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- theoretical ecology and modelling
- biodiversity and species abundance
- conservation (including planning and risk assessment)
- animal ecology
- microbial ecology
- evolution ecology
- chemical and molecular ecology
- marine ecology
- behavioural ecology
- remote sensing and ecology
- ecosystems and biospheres as complex adaptive systems
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- climate
- energy
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8.6 Citescore
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EPL enjoys the benefits of international partnership. It is co-managed by scientists for the international scientific community, and published under the scientific policy and control of the European Physical Society by EDP Sciences, IOP Publishing and Società Italiana di Fisica for a partnership of 17 European physical societies (the EPL Association).

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With a worldwide readership and authors from every continent, European Journal of Physics (EJP) is a truly international journal dedicated to maintaining and improving the standard of taught physics in universities and other higher education institutes.

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Launched in 2015, Flexible and Printed Electronics™ (FPE) is a multidisciplinary journal devoted to publishing cutting-edge research across all aspects of printed, plastic, flexible, stretchable and conformable electronics.

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- advanced fabrication methods and metrology
- printing of biological systems interfaced to electronic devices
- mechanical, thermal and electronic modelling of flexible hybrid electronic systems and components
- applications including displays, lighting, sensors and actuators, bioelectronics, medical electronics, photovoltaics, energy harvesting and storage, RF electronics, smart packaging and IoT devices/systems

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3.588 Impact factor
5.5 Citescore

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This journal supports the development of these important fields and provides authors with a home for the functional aspects of composite materials research.

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The journal’s broad coverage features invited reviews and original papers on topical subjects by leading researchers in this interdisciplinary field. Each year, FDR’s Editorial Board selects an outstanding article published in the previous year to be awarded the FDR Prize. This article must contain rigorous scientific work, be highly novel, exhibit a significant advancement to the field and, above all, be an extremely interesting read. FDR is published on behalf of The Japan Society of Fluid Mechanics.

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The journal publishes only original research papers containing full results. Whilst the coverage spans all fields of mathematics, special attention is given to general algebra, mathematical logic, mathematical analysis, geometry, topology and differential equations.

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1.189 Impact factor
1.7 Citescore
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JJAP includes Regular Papers, Rapid Communications, Brief Notes and Review Papers. In addition, several Special Issues are published each year. These contain research articles presented at international conferences that have been peer-reviewed in accordance with the usual JJAP criteria.

There is also a special section, “Selected Topics in Applied Physics”, which highlights specific topics and features rapidly developing current trends in these areas.

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Journal metrics
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Journal of Breath Research

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Typical areas of interest include:
• big laboratory instrumentation for breath research
• engineering solutions: developing new breath sampling technologies
• human and animal in vivo studies: decoding the “breath exposome”
• cellular respiration
• breath-based clinical, pharmacological and forensic applications
• mathematical, statistical and graphical data interpretation

JBR is the official journal of the International Association for Breath Research (IABR).

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Impact factor

5.4
Citescore

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- dark matter
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- particles and cosmology
- galaxies
- large-scale structure of the universe

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Journal metrics

5.839 Impact factor 9 Citescore

Journal of Instrumentation (JINST) is a multidisciplinary, electronic-only journal, created jointly by the International School for Advanced Studies (SISSA) and IOP Publishing.

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- radiation-detector physics
- accelerator science
- associated experimental methods and techniques, theory, modelling and simulations

JINST provides regular Technical Reports on innovative achievements related to topics covered in the journal’s scope. The emphasis is not necessarily on novelty or on scientific value, but rather on relevance to the community.

JINST is of particular interest to scientists focusing on physics instrumentation – especially experimental physics research groups.

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Partner

International School for Advanced Studies (SISSA)

Journal metrics

1.415 Impact factor 2.7 Citescore
A leading journal in its field, *Journal of Micromechanics and Microengineering* (JMM) covers all aspects of nano- and microelectromechanical systems, devices and structures as well as nano/micromechanics, nano/microengineering and nano/microfabrication.

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The journal’s scope includes original work in microengineering and nanoengineering, spanning the physical, chemical, electrical and biological realms, as well as new fabrication and integration techniques.

