

RADAR and Encyclopedia Homeopathica

Application and Use for Dr. Rajan Sankran's Research Methods

Dear Reader,

Thank you for requesting information about the use of RADAR and EH (Encyclopedia Homeopathica) software as related to the research methods of Dr. Rajan Sankran. Below you will find our reply to your questions on the topics as requested.



Note: This presentation has been made using *RADAR 10.5* with the latest live update. As repertory, we use the most recent repertory *Synthesis Treasure Edition 2009*; as Materia Medica the *EH book package H8*.

Around the summer of 2010 we will release a new RADAR, version 11, in both Macintosh and Windows, which will include an extended family search function.

This family search will be able to perform 2 or 3 family searches simultaneously and compare the results. This new family search will not only show search result from the repertory of rubrics and all materia medica, but it will also include a list of the **most frequent keywords** that run through the family.

Questions / Topics

Question 1

How to go about with rubrics, what we can do with rubrics and repertorisation? Seeing the rubric. We can search the rubrics for a symptom. We can add and then repertorise and see the Repertorial chart, e.g. adding the rubrics in its sequence.

Reply to Question 1

To learn these basic program functions, please see the follow introduction video, 'A Quick Tour'. This video shows the basic principles of finding rubrics and taking them into a clipboard.



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Question 2

Combining of the Rubrics. We can combining two or three rubrics and create a new one with contains all the remedies of all three rubrics; this helps broaden the number of remedies.

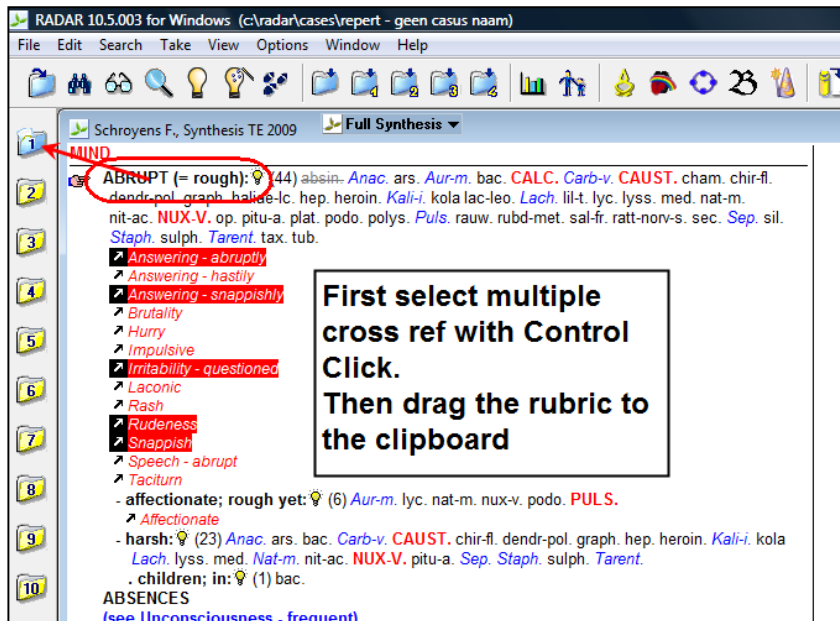
For example Embarrassment General and Ailments from embarrassment.

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The RADAR program lets you combine rubrics easily. This can be during the process of taking the symptoms, or after the rubrics have been taken into a Clipboard.

