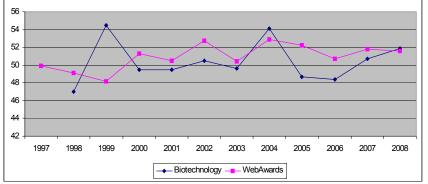
WebAward Internet Standards Assessment Report

2009 Biotechnology Industry Benchmark Results

Average Industry Scores vs Internet Standards Assessment Report (ISAR) Index

<u>Year</u>	<u>Biotec</u>	<u>h WebAwards</u>
1999	54.5	48.2
2000	49.5	51.3
2001	49.5	50.5
2002	50.5	52.7
2003	35.5	50.4
2004	54.1	52.9
2005	48.7	52.2
2006	48.4	50.7
2007	50.7	51.8
2008	51.9	51.6
		Score out of a possible 70 points



Average Scores by Judging Criteria

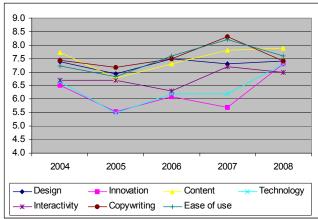
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	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>
Design	7.4	6.9	7.5	7.3	7.4
Innovation	6.5	5.5	6.1	5.7	7.3
Content	7.7	6.8	7.3	7.8	7.9
Technology	6.7	5.5	6.2	6.2	7.3
Interactivity	6.7	6.7	6.3	7.2	7.0
Copywriting	7.4	7.2	7.5	8.3	7.4
Ease of use	7.2	6.8	7.6	8.2	7.6
Score out of a possible 10 points					

Analysis

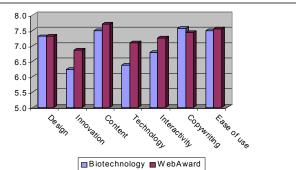
Biotechnology Web sites have underperformed the overall ISAR index eight of the last eleven years judged. Despite outperforming in copywriting, the biotechnology industry scored below the 5-year criteria benchmark in all other areas. Although well written and designed, these sites are weak in innovation and technology.

Biotech Web sites generally deal with complex content, advanced medical issues, and a highly educated audience. The use of Flash and other technologies to animate graphics and integrate video and audio has made it easier for the best biotech sites to tell their story.

Average Scores by Judging Criteria Chart



Industry vs ISAR 5-Year Average By Criteria



Best of Industry Winners

Year	<u>Winner</u>
2008	Avenue A Razorfish
2007	Euro Life x2
2006	AxxiemCorp
2005	Risdall Advertising Agency
2004	Genzyme Corporation / Stellent
2003	Alken-Murray Corporation
2002	Hanley-Wood Integrated Marketing
2001	Ornico 1to1
2000	R/GA
1999	BioSpace.com Inc.
1998	Synergistic Media Network Inc.

<u>Web site</u> Gene.com Prolastin Cara Therapeutics Hutchinson Technology Genzyme Web Initiative Alken-Murray whybiotech.com Efekto Healthshield BioSpace.com BioSpace.com

About this Report

The Web Marketing Association has collected industry Web site development benchmark data since 1997 through its WebAward program. Multiple independent judges review and score each site from 0-10 points on each of seven criteria for a possible 70 points. Best of Industry WebAward is given to the site that scores highest in the industry. The views of this report are based on observations of aggregated industry data and do not reflect the results for any particular Web site unless noted. For complete information, go to www.webaward.org

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