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**Journal metrics**
- 3 DAYS Median submission to first decision before peer review
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- 1.881 Impact factor

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Researchers working in biomedical engineering, neuroscience, neurobiology and neurology will find this journal an essential point of reference. The scope of *Journal of Neural Engineering* (JNE) encompasses experimental, computational, theoretical, clinical and applied aspects of topics such as:
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- neuro-rehabilitation
- optical neural engineering
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**Journal metrics**
- 3 DAYS Median submission to first decision before peer review
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Journal metrics

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1.917 Impact factor

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- nanostructures and nanoelectronics
- structure, dynamics and phase transitions
- electronic structure
- correlated electrons systems
- physics of materials
- magnetism
- computational and experimental methods

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2011–2021 available free with journal subscription
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Journal metrics
3 DAYS Median submission to first decision before peer review
38 DAYS Median submission to first decision after peer review
2.333 Impact factor

4.7 Citescore

Journal of Physics D: Applied Physics

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Receiving more than 1 million downloads every year, Journal of Physics D: Applied Physics™ (JPhysD) reports cutting-edge multidisciplinary research across all areas of applied physics and the transition of those findings into new and innovative technologies. Researchers can access a mix of regular Papers, Topical Reviews, Letters and Special Issues across six key research areas:
- applied magnetism
- semiconductors and photonics
- low-temperature plasmas
- condensed matter
- applied biophysics
- energy

The journal offers even more high-quality research, reviews and Special Issues and our highly popular Roadmaps that provide broad overviews of fields and emerging topics. JPhysD is recommended as a key resource for researchers working in physics, chemistry, materials, engineering and biophysics.

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Journal metrics
3 DAYS Median submission to first decision before peer review
38 DAYS Median submission to first decision after peer review
3.207 Impact factor

5.9 Citescore
Journal of Physics G: Nuclear and Particle Physics

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Editor-in-chief
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Journal of Physics G: Nuclear and Particle Physics (JPhysG) publishes theoretical and experimental articles covering nuclear physics, particle physics and nuclear/particle astrophysics, as well as the many areas where these subjects overlap. The journal publishes original, high-quality research articles on:

- theoretical and experimental topics in the physics of elementary particles and fields
- intermediate-energy physics and nuclear physics
- experimental and theoretical research in particle, neutrino and nuclear astrophysics
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Journal metrics
- 4DAYS Median submission to first decision before peer review
- 39DAYS Median submission to first decision after peer review
- 3.045 Impact factor

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As the official journal of The Society for Radiological Protection, Journal of Radiological Protection (JRP) is an essential and comprehensive title for all those involved with radiological protection in the medical, nuclear power and environmental industries.

The journal publishes primary research articles – as well as Topical Reviews, Practical Matter articles, Opinions, Memoranda and Letters to the Editor – across a wide range of topics, including:

- dosimetry
- instrument development
- specialised measuring techniques
- epidemiology
- biological effects (in vivo and in vitro)
- risk and environmental-impact assessments

JRP is recommended reading for anyone involved with radiological protection, whether researching in academia, working in hospitals or in nuclear power, or monitoring environmental levels of radioactive materials.

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Journal metrics
- 2DAYS Median submission to first decision before peer review
- 27DAYS Median submission to first decision after peer review
- 1.394 Impact factor

2 Citescore
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Journal of Semiconductors (JOS) publishes articles that emphasise semiconductor physics, materials, devices, circuits and related technology. It reports on the following topics:
- semiconductor superlattice and microstructure physics
- semiconductor material physics
- growth and characterisation of novel semiconductor materials including quantum dots and quantum wires
- semiconductor device physics
- novel semiconductor devices
- CAD design and fabrication of integrated circuits
- novel technology for semiconductor devices
- semiconductor optoelectronic devices and integration
- semiconductor film growth, characterisation and application

As an interdisciplinary title based on both physics and information science, JOS is a key resource for anyone with an interest in physics, electronics and engineering.

