



The Journal Usage Statistics Portal (JUSP)

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 usage reports from multiple publishers. It responds to current financial challenges with time and cost saving benefits.

JUSP welcomes new publishers

We are pleased to welcome the Ecological Society of America (ESA) and the American College of Physicians (ACP).

JR1 and JR1a data back to January 2009, and JR1 GOA data back to January 2013 are now available in JUSP for the Ecological Society of America.

We have been working with the American College of Physicians and their data will be available shortly.

JUSP Community Survey 2014

As I'm sure you're aware, the JUSP team are always very keen to understand how you're using JUSP in your daily work. Your views are very important in helping us to make improvements to the service and to indicate priority areas for future development. We would really value your opinion on a number of aspects of JUSP and would like to invite you to take part in our latest community survey.

As an added incentive to complete the survey we're offering entry into a prize draw to win a £50 Amazon voucher. Details of how to enter the draw are at the end of the survey.

The survey should take around 10 to 15 minutes to complete and we would welcome your responses by Friday 19th December 2014. The survey is available at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/juspsurvey2014>

New introduction to JUSP now available

We have rerecorded the introductory JUSP video and it is now available on the Events and Training page of our website.

This will be useful for new members of staff working on usage statistics and for new libraries participating in JUSP.

You can view the video (<http://jusp.mimas.ac.uk/docs/webinars/Introduction-to-JUSP-webinar.m4v>) or just listen to the audio (<http://jusp.mimas.ac.uk/docs/webinars/Introduction-to-JUSP-webinar.mp3>).

A copy of the slides is also available (<http://jusp.mimas.ac.uk/docs/webinars/Introduction-to-JUSP-webinar.pptx>).

Contact Us

You can keep up-to-date with project developments by visiting our website www.jusp.mimas.ac.uk.

We welcome your views on your experience of using the website and portal.

Please get in touch if you have comments, questions or ideas for future developments.

Helpful hint - Exporting reports from JUSP

Many of the reports available in JUSP provide the option to export the data as a CSV file for further processing in a spreadsheet such as Excel.

This enables you to combine usage data from JUSP with your own internal data for further analysis, reporting to management etc.

Examples of this include completing your SCONUL return, adding subject/budget headings, examining high and low usage titles, etc.

JUSP Community Advisory Group (CAG) meeting

The next meeting of the JUSP Community Advisory Group will take place on Monday 1st December.

The agenda is currently being compiled.

If you have any suggestions for topics that you would like the Group to address, please contact our helpdesk jusp@mimas.ac.uk by Wednesday 12th November.

Growth in JUSP participation and usage

We have put together a short report showing growth in JUSP participation and usage since its inception in 2010.

It includes: growth in numbers of participating libraries and publishers; monthly logins; reports run and exported; ten most popular reports; use of the JUSP SUSHI server; and use of JUSP support materials.

The report can be found on our website at http://jusp.mimas.ac.uk/news/Usage_of_the_JUSP_portal_2010_2014.pdf

Ebsco EJS update

Ebsco EJS recently changed from a host intermediary to a gateway and therefore no longer provides usage statistics. All usage of titles accessed via Ebsco EJS comes directly from the publisher with effect from August 2014.

Historical EJS usage data remains available in JUSP and will still appear in reports such as 'JR1 reports including gateways and host intermediaries' and 'Annual summary use of gateways and host intermediaries'.

Workshop locations for 2015

Thank you to everyone who responded to our recent survey about preferred workshop locations for 2015. We had around 40 responses. Thank you too for all the offers of help.

The three top choices were London, Birmingham and Manchester.

Look out for further information on workshops over the coming months.

