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Foreword

This manual presents the LabBook elements accessible to a person with "Biologist" rights. If you cannot access any of the actions via your interface, please contact your administrator so that these rights can be assigned to you.

The LabBook API interface allows you to integrate and automate data exchanges between LabBook and other information systems (e.g., billing software, EHR, mobile application). This document explains how to configure access and use the main web services (endpoints) available.

The interface uses the OpenAPI (Swagger) standard, offering interactive documentation and the ability to test calls directly from a web browser.

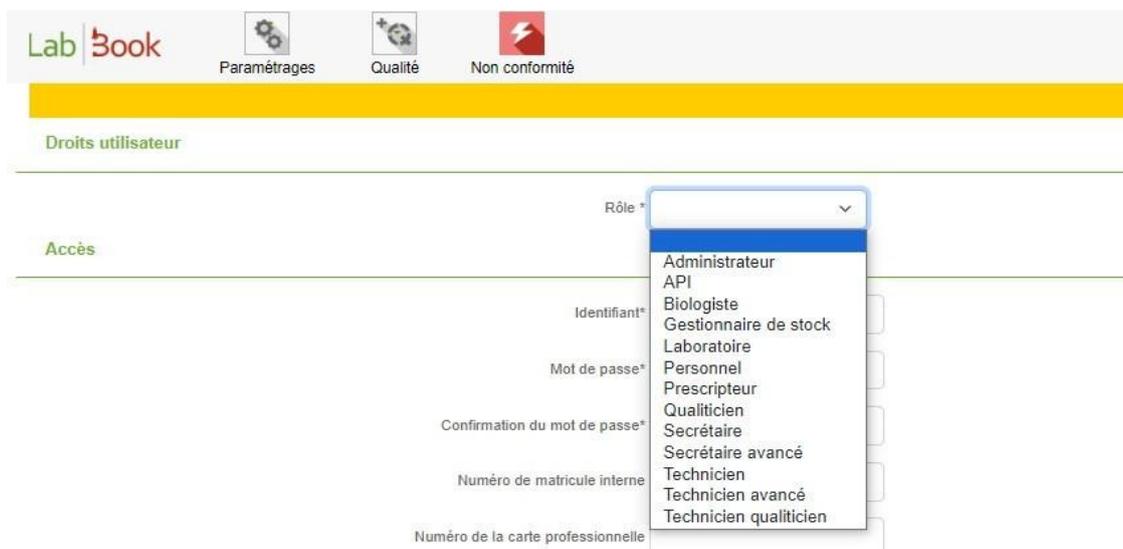
URL for accessing the API interface: [http\(s\)://<your-labbook-domain>/sigl/api](http(s)://<your-labbook-domain>/sigl/api)

Prerequisites and authentication

Creating an API user

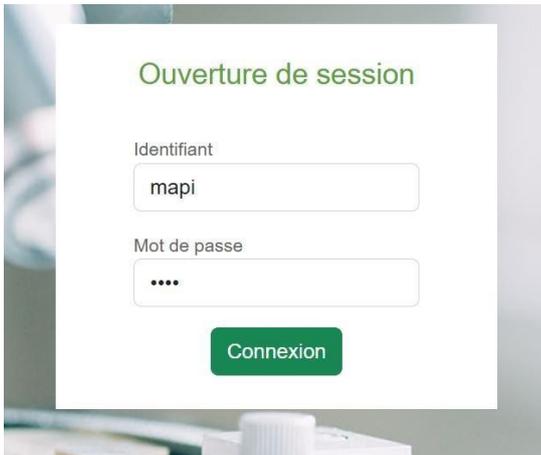
For security reasons, access to the API requires a dedicated account with the API role.

- Log in to LabBook as an administrator (root). → Go to the Administration > User Management menu. → Create a new user or edit an existing user.
- Assign them the API role and carefully note their username and password.



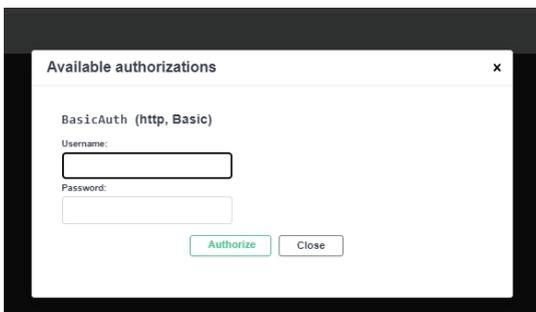
- Log out of the root account.