Online archive
2011–2021 available free with journal subscription
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Partners
- Chinese Institute of Electronics
- Institute of Semiconductors, Chinese Academy of Sciences

Journal metrics
2.9
Citescore

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- G Mussardo, International School for Advanced Studies, Italy
- R Zecchina, Bocconi University, Italy

Journal of Statistical Mechanics: Theory and Experiment (JSTAT) is published in partnership with the International School for Advanced Studies (SISSA).

The journal’s scope covers topics that correspond to the following keyword sections:
- quantum statistical physics, condensed matter, integrable systems
- classical statistical mechanics, equilibrium and non-equilibrium
- disordered systems, classical and quantum
- interdisciplinary statistical mechanics
- biological modelling and information

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Partner
International School for Advanced Studies (SISSA)

Journal metrics
2.232
Impact factor
3.6
Citescore
The Journal of The Electrochemical Society (JES) was launched in 1902 as the society’s flagship journal, and is published by IOP Publishing on behalf of The Electrochemical Society. The journal publishes outstanding research covering fundamental and applied areas of electrochemistry, including experimental and theoretical aspects of electrodes, interfaces and devices.

JES has eight topical interest areas:
- batteries and energy storage
- corrosion science and technology
- electrochemical/electroless deposition
- electrochemical engineering
- fuel cells, electrolyzers and energy conversion
- organic and bioelectrochemistry
- physical and analytical electrochemistry, electrocatalysis and photoelectrochemistry
- sensors

Online archive
While a subscription is current, a subscribing institution will have access to all of the available backfiles (for JES, from 1930) as well as content from the current subscription year.

Partner
The Electrochemical Society

Journal metrics
9 DAYS
Median submission to first decision before peer review

29 DAYS
Median submission to first decision after peer review

4.316
Impact factor

6.6
Citescore

JPhys Complexity

JPhys Complexity™ (JPCOMPLEX) showcases the most significant and exciting scientific developments in physics-related theoretical, experimental and applied research that contributes to advancing our scientific understanding of complex systems and networks. As an interdisciplinary journal, JPhys Complexity welcomes submissions from all disciplines, including physics, biology, chemistry, environmental science, social sciences, economics and related fields, and aims to facilitate the flow of knowledge between and beyond these communities, ensuring authors gain maximum impact and visibility for their work.

All research related to complex systems and networks is in scope, including interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary studies. Coverage includes, but is not limited to, the following:
- artificial intelligence and machine learning
- biological and physical systems
- city and regional planning
- climate change and sustainability
- cognitive, language and informational networks
- computational assembly science and engineering
- economic and financial systems
- human behaviour, social-evolutionary dynamics
- online social networks and the internet
- quantum networks

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2020 – 2021 freely available to all at iopscience.org/jpcomplex

Journal metrics
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**JPhys Energy**

Editor-in-chief
John Irvine, University of St Andrews, UK

*JPhys Energy™* (JPENERGY) is an innovative open access journal for high-quality research in all areas where physical sciences are applied in the field of energy. The journal showcases the most significant and exciting developments in energy research, with a particular focus on interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary studies.

All energy-related research is in scope; subjects covered include, but are not restricted to:
- batteries and supercapacitors
- biodiesels and biofuels
- biomass and biorefineries
- carbon capture and storage
- climate change
- electrocatalysis and photocatalysis
- energy grids and networks
- energy harvesting devices
- fuel cells
- hydrogen generation and storage
- life-cycle assessment
- materials for energy applications
- nuclear power
- solar-energy conversion and photovoltaics
- sources and technologies: renewables and fossil fuels
- water splitting and artificial photosynthesis

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2019–2021 available free at iopscience.org/jphysenergy

**Journal metrics**
- Impact factor: 5.967
- Citescore: 2.4

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**JPhys Materials**

Editor-in-chief
Stephan Roche, Catalan Institution for Research and Advanced Studies and Catalan Institute of Nanosciences and Nanotechnology, Spain

*JPhys Materials™* (JPMATER) is an open access journal that covers all branches of physical sciences contributing to the advancement of materials science. The journal showcases the most significant and exciting developments in materials research, with a particular focus on interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary studies.