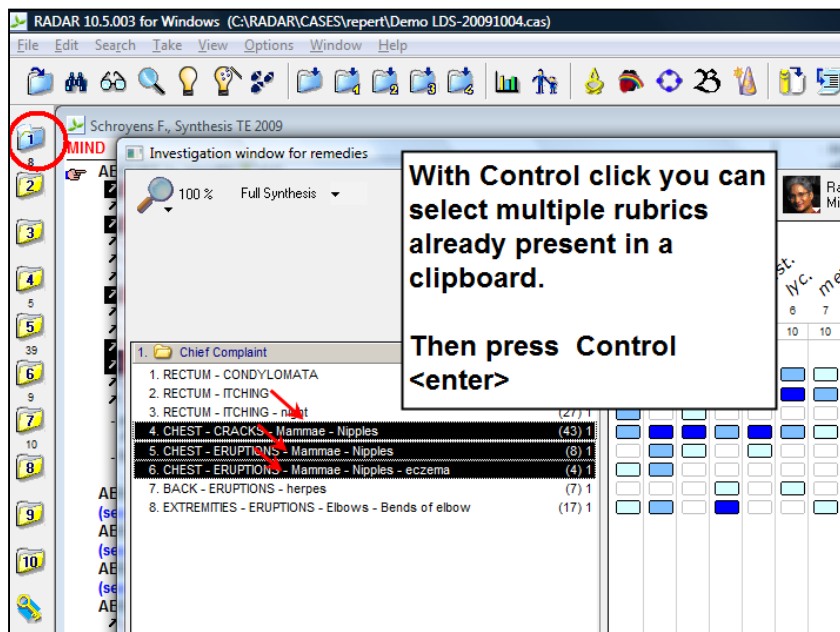
There are several ways to do this, we will just mention the most common methods.

a) You can take a rubric simultaneously with one or more of its **cross references** into a clipboard, and by default they will be taken as a group. (see below)



b) If symptoms have been taken into a clipboard already, you can combine them as follows.

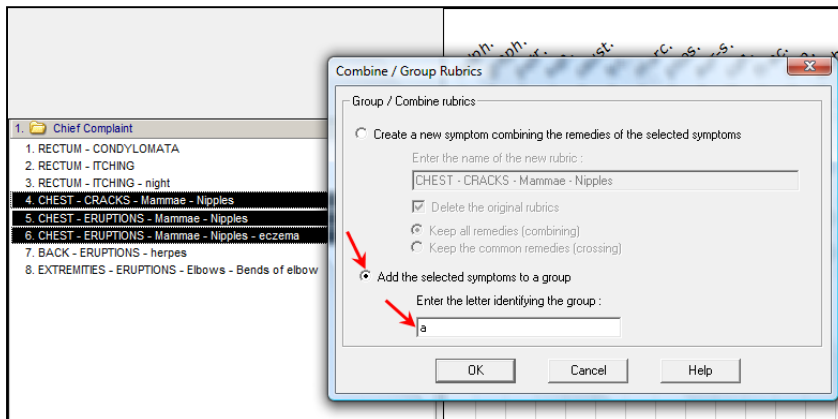
- In the clipboard, select the rubrics which you wish to combine with 'Control click'. (The symptoms do not need to be listed below each other.) Next, Right mouse click on one of the selected rubrics, or simply press 'Control Enter'.



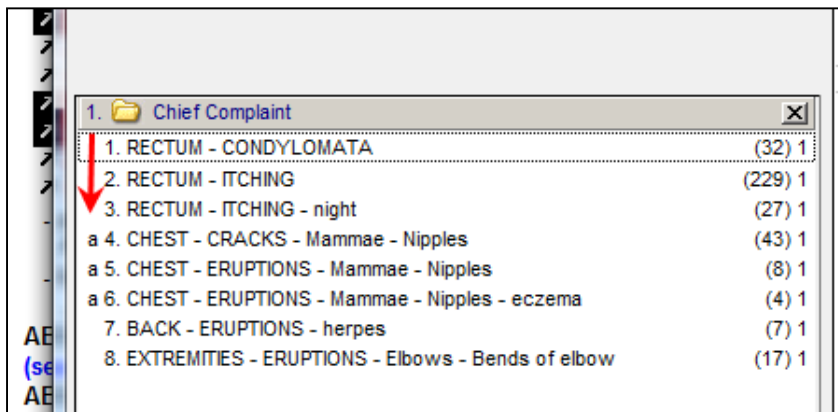
- You now have two ways to combine:

- Create a new rubric, combining all the rubrics into **one** new rubric, containing all remedies of the separate original rubrics. The original rubrics are replaced on the clipboard by the new rubric.
- The second way is to combine the rubrics into a group. This method is preferred by most homeopaths (you keep the original rubrics, but they are calculated as if being one rubric).

The illustration below shows how to ‘combine them in a group.’ You will assign **one** character for this combined group, for example: ‘a’. If you need to use multiple groups in the same clipboard, then for the next group you give the character: b, c, d, etc.



