards  
 IT - Legal & Regulatory-Spain  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Items from the Boletin Oficial del Estado, 1970 to date; items from official journals, from first publication to date; oldest items from 1981.  
 UF - Legislation, weekly; notices, daily.  
 PR - Ministerio de Educacion y Ciencia  
 OS - Ministerio de Educacion y Ciencia  
 AB - Contains full text of about 5000 reports on Spanish national and regional legislation in the field of education. Also includes information about available financial aid, competitions, and awards. Sources include the Boletin Oficial del Estado and official journals of the Comunidades Autonomas.  
 SO - Ministerio de Educacion y Ciencia, Centro de Proceso de Datos, Calle Vitrubio 4, 5th Floor, 28006 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 262 96 11.  
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AN - 0222  
 NA - ISOC  
 NAS - ISOC-DR; ISOC-EC; ISOC-HU; ISOC-ID; ISOC-PS; ISOC-UR  
 DT - Reference (Bibliographic)  
 IT - Social Sciences & Humanities  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Most files, 1975 to date; ISOC-UR, 1976 to date; ISOC-ID, 1983 to date.  
 UF - About 3000 records a quarter  
 PR - Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Cientificas, Instituto de Informacion y Documentacion en Ciencias Sociales y Humanidades (ISOC)  
 OS - Ministerio de Educacion y Ciencia  
 AB - Consists of 6 files of citations to Spanish periodical literature.  
 AB - ISOC-DR. Contains about 6000 citations to literature on law and public administration.  
 AB - ISOC-EC. Contains over 15,500 citations to literature on economics, political science, sociology, and urban studies. Sources include about 110 periodicals.  
 AB - ISOC-HU. Contains about 30,000 citations to literature on art, archaeology, geography, history, language, literature, and philosophy.  
 AB - ISOC-ID. Contains about 750 citations to literature on the history, philosophy, and politics of science. Sources include about 20 periodicals.

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- AB - ISOC-PS. Contains over 7000 citations to literature on education and psychology.
- AB - ISOC-UR. Contains about 4000 citations to literature on urban planning, architecture, environment, and municipal administration. Sources include about 18 periodicals.
- SO - Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Cientificas, Instituto de Informacion y Documentacion en Ciencias (ISOC) Sociales y Humanidades, Calle Pinar 25-30, 28006 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 262 77 55; 34 (1) 411 02 44. FAX: 34 (1) 411 30 77.
- SO - Ministerio de Educacion y Ciencia, Centro de Proceso de Datos, Calle Vitrubio 4, 5th Floor, 28006 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 262 96 11.
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- AN - 0147
- NA - CELEX
- NAS - COMMUNITATIS EUROPAEAE LEX
- DT - Reference (Bibliographic); Source (Full Text)
- IT - Legal & Regulatory-European Economic Community
- LA - Dutch, English, French, German, and Italian
- CO - European Economic Community (Belgium, Denmark, Federal Republic of Germany, France, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, The Netherlands, Portugal, Spain, and U.K.)
- TS - 1952 to date
- UF - Varies by source; legislation added 3 to 4 weeks after publication, case law added 6 to 8 weeks after delivery.
- PR - Commission of the European Communities (CEC) (Operation of the system is shared by the European Economic Community (EEC) Parliament, Council, Commission, Court of Justice, Court of Auditors, and Economic and Social Committee.)
- OS - Commission of the European Communities (CEC); Context Legal Systems Ltd. (as part of JUSTIS (see)); Datalex, S.A.; EDICLINE; PROFILE Information
- NO - Initiation fee of 60 pounds (U.K.) to EDICLINE required
- AB - Covers all EEC law and related information. Provides full text or abstracts, depending on the importance of the document. Includes treaties establishing the EEC and those supplementing or amending those treaties; legal acts resulting from external relations maintained by the European Communities or by the Member States if such relations are connected with the external relations of the Communities; binding secondary Community legislation; supplementary legal acts, including decisions of the representatives of Member States meeting in the Council and international agreements between Member States concluded in the implementation of treaties; decisions of the Court of Justice; questions submitted by Parliament members to the Council and Commission; and preparatory documents and parliamentary records forming the legislative process of the Communities. Also provides references to published works of legal authors relating to any of the sources cited in the database.
- AB - NOTE: On PROFILE Information, provides an English-language subset of the database, covering secondary Community legislation,

