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Citation Analysis

- Timeliness of publication
- International Editorial Conventions
- English language
 Bibliographic
 Information
- Peer Review



Timeliness of publication

A journal must be published according to its stated publication schedule

Must receive three current issues in sequence to begin evaluation



The content is robust with sufficient manuscripts in the



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Informative Journal titles

Abstract: Although mood disorders constitute leading causes of disability, until recently little was known about their pathogenesis. The delineation of anatomical networks that support emotional behavior (mainly derived from animal studies) and the development of neuroimaging technologies that allow in vivo characterization of anatomy, physiology, and neurochemistry in human subjects with mood disorders have enabled significant advances towards elucidating the pathophysiology of major depressive disorder (MDD) and bipolar disorder (BD). In this review, we integrate insights from human and animal studies, which collectively suggest that MDD and BD involve dysfunction within an extended network including the medial prefrontal cortex and anatomically-related limbic, striatal, thalamic and basal forebrain structures.

Accession Number: WOS:000299607900014

Document Type: Review

Language: English

Fully descriptive Article titles and abstracts

KevWords Plus: MAJOR DEPRESSIVE DISORDER; MEDIAL PREFRONT

DEFAULT-MODE: BIPOLAR DISORDER: CINGULATE CORTEX: UNMEDICATED PATIENTS: EXCITOTOXIC LESIONS: HIPPOCAMPAL VOLUME

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English language Bibliographic Information

Ethical Literary Criticism: Its Fundaments and Terms

Author(s): Nie, ZZ (Nie Zhenzhao)

Source: FOREIGN LITERATURE STUDIES Volume: 32 Issue: 1 Pages: 12-22 Published: FEB 2010

Times Cited: 6 (from Web of Science)

Cited References: 5 [view related records] Getation Map

Abstract: Ethical literary criticism is a research method to read, analyze and interpret literary works, to study literary authors and literary problems from perspective of ethics. The basic thought of this method is that literature is the art of ethics in nature as it is the special expressions of ethical ideas and moral life in a particular historical period. Literature is not art of languages but of text consisting of characters. It is not ideology or aesthetic ideology, but material form existing by literal text. Teaching or instruction is the essential attribute and first function of literature, but aesthetic appreciation is the second which serves the first. By use of terms such as ethics, incest, ethical taboo, ethical chaos, ethical consciousness, ethical situation, ethical identity, ethical choice, etc., the ethical literary criticism explains and comments the different life with its moral features from ethical perspective.

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Publisher: CENTRAL CHINA NORMAL UNIV, 152 L

Web of Science Categories: Literature

Research Areas: Literature

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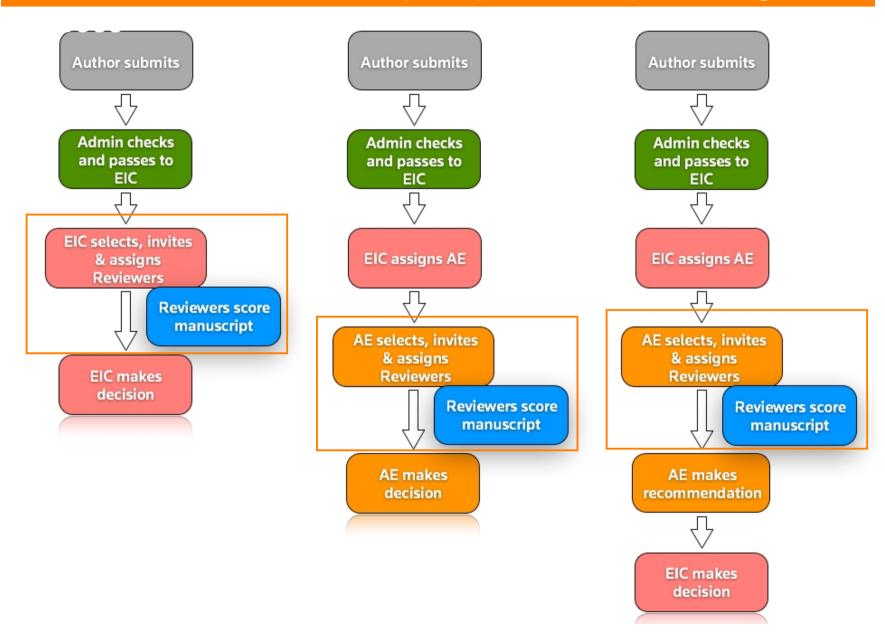
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Peer Review must be an explicit part of the publishing



