

Quest Through the Archives

Directions: After reading the article "[Data back ban of artificial trans fats](http://www.sciencenews.org)," use the archives at www.sciencenews.org to answer these questions:

1. What are trans fats? Search for a *Science News* article that gives a general overview of what these substances are and describe their chemical and physical properties.
2. Search for a *Science News* article describing a "good" trans fat. Explain how the FDA might consider this information for their upcoming ban.
3. The U.S. Food and Drug administration is responsible for implementing the future ban on artificial trans fats. Search for a *Science News* article that describes another recent FDA ban. Explain.