

# Removing Entities from VIVO

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## General Method

To remove entities from VIVO, run SPARQL queries to retrieve the triples for the entities as RDF. Then go to Site Administration -> Advanced Data Tools -> Add or Remove RDF Data to upload the RDF to remove the triples for the entities.

Entities that are involved in relationships will need more attention. The relationship involving the entity should also be removed.

## Examples

### Remove publications by type

Run the following SPARQL CONSTRUCT queries to retrieve the triples associated with the entities:

#### Article

```
construct {  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
} where {  
    ?s rdf:type bibo:Article .  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
}
```

#### Book

```
construct {  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
} where {  
    ?s rdf:type bibo:Book .  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
}
```

#### Case Study

```
construct {  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
} where {  
    ?s rdf:type vivo:CaseStudy .  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
}
```

#### Conference Paper

```
construct {  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
} where {  
    ?s rdf:type vivo:ConferencePaper .  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
}
```

## Editorial Article

```
construct {  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
} where {  
    ?s rdf:type vivo:EditorialArticle .  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
}
```

## Proceedings

```
construct {  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
} where {  
    ?s rdf:type bibo:Proceedings .  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
}
```

## Review

```
construct {  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
} where {  
    ?s rdf:type vivo:Review .  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
}
```

## Academic Article

```
construct {  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
} where {  
    ?s rdf:type bibo:AcademicArticle .  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
}
```

## Remove Other Entities

## Journal

```
construct {  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
} where {  
    ?s rdf:type bibo:Journal .  
    ?s ?p ?o .  
}
```