- Log in to LabBook with the user ID for the API role you created.



Authentication in the Swagger interface

- Go to the API interface URL.
- Click on the "Authorize" button (padlock at the top of the page).
- In the modal window, enter the credentials of the API user you created.
- Click "Authorize," then "Close."
- Your session is now authenticated and you can test all endpoints.



Using Endpoints (Web Services)

Create a Record: POST /external/record/det/0

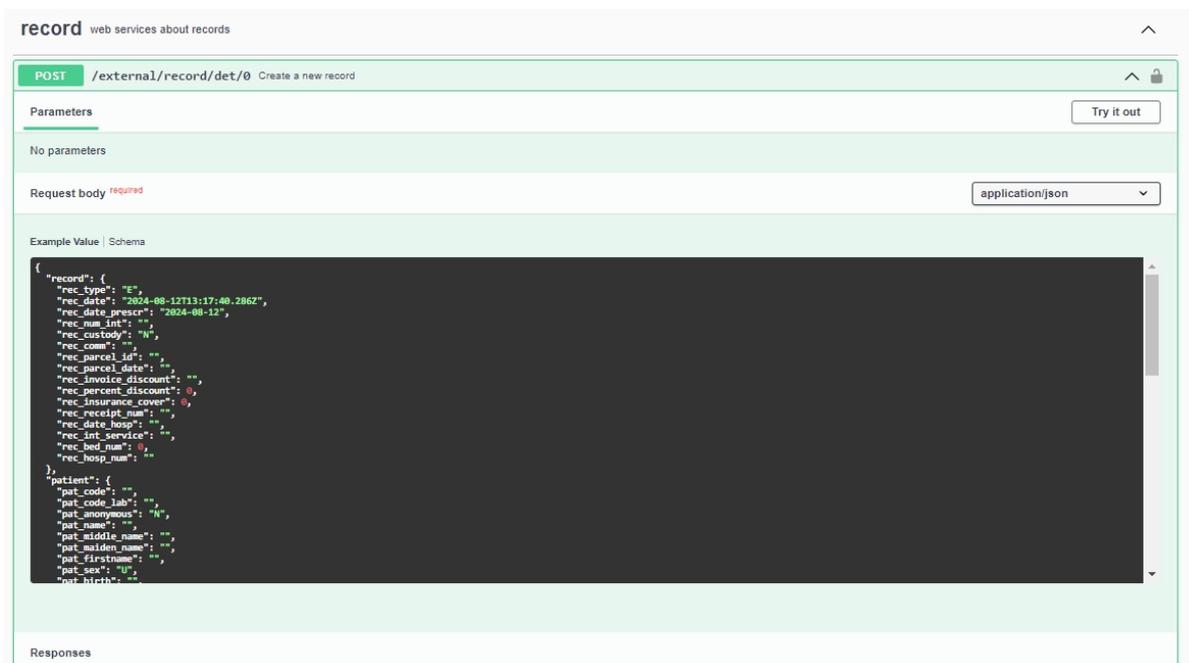
- Logout: Allows you to exit the application by closing your account.
- Edit user: Allows you to edit your profile information (username, first name, last name, etc.).
- Edit password: Here you can change your password.

Objective: Add a new analysis request to LabBook from an external system. Procedure:

- In the Swagger interface, locate the record section and the POST endpoint → `/external/record/det/0`.
- Click on "Try it out."
- A JSON editor will open. Fill in the request body with the appropriate structure. See the appendix for details on the fields.
- Click "Execute" to send the request.

Response

- Code 200/201: Success. The response will contain the unique ID of the created file.
- Code 4xx/5xx: Error. Check the response message to diagnose the problem (missing data, validation error, etc.).



The screenshot shows the Swagger UI for the 'record' API. The endpoint is `POST /external/record/det/0` with the description 'Create a new record'. There are no parameters. The request body is set to `application/json`. An example JSON value is displayed in a dark editor:

```
{
  "record": {
    "rec_type": "E",
    "rec_date": "2024-08-12T13:17:40.286Z",
    "rec_date_prescr": "2024-08-12",
    "rec_num_int": "",
    "rec_custody": "N",
    "rec_comm": "",
    "rec_parcel_id": "",
    "rec_parcel_date": "",
    "rec_invoice_discount": "",
    "rec_percent_discount": 0,
    "rec_insurance_cover": 0,
    "rec_receipt_num": "",
    "rec_date_hosp": "",
    "rec_int_service": "",
    "rec_bed_num": 0,
    "rec_hosp_num": ""
  },
  "patient": {
    "pat_code": "",
    "pat_code_lab": "",
    "pat_anonymus": "N",
    "pat_name": "",
    "pat_middle_name": "",
    "pat_miden_name": "",
    "pat_firstname": "",
    "pat_sex": "U",
    "pat_birth": ""
  }
}
```

