

Resource Summary Report

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Open Journal Systems

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Type: Tool

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Resource Information

URL: <http://pkp.sfu.ca/ojs/>

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Description: Open source software made freely available to journals worldwide for the purpose of making open access publishing a viable option for more journals, as open access can increase a journal's readership as well as its contribution to the public good on a global scale. OJS assists with every stage of the refereed publishing process, from submissions through to online publication and indexing. Through its management systems, its finely grained indexing of research, and the context it provides for research, OJS seeks to improve both the scholarly and public quality of refereed research. OJS Features # OJS is installed locally and locally controlled. # Editors configure requirements, sections, review process, etc. # Online submission and management of all content. # Subscription module with delayed open access options. # Comprehensive indexing of content part of global system. # Reading Tools for content, based on field and editors' choice. # Email notification and commenting ability for readers. # Complete context-sensitive online Help support.

Abbreviations: OJS

Resource Type: software resource

Keywords: journal management, publishing system, publication

Availability: Free, Available for download, Freely available

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Open Journal Systems.

No alerts have been found for Open Journal Systems.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 1 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [SPARC SAWG](#) .

Loubani T, et al. (2008) No budget, no worries: Free and open source publishing software in biomedical publishing. Open medicine : a peer-reviewed, independent, open-access journal, 2(4), e114.