When symptoms have been combined in a group, you can readily recognise the combined rubrics by the character in front of the rubrics. (see below)



Tip: You can sort the symptoms in a clipboard by using the ‘Sort rubrics’ option. Right mouse click on one of the symptoms, and select Sort rubrics.

Question 3

Limiting the analysis to a particular Family.

In the repertorial chart you can limit your search to a particular family for. For example you want to know all the remedies coming up in the analysis of the: Solanaceae.

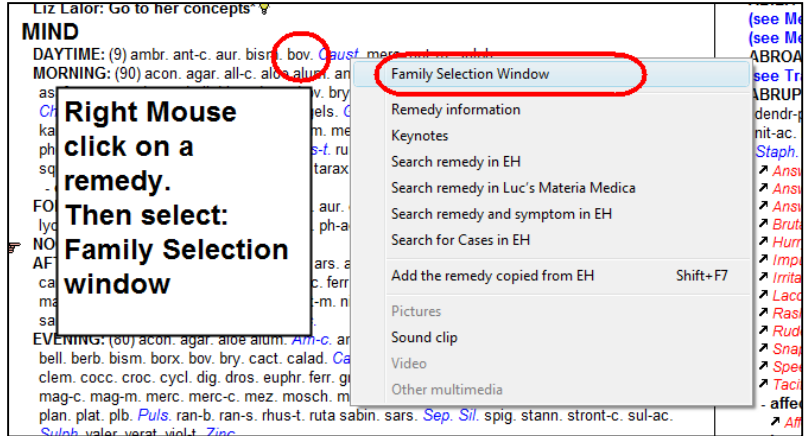
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This can be done in several ways. The user can select the method he prefers:

A. Right mouse click on any remedy to see which family or families it belongs to. Then select 'Family Selection Window'.

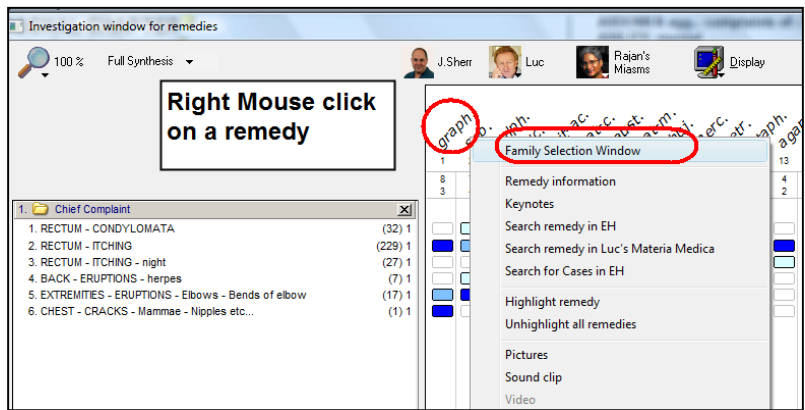
This can be done:

In the repertory window.



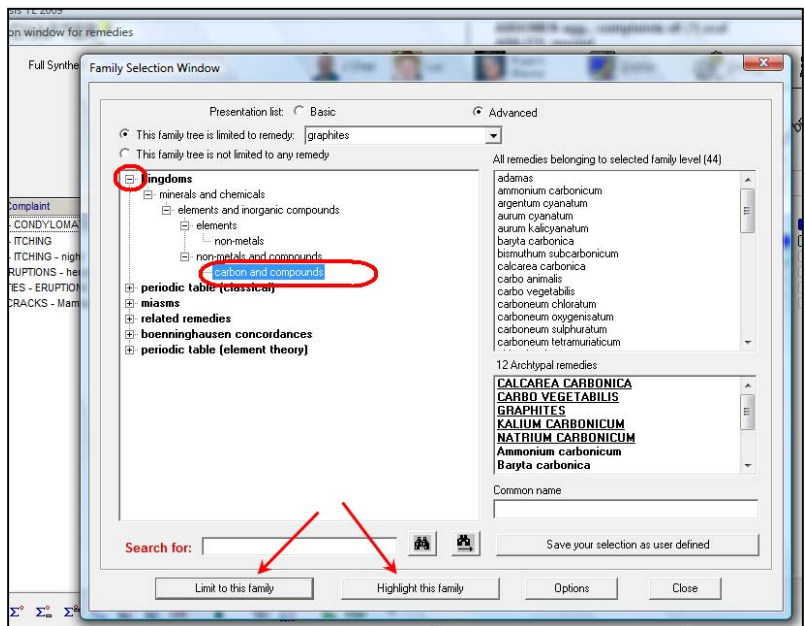
In the Analysis Window (repertorisation).

