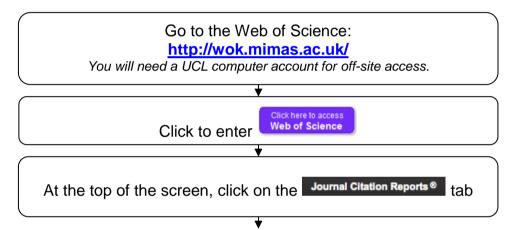
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The impact factor is the average number of times articles from the journal published in the past two years have been cited in the current year.

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How to find the impact factor for a journal



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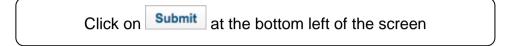
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Click on the title of the journal to view more detailed information relating to that journal.

Click on the Journal Impact Factor number for information about how an impact factor is calculated.

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		2012 =1593			2012 = 313	
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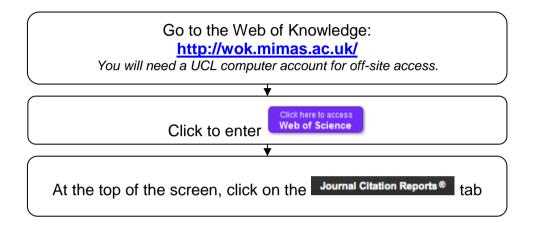


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How to find the journals with the highest impact factor in a specific subject area



Click on the **Select Categories** heading, to the left of the screen, and select a subject area by checking on of the boxes:

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	PATHOLOGY	
Select JCR Year	PEDIATRICS	
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2014	PHARMACOLOGY & PHARMACY	
Select Edition	PHYSICS, APPLIED	
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Open Access	PHYSICS, CONDENSED MATTER	
Open Access	PHYSICS, FLUIDS & PLASMAS	
Category Schema	PHYSICS, MATHEMATICAL	

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Select All		Full Journal Title	Total Cites	Journal Impact Factor 👻	Eigenfactor Score
	1	JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF CHILD AND ADOLESCENT PSYCHIATRY	17,723	7.260	0.02486
	2	JAMA Pediatrics	1,184	7.148	0.00569
	3	ARCHIVES OF PEDIATRICS & ADOLESCENT MEDICINE	9,704	5.731	0.02018
	4	PEDIATRICS	65,154	5.473	0.13185
	5	Pediatric Obesity	628	4.573	0.00292
	6	JOURNAL OF PEDIATRICS	25,181	3.790	0.04380
	7	JOURNAL OF ADOLESCENT HEALTH	10,691	3.612	0.02377
	8	DEVELOPMENTAL MEDICINE AND CHILD NEUROLOGY	9,494	3.510	0.01597
	9	PEDIATRIC ALLERGY AND IMMUNOLOGY	3,335	3.397	0.00707
	10	EUROPEAN CHILD & ADOLESCENT PSYCHIATRY	3,151	3.336	0.00654

Journals in the chosen subject category are displayed as a list, ranked by impact factor:

To view more information about any of the journals in the list, click on the journal title.

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