



InCites Benchmarking and Analytics

External Release Notes | IC2.65

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Release overview

We are excited to release the new features on the InCites Benchmarking & Analytics platform. This document will provide a summary overview as a reference guide. If you have any questions, please contact:

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A new InCites experience

Each of these features were informed by our InCites users - through surveys, interviews and prototype-testing over the past year. And in discovering our user workflows, we are keen to ensure that these existing workflows are not interrupted. Our release schedule is designed to introduce gradual usability improvements with a corresponding release notes, to outline what has changed and why.

This set of features, among a series of planned updates, will make InCites Benchmarking & Analytics more intuitive, inviting and valuable to you.

Menu options

To simplify and make it easier to uncover at a glance

Old experience

Global header:



New experience

Global header:



Name changes within explore

To be more consistent with the way our users describe these features

Old Name	New Name
Analytics	Analysis
People	Researchers
Regions	Locations

New options to browse and navigate

Users can use the **Analysis** drop-down to select an entity type and go directly to a new analysis:

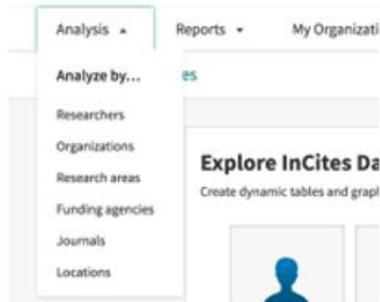
Users can use the **Reports** drop-down to go directly to an overview report or to your dashboard report.

Old experience

N/A

New experience

New dropdown for "Analysis":

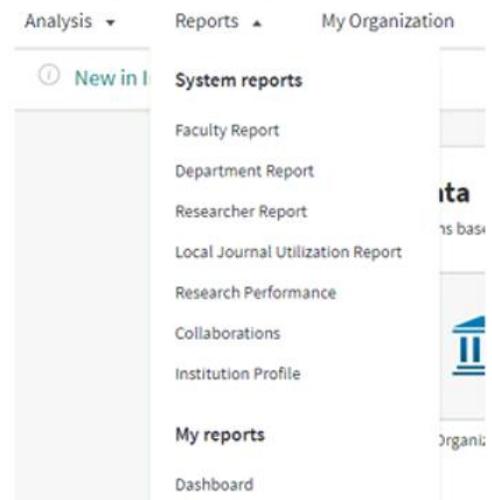


Old experience

N/A

New experience

New dropdown for "Reports":

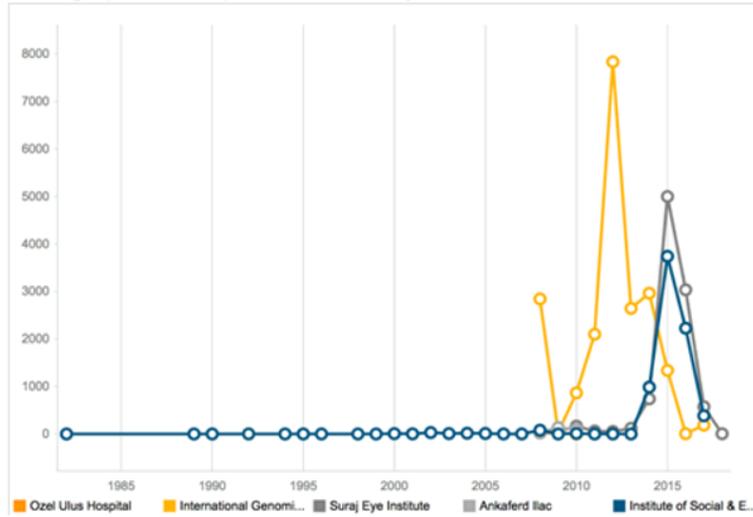


Data Visualization

Data visualization options have a refreshed color palette for a clean, modern style. Additional contrast, shapes, and patterns make visuals easy to interpret at-a-glance, including for people with color blindness.

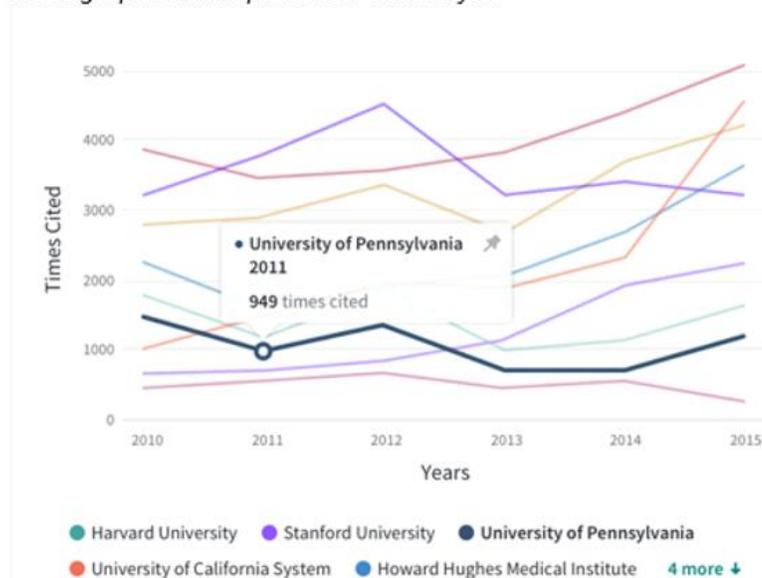
Old experience

Trend graph as example of old visual style:



