

Canadian Business and Current Affairs Fulltext

FILE DESCRIPTION

Canadian Business and Current Affairs Fulltext (CBCA Fulltext) provides coverage of a wide range of company, product, and industry information appearing in over 500 Canadian popular magazines and business periodicals, as well as eight daily newspapers. The file provides the full text for articles from over 100 of the periodicals and news sources covered in the bibliographic database, starting from 1993 to the present, and indexing to more than 5 million articles from 1982 to present.

The early database consisted of 3 subfiles: 1) Canadian Business Index (1982-1992); 2) Canadian News Index (1982-1992); and 3) Canadian Magazine Index (1985-1992). Records currently in the file are from the Canadian Index (1993 to date).

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TIPS

LIMIT TO FULLTEXT ARTICLES

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S S1/FULLTEXT

USE CO= or /CO

to search for company news
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S CO=GENERAL MOTORS?

USE JN=

to search for a journal name
S JN=HERIZONS

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to locate descriptors
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DIALOG FILE DATA

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SAMPLE RECORD

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/TI Sober Second Thought
AU= AUTHOR: Mitchell, Penni
JN= Herizons Volume 21, Issue 3, Pages 5
PD=, PY= 080101 (January 1, 2008)
RT= RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
DT= DOCUMENT TYPE: PERIODICAL
 Supplier Number: 1398589771
LA= Language: English
WD= Word Count: 1002
/LP, /TX

Text:

Did you hear about the study by Dr. Arthur Klatsky of the Kaiser Permanente Research Group in California, the one that found that a single drink per day increased a woman's risk of breast cancer?

At first blush, this fall study sounded as scary as last year's study from the Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center in Boston, the one that reported that a glass or two of red wine daily helped lower the risk of heart attack-but only for men.

What kind of sexist biology-is-destiny fates had determined that men could drink a glass or two of wine a day and see their health improve, yet women who do the same "were risking theirs? Is it time for women to give up the grape?

I took a sober second look at the Klatsky study and found a few interesting things. First, the media focussed almost exclusively on the finding that women who drank one to two drinks per day had a 10 percent higher risk of breast cancer compared to those who drank less than one drink per day. And yet, any epidemiologist worth her salt will tell you that a 10 percent increase isn't exactly stop-the-presses news. The important news in Klatsky's study was actually underreported: namely, that heavy drinkers, those consuming three or more drinks per day, had a breast cancer rate 30 percent higher than those who drank less than a one drink per day.

"A 30 percent increased risk is not trivial," Klatsky pointed out. "It provides more evidence for why heavy drinkers should quit or cut down."

He is right. Among the 70,033 multi-ethnic women whose health records Klatsky examined between 1977 and 1985, four percent had been diagnosed with breast cancer by 2004. Heavy drinkers were twice as likely to have had the diagnosis. A woman's lifetime risk of having breast cancer is about one in nine; for heavy drinkers, the risk could be nearly one in six. Moreover, heavy drinkers are already at an elevated risk of diabetes, osteoporosis and many types of cancer. If you're drinking three or more drinks per day, breast cancer is one more reason to cut back.

At the same time, we need to put a 10 percent increased risk of breast cancer in perspective. Coronary artery disease is the leading cause of death for Canadian women. In 1996, 39,924 Canadian women died of cardiovascular disease, while 5,300 women died from breast cancer. Women are eight times as likely to die from heart disease as from breast cancer.

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/CO, CO= COMPANY NAMES (Generated): BETH ISRAEL DEACONESS MEDICAL CENTER INC
/DE DESCRIPTORS: Womens health; Alcohol use; Risk factors; Breast cancer;
 Studies; MEDICAL AND HEALTH; HEALTH CARE SERVICES; PREVENTIVE MEDICINE;
 NUTRITION AND DIETETICS; HEALTH AND FITNESS

SEARCH OPTIONS

BASIC INDEX

SEARCH SUFFIX	DISPLAY CODE	FIELD NAME	INDEXING	SELECT EXAMPLES
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/AB	AB	Abstract ¹	Word	S TRUCKING(W)REGULATIONS/AB
/CO	CO	Company Name ²	Word	S ALBERTA(W)SUGAR/CO
/DE	DE	Descriptor ³	Word & Phrase	S TRUCKING(W)INDUSTRY/DE S INTERPROVINCIAL TRADE/DE
/LP	LP	Lead Paragraph	Word	S TRUCKING(W)CORRIDOR/LP
/NA	NM	Named Person ²	Word	S WRIGHT(1N)JERRY/NA
/TI	TI	Title	Word	S CANAMEX/TI
/TN	TN	Trade Name ^{2,4}	Word	S SUDBURY(W)STAR/TN
/TX	TX	Text	Word	S WEIGHT(S)RULE?/TX

¹ Abstracts included from January 1991 through December 1994.

⁴ Not present after 6/2004.

² Searchable in the Basic Index and in the Additional Indexes.

³ Also /DF.

ADDITIONAL INDEXES

SEARCH PREFIX	DISPLAY CODE	FIELD NAME	INDEXING	SELECT EXAMPLES
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AV=	AV	Availability ⁴	Word	S AV=(ONTARIO(W)SECURITIES)
—	AZ	DIALOG Accession Number		
BN=	BN	International Standard Book Number (ISBN)	Phrase	S BN=0-00-215433-1
CO=	CO	Company Name ²	Phrase	S CO=ALBERTA SUGAR?
CS=	CS	Corporate Source ⁴	Word	S CS=(HOUSE(S)COMMONS)
DT=	DT	Document Type ⁵	Word	S DT=JOURNAL?
JN=	JN	Journal/Newspaper Name	Phrase	S JN=WESTERN REPORT
LA=	LA	Language ⁵	Phrase	S LA=ENGLISH
NA=	NM	Named Person ²	Phrase	S NA=WRIGHT, JERRY
NO=	NO	Company Number	Phrase	S NO=CA011083
PD=	PD	Publication Date	Phrase	S PD=19940627
PU=	PU	Publisher ⁴	Word	S PU=(ACADIA(W)UNIVERSITY)
PY=	PY	Publication Year	Phrase	S PY=1994
RT=	RT	Record Type	Phrase	S RT=FULLTEXT
SE=	SE	Series ⁴	Word	S SE=(CAHIERS(1W)CETAI)
SF=	SF	Special Feature ⁴	Word & Phrase	S SF=GRAPHIC S SF=COMPANY PROFILE
—	SO	Source Information ⁶		
TN=	TN	Trade Name ^{2,4}	Phrase	S TN=SUDBURY STAR
UD=	—	Update	Phrase	S UD=9999
WD=	WD	Word Count	Numeric	S WD<1000

⁵ Beginning in May 2004.

⁶ Display includes Journal Name, Volume, Issue, Pagination, and Publication Date.

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6	Free	Title, Publication Date, and Word Count
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