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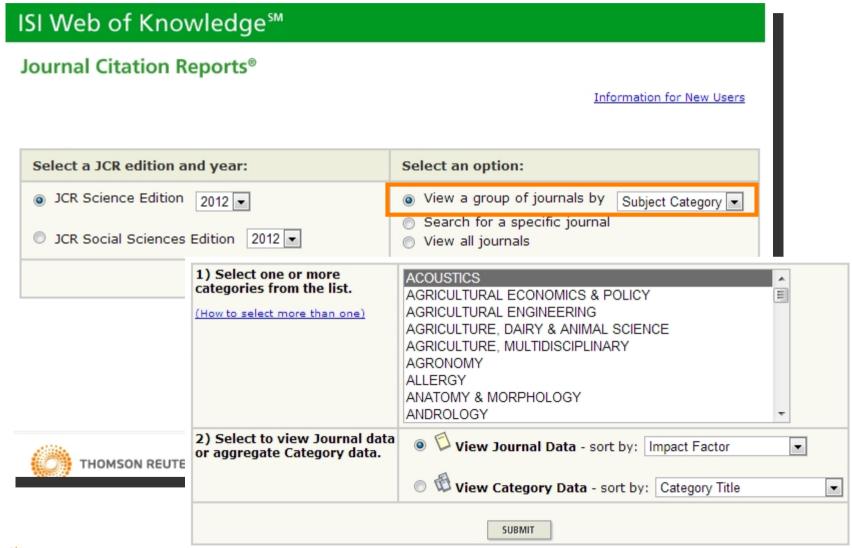
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- How does this journal compare with covered journals of similar scope?
- Is this subject already well covered?
- Will this journal enrich WoS with novel content?

Core coverage in Web of Science is not

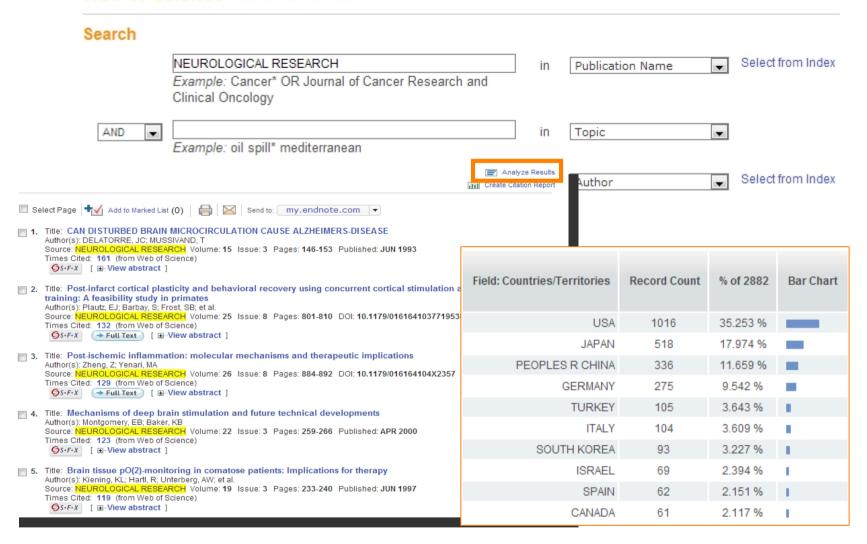


What journals are covered in specific subject





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What are the contents in a journal of interest?



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Citation Analysis

- Does this journal target an International or Regional audience?
- Do authors, editors, Editorial Advisory Board members represent the international research community?



