

Impact of Extended Implementation on USP–NF Platform Starting on November 1, 2020 until December 1, 2020

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USP recognizes that stakeholders are currently facing numerous challenges with maintaining normal operations during, and responding to, the Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) global pandemic.

In an effort to support industry and regulators while continuing to support public health during this difficult time, the USP Council of Experts previously announced the adjustment of official dates for specific issues of USP–NF: see the Compendial Notice "[Extended Implementation and Comment Period Extension for USP and FCC Publications](#)" posted on March 27, 2020. The official dates were adjusted as follows:

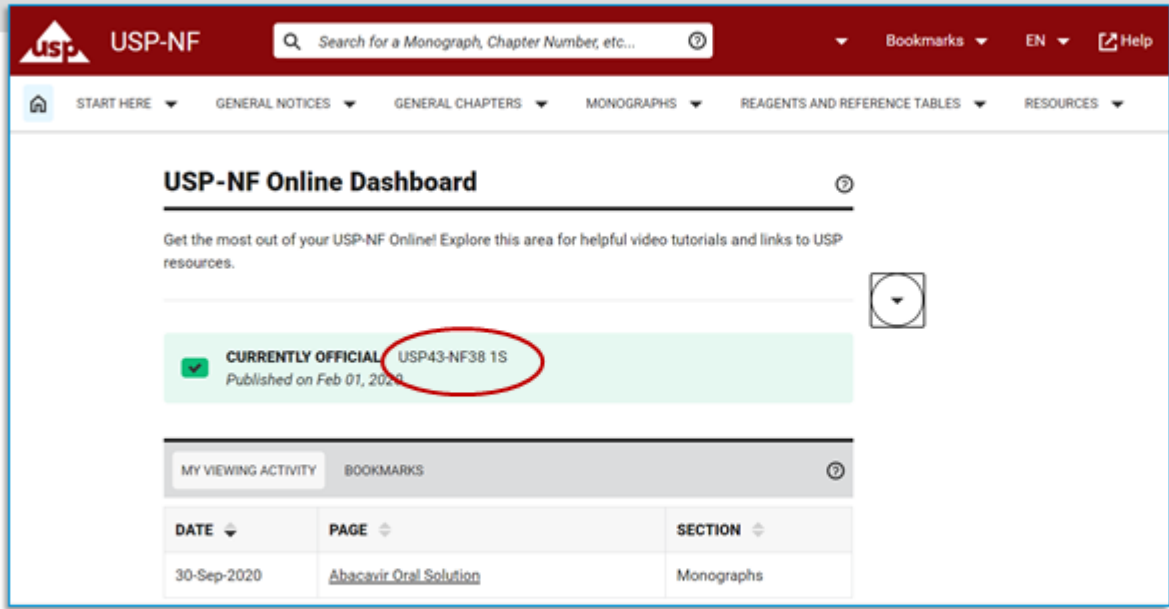
- United States Pharmacopoeia and National Formulary
 - *USP 43–NF 38*: Official date has been extended by 6 months from May 1, 2020 to **November 1, 2020**
 - *USP 43–NF 38, First Supplement*: Official date has been extended by 3 months from August 1, 2020 to **November 1, 2020**

As a result, both *USP 43–NF 38* and *USP 43–NF 38, First Supplement* are becoming official at the same time, on November 1, 2020. *USP 43–NF 38, Second Supplement* will become official one (1) month later, on December 1, 2020.

Please note that although both *USP 43–NF 38* and *USP 43–NF 38, First Supplement* will become official on November 1, 2020, the *USP–NF Online* platform is designed to designate only one publication as official at a time. Starting on November 1, 2020, you will see *USP 43–NF 38, First Supplement* as the designated official publication within the banner on the main dashboard and as the green check-mark icon in the filter section (see below for screenshots). Standards targeted to become official on November 1, 2020 will show the green "Currently Official" status at the document level. Please refer to the status of each individual standard for appropriate official dates and revision status.

Please refer to our [Frequently Asked Questions \(FAQs\)](#) for additional information.

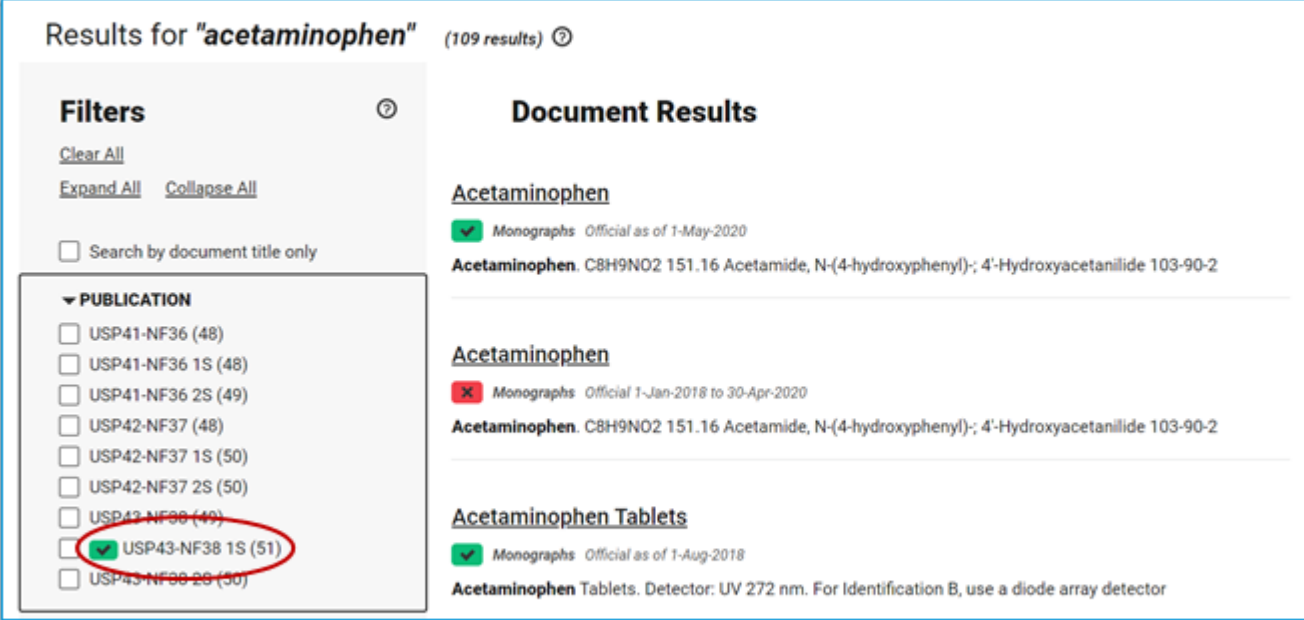
Dashboard View



Please note that while "USP43-NF38 1S" will replace "USP42-NF37 2S" on the banner on the main dashboard, both USP43-NF38 and USP43-NF38 1S become official on November 1, 2020.

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Filters View



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