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Framework for a correlation table (NTA:CTD) for ASMFs/Part 2 in CTD format for dossiers for veterinary medicinal products

The following table is only a framework for an acceptable correlation table.

As the NTA and CTD have completely different chapters/sections, and not similar ones, it is very difficult to give a definitive comparative list. Furthermore the dossier structure will vary depending on several factors such as the type of product, number and type of active substance(s), etc.

Also, the headings in the legislation (Annex 1 of Directive 2001/82/EC as amended) have still not been reflected in Volume 6B (Notice to Applicants) of The rules governing medicinal products in the European Union, therefore there are currently 2 different schemes, both of which are generally acceptable in the EU.

The table below shows the headings from the current legislation (as Volume 6B will be revised in accordance with that). Other types of correlation tables and other more detailed subheadings may also be acceptable.



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