

# ABDA API usage

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## Version History

Date	Version	Changes
10-20-2023	0.1.0	Initial document
11-06-2023	0.2.0	Updates authorization schema (Bearer format)
02-21-2024	0.3.0	Adds PZN search endpoint, fixed documentation error
02-22-2024	0.4.0	Adds /pzns/products endpoint
03-19-2024	0.5.0	Changes /pzns/products endpoint to include ATC output
05-15-2024	0.6.0	Adds potentially inadequate medicine (Priscus 2.0) endpoints
05-17-2024	0.6.1	Adds QTc drugs according to crediblemeds.org

## General Remarks

The ABDA API has been provided by the Saarland University Clinical Pharmacy working group. The API is not intended for public use, but only for usage within the SafePolyMed project. This document is intended as a guide for using the API, it is, however, not a comprehensive manual or technical documentation of the API.

## Access

The API is provided under the following URL: <https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api>.

## Usage and Testing Info

The API is generally intended for usage with dedicated console utilities such as *curl* or the corresponding utilities in programming languages such as the *httr* or similar packages in the *R* programming language. There is no dedicated endpoint for testing access to the API yet. However, testing **GET** endpoints is possible in a browser, for instance <https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/limits> should return

```
{
  "type": "https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc7235#section-3.1",
  "title": "Unauthorized",
  "status": 401,
  "detail": "No login token provided.",
  "instance": "/limits"
}
```

## Authorization

This API uses *Java Web Token (jwt)* for authentication. A *jwt* is provided to you [upon login](#) and must be provided when accessing all other routes. See [GET /interactions/compounds](#) as an example on how to provide

the token.

## Endpoints

The following is a list of endpoints for the API. All endpoints are only accessible **without a trailing slash!** All routes refer to <https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api> as the root URI. Currently, all access to all routes other than [POST /login](#) **require authentication**.

Group	Method	Route	Reference	Description
user	POST	/login	<a href="#">POST /login</a>	Log a user in.
user	GET	/renew-token		Retrieve a new token. No parameters.
information	GET	/formulations		Retrieve a list of all formulations within the database. No parameters.
information	GET	/limits		Request limits of the server. No parameters.
information	GET	/interactions/description		Request description of the interaction table. No parameters.
interactions	GET	/interactions/compounds	<a href="#">GET /interactions/compounds</a>	Interaction endpoint for compound names input.
interactions	POST	/interactions/compounds	<a href="#">POST /interactions/compounds</a>	Interaction endpoint for compound names input from json.
interactions	GET	/interactions/pzns	<a href="#">GET /interactions/pzns</a>	Interaction endpoint for pzn input.
interactions	POST	/interactions/pzns		Interaction endpoint for pzn input from json.
priscus	GET	/priscus/compounds	<a href="#">GET /priscus/compounds</a>	Priscus 2.0 (potentially inadequate medicine for geriatric patients) endpoint for compound name input.

Group	Method	Route	Reference	Description
priscus	POST	/priscus/compounds	<a href="#">POST /priscus/compounds</a>	Priscus 2.0 (potentially inadequate medicine for geriatric patients) endpoint for compound name input from json.
priscus	GET	/priscus/pzns	<a href="#">GET /priscus/pzns</a>	Priscus 2.0 (potentially inadequate medicine for geriatric patients) endpoint for pzn input.
priscus	POST	/priscus/pzns	<a href="#">POST /priscus/pzns</a>	Priscus 2.0 (potentially inadequate medicine for geriatric patients) endpoint for pzn input from json.
qtc	GET	/qtc/compounds	<a href="#">GET /qtc/compounds</a>	QTc (drugs with risk for Torsade de pointes) endpoint for compound name input.
qtc	POST	/qtc/compounds	<a href="#">POST /qtc/compounds</a>	QTc (drugs with risk for Torsade de pointes) endpoint for compound name input from json.
qtc	GET	/qtc/pzns		QTc (drugs with risk for Torsade de pointes) endpoint for pzn input.
qtc	POST	/qtc/pzns		QTc (drugs with risk for Torsade de pointes) endpoint for pzn input from json.
atc	GET	/atcs/drugs	<a href="#">GET /atcs/drugs</a>	Drug endpoint for ATC input.
pzns	GET	/pzns/products	<a href="#">GET /pzns/products</a>	Drug products endpoint for PZN input.