Do the contributing authors, EAB represent the international research

Publication Name=(Clinical Infectious Diseases)
Impact Factor (2012): 9.374

Journal Information ①

Full Journal Title: CLINICAL INFECTIOUS DISEASES

ISO Abbrev. Title: Clin. Infect. Dis. JCR Abbrev. Title: CLIN INFECT DIS

ISSN: 1058-4838

Issues/Year: 24

Language: ENGLISH

Journal Country/Territory: UNITED STATES

Publisher: OXFORD UNIV PRESS INC

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The need for international diversity is viewed in relationship to the target audience for the journal

Publication Name=(Neurological Research)

Journal Information ① Full Journal Title: NEUROLOGICAL RESEARCH ISO Abbrey, Title: Neurol, Res. JCR Abbrev. Title: NEUROL RES Countries/Territories Refine ISSN: 0161-6412 Issues/Year: 10 The first 100 Countries/Territories (by record count) are shown. For advanced refine options, use 🖃 Analyze results Language: ENGLISH USA (1,016) AUSTRALIA (22) SERBIA (3) TAIWAN (21) Journal Country/Territory: UNITED STATE JAPAN (518) SINGAPORE (3) PEOPLES R CHINA (338) DENMARK (19) SLOVAKIA (3) Publisher: MANEY PUBLIS GERMANY (275) BELGIUM (18) SLOVENIA (3) Publisher Address: STE 1C, JOSEP TURKEY (105) THAILAND (3) BRAZIL (15) YORKS, ENGLA TALY (104) ICELAND (2) HUNGARY (15) SOUTH KOREA (93) MEXICO (14)

International audience



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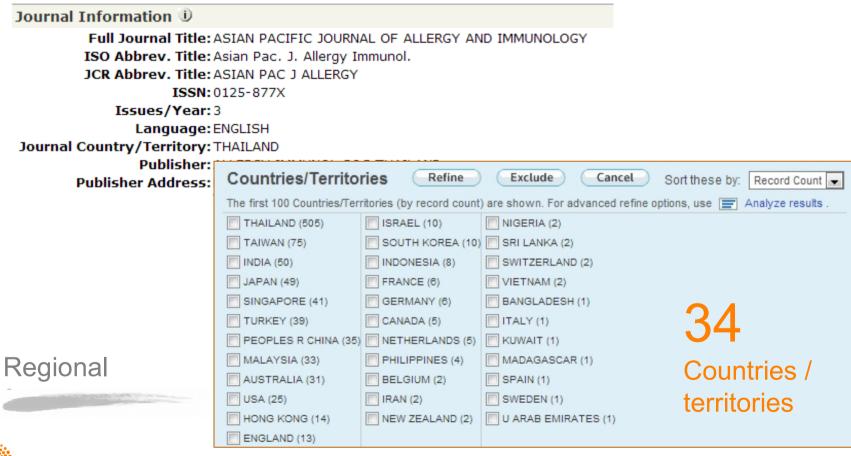
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Publication Name=(Asian Pacific Journal of Allergy and Immunology)





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Regional Journals

Importance is measured in terms of content specificity:

- Will it enrich coverage of a subject?
- Will it provide specific regional perspective?

Publish excellent research targeted at a regional rather than international audience

Citation Impact may be low to moderate – but stable

Regional journals meet all journal selection criteria



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Citation Analysis



- Citation trend

Established Journals

- Estimated Impact Factor
- How the journal compares to other journals in its field





Citation Analysis in Journal Selection

Psychiatry Investigation in 2013 Journal Citation Reports

- Social Sciences Edition
 - Impact Factor (2 year; 5 year)
 - Source Data
 - Self Citations

Category Level Metrics

- Biomedical Science Categories
- Social Sciences Categories



2013 Journal Citation Reports – Social Sciences Edition

Psychiatry Investigation*

Impact Factor: 1.149

5-Year Impact Factor: 1.409





Calculation of 2013 Journal Impact Factor 5-Year Journal Impact Factor

Journal Impact Factor 1

Cites in 2013 to items published in: 2012 = 62 Number of items published in: 2012 = 62