record web services about records

POST /external/record/det/0 Create a new record

Parameters Cancel Reset

No parameters

Request body ^{required} application/json

```
{
  "record": {
    "rec_type": "E",
    "rec_date": "2024-08-12T15:07:10.592Z",
    "rec_date_prescr": "2024-08-12",
    "rec_num_int": "",
    "rec_custody": "N",
    "rec_com": "",
    "rec_parcel_id": "",
    "rec_parcel_date": "",
    "rec_invoice_discount": "",
    "rec_percent_discount": 0,
    "rec_insurance_cover": 0,
    "rec_receipt_num": "",
    "rec_date_hosp": "",
    "rec_int_service": "",
    "rec_bed_num": 0,
    "rec_hosp_num": ""
  }
}
```

Execute

Responses

This

Retrieve or Post a Result: GET/POST /result

result web services about results

GET /external/result/{id_rec} Get record results and variables for external usage

POST /external/result/{id_rec} Post analysis results to a record

Procedure: Similar to creating a folder. Use "Try it out," enter the required parameters, and execute the request.

→ **GET /result/{id}**: Retrieve results from an existing folder.

GET /external/result/{id_rec} Get record results and variables for external usage

Return the list of requested analyses for a record, with their variables, current values, units (as label), and possible values if the variable type is a dictionary.

Parameters Cancel

Name	Description
id_rec ^{required}	Record ID
integer (path)	
	<input type="text" value="49"/>

Execute Clear

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'GET' \
  'http://127.0.0.1/sigl/services/external/result/49' \
  -H 'accept: application/json' \
  -H 'Authorization: Basic YXBp0mFwaQ=='
```

Request URL

```
http://127.0.0.1/sigl/services/external/result/49
```

Server response

Code Details

200

Response body

```

{
  "ref_ana": 504,
  "id_ana": 103,
  "name": "Détection de l'ARN du virus de la Dengue par RT-PCR sur prélèvement sanguin",
  "variables": [
    {
      "id_res": 390,
      "id_var": 814,
      "code_var": "814",
      "label": "Détection de l'ARN du virus de la Dengue par RT-PCR",
      "value": null,
      "unit": null,
      "possible_values": [
        {
          "id": 232,
          "label": "Positif"
        },
        {
          "id": 233,
          "label": "Négatif"
        }
      ]
    }
  ]
}

```

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Response headers

```

access-control-allow-origin: *
connection: Keep-Alive
content-length: 422
content-type: application/json; charset=utf-8
date: Tue, 16 Sep 2025 16:45:12 GMT
keep-alive: timeout=5,max=100
server: gunicorn

```

Responses

Code	Description	Links
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200

Successful operation No links

Media type

Controls Accept header.

Example Value Schema

```

{
  "record_id": 0,
  "analysis": [
    {
      "ref_ana": "string",
      "id_ana": 1,
      "name": "string",
      "variables": [
        {
          "id_res": 0,
          "id_var": 0,
          "code_var": "string",
          "label": "string",
          "value": "string",
          "unit": "string",
          "possible_values": [
            {
              "id": 0,
              "label": "string"
            }
          ]
        }
      ]
    }
  ]
}

```

401 **Unauthorized - invalid or missing authentication** No links

404 **Record not found or access not authorized** No links

POST /result: Enter or update a result for a given folder and analysis.

POST /external/result/{id_rec} Post analysis results to a record

Accepts a list of result values to update for a given record ID.

Parameters Cancel Reset

Name	Description
id_rec * required integer (path)	Record ID

Request body required application/json

```
{
  "list_results": [
    {
      "id_res": 390,
      "value": "Positif"
    }
  ]
}
```

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'POST' \
  'http://127.0.0.1/sigl/services/external/result/49' \
  -H 'accept: application/json' \
  -H 'Authorization: Basic YXB0cm9mFw0=' \
  -H 'Content-type: application/json' \
  -d '{
  "list_results": [
    {
      "id_res": 390,
      "value": "Positif"
    }
  ]
}'
```