## Example Usage

POST /login

### Input

Provide your credentials as a *json*. The *json* must be structured as follows:

```
{
  "credentials": {
    "username": "your_username",
    "password": "your_password"
  }
}
```

### Example Usage

```
curl -X POST "https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/login" \
-H "accept: application/json" \
-H "Content-Type: application/json" \
-d '{"credentials":{"username":"username","password":"password"}}'
```

### Output

The return value for a successful **POST** request has the following structure:

```
{
  "yourjwttoken"
}
```

GET /interactions/compounds

### Input

Check for interactions based on compound names provided as query parameters.

### Example Usage

```
curl -X GET "https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/interactions/compounds?
compounds=verapamil,simvastatin" \
-H "accept: application/json" \
-H "Content-Type: application/json" \
-H "Authorization: Bearer yourjwttoken"
```

## Output

The return value for a successful **GET** request has the following structure:

```
{
  "interactions": [
    {
      "plausibility": "plausible mechanism",
      "relevance": "severe",
      "frequency": "not known",
      "credibility": "high",
      "direction": "unidirectional interaction",
      "left_compound": "Simvastatin",
      "right_compound": "Verapamil",
      "left_atc": "C10AA01",
      "right_atc": "C08DA01",
      "left_formulation": "FTA",
      "right_formulation": "FTA",
      "left_medication": "ZOCOR 10mg",
      "right_medication": "Isoptin 80mg",
      "left_dose": "10 mg",
      "right_dose": "74.06 mg"
    }
  ],
  "unknown_compounds": [],
  "timestamp": "2023-10-20 13:20:57",
  "api_version": "0.3.0",
  "compounds": [
    "verapamil",
    "simvastatin"
  ]
}
```

## POST /interactions/compounds

### Input

Check for interactions based on compound names provided as *json*. Drug lists must be provided matched to an *ID*:

```
{
  [
    {
      "id": "1",
      "compounds": ["verapamil", "simvastatin"]
    },
    {
      "id": "2",
      "compounds": ["diltiazem", "amiodarone", "amlodipine", "lovastatin"]
    }
  ]
}
```

```
]
}
```

## Example Usage

```
curl -X POST "https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/interactions/compounds" \
-H "Authorization: Bearer yourjwttoken" \
-H "Content-Type: application/json" \
-d '[{"id":"1","compounds":["verapamil","simvastatin"]},
{"id":"2","compounds":["diltiazem","amiodarone","amlodipine","lovastatin"]}']
```

## Output

The return value for a successful **POST** request has the following structure:

```
{
  "results": [
    {
      "interactions": [
        {
          "plausibility": "plausible mechanism",
          "relevance": "severe",
          "frequency": "not known",
          "credibility": "high",
          "direction": "unidirectional interaction",
          "left_compound": "Simvastatin",
          "right_compound": "Verapamil",
          "left_atc": "C10AA01",
          "right_atc": "C08DA01",
          "left_formulation": "FTA",
          "right_formulation": "FTA",
          "left_medication": "ZOCOR 10mg",
          "right_medication": "Isoptin 80mg",
          "left_dose": "10 mg",
          "right_dose": "74.06 mg"
        }
      ],
      "unknown_compounds": [],
      "id": "1",
      "compounds": [
        "verapamil",
        "simvastatin"
      ]
    },
    {
      "interactions": [
        {
          "plausibility": "plausible mechanism",
```

```
"relevance": "moderate",
"frequency": "not known",
"credibility": "weak",
"direction": "undirected interaction",
"left_compound": "Amiodarone",
"right_compound": "Diltiazem",
"left_atc": "C01BD01",
"right_atc": "C08DB01",
"left_formulation": "DFL",
"right_formulation": "RET",
"left_medication": "Cordarex 150mg/3ml Injektionslösung",
"right_medication": "Dilzem 120mg retard",
"left_dose": "141.98 mg",
"right_dose": "110.3 mg"
},
{
  "plausibility": "plausible mechanism",
  "relevance": "severe",
  "frequency": "not known",
  "credibility": "high",
  "direction": "unidirectional interaction",
  "left_compound": "Lovastatin",
  "right_compound": "Amiodarone",
  "left_atc": "C10AA02",
  "right_atc": "C01BD01",
  "left_formulation": "TAB",
  "right_formulation": "DFL",
  "left_medication": "Lovastatin AL 20mg",
  "right_medication": "Cordarex 150mg/3ml Injektionslösung",
  "left_dose": "20 mg",
  "right_dose": "141.98 mg"
},
{
  "plausibility": "plausible mechanism",
  "relevance": "severe",
  "frequency": "not known",
  "credibility": "high",
  "direction": "unidirectional interaction",
  "left_compound": "Lovastatin",
  "right_compound": "Diltiazem",
  "left_atc": "C10AA02",
  "right_atc": "C08DB01",
  "left_formulation": "TAB",
  "right_formulation": "RET",
  "left_medication": "Lovastatin AL 20mg",
  "right_medication": "Dilzem 120mg retard",
  "left_dose": "20 mg",
  "right_dose": "110.3 mg"
},
{
  "relevance": "no statement possible",
  "left_compound": "Lovastatin",
  "right_compound": "Amlodipine",
  "right_atc": "C08CA01",
```

```
    "right_formulation": "TAB",
    "right_medication": "Norvasc 5mg",
    "right_dose": "5 mg"
  }
],
"unknown_compounds": [],
"id": "2",
"compounds": [
  "diltiazem",
  "amiodarone",
  "amlodipine",
  "lovastatin"
]
}
],
"timestamp": "2023-10-20 13:21:59",
"api_version": "0.3.0"
}
```