2011 = 77 2011 = 59

Sum: 139 Sum: 121

Calculation: <u>Cites to recent items</u> Number of recent items <u>139</u> = **1.149** 121

5-Year Journal Impact Factor i

Cites in {2013} to items published in: 2012 = 62 Number of items published in: 2012 = 62

2011 = 77 2011 = 59

2010 = 111 2010 = 50

2009 = 58

2008 = 54 Sum: 362 2008 = 38 Sum: 257

Calculation: Cites to recent items

Number of recent items

<u>362</u> = **1.409** 257



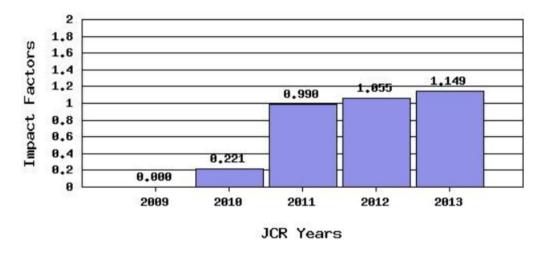
2013 JCR Source Data; Impact Factor 5 year trend

Only citable items (articles + reviews) Counted in Impact Factor Calculation (2014)

	Articles	Reviews	Combined	Other items
Number in JCR year 2013 (A)	58	5	63	2
Number of references (B)	2064	363	2427	14.00
Ratio (B/A)	35.6	72.6	38.5	7.0

Journal Source Data

Added to SSCI in 2008. First Impact Factor calculation in 2010 JCR





Psychiatry Investigation

2013 JCR Journal Self Citation

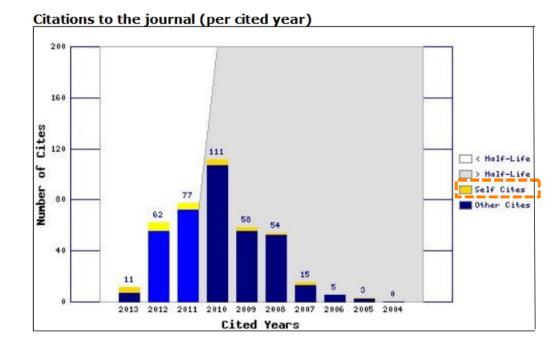
Total Cites	397
Cites to Years Used in Impact Factor Calculation	139
Impact Factor	1.149

Self Cites	28 (7% of 397)		
Self Cites to Years Used in Impact Factor Calculation	12 (8% of 139)		
Impact Factor without Self Cites	1.050		

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Cited Journal

Graph





Self citation rates in 2009 Journal Citation Report

Revista Brasileira de Farmacognosia-Brazilian Journal of Pharmacognosy

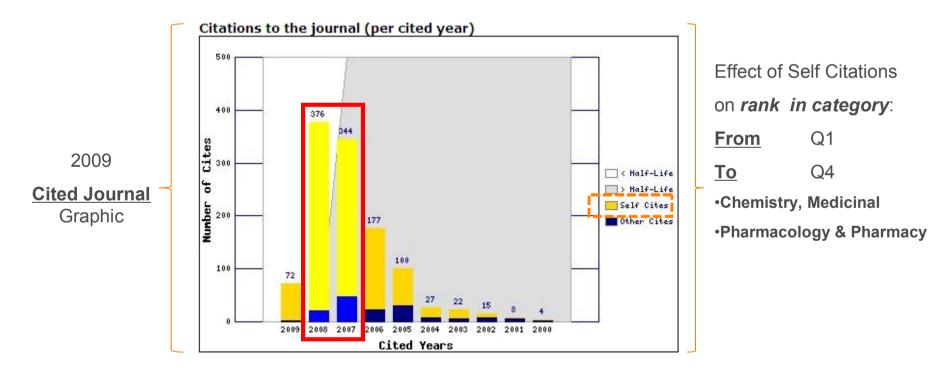
Journal Self Cites The tables show the contribution of the journal's self cites to its impact factor. This information is also represented in the cited journal graph.