Right mouse click on a remedy if you want to limit (or highlight) the repertory chart to the family of that particular remedy. (see below)

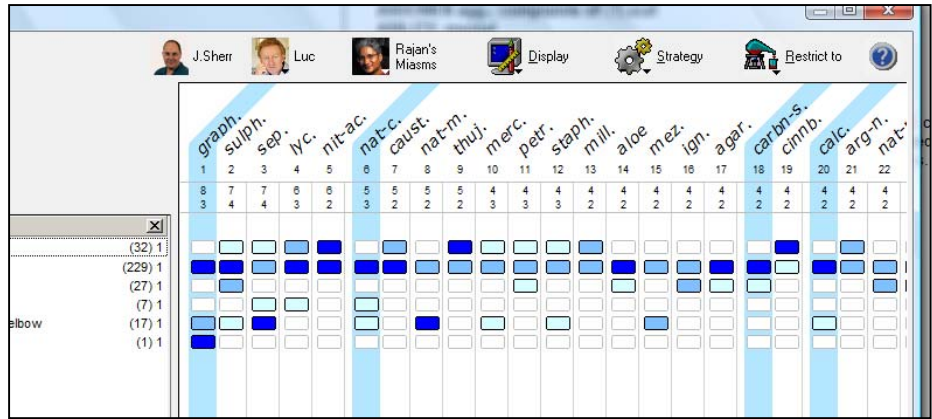


In the Remedy Selection window, you see all family(ies) to which the remedy belongs.

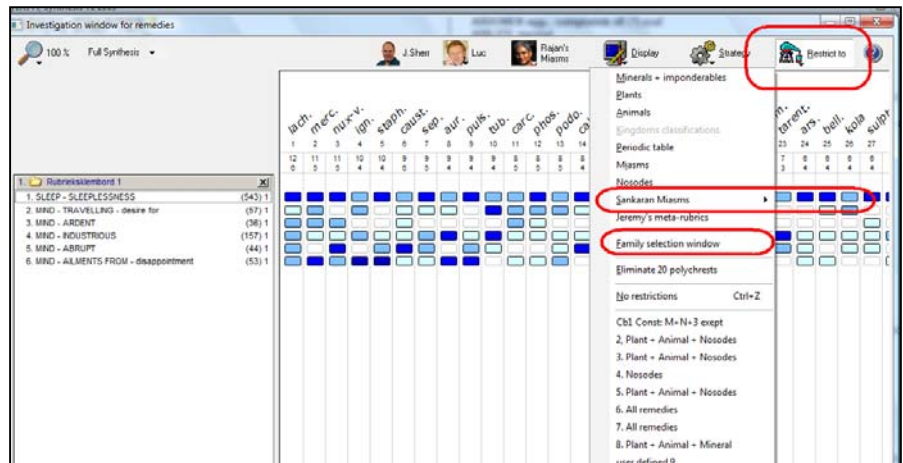
From here, select that family(ies) which you want to Highlight or Limit the analysis to.



Remedies of this family are then highlighted as shown.

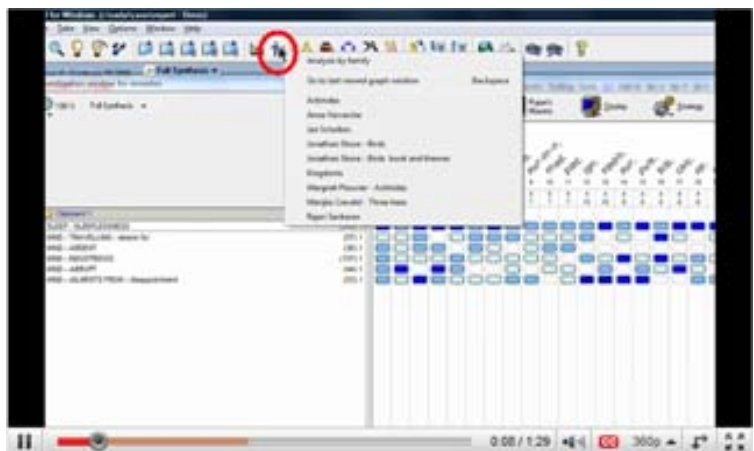


B. A second way to select a family in the repertory chart is by using the button 'Restrict to'. In a similar way as described above you can select a family to highlight or limit the repertory chart to. (See below)