All materials-related research is in scope; subjects covered will include, but are not restricted to:
- biological and biomedical materials
- carbon materials
- electronic materials
- energy and environment materials
- magnetic materials
- metals and alloys
- metamaterials
- organic materials
- photonic materials
- polymers and organic compounds
- semiconductors
- soft matter
- superconductors
- surfaces, interfaces and thin films

**Online archive**
2018–2021 available free at iopscience.org/jphysmaterials

**Journal metrics**
- Median submission to first decision before peer review: 2 DAYS
- Median submission to first decision after peer review: 32 DAYS
- Citescore: 3.3

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JPhys Photonics

*Editor-in-chief*
Hugo Thienpont, Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium

*JPhys Photonics*™ (JPHOTON) is an open access journal that highlights the most significant and exciting advances in research into the properties and applications of light. It aims to bring together scientists from a range of disciplines, with a particular focus on interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary research.

All photonics-related research is in scope; subjects covered include, but are not restricted to:
- biophotonics and biomedical optics
- energy and green tech applications, including photovoltaics
- imaging, detection and sensing
- light-matter interactions
- light sources, including lasers and LEDs
- nanophotonics
- nonlinear and ultrafast optics
- optical communications and fibre optics
- optical data storage
- optoelectronics, integrated optics and semiconductor photonics
- photonic materials, metamaterials and engineered structures
- plasmonics
- propagation, interaction and behaviour
- quantum photonics and optics

**Online archive**
2018–2021 available free at [iopscience.org/jphysphotonics](http://iopscience.org/jphysphotonics)

**Journal metrics**
Citescore: 1.6

Laser Physics

*Editor-in-chief*
Vanderlei S Bagnato, University of São Paulo, Brazil

Founded in 1990, on the initiative of Nobel laureate, Alexander M Prokhorov, *Laser Physics* (LP) is an international journal offering a comprehensive view of the fields of theoretical and experimental laser research and applications. The journal’s scope includes:
- physics of lasers, and novel laser materials
- fibre optics and fibre lasers
- quantum optics and quantum information science
- optics: nanomaterials; nonlinear; ultrafast, and strong field physics
- physics of cold trapped atoms
- laser methods in chemistry, biology, medicine and ecology
- laser spectroscopy
- interaction of laser radiation with matter
- laser interaction with solids
- photonics

In addition to original research papers, LP publishes Topical Reviews, Tutorials and Special Issues.

**Online archive**
2013–2021 available free with journal subscription
Details on the LP archive (1991–2012) are available at [www.lasphys.com/lasphys](http://www.lasphys.com/lasphys)

**Journal metrics**
Median submission to first decision before peer review: 7 DAYS
Impact factor: 1.366
Citescore: 2.4

**Partner**
Astro Ltd.
**Laser Physics Letters**

*Editor-in-chief*
Vanderlei S Bagnato, University of São Paulo, Brazil

*Laser Physics Letters (LPL)* is a monthly international journal that publishes novel and noteworthy results in the broad areas of fundamental and applied laser physics and their associated fields.

Founded in 2003, the journal provides rapid dissemination of research including spectroscopy, quantum electronics, quantum optics, quantum electrodynamics, nonlinear optics, atom optics, quantum computation, quantum information processing and storage, fibre optics and their applications in chemistry, biology, engineering and medicine.

In addition to Letters that report original research results, LPL publishes invited Topical Reviews that describe recent progress in a field of high current interest.

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**Machine Learning: Science and Technology**

*Editor-in-chief*
Anatole von Lilienfeld, University of Vienna, Austria

*Machine Learning: Science and Technology*™ (MLST) is a multidisciplinary open access journal that bridges the application of machine learning across the sciences with advances in machine learning methods and theory as motivated by physical insights.