Total Cites 1163
Cites to Years Used in Impact Factor Calculation
Impact Factor 3.462

Self Cites 1010 (86% of 1163)

Self Cites to Years Used 652 (90% of 720)

Impact Factor Without Self Cites 0.327



Journal was suppressed from 2010 and 2011JCR.



Impact Factor in Context

Yonsei Medical Journal

Journal Impact Factor U

Cites in 2013 to items published in: 2012 = 217 Number of items published in: 2012 = 177

2011 = 2052011 = 157

Sum: 422 Sum: 334

Calculation: Cites to recent items

Number of recent items

422 = 1.263 334

Psychiatry Investigation

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Citation Impact Metrics: Editorial Context Creates Meaning

Biomedical Sciences

Rank	Category (linked to category information)	Total Cites	Median Impact Factor	Aggregate Impact Factor	Aggregate Immediacy Index	Aggregate Cited Half-Life	# Journals	Articles
1	<u>NEUROSCIENCES</u>	1910301	2.918	4.060	0.864	7.7	251	35504
2	MEDICINE, GENERAL & INTERNAL	1105916	1.328	4.139	1.162	8.1	150	19676
3	MEDICINE, RESEARCH & EXPERIMENTAL	591062	2.200	3.479	0.628	6.9	122	18827
4	MICROBIOLOGY	886143	2.433	3.686	0.809	7.4	119	18794

Social Sciences

Rank	Category (linked to category information)	Total Cites	Median Impact Factor	Aggregate Impact Factor	Aggregate Immediacy Index	Aggregate Cited Half-Life	# Journals	Articles
1	ANTHROPOLOGY	75041	0.645	1.333	0.368	9.5	81	3159
2	AREA STUDIES	17062	0.350	0.432	0.146	9.3	63	1890
3	<u>DEMOGRAPHY</u>	22206	1.025	1.259	0.289	9.2	24	892
4	ETHNIC STUDIES	8080	0.667	0.812	0.238	6.8	15	627

Journal rankings and comparisons are meaningful <u>only within</u> each category - <u>not between categories</u> or domains.

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•How does this journal compare with covered journals of similar scope?

- Is this subject already well covered?
- •Will this journal enrich WoS with novel content?

- •Does this journal target an International or Regional audience?
- •Is international representation among Authors and EAB members at an appropriate level for this journal?

Total Citations:

 Integration of the journal into the literature over time

Impact Factor:

•Recent citation activity

Author, EAB citations in the literature.

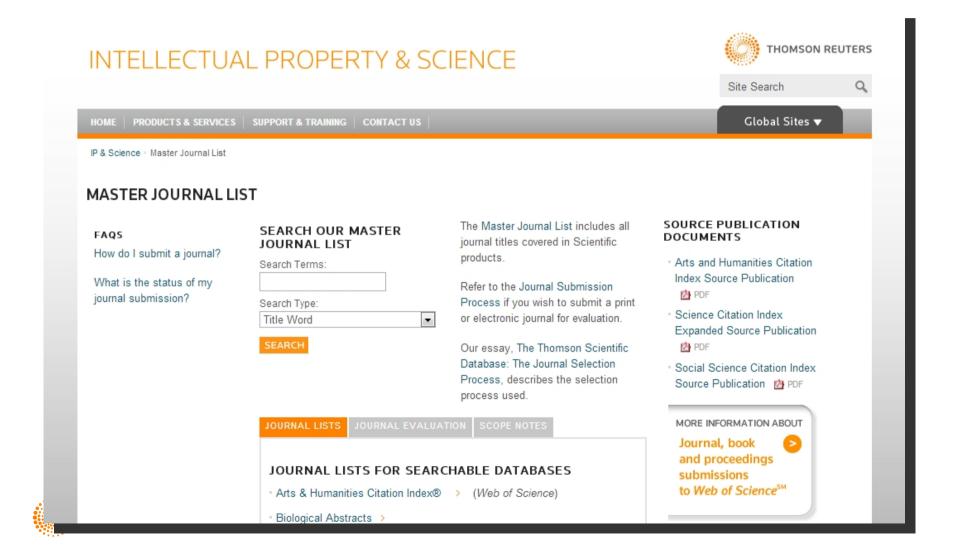
•Citation metrics have meaning only in the editorial context appropriate for the journal.