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- EEC/Euratom Directives and Regulations, and other acts affecting the establishment of the Single Market (see also SPEARHEAD).
- SO - Commission of the European Communities (CEC), Database Distribution Service, 800 rue de la Loi, 1040 Brussels, Belgium. Telephone: 32 (2) 235 00 01; 32 (2) 235 00 03. Telex: 21877 COMEU B.
- SO - Context Legal Systems Ltd., 5 Grove Park, Waltham Road, White Waltham, Maidenhead, Berkshire SL6 3LW, England. Telephone: 44 (62882) 6655; 44 (62882) 6192. Telex: 265871 MONREF G. E-mail: Dialcom 76: WJJ198.
- SO - Datalex, S.A., Paseo de la Castellana 83-85, 28046 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 455 69 65.
- SO - EDICLINE, Economic Documentation and Information Centre Ltd., 2 Broyle Gate Cottages, Ringmer near Lewes, East Sussex BN8 5NA, England. Telephone: 44 (273) 813238. E-mail: EuroMail: 026245722193202; EDICMAIL: 02342123002920.
- SO - PROFILE Information, Sunbury House, 79 Staines Road West, Sunbury-on-Thames, Middlesex TW16 7AH, England. Telephone: 44 (932) 761444. Telex: 8811720 DSOLVE G. FAX: 44 (932) 761444 x2615. E-mail: Dialcom 79: QWE013; Dialcom 79: QWE014.
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- AN - 0043  
 NA - CAMERDATA  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Business & Industry Directories-Spain  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Spain  
 TS - Current information  
 UF - Monthly  
 PR - Camerdata, S.A.  
 OS - Camerdata, S.A.  
 AB - Contains references to about 1.8 million Spanish business firms. Includes company name and address, number of employees, and sector of activity. Sources include local Chambers of Commerce, Industry, and Navigation.
- SO - Camerdata, S.A., Calle Alfonso XI, 3, 28014 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 221 29 84.
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- AN - 0005  
 NA - BIDE  
 DT - Reference (Referral)  
 IT - Education & Training  
 IT - Funding Sources, Contracts & Awards  
 LA - Spanish  
 CO - Latin America, Portugal, and Spain  
 TS - 1985 to date  
 UF - Periodically, as new data become available

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- PR - Organizacion de Estados Iberoamericanos para la Educacion, la Ciencia y la Cultura (OEI)
- OS - Ministerio de Educacion y Ciencia
- AB - Contains descriptions of about 2000 post-graduate fellowships and courses of study offered by Latin American educational institutions. Includes location, dates, degree offered, subjects covered, language of instruction, tuition, number of openings, prerequisites, and documents required for application.
- SO - Ministerio de Educacion y Ciencia, Centro de Proceso de Datos, Calle Vitrubio 4, 5th Floor, 28006 Madrid, Spain. Telephone: 34 (1) 262 96 11.
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## ANEXO 6

**Selección de Códigos de Buena Práctica de EUSIDIC  
(Asociación Europea de Servicios de Información)  
sobre las materias tratadas en este Estudio-Anteproyecto**

- 2. Servicios distribuidores de bdds (hosts)**
- 4. Correo electrónico**
- 7. Facturación de los servicios online**
- 8. Puertas de paso (gateways)**

## EUSIDIC CODES OF PRACTICE AND GUIDELINES

### 2. HOST SERVICES

#### Introduction

This code presents EUSIDIC's views on the responsibilities of Host Service suppliers with respect to both the databases being implemented on their systems and the users of their services.

