

Parasite Collection Utrecht

Explanation of the database fields in the Excel export



Field	Details
Reg_nr	Naturalis registration number of parasite specimen. RMNH.VER.UT refers to the worm parasites of the Utrecht collection. RMNH.INS.UT refers the insect parasites of the Utrecht collection. RMNH.CRUS.M refers to relevant numbers within the Crustacean collection of Naturalis (relevant for Pentastomida). RMNH.ACA.P refers to relevant numbers within the Acari slides collection of Naturalis.
Reg_nr_prefix	Prefix only of the registration number (Reg_nr). Useful for sorting purposes.
Reg_nr_Number	Number only of the registration number (Reg_nr). Useful for sorting purposes.
Taxon_fullname	Complete taxon name including author and year of publication
HigherTaxa	Higher levels of taxonomy (family, etc.) of selected specimen.
Taxonname_as_on_label	Taxon name as written on original label that was present with object when delivered to Naturalis.
Org_nr	Any original number that is mentioned on the original label. These numbers are not Naturalis registration numbers.
Collector	Person(s) that collected the parasite specimen in the field.
Donator	Person(s) that donated the specimen to the original Utrecht collection.
Collectiondate	Date on which the specimen was collected.
Determinator	The person who identified the specimen as given in the field 'taxon_fullname'.
Sex Stadium	Sex and life stage of parasite specimens.
Host_species	Organism which was host to the collected parasite at time of collection.
Host_part	Organ/body part of the host species from which the parasite was collected.
Host_sex	Gender of the host species.
Host_stage	Life stage of the host species.
Preparation_type	Type of specimen preparation (alcohol 70% or microscope slide).
Container_type	Kind of container in which the specimen is stored.
Count:	Amount of specimens stored under this registration number. Often not filled in.
Country Region Location	Country, region/province, location where parasite specimen(s) was collected.
org_Country org_Region org_location	Original location of host (and possibly parasite) species before it was e.g. transported to another country/location. This could be the case with zoo animals, for example. These database fields are hardly ever filled in.
Recorder	Person who created the database record for this registration number.
Timestamp	Date/time when database record was created.
Storage_type	Type of container specimen is stored in.
Storage_name	Name/number of container specimen is stored in.