Arts & Humanities journals are exceptional

- English full text may not be required
- •Novel, well focused content (often regional) is essential
- •Citation analysis plays a much smaller role.

A list of current journals in collection

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Journals

Research Output

Citation Impact

Citation Impact Relative to China and Japan



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Science Citation Index Expanded

- 100 journals
 - -Science Citation Index
 - 11 journals

Social Sciences Citation Index

16 journals

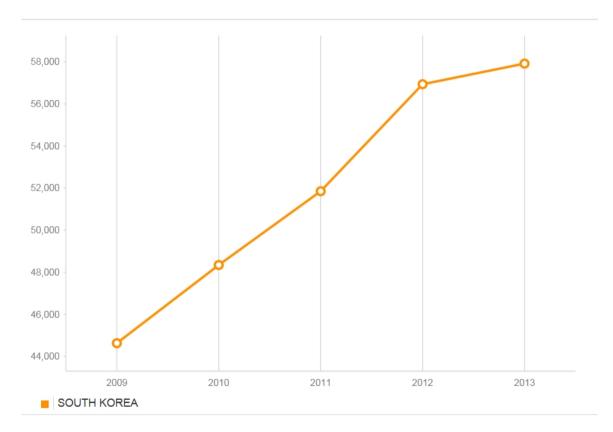
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- 7 journals
- Language:

110 in English



Korean Papers in Web of Science 2009-2013

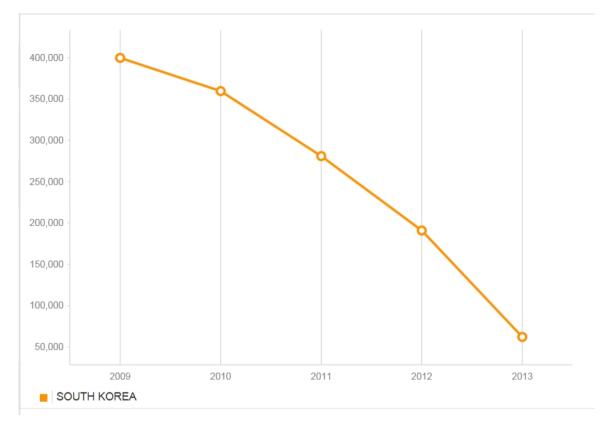


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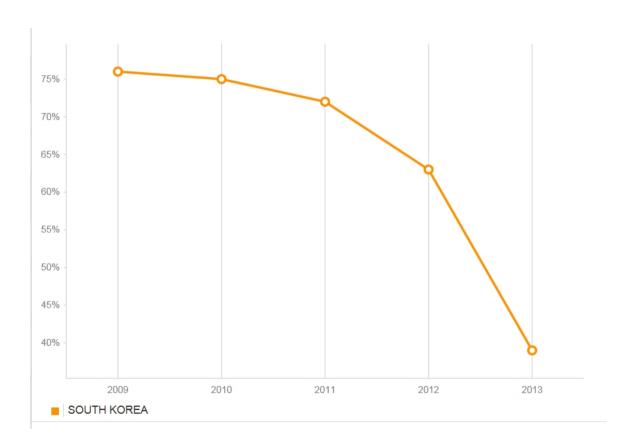
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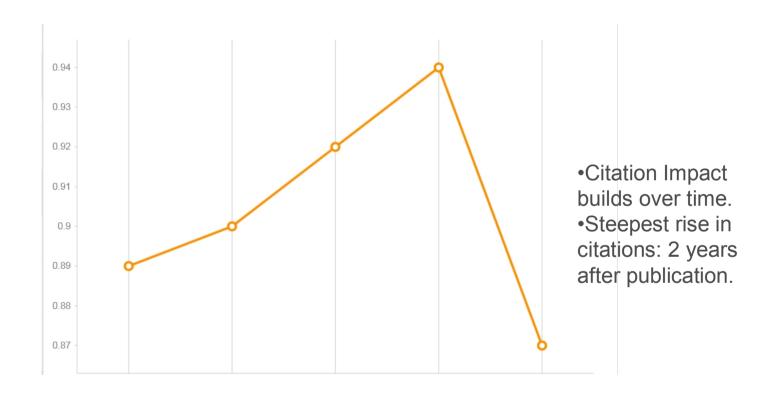
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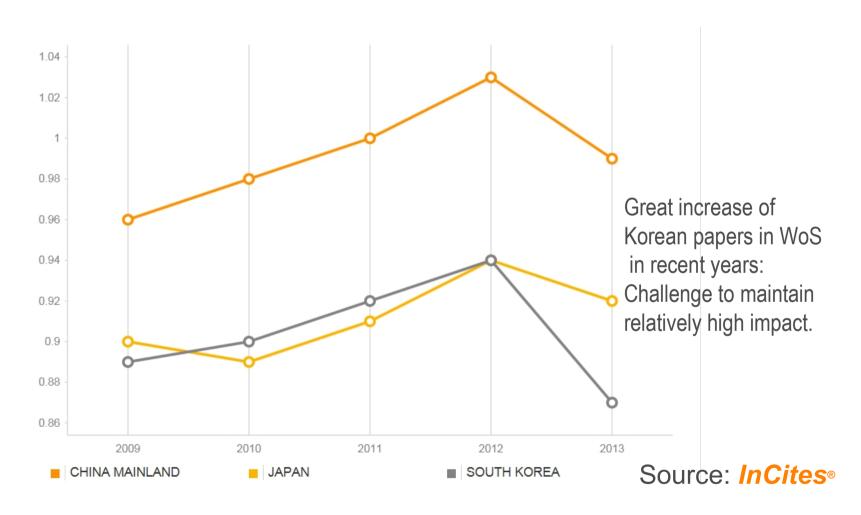
Citation Impact of Korean Papers 2009-2013



<u>Total Citations</u> = Citation Impact Total Papers



Citation Impact of Korean Papers Relative to China and Japan 2009-2013





How Can I Improve My Journal?

Active recruitment of high-impact authors and articles

Offering better service to authors

Boosting the journal's media profile

More careful article selection

M. Chew, E. V. Villanueva, and M. B. Van Der Weyden, *Journal of the Royal Society of Medicine* **100** (3), 142 (2007).

- New England J Med
- Ann Intern Med
- BMJ
- JAMA
- Lancet
- Med J Australia
- Can Med Assn J

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Why are journals rejected for Web of Science? Most common causes...

Late! Issues published behind schedule. Too few articles published quarterly/annually...

Low citation impact relative to subject

Lack of editorial focus, novel content;
derivative or redundant studies

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REGIONAL CITATION INDEX CONTENT EXPANSION



REGIONAL CITATION INDEX OVERVIEW

In an increasingly-competitive environment, maintaining Web of Science as a selective, high-quality database is vital for success