Request URL
http://127.0.0.1/sigl/services/external/result/49

Server response

Code	Details
200	<p>Response body</p> <pre>{ "record_id": 49, "updated": ["390"], "errors": [] }</pre> <p>Response headers</p> <pre>access-control-allow-origin: * connection: Keep-Alive content-length: 51 content-type: application/json; charset=utf-8 date: Tue 16 Sep 2025 16:50:18 GMT keep-alive: timeout=5,max=100 server: gunicorn</pre>

Responses

Code	Description	Links
200	All results successfully updated	No links

Media type: application/json

Example Value | Schema

```
{
  "updated": [
    "string"
  ],
  "errors": [
    {
      "id_res": 0,
      "error": "string"
    }
  ]
}
```

207 No links

Appendix: Data Schemas

Object: record (Folder)

Champ	Type	Obligatoire	Valeur par défaut	Description	Valeurs possibles
rec_type	string	Oui	"E"	Type d'enregistrement	"E" (Externe), "I" (Interne)
rec_date	string(\$date-time)	Oui	-	Date/heure de réception	Format : YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM:SS
rec_date_prescr	string(\$date)	Oui	-	Date de prescription	Format : YYYY-MM-DD
rec_num_int	string	Non	""	Numéro interne du laboratoire	-
rec_custody	string	Non	"N"	Demande de conservation	"Y" (Oui), "N" (Non)
rec_comm	string	Non	""	Commentaires sur le dossier	-
rec_parcel_id	string	Non	""	Identifiant du colis	-
rec_parcel_date	string(\$date-time)	Non	-	Date/heure de réception du colis	Format : YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM:SS
rec_invoice_discount	string	Non	""	Type de remise sur facturation	"S" (Staff), "E" (Exemption), "O" (Other)
rec_percent_discount	number(\$double)	Non	0	Pourcentage de remise	Minimum : 0
rec_insurance_cover	number(\$double)	Non	0	Couverture assurance santé	Minimum : 0
rec_receipt_number	string	Non	""	Numéro de reçu de facture	-
rec_date_hosp	string(\$date)	Non	-	Date d'admission	Format : YYYY-MM-DD
rec_int_service	string	Non	""	Service demandeur	-
rec_bed_num	integer	Non	0	Numéro de lit	-
rec_hosp_num	string	Non	""	Identification hospitalière	-

Object: patient

Champ	Type	Obligatoire	Valeur par défaut	Description	Valeurs possibles
pat_code	string	Non	""	Code LabBook unique	-
pat_code_lab	string	Non	""	Code laboratoire	-
pat_anonymous	string	Non	"N"	Patient anonyme	"Y" (Oui), "N" (Non)
pat_name	string	Non	""	Nom du patient	-
pat_middle_name	string	Non	""	Deuxième nom	-
pat_maiden_name	string	Non	""	Nom de jeune fille	-
pat_firstname	string	Non	""	Prénom	-
pat_sex	string	Non	"U"	Genre	"M" (Male), "F" (Female), "U" (Unknown)
pat_birth	string(\$date)	Non	-	Date de naissance	Format : YYYY-MM-DD
pat_date_approx	string	Non	"N"	Date approximative	"Y" (Oui), "N" (Non)
pat_age	integer	Non	0	Âge	-
pat_age_unit	string	Non	"Y"	Unité d'âge	"D" (Day), "W" (Week), "M" (Month), "Y" (Year)
pat_address	string	Non	""	Adresse	-
pat_pbox	string	Non	""	Boîte postale	-
pat_area	string	Non	""	Zone/Région	-
pat_zipcode	string	Non	""	Code postal	-
pat_city	string	Non	""	Ville	-
pat_phone1	string	Non	""	Téléphone 1	-
pat_phone2	string	Non	""	Téléphone 2	-
pat_job	string	Non	""	Profession	-
pat_nationality	string	Non	""	Code nationalité	-
pat_resident	string	Non	"Y"	Résident	"Y" (Oui), "N" (Non)
pat_blood_group	string	Non	""	Groupe sanguin	-
pat_blood_rhesus	string	Non	""	Rhésus sanguin	-

Object: prescriber (Prescriber)