Particular areas of scientific application include (but are not limited to):
- physics and space science
- design and discovery of novel materials and molecules
- materials characterisation techniques
- simulation of materials, chemical processes and biological systems
- atomistic and coarse-grained simulation
- quantum computing
- biology, medicine and biomedical imaging
- geoscience (including natural disaster prediction) and climatology
- simulation methods and high-performance computing
- particle physics

Conceptual or methodological advances in machine learning methods include those in (but are not limited to):
- explainability, causality and robustness
- new (physics inspired) learning algorithms
- neural network architectures
- kernel methods
- bayesian and other probabilistic methods
- supervised, unsupervised and generative methods
- novel computing architectures
- codes and datasets
- benchmark studies

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Materials for Quantum Technology
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Materials Futures
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**Materials for Quantum Technology™ (MQT)** is an open access multidisciplinary journal devoted to publishing cutting-edge experimental and theoretical research on the development and application of materials for all quantum-enabled technologies and devices. Particular areas of interest include new areas of multifunctional materials, such as:

- fabrication and characterisation of materials and interfaces for quantum technology applications
- materials for hybrid quantum systems
- materials for quantum sensing and metrology
- materials for quantum optics and photonics
- materials for qubit systems
- novel materials and devices for quantum computing and quantum electronics
- chemistry for quantum technology
- theory and computational design of new materials for quantum technology applications
- emergent properties of quantum materials and their applications

MQT is a highly selective journal, only publishing articles that contain novel results or applications that substantially advance their relevant field with the expectation of long-term scientific or technological impact. Alongside high-impact original research papers, MQT also publishes authoritative review articles and perspectives from leading authors.

**Online archive**
2021 freely available to all at iopscience.org/mqt

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- Weihua Wang, Institute of Physics, Chinese Academy of Sciences & Songshan Lake Materials Laboratory, China
- Jinkui Zhao, Institute of Physics, Chinese Academy of Sciences & Songshan Lake Materials Laboratory, China

**Materials Futures™ (MF)** is a gold open access journal publishing original works, perspectives, and review articles in all areas of basic and applied materials science and technology. It publishes the latest developments and achievements in the area of:

- structural materials
- nanomaterials
- energy materials
- quantum materials
- bioactive materials
- materials theories and computation

The journal encourages authors to provide a Future Perspective section on the future risk and breakthrough outlooks of their respective research field and where the field is heading toward in general.

**Partner**
Songshan Lake Materials Laboratory, Institute of Physics, Chinese Academy of Sciences

**Journal metrics**
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**Editors-in-chief**
- Yi Cao, Nanjing University, China
- Judy Wu, University of Kansas, USA

*Materials Research Express*™ (MRX) is a rapid-publication journal for new experimental and theoretical research on the design, fabrication, properties and applications of all classes of functional materials.

Since 2020, MRX has been a fully gold open access journal providing maximum dissemination of research extending across all areas of materials science. Particular materials of interest include:
- biomaterials
- nanomaterials and nanotechnologies
- carbon allotropes and 2D materials
- electronic materials
- glasses, ceramics and amorphous materials
- magnetic materials
- metals and alloys
- photonic materials and metamaterials
- polymers and organic compounds
- smart materials
- thin films

**Online archive**
- 2020–2021 freely available to all at [iopscience.org/mrx](http://iopscience.org/mrx)
- 2014–2019 available in the IOP Journal Archive

**Journal metrics**
- 2 DAYS Median submission to first decision before peer review
- 23 DAYS Median submission to first decision after peer review
- 1.620 Impact factor
- 2.5 Citescore
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**Editor-in-chief**
Andrew Yacoot, National Physical Laboratory, UK

*The journal is of interest to experimental researchers in all science and engineering disciplines as well as those specialising in measurement science.*

*Measurement Science and Technology*™ (MST) covers all aspects of the theory, practice and application of measurement and sensor technology across the sciences:
- precision measurements and metrology
- sensors and sensor systems
- optical and laser-based techniques
- fluids
- imaging
- spectroscopy
- materials and materials processing
- biological, medical and life science
- environmental and atmospheric
- novel instrumentation systems and components

MST’s strong publishing programme includes Topical Reviews and Special Issues.