New experience

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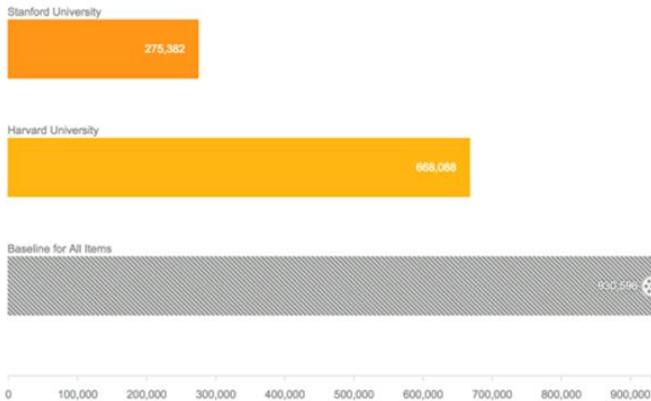


New layout

In the bar graph, when a user has a baseline in the data table, rather than displaying as another horizontal bar, the baseline now appears as a vertical dotted line, making this easier to understand

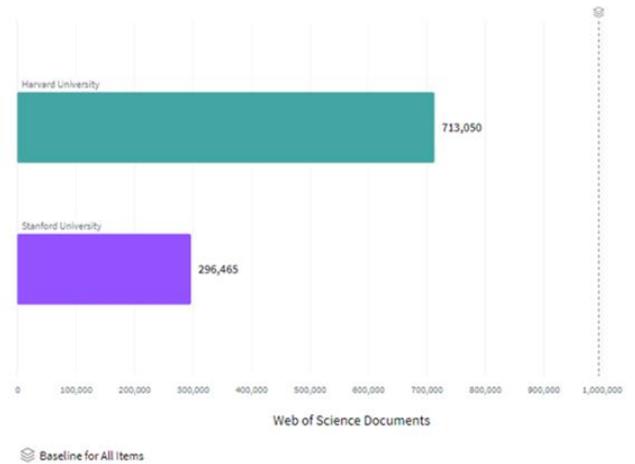
Old experience

Bar graph with baseline:



New experience

Bar graph with baseline:



New Features

In the geographic visual type, a legend shows the number of documents represented by each color on the scale for quick reference within the platform itself.

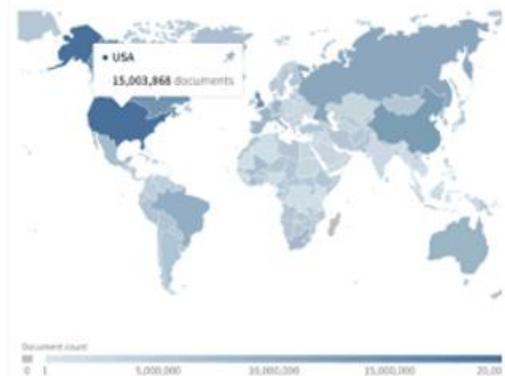
Old experience

Geographic visual type:



New experience

Geographic visual type:



Open Access Impact Story Data

Open Access status is available across the Web of Science platform already as a result of a partnership with Impact Story, a not-for-profit organization that recently launched a knowledge base of Open Access (OA) content. This knowledge base makes it possible to discover and link to legal Gold or Bronze (free content at a publisher's website) and Green (e.g., author self-archived in a repository) OA versions.

This partnership improves discoverability and access to article-level OA versions not only by adding more links to OA content, but also by prioritizing the links to the best version of OA content when multiple versions of an article are available. By bringing OA data analysis into InCites B&A, we will not only enable institutional evaluation of OA policy, but will also serve as a clear differentiator as a publisher-neutral supporter of Open Science.

The following changes are implemented as part of this feature:

- A new group type of **Open Access** is added in Manage Indicators Panel for ALL entities
- Users can add the following indicators to each Explorer from the **Open Access Indicators Panel**

All Open Access Documents	Calculates the total number of publications that are identified as Open Access of any type - i.e. contain at least one the following OA indicator types: Green Published or Green Accepted or DOAJ Gold or Other Gold or bronze
DOAJ Gold Documents	Calculates the total number of publications that are identified as DOAJ Gold Open Access type
Other Gold Documents	Calculates the total number of publications that are identified as Other Gold Open Access type
Green Published Documents	Calculates the total number of publications that are identified as Green Published Open Access type
Green Accepted Documents	Calculates the total number of publications that are identified as Green Accepted Open Access type
Bronze Documents	Calculates the total number of publications that are identified as Bronze Open Access type
% All Open Access Documents	Calculates the percentage of # of All Open Access Documents / # of Web of Science Documents
% DOAJ Gold Documents	Calculates the percentage of # of DOAJ Gold Documents / # of Web of Science Documents
% Other Gold Documents	Calculates the percentage of # of Other Gold Documents / # of Web of Science Documents
% Green Published Documents	Calculates the percentage of # of Green Accepted Documents / # of Web of Science Documents
% Green Accepted Documents	Calculates the percentage of # of Green Accepted Documents / # of Web of Science Documents
% Bronze Documents	Calculates the percentage of # of Bronze Documents / # of Web of Science Document

▼ Reputation		
▲ Open Access		
% All Open Access Documents	Percentage of publications that are identified as Open Access of any type	Add
% Bronze Documents	Percentage of publications that are identified as Bronze Open Access type	Add
% DOAJ Gold Documents	Percentage of publications that are identified as DOAJ Gold Open Access type	Add
% Green Accepted Documents	Percentage of publications that are identified as Green Accepted Open Access type	Add
% Green Published Documents	Percentage of publications that are identified as Green Published Open Access type	Add

The existing Open Access checkbox in all contexts will filter on **All Open Access Documents** indicators.

The OA status of a document can be one of the above indicators. To learn more, please follow [this](#) link.

The following Open Access features are targeted for the next release:

- Ability to filter on each individual Open Access Indicators
- Ability to review the underlying documents for each Open Access Indicators
- Ability to visualize the Open Access Indicators data in existing visualizations