

Getting to grips with Open Access Publishing

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OPEN  ACCESS

Why Publish OA?







How Do I Publish OA?

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**Book, Journal article,
Book chapter,
Conference
proceeding, report,
thesis...**

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website**

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or

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£1,811

THE COST OF PUBLISHING

JOURNAL PRICES VARY WITH INFLUENCE AND BUSINESS MODEL.

Price of prestige

Open-access prices correlate weakly with the average influence of a journal's articles.

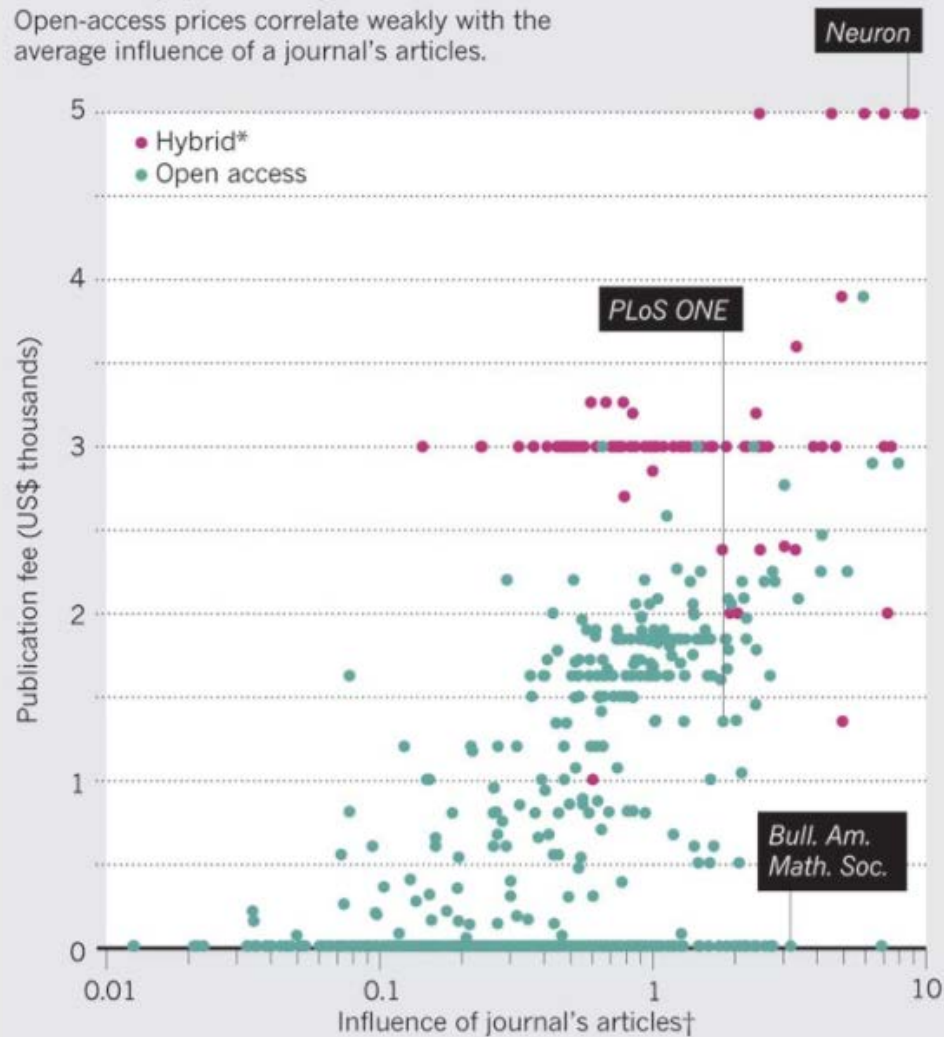
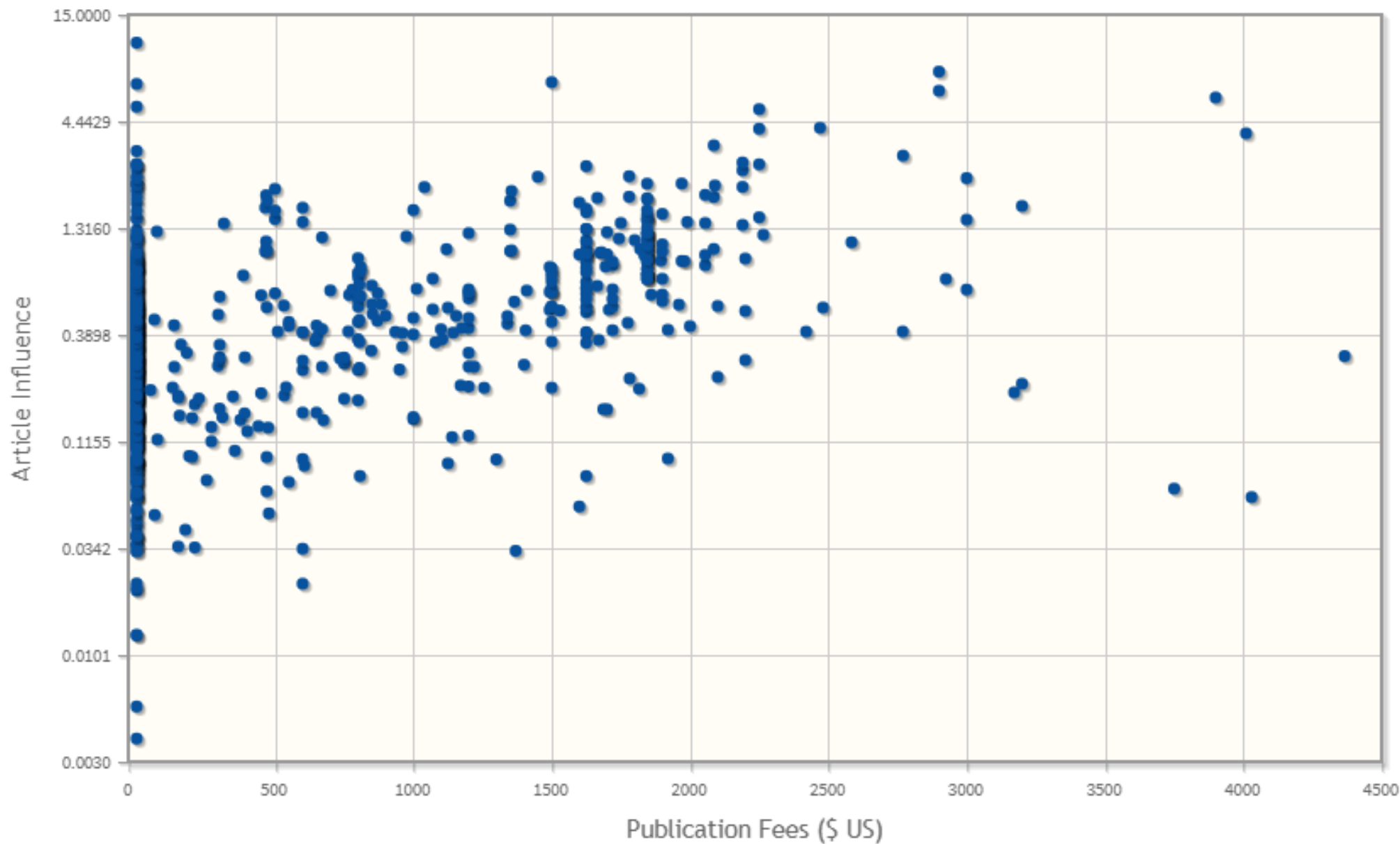


Chart omits open-access journals yet to receive an Article Influence® score.

*Subscription journals that give option of open-access publishing. †Relative score, in which 1 = global average.

