

Editorial

We bring the second issue of this volume to the **Journal of Science & Technology Metrics**.

In the first paper, **“Global Research Trends in Tribology: A Scientometric Study,”** the authors analysed the growth of tribology literature for the period 2000-2019. They used measures such as Relative Growth Rate (RGR) and Doubling Time (Dt.) and supplemented the work with different growth patterns to check whether tribology literature fits polynomial, linear, or logistic models. The study found that there has been a consistent trend towards increased growth of literature in the field of tribology.

In the next paper, **“The Scientific and Technical Clusters in the World Economy”**, the authors analyzed the effectiveness of organizing innovative processes in scientific and technical technology, identifying factors and drivers for the development of regional scientific and technological complexes in the global economy. Later, the study conducted a comparative analysis of annually published data and GII indicators in the patent and publication activity field.

In the last paper **“New Possible Journal Rankings Based on Altmetrics”** The authors investigated the correlation between traditional indicators of Scientometrics and Altmetrics. They proposed and investigated the correlation between traditional indicators of Scientometrics and Altmetrics. The analysis found a correlation between altmetric attention score and JIF but no correlation between altmetric attention score and immediacy index.

We will bring more research into the forthcoming issues.

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