Champ	Type	Obligatoire	Valeur par défaut	Description	Valeurs possibles
prescr_code	string	Non	""	Code prescripteur	-
prescr_title	string	Non	""	Titre	"MA", "SI", "MI", "DO", "PR"
prescr_name	string	Non	""	Nom	-
prescr_firstname	string	Non	""	Prénom	-
prescr_initial	string	Non	""	Initiales	-
prescr_workplace	string	Non	""	Lieu de travail	-
prescr_service	string	Non	""	Service	-
prescr_address	string	Non	""	Adresse	-
prescr_zipcode	string	Non	""	Code postal	-
prescr_city	string	Non	""	Ville	-
prescr_specialty	string	Non	""	Spécialité	34 valeurs possibles (ALL, ANDR, ANAT, etc.)
prescr_phonenumber	string	Non	""	Téléphone fixe	-
prescr_mobile	string	Non	""	Téléphone mobile	-
prescr_fax	string	Non	""	Fax	-
prescr_email	string	Non	""	Email	-

Array: ana_list (List of analyses)

Champ	Type	Obligatoire	Valeur par défaut	Description	Valeurs possibles
ana_code	string	Oui	""	Code analyse	Ex: "B001"
ana_loinc	string	Non	""	Code LOINC	Ex: "14933-6"
ana_emergency	string	Non	"N"	Urgence	"Y" (Oui), "N" (Non)
ana_requested	string	Non	"Y"	Analyse demandée	"Y" (Oui), "N" (Non)
ana_outsource	string	Non	"N"	Externalisée	"Y" (Oui), "N" (Non)

Array: samp_list (List of samples)

Champ	Type	Obligatoire	Valeur par défaut	Description	Valeurs possibles
samp_ana	string	Non	""	Code analyse	Ex: "B001"
samp_date	string (\$date-time)	Non	-	Date/heure prélèvement	Format: YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM:SS
samp_date_receipt	string (\$date-time)	Non	-	Date/heure réception	Format: YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM:SS
samp_type	string	Non	""	Type d'échantillon	21 valeurs (APF, APFL, BAL, BIO, etc.)
samp_status	string	Non	"T"	Statut	"D" (Done), "T" (To do), "P" (Provided)
samp_code	string	Non	""	Code échantillon	-
samp_name	string	Non	""	Nom du préleveur	-
samp_comment	string	Non	""	Commentaire	-

Example of JSON schema (record)

```
{
  "record": {
    "rec_type": "E",
    "rec_date": "2025-09-17T13:49:05.843Z",
    "rec_date_prescr": "2025-09-17",
    "rec_num_int": "LAB-20",
    "rec_custody": "N",
    "rec_comm": "",
    "rec_parcel_id": "",
    "rec_parcel_date": "",
    "rec_invoice_discount": "",
    "rec_percent_discount": 0,
    "rec_insurance_cover": 0,
    "rec_receipt_num": "",
    "rec_date_hosp": "",
    "rec_int_service": "Urgences",

    "rec_bed_num": 7,
    "rec_hosp_num": ""
  },
  "patient": {
    "pat_code": "",
    "pat_code_lab": "PAT-001",
    "pat_anonymous": "N",
    "pat_name": "nameTest",
    "pat_middle_name": "",
    "pat_maiden_name": "",
    "pat_firstname": "firstNameTest",
    "pat_sex": "M",
    "pat_birth": "",
    "pat_date_approx": "N",
    "pat_age": 40,
    "pat_age_unit": "Y",
    "pat_address": "Adress Test",
    "pat_pbox": "",
    "pat_area": "",
    "pat_zipcode": "",
    "pat_city": ""
  }
}
```

```

"pat_phone1": "770110120",
"pat_phone2": "",
"pat_job": "",
"pat_nationality": "",
"pat_resident": "Y",
"pat_blood_group": "",
"pat_blood_rhesus": ""
},
"prescriber": {
  "prescr_code": "PR10",
  "prescr_title": "DO",
  "prescr_name": "SALAM",
  "prescr_firstname": "Abdou",
  "prescr_initial": "AS",
  "prescr_workplace": ""

```

```

"prescr_service": "",
"prescr_address": "",
"prescr_zipcode": "",
"prescr_city": "",
"prescr_spe": "GEN",
"prescr_phone": "",
"prescr_mobile": "",
"prescr_fax": "",
"prescr_email": ""
},
"ana_list": [
  {
    "ana_code": "B001",
    "ana_loinc": "",
    "ana_emer": "N",
    "ana_req": "Y",
    "ana_out": "N"
  }
],

```

```
"samp_list": [  
  {  
    "samp_ana": "B001",  
    "samp_date": "",  
    "samp_date_receipt": "",  
    "samp_type": "BLD",  
    "samp_status": "T",  
    "samp_code": "",  
    "samp_name": "",  
    "samp_comm": ""  
  }  
]
```


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