#### Recommendations

- 2.1 The terms and conditions under which a host system may be used should be freely available to all potential users. This information should include details of any discounts which may be available, e.g., for volume use, use commitments, advanced payment.
- 2.2 The host service should clearly define the manner in which a database or databank has been implemented on their system. This information is necessary as it can affect the user's ability to search the file effectively. In addition the database producer needs to know that his product is being installed efficiently.
- 2.3 The host should ensure that the documentation necessary to use the system effectively is made available to all users. Proper and timely procedures for dissemination of information concerning changes should also be established.
- 2.4 No user should be denied access to any given host or the service offered by that host providing the user complies with contractual arrangements freely entered into and meet the necessary technical requirements in terms of terminals and communication facilities.
- 2.5 Data may need to be collected by hosts for use internally and on behalf of a database producer. These data may be statistical in nature and acquired for legal

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and/or accounting purposes, or search-oriented information needed for system back-up. The type and volume of data may vary from country to country for legal reasons and from host to host because of different system requirements. Whilst allowing for these acceptable variations, the principles outlined below in 2.6, 2.7 and 2.8 should apply in all cases.

- 2.6 The end-user search strategy is confidential to each user and, whilst the host may need, for one or more of the above reasons, to retain that information, the information should be properly secured and should be accessible to individuals only on a 'need to know' basis. The data should be retained only for as long as is necessary and that period and the reason for the retention should be known to the user.
- 2.7 All parties concerned should have full details of:
  - a) what information is being collected
  - b) the purpose for which that information is being collected
  - c) who has access to the information and why
  - d) the length of time the information is being retained.
- 2.8 The user's permission should be obtained before any information concerning his or her identity, interests or location be released to third parties. This should include details of addresses etc. as well as data on such matters as levels of usage, even if such data are provided on an anonymous basis. This permission is, of course, implicit if it forms part of a contractual agreement.
- 2.8 Where a system is advertised as being internationally available, the host should state clearly the services that will be offered in different geographical locations e.g., with respect to documentation, support, training.

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### 4. ELECTRONIC MAIL

#### Introduction

This Code covers services which are 'person to person' rather than 'point to point'. This includes electronic mail and messaging, electronic conferencing (but not video-conferencing), public files and bulletin boards. Within this definition there are two discrete areas: closed user group systems and general public access systems. Some electronic mail and conference systems have both closed user group and public access; public files and bulletin boards are by definition public access. The term electronic mail is used generically to cover all these types of services. Applicable national legislation is not covered, but guidelines are given to general principles.

#### Background

##### *General Principles of Operation of Electronic Mail Systems*

The systems covered by this Code of Practice are identified in the Introduction to the Code. They form part of a class of Computer Based Message Systems (CBMS). In general terms the systems covered are of the 'store and retrieve' type i.e. messages are entered by one party in a storage system and retrieved, at some later time by another party or parties. Within this basic premise there are a number of possibilities under which message transfers can be structured.

At the simplest level a (registered) user may send a single message to another user. A user may also send the same message to a number of other users. This latter process can be automated in most systems by the creation of a 'mailing list' of individuals. A message can be sent to all

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the individuals on the list by addressing the message to the list name — the system dealing with the distribution to the individuals.

At the next level a user may be a member of a group. A group may be, for example, all the members of a given organisation, society, company, etc. In most systems such groups are covered by a single service contract, although each member may have his or her own individual identity in the system. Within the concept of groups there is also the concept of 'open' and 'closed' groups. An open group is one which, although covered by a single service contract, has access to all other users of the system for the purposes of sending and receiving messages. A closed group is one which works only by passing messages between members of the group and cannot (normally) receive or send messages from or to users outside the group.

In the context of the Code, the general principle that has been followed is that systems should be flexible enough to protect users from 'interference' while offering the possibility of communication, when desired, between individual members of a group and other individuals or groups in the system.

### *Accessing Mailboxes on Behalf of Others*

In the absence of a user electronic mail messages still need to be read and answered. There are several alternatives:

To let a colleague know the password is the simplest way to make sure messages are read and answered. *Disadvantages:* the proxy would have to access two mailboxes — their own and that of the absentee; they would be able to look at all other files as well; they could delete messages from the absentee's mailbox; answers would carry the absentee's name (and authority) in the 'from' field.

A broadcast message to everybody on the system indicating absence. *Disadvantage:* Tends to cut off communications which might be dealt with on return.

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A feature that informs the sender of a message that the receiver is absent and the message will be forwarded to a substitute's mailbox is nice to have. *Disadvantage:* all senders preparing their messages to be sent using an automated routine may either send duplicated messages or not send the message at all.