## POST /interactions/pzns

### Input

Check for interactions based on PZNs (*Pharmazentralnummer*, a German product identifier for drugs) provided as *json*. Lists of PZNs must be provided matched to an *ID*:

```
[
  {
    "id": "1",
    "pzns": ["03041347", "17145955", "00592733", "13981502"]
  },
  {
    "id": "2",
    "pzns": ["03041347", "17145955", "00592733", "13981502"]
  }
]
```

### Example Usage

```
curl -X POST "https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/interactions/pzns" \
-H "Authorization: Bearer yourjwttoken" \
-H "Content-Type: application/json" \
-d '[{"id": "1", "pzns": ["03041347", "17145955", "00592733", "13981502"]}, {"id": "2", "pzns": ["03041347", "17145955", "00592733", "13981502"]}]'
```

### Output



The return value for a successful **POST** request has the following structure:

```
{
  "results": [
    {
      "interactions": [
        {
          "plausibility": "plausible mechanism",
          "relevance": "minor",
          "frequency": "not known",
          "credibility": "weak",
          "direction": "unidirectional interaction",
          "left_PZN": "03041347",
          "right_PZN": "00592733"
        }
      ],
      "unknown_pzns": [],
      "id": "1",
      "pzns": [
        "03041347",
        "17145955",
        "00592733",
        "13981502"
      ]
    },
    {
      "interactions": [
        {
          "plausibility": "plausible mechanism",
          "relevance": "minor",
          "frequency": "not known",
          "credibility": "weak",
          "direction": "unidirectional interaction",
          "left_PZN": "03041347",
          "right_PZN": "00592733"
        }
      ],
      "unknown_pzns": [],
      "id": "2",
      "pzns": [
        "03041347",
        "17145955",
        "00592733",
        "13981502"
      ]
    }
  ],
  "timestamp": "2023-10-20 13:17:41",
  "api_version": "0.3.0"
}
```

## GET /priscus/compounds

### Input

Check for potentially inadequate medication for geriatric patients (Priscus 2.0) based on compound names provided as query parameters.

### Example Usage

```
curl -X GET "https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/priscus/compounds?
compounds=metoprolol,pindolol,diazepam" \
-H "accept: application/json" \
-H "Content-Type: application/json" \
-H "Authorization: Bearer yourjwttoken"
```

### Output

The return value for a successful **GET** request has the following structure:

```
{
  "priscus": [
    {
      "compound": "Metoprolol",
      "priscus": false
    },
    {
      "compound": "Pindolol",
      "priscus": true
    },
    {
      "compound": "Diazepam",
      "priscus": true
    }
  ],
  "unknown_compounds": [],
  "timestamp": "2024-05-16 12:31:53",
  "api_version": "0.6.0",
  "compounds": ["metoprolol", "pindolol", "diazepam"]
}
```

## POST /priscus/compounds

### Input

Check for potentially inadequate medication for geriatric patients (Priscus 2.0) based on compound names provided as *json*. Drug lists must be provided matched to an *ID*:

```
{
  [
    {
      "id": "1",
      "compounds": ["metoprolol","pindolol"]
    },
    {
      "id": "2",
      "compounds": ["diazepam","ranitidine","amlodipine","lovastatin"]
    }
  ]
}
```

## Example Usage

```
curl -X POST "https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/priscus/compounds" \
-H "Authorization: Bearer yourjwttoken" \
-H "Content-Type: application/json" \
-d '["{"id":"1","compounds":["metoprolol","pindolol","diazepam"]}, {"id":"2","compounds":["diazepam","ranitidine","amlodipine","lovastatin"]}']'
```