C. You can also use the Families & Schemas button. Please watch this short video about using this Families button:

[Start video 'Limit to families'](#)



Using Families: extended videos

In the following videos, Kim Elia will walk you through all options of the Families button:



[Start video general families button part 1 A](#)

[Start video general families button part 1 B](#)

[Start video general families button part 2 A](#)

[Start video general families button part 2 B](#)

[Start video using the Jan Scholten Schemas](#)

[Start video using the Rajan Sankran Schemas](#)

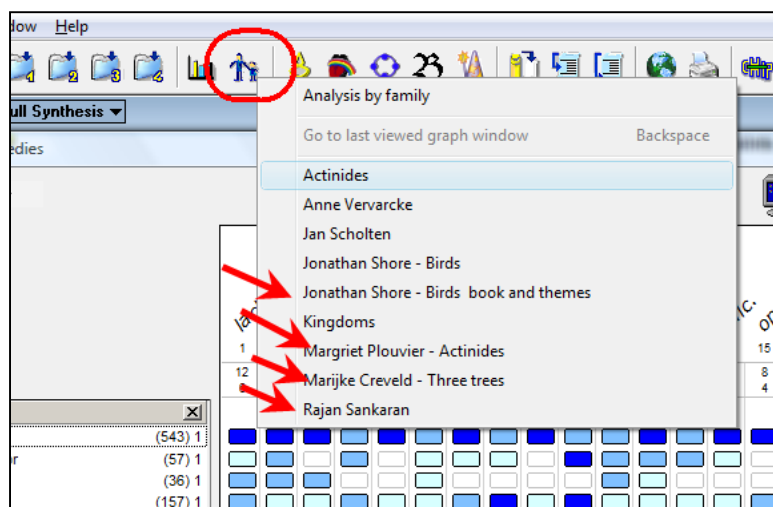
[Start video using the Word Search in the families](#)

[Start video using Anne Vervarcke schemas](#)

New Families Schemas

New families options and schemas have already been added: Plouvier (Actiniden), Jonathan Shore (Bird remedies), Anne Vervarcke.

Other new schemas are coming soon: Alastair Gray, Liz Lalor, Frans Vermeulen (Monera, Fungi), Jenni Tree (Grasses), etc.



Question 4

In the similar way you can take your analysis to limit it for a particular **kingdom** (Plant, mineral, animal), Miasm (Psora, syphilis, Sycosis, Cancer etc.).

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Limiting to one of the Kingdoms can be done via the same Families schema button or the other methods shown above.

Note: Combining to more then one Kingdoms or families

The preceding videos also explain how to select to more then one family for highlighting or limiting your analysis (e.g. Snakes + Spiders).

In a similar way you can select two Kingdoms (e.g. Plant + Animals)

General video of Dr. Will Taylor about the families repertory and new APGII system

In this video Will Taylor gives detailed information about the use of the families and the creation of the new Families repertory.



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Question 5

Search a remedy and its family (other remedies from that same family).

- Search all rubrics which contain remedies of a particular family.
- Apply extra conditions (rubric size, degree, etc.)

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RADAR 10.5 can currently search for remedies from a particular family (manually selected from the families repertory).