A public file possibility that allows a substitute to read and answer messages without having to know the recipient's password. As the substitute would be reading and answering messages from their own mailbox they would not be able to delete any of the recipient's messages or look at any other files in the mailbox. Once the recipient had returned, he could be up to date within a few seconds for all messages received and answered be waiting to be read, filed or deleted. *Disadvantages:* Users may end up receiving the same message several times over.

*Junk Mail*

'Junk mail' is mail which, when delivered to a subscriber or to a recipient:

- a) is originated by a person or an organisation who cannot be identified unambiguously by the receiver.
- b) is capable of causing an unjustified additional time or cost for the recipient, or technical disturbances to the user of the electronic mail facilities.
- c) may, because of its content, cause the prosecution of its originator with respect to the enforceable national legislation applicable to public publishing, public and private postal mail or communications through public telecommunication networks and services.

## Recommendations

### *Message Identification*

4.1 Any message sent through an electronic mail system should be clearly identified and all the identification criteria should be available to the receiver before they decide to read the text of the message. That means that all messages must be time and date stamped, provided with a subject field and an indication of their length. It also implies that the sender and the addressee must be clearly identified, as well as the type of the message.

4.2 At least three types of messages should be recognised:

*Broadcast Messages* — sent by the operator to give information on new features, non-availability of the system during maintenance etc.

*Group Messages* — sent to a defined list of addressees.

*Individual Messages* — sent to persons.

The message identifier should include an indicator as to the type of message.

4.3 It should always be possible to know from whom a message comes. This requirement implies that each user of an Electronic Mail Service is given a unique identifier and that a Directory of users is provided by the system operator.

4.4 The addressees may be individuals or groups. The receiver must be able to identify, without any ambiguity, not only the origin (sender) but also the addressees of a message he receives — whether it has been sent to him as an individual or as a member of a Group. Every user listed within a mailing group must have the ability to look at the other members of that mailing group.

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- 4.13 When receiving messages from or sending messages to other users the system should confirm their name, group or some unique identifier to avoid ambiguity.
- 4.14 Service providers should ensure that within closed user groups there is a high level of confidentiality. Where it is possible to communicate outside the closed user group the same levels of confidentiality should apply as within a user group. In such cases there should be some indication to the user that they are communicating outside their closed user group.
- 4.15 It should be possible for the user to permit authorised reading and forwarding (only) of messages in his or her absence.
- 4.16 Within a closed user group, it should not be possible for unsolicited messages to be received from outside that user group without prior arrangement between the group and the service provider. Where public access systems are used, it is assumed that unsolicited mail will be sent to anyone who publicises their electronic mail number or name. The service providers should not provide lists of electronic mail numbers or names without the prior permission of the user.
- 4.17 The ability to send mail to a complete group of users should only be available to users within the group. It should be possible to send mail to individuals within any group throughout the system.
- 4.18 The service provider should provide an option for users to scan their mail and delete unsolicited messages without being charged for reading or storing messages. The user should be given an option to stop reading the message at regular intervals during any message.

*Directories*

- 4.19 Directories of subscribers to electronic mail systems should be available, users should have the option not to be included in any directory. Where closed user groups are in operation, one member of the group should be listed in the directory as the group contact. This should also apply to X400 protocols.

*Liability*

- 4.20 The service provider should be treated as a communication supplier and should not be held liable for the use made of the system by users, nor for the content of users' messages. Where there are clear grounds for believing that the system is being used for messages that may well be liable to criminal action, the password or mailbox of the user causing abuse may be cancelled by the system provider.
- 4.21 There is no formal statement of contract in sending and electronic mail message in some countries, however subscribers should be alerted to some implications of contract which may occur in other countries in a similar way to telex messages.
- 4.22 Access to the systems should be monitored and restricted to authorised members of the service provider organisation.
- 4.23 Within a closed user group, only the organiser of the group has a contract with the service provider. It is the responsibility of the group organiser to regulate the activities of the users within that group, even if passwords and mailboxes are allocated by the service provider. The service provider is responsible only for the activities of those with whom they have a direct contract.