## Output

The return value for a successful **POST** request has the following structure:

```
{
  "results": [
    {
      "priscus": [
        {
          "compound": "Metoprolol",
          "priscus": false
        },
        {
          "compound": "Pindolol",
          "priscus": true
        },
        {
          "compound": "Diazepam",
          "priscus": true
        }
      ],
      "unknown_compounds": [],
      "id": "1",
      "compounds": ["metoprolol", "pindolol", "diazepam"]
    },
    {
      "priscus": [
```

```
{
  "compound": "Diazepam",
  "priscus": true
},
{
  "compound": "Ranitidine",
  "priscus": true
},
{
  "compound": "Amlodipine",
  "priscus": false
},
{
  "compound": "Lovastatin",
  "priscus": false
}
],
"unknown_compounds": [],
"id": "2",
"compounds": ["diazepam", "ranitidine", "amlodipine", "lovastatin"]
}
],
"timestamp": "2024-05-16 12:58:51",
"api_version": "0.6.0"
}
```

## GET /priscus/pzns

### Input

Check for potentially inadequate medicine for geriatric patients based on PZNs (*Pharmazentralnummer*, a German product identifier for drugs) provided as *query parameters*.

### Example Usage

```
curl -X POST "https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/priscus/pzns?
pzns=03967062,03041347,00592733" \
-H "Authorization: Bearer yourjwttoken" \
-H "Content-Type: application/json" \
```

### Output

The return value for a successful **GET** request has the following structure:

```
{
  "priscus": [
    {
      "pzn": "00592733",
```

```
    "priscus": false
  },
  {
    "pzn": "03041347",
    "priscus": true
  },
  {
    "pzn": "03967062",
    "priscus": true
  }
],
"unknown_pzns": [],
"timestamp": "2024-05-16 13:13:05",
"api_version": "0.6.0",
"pzns": ["03967062", "03041347", "00592733"]
}
```

## POST /priscus/pzns

### Input

Check for potentially inadequate medicine for geriatric patients based on PZNs (*Pharmazentralnummer*, a German product identifier for drugs) provided as *json*. Lists of PZNs must be provided matched to an *ID*:

```
[
  {
    "id": "1",
    "pzns": ["03041347", "17145955", "00592733", "13981502"]
  },
  {
    "id": "2",
    "pzns": ["03041347", "17145955", "00592733", "13981502"]
  }
]
```

### Example Usage

```
curl -X POST "https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/priscus/pzns" \
  -H "Authorization: Bearer yourjwttoken" \
  -H "Content-Type: application/json" \
  -d '[{"id": "1", "pzns": ["03041347", "17145955", "00592733", "13981502"]}, {"id": "2", "pzns": ["03041347", "17145955", "00592733", "13981502"]}]'
```

### Output

The return value for a successful **POST** request has the following structure:

```
{
  "results": [
    {
      "priscus": [
        {
          "pzn": "00592733",
          "priscus": false
        },
        {
          "pzn": "03041347",
          "priscus": true
        },
        {
          "pzn": "13981502",
          "priscus": false
        },
        {
          "pzn": "17145955",
          "priscus": false
        }
      ],
      "unknown_pzns": [],
      "id": "1",
      "pzns": ["03041347", "17145955", "00592733", "13981502"]
    },
    {
      "priscus": [
        {
          "pzn": "00592733",
          "priscus": false
        },
        {
          "pzn": "03041347",
          "priscus": true
        },
        {
          "pzn": "13981502",
          "priscus": false
        },
        {
          "pzn": "17145955",
          "priscus": false
        }
      ],
      "unknown_pzns": [],
      "id": "2",
      "pzns": ["03041347", "17145955", "00592733", "13981502"]
    }
  ],
  "timestamp": "2024-05-16 12:58:51",
  "api_version": "0.6.0"
}
```

## GET /qtc/compounds

### Input

Check for drugs with risks for Torsade de pointes according to [crediblemeds.org](https://crediblemeds.org) based on compound names provided as query parameters. The following categories are used:

- 0: Unknown risk
- 1: Conditional risk
- 2: Possible risk
- 3: Known risk

### Example Usage

```
curl -X GET "https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/qtc/compounds?
compounds=quinidine,diphenhydramine,ciprofloxacin" \
-H "accept: application/json" \
-H "Content-Type: application/json" \
-H "Authorization: Bearer yourjwttoken"
```