Around Summer of 2010, the new RADAR 11 will include **advanced family search functions**:

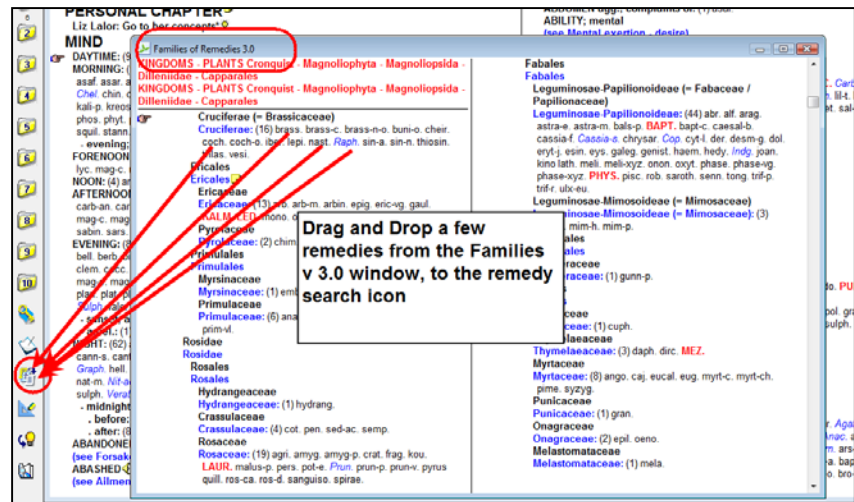
- ⇒ Search a family (rubrics with x number of remedies from a family) through the repertory.
- ⇒ Idem: but limited to a certain **category** of rubrics only: Time, Modalities, Localisations etc.
- ⇒ Idem: but the rubrics are not only sorted to rubric size, but a **Frequency of words** (or Word count) is listed.

You can see in one overview which Words, which Themes run strongest through a particular family. (e.g. 'constriction occurs 500 times', 'money occurs 15 times' etc.).

How to select remedies from a particular family (RADAR version 10.5):

From the Family Repertory, just drag and drop one or more remedies to the 'Remedy search icon'. (see screen)

Next, click on the Synthesis Repertory so it is the top window, open the Remedy Search Window, and begin your search.



Question 6

Using the Materia Medica as reference (Encyclopaedia Homeopatica)

- Searching for a particular Remedy
- Searching for a particular Word (or combination of words), e.g. alligator.
- Applying search certain (Within same remedy, symptom, paragraph) (within a certain number of words, within e.g. 2, 3, 4 or more words) (Order of words)
- Limit search result to a particular Kingdom, Family or Miasms (or for example a combination of more than one family)
- Save a query for future reference.

Reply to Question 6

Most of the above features are explained in these basic Instruction Videos.



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[Start video how to limit to a particular Family in EH](#)

Question 7

Use the 'symptoms' you found in the Materia Medica and use them in the Repertory (add to a symptom clipboard)

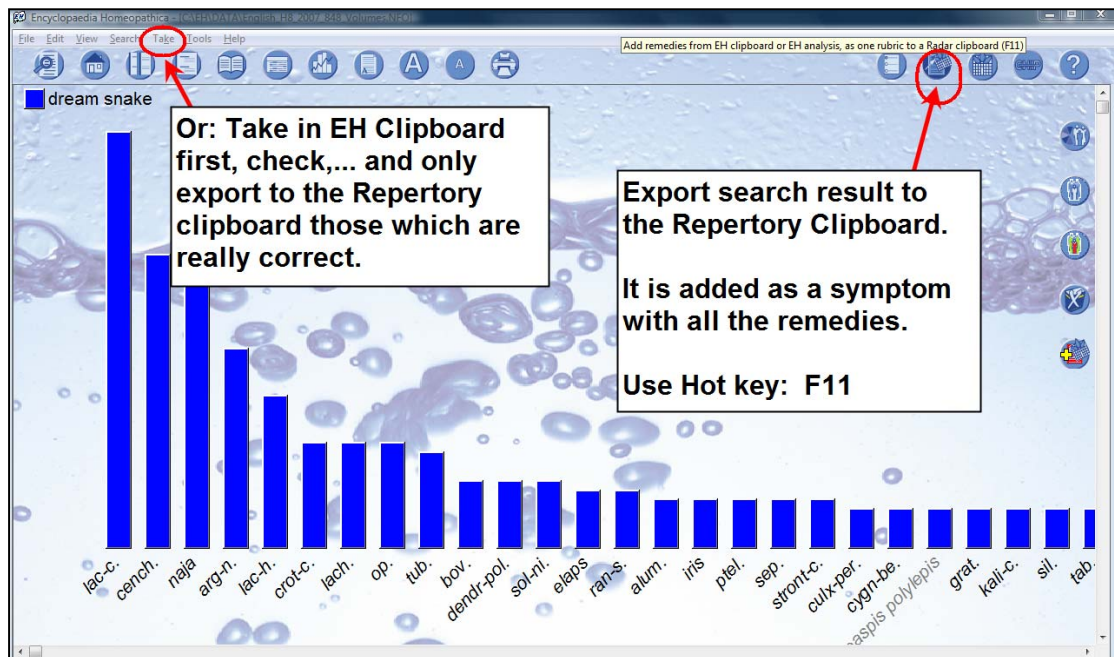
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It is possible to copy the search result from the MM to the Repertory and add to a clipboard.