**Online archive**
- 2011–2021 available free with journal subscription
- 1923–2010 available in the IOP Journal Archive

**Journal metrics**
- 5 DAYS Median submission to first decision before peer review
- 43 DAYS Median submission to first decision after peer review
- 2.046 Impact factor
- 3.8 Citescore
Methods and Applications in Fluorescence

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Online ISSN 2050-6120
CODEN MAFEB2

Editors-in-chief
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• Marcia Levitus, Arizona State University, USA
• Yves Mély, Université de Strasbourg, France

Methods and Applications in Fluorescence™ (MAF) is a multidisciplinary journal that appeals to chemists, biologists and physicists working with fluorescence or developing new optical techniques in the life sciences. As well as review articles, the journal publishes original research articles and technical notes. The scope includes:
• new fluorescent probes and sensors for use in biology
• development and use of fluorescent nanoparticles
• instrumentation and devices for fluorescent imaging
• FRET, FLIM, FCS
• image analysis
• quantitative methods
• super-resolution imaging techniques
• lanthanide fluorescence
• fluorescent polymers

The applications of fluorescence to emerging areas in bionanotechnology, nanotechnology and medicine are very much part of the vision for the journal.

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Journal metrics
6DAYS Median submission to first decision before peer review
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3.009 Impact factor

Metrologia

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Volume 59
Frequency 6
Online ISSN 1681-7575
Print ISSN 0026-1394
CODEN MTRGAU

Editor
J Miles, Bureau International des Poids et Mesures, France

Metrologia (MET) is the leading journal in pure and applied metrology, and is essential reading for all researchers to whom measurement standards and calibrations are important. It publishes original research on the fundamentals of measurement, including improvements to the seven base units of the International System of Units (SI). MET readers can also find articles on measurements of physical constants that have a fundamental importance in metrology – such as the Rydberg constant or the fine-structure constant – or that contribute to the solution of particularly difficult measurement problems.

MET also publishes review articles, issues devoted to single topics of timely interest and occasional conference proceedings, as well as features that draw attention to the development of new trends of thought and experiment in this area of physical research, such as Letters to the Editor and Short Communications.

The MET Technical Supplement is an electronic-only publication that provides abstracts of international comparisons used to support the claimed calibration and measurement capabilities of participating laboratories. The abstracts are linked to full reports that are part of the Key Comparison Database (KCDB) maintained on the Bureau International des Poids et Mesures website, kcdb.bipm.org.

Online archive
2011–2021 available free with journal subscription
1965–2010 available in the IOP Journal Archive

Partner
Bureau International des Poids et Mesures

Journal metrics
6DAYS Median submission to first decision before peer review
42DAYS Median submission to first decision after peer review
3.157 Impact factor

5.3 Citescore

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**Modelling and Simulation in Materials Science and Engineering**

**Editors-in-chief**  
Javier Llorca, Polytechnic University of Madrid & IMDEA Materials Institute, Spain

Serving the multidisciplinary materials community, *Modelling and Simulation in Materials Science and Engineering* (MSMSE) publishes new research that advances the understanding and prediction of material behaviour – at scales from atomistic to macroscopic – through modelling and simulation.

The journal is led by Editor-in-chief Javier Llorca, with support from an Editorial Board of well respected field professionals who were appointed for their expert guidance and knowledge across the journal’s scope, which covers:

- modelling and/or simulation across materials science that emphasizes fundamental materials issues
- interdisciplinary research that tackles challenging and complex materials problems where the governing phenomena may span different scales of materials behaviour, with an emphasis on the development of quantitative approaches to explain and predict experimental observations
- material processing that advances the fundamental materials science and engineering underpinning the connection between processing and properties
- all classes of materials and mechanical, microstructural, electronic, chemical, biological and optical properties

The journal has a programme of Focus Issues, with recent topics covered including multiscale materials modelling and uncertainty quantification.

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**Multifunctional Materials**

**Editors-in-chief**  
Andreas Lendlein, HZG Centre for Materials and Coastal Research & University of Potsdam, Germany  
Richard Trask, University of Bristol, UK

*Multifunctional Materials* (MFM) is a multidisciplinary journal devoted to publishing research of the highest quality and impact, and is uniquely designed to serve an emerging field that now connects the materials science, physics, chemistry, bioscience and engineering communities, and translational multifunctional sciences. Specific areas of interest include new areas of multifunctional materials, such as:

- the design and manufacture of programmed materials for multifunctionality, morphing and adaptivity
- “meta materials” designed and created through current chemistry or synthetic biology
- multifunctional materials designed with the capabilities of intelligent systems, such as sensing and self-diagnosis
- characterisation methods for functions and multiscale modelling
- applications of functional multi-materials
- computational materials engineering

A key aim for the journal is to bridge the materials and systems communities that are now involved with multifunctional design. In addition to publishing outstanding articles that report urgent new results that make a significant advance to the field, MFM also publishes invited-only Topical Reviews on themes of particular current interest to the community.

