

Newsletter

The Journal Usage Statistics Portal (JUSP) is a Jisc-funded service that provides a "one-stop shop" for libraries to view, download and analyse their journal, book, database and platform usage reports from multiple publishers.

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Release 5 supplier update

JUSP is now gathering R5 reports from 12 suppliers, with the most recent additions being Scopus, Engineering Village, Karger and JSTOR. Data has been gathered back to January 2019 to provide the complete calendar year. An overview of suppliers and their status can be viewed here: https://jusp.jisc.ac.uk/participants/.

Approach to collection of R4 and R5 data

During conversations with members of the JUSP Community Advisory Group recently we discussed the collection of COUNTER R4 data and approaches to expediting supplier transition to R5. While progress is being made with R5, the current availability of compliant R5 data remains limited and it was agreed that it is necessary to continue collecting R4 data beyond our anticipated cut-off date of July 2019.

What does this mean?

- Where a supplier is still providing R4 data but not yet providing compliant R5 data, JUSP will continue to collect R4 data beyond July
- Once a supplier is providing an R5 service and compliant data,
 JUSP will cease collection of R4 data
- Once a supplier is providing an R5 service and compliant data, JUSP will collect R5 data back to January 2019 (provided this is supported by the publisher)
- R4 data will be available until differing points in time
- There will be a temporary gap in data when a publisher stops supplying R4 data but is not yet offering compliant R5 data (currently only affecting two suppliers)

SCONUL reporting

JUSP will continue to collect R4 data where possible until July 2019 reports have been collected in August 2019. The existing SCONUL reports in the JUSP R4 area will facilitate SCONUL reporting for 2018/2019. Where suppliers have ceased supplying R4 we will communicate the latest update about this once we've collected July data in August.



New report tool: master report filtering

In July, we introduced new functionality that allows you to filter the COUNTER Release 5 master reports to your specifications.

The COUNTER standard views use pre-set filters to provide a common set of reports. Filtering the master report enables you to create tailored reports to meet requirements that aren't covered by the standard views.

We have produced a detailed step-by-step guide to using the title (journals and books) filter report which is available from our Guides page: https://jusp.jisc.ac.uk/guides/.

We also ran a webinar and you can catch up on the recording and view the slides from our Events & Training page: https://jusp.jisc.ac.uk/events-training/.

What's next for R5 report developments

Development of additional reports such as summary, trends and usage profiling, plus visualisations, are planned for the next few months.

To support this work we have also carried out a series of interviews to capture the workflows from a range of institutions.

We will also be working with a small group of JUSP users over the next couple of months to help define and test additional summary reports and visualisations.

Updated COUNTER Release 5 guides

We have recently updated the guides to R5 with the aim of making them more task focused.

R5 reports, views and functionality in JUSP

This guide gives you an overview of the reports available in JUSP, what they are for and when you are likely to use them.

⇒ https://jusp.jisc.ac.uk/guides/r5-overview.html

Choosing which report to run

This lists a series of high-level use cases, then suggests relevant R5 reports and compares these to the equivalent Release 4 report.

⇒ https://jusp.jisc.ac.uk/guides/r5-choosing.html

Institutions joining JUSP

Over the last few months we have welcomed 5 more institutions to JUSP:

- New College Durham
- The Manchester College (LTE Group)
- Royal College of Art
- Petroc
- Wirral Metropolitan College

A full list of currently participating institutions is available on the JUSP website at https://jusp.jisc.ac.uk/participants/
#institutions.

If your institution is not already participating, you can find out more at: https://jusp.jisc.ac.uk/join/uk-academic-libraries/.

Catch up on R5 webinar recordings

On 9th July we ran a webinar to introduce the title master reports filtering and database standard views. A recording is available on the website along with those from our previous R5 webinars:

- Title master reports filtering and database standard views 9 July 2019
- Working with COUNTER 5 reports in JUSP 30 Apr 2019
- ♦ JUSP and COUNTER R5 update 6 Mar 2019

See Event and Training at https://jusp.jisc.ac.uk/events-training/