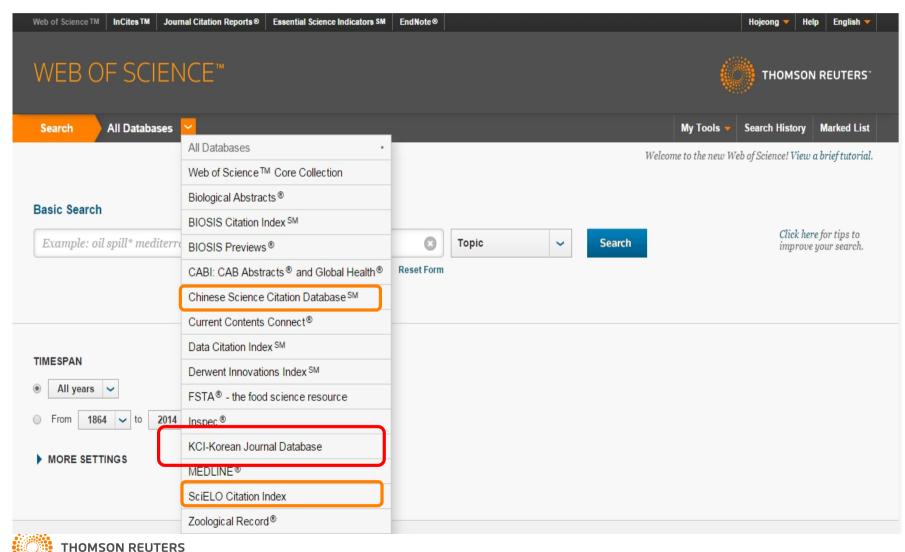
However, as scientific research becomes increasingly global and shifts from its traditional U.S. and Western European dominated origins, Thomson Reuters needs to ensure that we adequately cover the world's scientific and scholarly output without sacrificing the "Gold Standard" positioning

Regional Citation Indexes allow us to address these seeminglycontradictory imperatives and drive global value

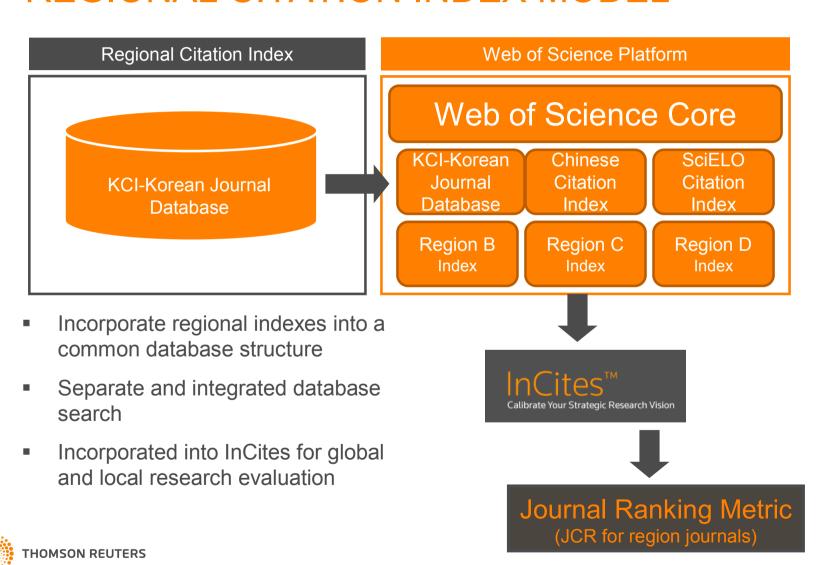
- Significantly expand our global journal coverage while maintaining the prestige of the core Web of Science
- Enables comprehensive search/discovery and meaningful comparative measurement of both local and global output and impact



REGIONAL CITATION INDEXES ADDED TO WEB OF SCIENCE (not Core Collection



REGIONAL CITATION INDEX MODEL



REGIONAL CITATION INDEX PROGRAM

Expand <u>citation connections</u> beyond the core Web of Science to include high quality regional journals for <u>global discovery</u> and <u>regional analytics</u>

Prioritization

- Global strategic value BRICK (Brazil, Russia, India, China, Korea)
- Value proposition for global and local customer base
- <u>Content "readiness"</u> journal selection and quality data required
- Revenue potential (in region): WoS, Analytics Opportunity
- Sustained funding commitment from regional government/funding body

2. Requirements for a Regional Citation Index

- Basic publishing standards / Persistence, stability, timely
- Quality bibliographic and citation data (e.g. English language Biblio.)
- Journal coverage complementary, multi-disciplinary
- Ongoing selectivity process

3. Important considerations

- A quality citation index is very expensive to create and maintain



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