

## **Instruction for Authors**

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#### **Research Articles**

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These papers summarize a research or teaching topics in the Pharmaceutical Sciences with documentation from the literatures. The review article should not be more than 20 (twenty) pages.

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Jakeman, D.L.; Withers, S.G.E. In: Carbohydrate Bioengineering: Interdisciplinary Approaches, Proceedings of the 4th Carbohydrate Bioengineering Meeting, Stockholm, Sweden, June 10-13, 2001; Teeri, T.T.; Svensson, B.; Gilbert, H.J.; Feizi, T., Eds.; Royal Society of Chemistry: Cambridge, UK, 2002; pp. 3-8.

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National Library of Medicine. Specialized Information Services: Toxicology and Environmental Health. <http://sis.nlm.nih.gov/Tox/ToxMain.html> (Accessed May 23, 2004).

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Hoch, J.A.; Huang, S. Screening methods for the identification of novel antibiotics. U.S. Patent 6, 043,045, March 28, 2000.

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