The Article Influence score measures the relative importance of a journal, based on the average influence of an article in that journal over 5 years after publication, and normalized so that the global mean influence is 1. Like the impact factor, Article Influence is based on citation counts, but gives heavier weight to citations from papers in journals that are themselves highly cited. See www.eigenfactor.org/openaccess for more.



* This plot reveals the prestige (Article Influence score) and publication fees for open access journals (*more details*).

<http://www.eigenfactor.org/openaccess/oa.php>

70%

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**PREDATORY
OPEN ACCESS
PUBLISHERS**

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BOOKS

“It is very clear that extending open access to books is not easy. From licensing and copyright to business models and quality, the issues that must be tackled are thorny and numerous.”

GREEN

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paper is
deposited in a
repository**

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Proof

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**The Green Open
Access version is not
the same as the
published version**

When?



Submitted version
Author's original
Pre-print

Submit to
publisher

Peer review

Edit



Accepted version
Post-print
AAM

Accepted by
publisher

Copy-editing
and typesetting



Published version
Version of record

Publication



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EMBARGO

Open Access Mandates

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Any embargo periods should be no longer than 12 months (Panels A & B) or 24 months (Panels C & D).



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Green, embargo periods: 12 months AHRC & ESRC, 6 months all other Research Councils. (Where no funding is available longer embargo periods are allowed.)



**European
Commission**

FP7 Projects

Green, embargo periods: 6 months (Energy, Environment, Health, Information and Communication Technologies, Research Infrastructures), or 12 months (Science in Society, Socio-economic Sciences and Humanities).

Gold, fees can be charged to project grants.

Pilot Gold for closed projects.

Horizon 2020

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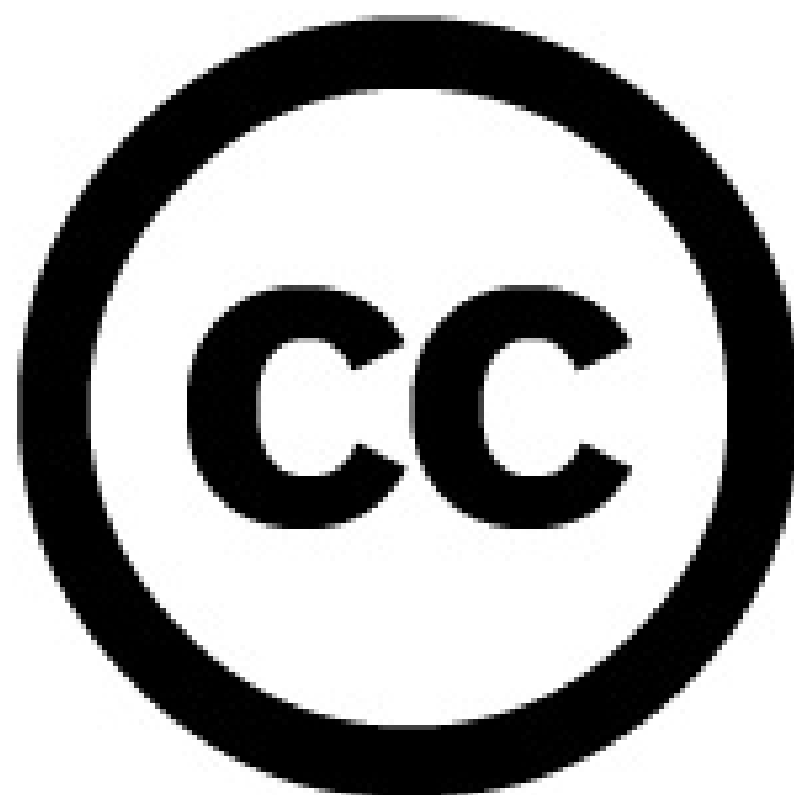
Embargo periods: 6 months, 12 months (social sciences and humanities).

Gold, fees can be reimbursed during the course of the action.

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Access?**

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