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Volume 3
Frequency 4
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CODEN NEAXA4

Editor-in-chief
Antonio Di Bartolomeo, University of Salerno, Italy

Nano Express™ is a multidisciplinary, open access journal devoted to the rapid publication of new experimental, theoretical and applied research extending across all areas of nanoscale science and technology, including interdisciplinary topics. Characterised by article length flexibility and a fast-track peer-review process, areas of interest include (but are not limited to):
• synthesis and functionalisation of nanostructured materials
• study of the self- and directed-assembly of chemical species into nanoscale objects
• characterisation of the physical and chemical properties of nanoscale systems, thin films and 2D materials
• theoretical and computational nanoscience
• nanomedicine, biotechnology and pharmaceutical applications
• energy at the nanoscale and the use of nanostructures to develop alternative energy solutions
• quantum phenomena and technology
• nanofabrication and patterning of materials
• sensing and detectors

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Nano Futures
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Volume 6
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Editor-in-chief
Amanda Barnard, Australian National University, Australia

Nano Futures™ publishes the latest and most important results and perspective from across nanoscience and related technologies including physics, chemistry, biomedicine and materials science. The journal’s primary aim is to become the home for high-urgency work that will define the future direction of nanotechnology. Only a small proportion of submissions to Nano Futures will meet the high standards of the journal and the number of published articles will therefore be limited. Nano Futures is now indexed in Web of Science and Scopus.

Specific topics of interest include (but are not limited to):
• nanoelectronics
• nanophotonics
• nanomagnetism and spintronics
• energy at the nanoscale
• nanosensors
• nanometrology
• nanobiotechnology
• nanomedicine

With a mission to reflect diverse and multidisciplinary fields, Nano Futures also publishes forward-looking Perspectives and specially commissioned Roadmap articles on themes of particular current interest to the broader nanoscience community.

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2017–2021 available free with journal subscription

Journal metrics
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3 DAYS Median submission to first decision before peer review
29 DAYS Median submission to first decision after peer review
3.306 Impact factor

3.9 Citescore ELECTRONIC ONLY
Nanotechnology
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Volume 33
Frequency 50
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Print ISSN 0957-4484
CODEN NNOTER

Editor-in-chief
Ray LaPierre, McMaster University, Canada

Nanotechnology™ (NANO) was launched in 1990 as the first journal dedicated to provide comprehensive coverage across nanoscale research and technology. Since then, the journal has grown in both quality and quantity to establish itself as one of the leading titles in the field. It continues to offer cutting-edge research articles at the forefront of developments in all fields of nanotechnology research.

The journal continues to provide commentary on advances in nanoscale research in:
- energy at the nanoscale
- biology and medicine
- electronics and photonics
- patterning and nanofabrication
- sensing and actuating
- materials synthesis
- materials properties
- quantum technology

In addition to original research articles and Topical Reviews, NANO publishes Focus Collections, Letters and Perspectives on a regular basis, which feature Invited Articles from highly active subject areas.

NANO is recommended to all researchers working in applied physics, chemical physics, condensed matter and materials science, and measurement science and sensors.

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Journal metrics
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3 DAYS Median submission to first decision before peer review
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3.874 Impact factor

5.8 Citescore

Neuromorphic Computing and Engineering
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Volume 2
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CODEN NCEECN

Editor-in-chief
Giacomo Indiveri, University of Zurich, Switzerland

Neuromorphic Computing and Engineering™ (NCE) is a multidisciplinary open access journal devoted to the design, development and application of artificial neural networks and systems in advancing scientific discovery and realising emerging new technologies.