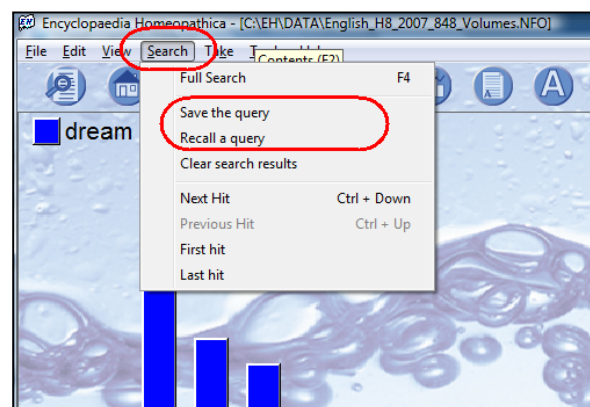
- You can add the search result immediately (all symptoms); or,
- You can first check the search result in the MM, and select only those results which are really correct, and only add these checked references to the Repertory clipboard

Example:

- Search for 'Dream Snakes'.
- In the EH Analysis Window, Click on the button '**Export to Repertory clipboard**' (or use hot key **F11**)
- A better method is to first take the symptoms into the '**EH clipboard**' (instead of the EH Analysis Window), then check all the symptoms to be sure they are really accurately related to your query, and then export only the correct ones to the repertory clipboard. (see below)



You can Save your queries for future reference via the menu **Search, Save the Query**

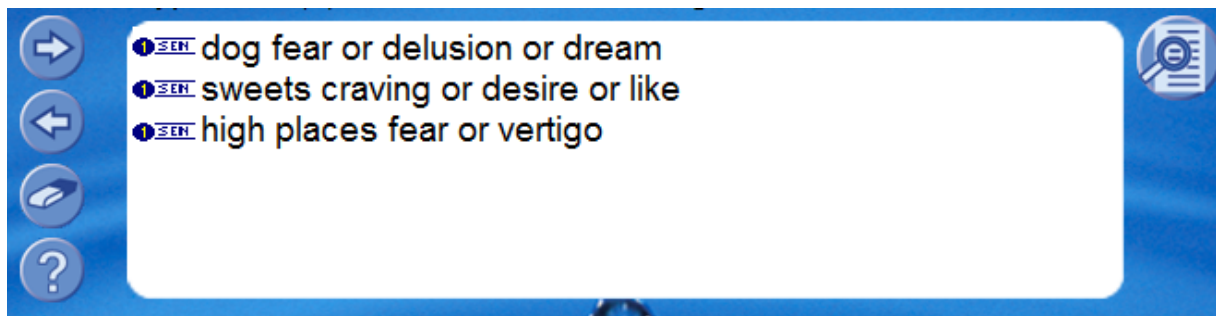


Search Example:

