

**Table 1. Withdrawn - Author and Editorial Reasons, (N = 706)**

N = 128	Reasons	Estimate
<b>Authors</b>	Lack of time, N (%)	107 (83.6)
	Not reported, N (%)	11 (8.6)
	*Other Reasons, N (%)	10 (7.8)

\* Willingness to continue, Lack of resources, Lack of resources, out of date, complete outside Cochrane, difficulties and replaced.

N = 489	Reasons	Estimate
<b>Editorial</b>	Lack of progress, N (%)	142 (29)
	*Out of date, N (%)	133 (27.2)
	Replaced, N (%)	73 (14.9)
	Not compliant with Cochrane Methodology, N (%)	34 (6.9)
	Spitted, N (%)	26 (5.3)
	Merged, N (%)	20 (4)
	§Others Reasons, N (%)	61 (12.7)

\* Reason for out of date (Methodological and not reported)

§, Authors unavailable, included in other review, non-priority, conflict of interest, comments post publication, Cochrane funding arbitration panel, unnecessary duplication of effort, non-compliance with commercial sponsorship policy, no longer needs updated, authors relinquished, lack of agreement author and editorial team, original studies retraction, unable to contact authors, drugs was withdrawn for the market, irrelevant for the current clinical context, lack of resources

¥ Not reported (N = 17), Not found (N = 72)