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### *Contracts*

4.24 Service operators should make clear to the users their policies in such areas as changing passwords, usage charges, interconnection, cancellation of service. Service providers should have explicit legal provisions to prevent disclosure by their staff of information contained in the system. There should be distinct separation between the marketing and publicity of the electronic mail service and other services provided by the service provider.

4.25 Organisers of closed user groups should distribute copies of any contracts, rules or regulations provided by the service provider to the members of the closed user group.

### **Definitions**

#### *Bulletin Boards*

Person-to-Group cumulative message files, accessible either to a closed group of readers or to general readership. A bulletin board normally comprises a cumulative file of messages, comments and opinions from a designated group of people. Individuals are normally either invited or able to participate either as passive readers, or as those who add to the cumulative message file.

#### *Electronic Conferencing*

a system whereby a designated group of people exchanges electronic messages concerning a particular topic or area of interest. 'Conferencing' normally implies three pre-designated people or more, whereas simple messaging is normally person-to-person. When the conferencing becomes more open to general users and less structured, it merges into 'Bulletin Boards'.

#### *Public Files*

files containing electronic mail that is person-to-general group i.e. messages that can be read by anyone on the electronic mail system.

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### *Closed User Groups*

a group of electronic mail users who can send messages to other members of the pre-designated group, or to the group as a whole, but where the group cannot be addressed by non-members.

### *Public Access Systems*

systems where any individual can apply for an access password in order to use the electronic mail system.

### *Junk Mail*

unsolicited and unexpected messages, whose relevance to the addressee cannot normally be anticipated or expected.

### *X400*

a communication protocol under study within CCITT aimed at ensuring basic compatibility between public access electronic mail systems in order to permit connectivity between systems.

### *Directories*

a list of individuals or group representatives accessible via an electronic mail system, with a listing of their mail names or designation.

### *Voice Mail*

a form of electronic mail where messages are stored in the form of verbal recordings rather than as printed characters and where access is via direct telephone link rather than via an Ascii communication terminal.

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### 7. BILLING FOR ONLINE SERVICES

#### Introduction

This Code represents the EUSIDIC viewpoint on invoicing and payment for information services and the information that should be provided by the online vendor so as to enable the customer to easily check on the various component charges being made for the services used.

#### Recommendations

- 7.1 Customers should receive a clear and complete summary invoice which forms their payment justification. It is helpful if customers are allowed the option of one summary invoice per organisation and one summary invoice per user password. The summary invoice should contain all total amounts for that invoice, plus payment details as in Recommendation 7.5 below.
- 7.2 In addition to their summary invoice, customers should receive a detailed justification of costs billed to their password(s) comprising such areas as total telecommunication charges, total online connect charges by database accessed, total online and offline prints, total publications ordered, training sessions attended, etc. This justification should be for the main account (if any) in addition to separate user passwords. This justification enables a customer to verify the total amount as per their summary invoice.

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7.3 Customers should also receive breakdowns by online session and by password covering files accessed, online and offline prints, etc. The purpose of this session by session breakdown is to enable customers to recharge for online sessions, where this is necessary.

7.4 Online prices should be constituted so that the average customer is able to understand basic pricing before beginning a search and is able to calculate approximate sums of money spent at a given time during a search. Unless this is the case, the customer is unable to verify or easily understand what is being charged. This principle of verifiable and understandable pricing should also apply to any amounts to be billed as a result of gateway facilities provided by the online vendor.

7.5 In the area of international invoicing and payment, online vendors should recognise the possible payment problems put in the way of customers by the international banking system. Online vendors sending invoices internationally should therefore give customers as much help as possible in paying their invoices by including:

- a) The full postal address of the online vendor on the invoice
- b) The full details of the bank account to which payment is to be made should inter-bank transfer be useful (including sort code and account number)
- c) If possible, an alternative banking mechanism such as the postal girobank service

In addition, online vendors should recognise that the following also gives customers additional options that can be extremely useful and effective:

- d) payment via international credit card

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e) payment via a vendor's account in a national bank, with billing in the customer's national currency

