

ICE REST API

- Run ICE Search queries outside of the ICE user interface.
- Data that can be queried include curated in vivo, in vitro, and in silico toxicity data, chemical properties data, and exposure predictions.
- Supported chemical identifiers (ID) include DTXSIDs, CASRNs, InChIKeys, or chemical names.
- Query one chemical ID using GET.
 - Format query as a URL: [https://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/search?chemid=\[insert chemical ID\]](https://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/search?chemid=[insert chemical ID]).
 - Format query as a URL for Curve Surfer data: [https://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/curves?chemid=\[insert chemical ID\]](https://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/curves?chemid=[insert chemical ID]).
 - Special characters in a chemical name need to be converted to URL-encode format (https://www.w3schools.com/tags/ref_urlencode.ASP).
 - Results are formatted in JSON.
- Query Curve Surfer data for one single specific biological assay name using GET.
 - Format query as a URL for Curve Surfer Data: [https://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/curves?assay=\[insert assay name\]](https://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/curves?assay=[insert assay name]).
- Query multiple chemical IDs with specific biological assay or a non-assay endpoint (i.e., chemical property, exposure prediction) or query specific biological assays or a non-assay endpoints for all chemicals using POST.
 - See examples in Slides 2 and 3 of queries built using R and Python code.
 - Results are formatted in JSON: see Slide 4 for result example.
 - Note that the biological assay, non-assay endpoints, and chemical IDs (DTXSID, InChIKeys or chemical names) are **not** case-sensitive in the body of the POST query.



Example R code to query ICE REST API

```
install.packages(c("httr","jsonlite"));
```

```
library("httr");  
library("jsonlite");
```

#Query a single chemical using GET Request

```
results<-GET("https://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/search?chemid=DTXSID7032004")  
jsonText<-content(results,"text")  
jsonResults<-fromJSON(jsonText)  
jsonResults
```

#Query a list of chemicals using POST Request

```
bodyContent = '{"chemids": ["YPQLFJODEKMJEF-UHFFFAOYSA-N", "DTXSID8020381", "330-55-2"]}'  
results <- POST("https://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/search",content_type_json(),body=bodyContent);  
jsonText<-content(results,"text")  
jsonResults<-fromJSON(jsonText)  
jsonResults
```

#Query a list of specific biological assay and non-assay endpoint for all of the chemicals using POST Request

```
bodyContent = '{"assays":["Opera, Octanol-Water Distribution Coefficient", "LTea_HepaRG_FAS_up"]}'  
results <- POST("https://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/search",content_type_json(),body=bodyContent);  
jsonText<-content(results,"text")  
jsonResults<-fromJSON(jsonText)  
jsonResults
```

#Query a list of chemicals for a specific biological assay and non-assay endpoint using POST Request

```
bodyContent = '{"chemids": ["YPQLFJODEKMJEF-UHFFFAOYSA-N", "DTXSID8020381", "330-55-2", "Flutamide"], "assays":["Opera, Octanol-Water Distribution Coefficient", "LTea_HepaRG_FAS_up"]}'  
results <- POST("https://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/search",content_type_json(),body=bodyContent);  
jsonText<-content(results,"text")  
jsonResults<-fromJSON(jsonText)  
jsonResults
```



Example Python code to query ICE REST API

```
pip install requests
pip install json
```

```
import requests
import json

#Query a single chemical using GET Request
response = requests.get("http://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/search?chemid=DTXSID7020182")
print(response);
json_object = json.loads(response.text)
print(json.dumps(json_object, indent=4))

#Query a list of chemicals using POST Request
response = requests.post("http://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/search", json={"chemids": ["YPQLFJODEKMJEF-UHFFFAOYSA-N", "DTXSID8020381", "330-55-2", "Flutamide"]})
print(response);
json_object = json.loads(response.text)
print(json.dumps(json_object, indent=1))

#Query a list of specific biological assay and non-assay endpoint for all of the chemicals using POST Request
response = requests.post("http://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/search", json={"assays": ["Opera, Octanol-Water Distribution Coefficient", "LTea_HepaRG_FAS_up"]})
print(response);
json_object = json.loads(response.text)
print(json.dumps(json_object, indent=1))

#Query a list of chemicals for a specific biological assay and non-assay endpoint using POST Request
response = requests.post("http://ice.ntp.niehs.nih.gov/api/v1/search", json={"chemids": ["YPQLFJODEKMJEF-UHFFFAOYSA-N", "DTXSID8020381", "330-55-2", "Flutamide"], "assays": ["Opera, Octanol-Water Distribution Coefficient", "LTea_HepaRG_FAS_up"]})
print(response);
json_object = json.loads(response.text)
print(json.dumps(json_object, indent=1))
```

ICE REST API Results



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JSON Raw Data Headers	
Save Copy Collapse All Expand All (slow) Filter JSON	
▶ 1568:	{...}
▶ 1569:	{...}
▶ 1570:	{...}
▶ 1571:	{...}
▶ 1572:	{...}
▶ 1573:	{...}
▼ 1574:	
assay:	"Rat Acute Oral Toxicity"
endpoint:	"LD50"
substanceType:	"Chemical"
casrn:	"13311-84-7"
qsarReadyId:	"MKKKFYHWDHIYRV-UHFFFAOYSA-N"
value:	"787.0"
unit:	"mg/kg"
species:	"Rat"
receptorSpecies:	""
route:	"NA"
sex:	""
strain:	""
lifeStage:	""
tissue:	""
lesion:	""
location:	""
assaySource:	""
inVittoAssayFormat:	""
reference:	"NLM ChemIDplus TEST (undated)"
referenceUrl:	"https://chem.nlm.nih.gov/chemidplus/"
dtxsid:	"DTXSID7032004"
substanceName:	"Flutamide"
pubMedId:	"NA"
▶ 1575:	{...}
▶ 1576:	{...}
▶ 1577:	{...}
▶ 1578:	{...}
▶ 1579:	{...}
▼ 1580:	
assay:	"NVS_MP_rPBR"
endpoint:	"Top of curve"
substanceType:	"Chemical"

- Results are in JSON format as a list of key-value combinations for each chemical queried in the format: key, "value" (for example: assay, "Rat Acute Oral Toxicity"). The “assay” key corresponds to the property name and can be either a biological assay name or the parameter name for a non-assay endpoint (i.e., chemical property, exposure prediction).
- If a biological assay or a chemical parameter is not available in ICE for a queried chemical, then the associated key-value combination will not be returned.
- If a data point is missing, then the relevant key will be returned with a blank value.