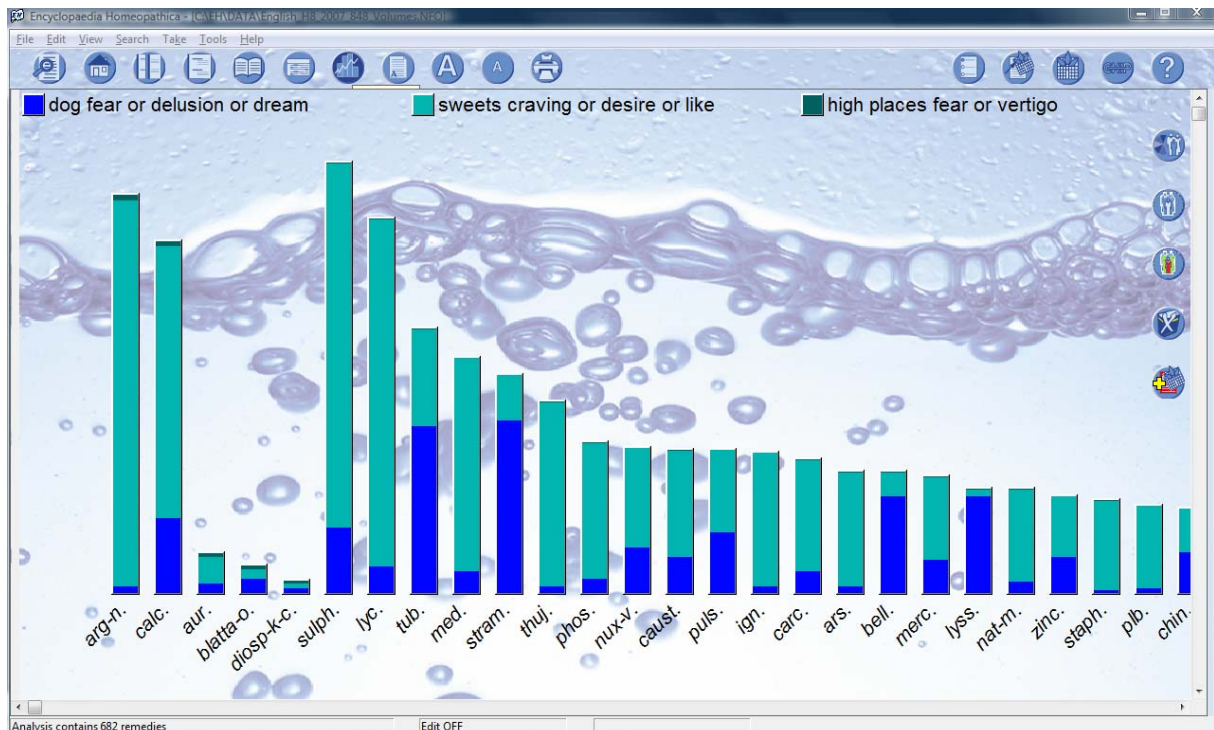
- **Dog + Fear (or) Delusion (or) Dream**
- **Sweets + Craving (or) Desire (or) Like**
- **High Places + Fear (or) vertigo**

It is possible to search for more complex combinations of words in an AND / OR relationship. The AND, OR operators can be applied in your query. (The Operator AND does not need to be typed, because this is the default relationship between items.) You can also apply other criteria like 'within same sentence, within same remedy etc.

The above query will look like the following jpg:

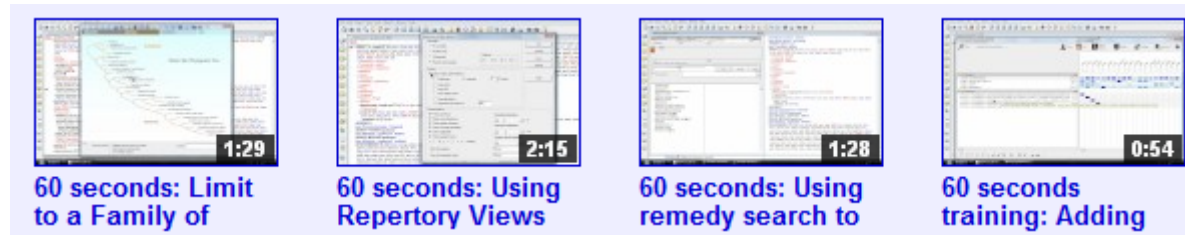


The result will be that a few remedies will have all the three 'symptoms' (see below)



Other instruction videos

There are several other instruction videos and manuals available.



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Installation

[Check program settings after installation](#)

Save Cases

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Copy and Paste

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Repertory views

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Luc de Schepper

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Winchip patient file

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Dr Plouvier-Suijs: The Actinides

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Anne Vervarcke Vital Approach

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How to use the Winchip patient file

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