Unichem: EMBL-EBI's mapping tool for small molecule database identifiers: webinar

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- Chemical biology
- Beginner
- 0.5 hour

Jon Chambers and Anne Hersey present this webinar on UniChem [3] a simple system developed to cross-reference compounds across databases both internal to EMBL-EBI and externally. UniChem currently has cross-references to 140 million compounds in 30 different databases.

This webinar will discuss what UniChem is and how it can be used to retrieve the following compound information:

- Bioactivity data
- Toxicity data
- Compound purchasability
- Patent information

This webinar took place on 29th March 2017 and is an update to a previous version recorded in 2015. It is best viewed in full screen mode using Google Chrome.

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Learning objectives:

- Discuss what UniChem is and what it can be used for
- Retrieve compound information from UniChem

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