Bringing together both the hardware and computational aspects of neuromorphic systems, the journal’s audience extends to engineering, materials science, physics, chemistry, biology, neuroscience and computer science across academia and industry. Broad areas of coverage include:
- development of functional materials for neuromorphic systems and devices
- biologically-inspired neuromorphic systems and devices
- development of novel devices and hardware to enable neuromorphic computing
- computation, modelling and learning principles for neuromorphic systems
- neuromorphic systems and theories for brain-inspired computation

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2021 freely available to all at iopscience.org/nce

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Nonlinearity presents original work that spans the interdisciplinary nature of nonlinear science. The broad scope of the journal ranges from physics, mathematics and engineering through to biological science. NON's Editorial Board is comprised of members with expertise across a diverse range of subject areas, reflecting the varied interests of the title's wide readership and ensuring that NON continues to be an essential resource for researchers in any field where nonlinearity is of fundamental importance. Subjects covered in the journal include:

- nonlinear, chaotic and dynamical systems and their applications
- mathematical biology
- nonlinear partial differential equations
- fluid dynamics, including fluid boundaries, vortex dynamics, turbulence and rogue waves
- network dynamics and swarming
- quantum dynamics and quantum chaos

All authors are strongly encouraged to provide sufficient introductory material to make their work accessible to NON's wide readership.
**Physical Biology**

iopscience.org/pb

**Editor-in-chief**
Greg Huber, Chan Zuckerberg Biohub, USA

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2011–2021 available free with journal subscription
2004–2010 available in the IOP Journal Archive

**Volume**
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**Frequency**
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**Online ISSN**
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**Physical Biology™ (PB) bridges research in the biological and physical sciences, and showcases a range of interdisciplinary papers, reviews and perspectives with an innovative edge.**

**PB covers an extensive range of subjects, including:**
- intracellular processes
- systems biology
- developmental processes
- physical aspects of disease
- neuronal dynamics
- population dynamics, ecology and evolution
- biomolecular structure and interactions
- cells and their microenvironment
- cell–material interactions
- novel physical techniques to probe biological systems
- advances in bioinformatic and modelling-based approaches
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Pedagogical approaches, resource reviews, invited comments, and multimedia supplementary material complement the journal’s content, making it a dynamic resource for educators. PED is published six times a year, with an online ISSN of 1361-6552 and a print ISSN of 0031-9120. Its CODEN is PHEDA7.

**Online Archive:**
- 2011–2021 is available free with journal subscription.
- 1966–2010 is available in the IOP Journal Archive.

**Journal Metrics:**
- **Impact Factor:** 1.2
- Median submission to first decision before peer review: 4 days
- Median submission to first decision after peer review: 23 days
- Citescore: 2.3

**Editor-in-Chief:**
Gary Williams, Institute of Physics, UK

**Physics Education (PED):**
PED is a journal that supports the physics teaching community. It offers a platform for educators to share experiences and information that promote continual development in the teaching of physics to 11–18 year olds. PED provides professional development and support for physics teachers around the world by:
- A forum for practising teachers to make an active contribution to the physics-teaching community.
- Knowledge updates in physics, educational research, and relevant curriculum developments.
- Strategies for teaching and classroom management that will engage and motivate students.

In addition to feature papers, PED publishes shorter frontline papers, resource reviews, letters, and multimedia supplementary material. It also supports video abstracts, where authors go beyond the constraints of the written article to convey their research.

PED readers benefit from the perspective and expertise of the journal’s Editorial Board. It is a valuable resource for anyone involved in physics education at the high-school or undergraduate level—teachers, lecturers, and teacher trainers in university physics, engineering and education departments—as well as for those producing resources for schools, colleges, and universities, companies with an education programme, government-funded bodies, and government-funding departments.

**Online Archive:**
- 2011–2021 is available free with journal subscription.
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**Journal Metrics:**
- **Citescore:** 2.3
- Median submission to first decision before peer review: 4 days
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**Editor-in-Chief:**
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Plasma Research Express

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Plasma Science and Technology

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Journal metrics
1.022
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2.2
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Journal metrics
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5.994 Impact factor
8.5 Citescore

Reports on Progress in Physics
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17.264 Impact factor
37.6 Citescore
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1.469
Impact factor
2.5
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Impact factor

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0.986
Impact factor
1.6
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