- 7.6 It is hoped that an acceptable common currency may evolve in Europe to avoid problems associated with billing in a number of fluctuating currencies. In the meantime, an online vendor attempting to help the user by billing in his or her national currency has the right to expect to be paid in the currency billed.
- 7.7 Online vendors billing internationally should recognise and take into account that small fluctuations in payments received by the vendor may often be beyond the control of users, (for example, since the user's bank may not be in direct correspondence with the vendor's bank and an intermediary bank may deduct additional bank charges which are deducted from the funds transmitted to the vendor). Vendor's accounting systems and pricing should take the possibility of small variations in international settlements into account and set realistic tolerance limits for the amount of intended settlements.
- 7.8 Before incurring online costs, customers have a duty to ensure that their accounting mechanisms — both internally and in their national structures — can promptly make necessary payments to online vendors who submit clear invoices with complete justification, who establish pricing structures that are easily comprehensible and who seek the aid of the customer by giving clear payment directions and options.

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GUIDELINES****8. GATEWAYS****Introduction**

This Code is based on that of the National Federation of Abstracting Services (NFAIS). It is intended to contribute to the awareness of the issues surrounding gateway arrangements and hopefully to stimulate a better understanding of how these issues affect each participant.

It is hoped that the Code will be widely adopted by active participants in gateway arrangements as a point of reference for contracts and negotiations. It does not attempt to offer a model contract but rather a set of principles and guidelines from which contractual terms can be developed to meet specific applications.

For the purposes of this Code a 'gateway' is broadly defined as a link or links between a User of an online database and the primary Host System(s) of that database. Gateways can take various forms, some of which are described and illustrated by example in Appendix A.

As a result of the introduction of such gateways new information channels are created which may have some of the following effects:

- a) the User may be afforded access to a database without notification as to its ownership and the terms/conditions of use established by the Owner
- b) an unlicensed Host may derive access to a database for which it has no license or contractual arrangement

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- c) User identification information from an unlicensed Host may not be available to either the licensed Host or the Database Owner
- d) the User may not be notified as to the specific Host (among several) actually being used.

Notwithstanding the specific examples noted above Gateway arrangements could act in such a manner as to alter or invalidate contractual undertakings of the participants.

### Background

Telecommunications networks and software for the online retrieval of database information have become increasingly sophisticated. In recent years, additional complexities have been encountered through the introduction of 'gateways' which act as interfaces between networks, retrieval systems and their component databases.

Such technological advances have provided mechanisms for the broadest possible distribution of information; however, they may, directly or indirectly, have had the effect of diminishing the effectiveness of copyright protection and/or other forms of control desired by the participants. This blurring effect may permeate otherwise distinct relationships between Database Owner(s), Host System(s) and User(s).

The governing framework for the information industry is essentially based on a set of legal bilateral contracts which establish the rights and obligations of the various parties in the distribution chain. Central to the legal contract between the Database Owner and the Host System may be specific information that the Host is required to convey to the information User concerning permitted use of the databases. Gateways can interfere with the transmission of notices, warranties and restrictions from Database Owners to Users, thereby introducing ambiguity into what were previously clearly understood contractual obligations.

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### Recommendations

8.1 There are four participants in a gateway arrangement.  
These are:

1. the Proprietary Owner (producer) of the database(s)
2. the Host System (vendor) which has licence agreements or contracts providing for its use of proprietary databases
3. the User of the database(s)
4. the Gateway Operator providing links between the User and the Host and the databases.

Each of these participants may have 'rights' which are defined as information or services they are entitled to receive and 'obligations' which are defined as information or services they may be required to provide.

8.2 The ownership of a database must be readily and publicly accessible throughout the gateway arrangement in order to ensure copyright protection. The User has the right to know this information and the Owner has the right to expect that the Host System and Gateway Operator will disseminate the information. Additionally the Gateway Operator has the right to receive the information from the Host System.

8.3 User information must be recorded and conveyed along the gateway chain. It is the obligation of the database User to supply sufficient identification to both the primary Host and the Gateway Operator. It is the obligation of the Host and the Gateway Operator to convey such user information to the Database Owner.