### Output

The return value for a successful **GET** request has the following structure:

```
{
  "qtc": [
    {
      "Name": "Diphenhydramine",
      "qtc_category": 1,
      "description": "Conditional risk for Torsade de pointes according to
crediblemeds.org"
    },
    {
      "Name": "Quinidine",
      "qtc_category": 3,
      "description": "Known risk for Torsade de pointes according to
crediblemeds.org"
    },
    {
      "Name": "Ciprofloxacin",
      "qtc_category": 3,
      "description": "Known risk for Torsade de pointes according to
crediblemeds.org"
    }
  ],
  "unknown_compounds": [],
  "timestamp": "2024-05-17 08:58:27",
  "api_version": "0.6.0",
}
```

```
"compounds": ["quinidine", "diphenhydramine", "ciprofloxacin"]
}
```

## POST /qtc/compounds

### Input

Check for drugs with risks for Torsade de pointes according to [crediblemeds.org](https://crediblemeds.org) based on compound names provided as query parameters. The following categories are used:

- 0: Unknown risk
- 1: Conditional risk
- 2: Possible risk
- 3: Known risk

Drug lists must be provided matched to an *ID*:

```
{
  [
    {
      "id": "1",
      "compounds": ["verapamil", "simvastatin", "diltiazem", "amiodarone",
"amlodipine", "lovastatin"]
    }
  ]
}
```

### Example Usage

```
curl -X POST "https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/qtc/compounds" \
-H "Authorization: Bearer yourjwttoken" \
-H "Content-Type: application/json" \
-d '["id":1,"compounds":["verapamil", "simvastatin", "diltiazem",
"amiodarone", "amlodipine", "lovastatin"]]'
```

### Output

The return value for a successful **POST** request has the following structure:

```
{
  "results": [
    {
      "qtc": [
        {
          "Name": "Amiodarone",
```



```
    "qtc_category": 3,
    "description": "Known risk for Torsade de pointes according to
crediblemeds.org"
  },
  {
    "Name": "Diltiazem",
    "qtc_category": 1,
    "description": "Conditional risk for Torsade de pointes according to
crediblemeds.org"
  },
  {
    "Name": "Verapamil",
    "qtc_category": 0,
    "description": "Risk unknown"
  },
  {
    "Name": "Amlodipine",
    "qtc_category": 0,
    "description": "Risk unknown"
  },
  {
    "Name": "Lovastatin",
    "qtc_category": 0,
    "description": "Risk unknown"
  },
  {
    "Name": "Simvastatin",
    "qtc_category": 0,
    "description": "Risk unknown"
  }
],
"unknown_compounds": [],
"id": "1",
"compounds": ["verapamil", "simvastatin", "diltiazem", "amiodarone",
"amlodipine", "lovastatin"]
}
],
"timestamp": "2024-05-17 09:00:08",
"api_version": "0.6.0"
}
```

## GET /atcs/drugs

### Input

Get drug names based on ATCs. Please note, that some ATCs may not resolve to a unique drug product, especially in case of fixed drug combinations

### Example Usage

```
curl -X GET "https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/atcs/drugs?
atcs=C01BD01,C08DB01,C08DA01,J01CR02" \
-H "accept: */*" \
-H "Authorization: Bearer yourjwttoken"
```

## Output

The return value for a successful **GET** request has the following structure:

```
{
  "names": [
    {
      "atc": "C01BD01",
      "name_german": "Amiodaron",
      "name_english": "Amiodarone"
    },
    {
      "atc": "C08DA01",
      "name_german": "Verapamil",
      "name_english": "Verapamil"
    },
    {
      "atc": "C08DB01",
      "name_german": "Diltiazem",
      "name_english": "Diltiazem"
    },
    {
      "atc": "J01CR02",
      "name_german": "Amoxicillin und Beta-Lactamase-Inhibitor",
      "name_english": "Amoxicillin and beta-lactamase inhibitor"
    }
  ],
  "unknown_atcs": [],
  "timestamp": "2023-10-20 10:56:21",
  "api_version": "0.3.0",
  "atcs": ["C01BD01", "C08DB01", "C08DA01", "J01CR02"]
}
```

GET /pzns/products

## Input

Get product names and ATC codes based on PZNs. Please note, that some PZNs may not be up to date.

## Example Usage

```
curl -X GET "https://abdata.clinicalpharmacy.me/api/pzns/products?
pzns=03967062,03041347,00592733" \
-H "accept: */*" \
-H "Authorization: Bearer yourjwttoken"
```

## Output

The return value for a successful **GET** request has the following structure:

```
{
  "products": [
    {
      "pzn": "00592733",
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