

Editorial

We are now entering the second year in the publication of **Journal of Science & Technology Metrics**. In this first issue we present the below described scientometric studies.

In the first paper on “**Dominance Factor Analysis for Collaboration and Productivity of Authors**” the authors *Sudhir Kumar Shilpa Dhoble and Leena Shah* have introduced the Dominance Factor (DF) which studies the ratio and influence of multi-authored papers using first author count. To test the indicator they have studied a total of 3875 Indian Contributions out of 13394 from world on the topic ‘groundnut’. They did many numerical tests and found that 76% prolific authors have low dominance values.

In the next paper on “**Bibliometric Analysis of Content Analysis of Contributions to Indian Sociology (2009- 2018)**” the author *Dinesh Kumar* presented a bibliometric analysis of the research articles published in Contribution to Indian Sociology journal from 2009 to 2018. The paper analyses a bibliometric study of 140 research articles published from February 2009 to October 2018. They have studied many parameters such as authorship pattern, Gender wise distribution of authors, Ranking of leading contributors, Geographical distribution of contributors and a few more.

In the last paper on “**Library Co-operation through Resource Sharing, and Networking among Special Libraries in India**” the authors *Deepa Singhal Madhu Shri Pandeya, and Ratna Sharma* have studied the library cooperation with resource sharing, where the special libraries can create an environment. They conclude that the resource sharing is a method of crossing these and other boundaries of individual libraries with respect to their resources through collaboration and coordination between other libraries.

We will bring more research in the further issues of the JSTM.

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