8.4 Any Host System entering into a gateway arrangement must be identified to all other participants in that gateway. It is the obligation of the primary Host to inform the Owner of the database it distributes that

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a gateway arrangement exists. A Gateway Operator has the obligation to inform users which Host System is being used and has the right to be notified if any Host in the gateway arrangement enters into an arrangement with another Host System.

- 8.5 A database accessed by any means in a gateway arrangement must be identified by names that are approved by the Database Owner. Gateway Operators have the right to receive these names from the Host System and have the obligation to relay the name to the User.
- 8.6 Any public description, by whatever means, of a gateway or any component thereof must be accurate. Every participant in a gateway arrangement has the right to receive accurate data. Fulfillment of the right requires that each Database Owner, Host System and Gateway Operator in the arrangement assume the obligation of providing appropriate information to the other participants.
- 8.7 Any change to a gateway component must be fully and promptly disclosed by the participant making the change. Every participant in a gateway arrangement has the right to receive such information. To fulfill this right each Database Owner, Host System and Gateway Operator in the arrangement has the obligation of providing appropriate information to other participants.
- 8.8 The data and services provided by any gateway participant must adhere to the standards for quality and accuracy that are publicly described by each. Each participant in a gateway arrangement has the right to receive data and services which adhere to such publicly defined standards. The Database Owner, Host System and Gateway Operator have the obligation to provide such data and services to one another and to the User.

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- 8.9 The regular delivery of and timely access to information must be in accord with specific, predetermined agreements between participants in a gateway arrangement. It is the obligation of both the Database Owner and the primary Host System to provide such timely access to the Gateway Operator and, therefore, to the User. It is the right of the Database Owner and the primary Host System to expect that the other will perform the updates in accordance with their predetermined agreement.
- 8.10 The nature of search queries and the corresponding results are privileged information and cannot be disclosed. It is the obligation of both the primary Host System and the Gateway Operator to maintain such privacy, which is the right of the User.
- 8.11 The permitted uses of information are pre-defined by the Database Owner and cannot be extended beyond the scope of such a definition by any other gateway participant. The primary Host System and Gateway Operator are obliged to disclose to the User the authorised use(s) of the database information. The primary Host System, Gateway Operator and User are each obliged to observe the right of the Database Owner by complying with the Owner's terms and conditions for the use of the database.
- 8.12 It must be clearly understood that, whilst a Right may be waived by the entitled party, an Obligation cannot go unfulfilled unless a specific waiver is obtained.

### APPENDIX A

A 'gateway' is a link or links between a User of an online database and the primary Host System(s).

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### Examples of gateways

#### 1. Front-end Host Systems

A Front-end Host System Gateway may be:

- a) Software resident on a floppy disk or other recording medium that is employed by the user to access a host system and databases of the user's choosing. The software usually provides easier logon procedures, easier search protocols, post-processing of search results and other data management functions. *Examples:* Pro-Search and SciMate Searcher.
- b) A commercial system through which the user can access a database of either the system's choice or the user's choice. The user need not know the identity of the database accessed or the host system on which the database resides. Example Easynet.

#### 2. Front-end to Front-end to Host System(s)

A Front-end to Front-end to Host System(s) may be:

- a) A custom gateway tailored to the specific needs of the executives of a specific corporation or some other well defined user group. This custom gateway interacts with a more general gateway that then links to a primary host system. *Example:* Search Maestro.
- b) A general gateway established to serve a public clientele. This general gateway interacts with another general gateway that then links to a primary host system. *Example:* Infomaster which interacts with Easynet which in turn is linked to a variety of host systems.

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*3. Host System to Host System*

A Host System to Host System may be:

- a) A one way host system to host system gateway in which one host system contracts with another host system to allow subscribers to the first system to have access to databases held on the second system. *Examples:* Mead/DIALOG, ESA/Datasolve.
- b) A two-way host system gateway in which two hosts agree to allow subscribers of either to access databases mounted on the other's system. *Examples:* None presently available.
- c) A gateway in which a host system has two channels: one is a two way channel through which it receives queries and transmits data to end-users and/or other host systems; the second is a one way channel (out bound) through which it passes inbound queries to another host system. *Examples:* Human Resources Information Network.