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## Efficacy and Safety of Steroids in Acute Heart Failure: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis

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**Table S1:** The adjusted search terms as per searched electronic databases

DATABASE	NUMBER	SEARCH STRATEGY	RESULTS
<b>PUBMED</b>			
	#1	1. ("heart failure"[MeSH Terms] OR ("heart"[All Fields] AND "failure"[All Fields]) OR "heart failure"[All Fields])	
	#2	2. ("steroidal"[All Fields] OR "steroidals"[All Fields] OR "steroidic"[All Fields] OR "steroids"[MeSH Terms] OR "steroids"[All Fields] OR "steroid"[All Fields])	
	#3	#1 AND #2	
	#4	3. (3 AND ("clinical trial"[Publication Type] OR "randomized controlled trial"[Publication Type]) AND "loattrfull text"[Filter])	
	#5	4. (4 AND "humans"[MeSH Terms] NOT "animals"[MeSHTerms:noexp])	
	#6	5. (5 AND (clinical trial[Filter] OR randomized controlled trial[Filter]) AND ff[Filter])	973
<b>Scopus</b>			
		( TITLE-ABS-KEY (heart AND steroid) OR TITLE-ABS-KEY (heart AND Failure) OR TITLE-ABS-KEY (heart failure, AND steroids) OR TITLE-ABS-KEY(heart failure, AND steroids)AND(( TITLE-ABS-KEY ( Randomized control trial)	
			326
<b>Google Scholar</b>	#1	(“Heart failure”) AND (“Steroid) and (“randomized controlled trial”)	166
<b>TOTAL [15/10/2024]</b>			1465