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Summary Report of Journal Operations, 2021

Journal	Manuscripts: No. received	No. accepted	No. pending[a]	Rejection rate[b]	Rejection rate (including out of scope submissions)[c]	Printed pages: Items published[d]	Total pages published	Average lag in months[e]: Online first	Print	Print subscriptions: Member–nonmember	Institutional
American Psychologist[f]	247	59	26	74%	79%	139	1,288	1.9	6.6	77,716	131
Behavioral Neuroscience	170	56	36	57%	66%	74	801	2.0	5.5	43	26
Developmental Psychology	634	191	220	69%	70%	110	2,280	1.2	3.6	60	175
Emotion	596	128	237	75%	78%	145	1,800	2.4	9.8	49	12
Experimental and Clinical Psychopharmacology	150	90	32	38%	43%	71	749	1.7	8.6	32	6
History of Psychology	50	24	46	40%	44%	31	395	2.3	5.1	229	15
Journal of Abnormal Psychology	454	71	92	83%	85%	77	929	2.2	4.1	82	110
Journal of Applied Psychology	1,480	123	268	89%	92%	116	1,953	1.3	6.6	154	164
Journal of Comparative Psychology	60	33	24	31%	44%	57	577	2.5	5.1	26	32
Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology	420	84	99	75%	79%	85	1,032	1.6	2.4	134	105
Journal of Counseling Psychology	355	56	42	84%	84%	59	744	1.9	6.9	141	144
Journal of Educational Psychology	731	86	102	86%	88%	94	1,705	2.0	8.7	94	228
Journal of Experimental Psychology: Animal Learning and Cognition	60	33	42	38%	42%	40	482	3.1	4.2	15	47
Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied	248	71	94	73%	74%	54	800	2.3	6.2	42	21
Journal of Experimental Psychology: General	779	158	300	79%	79%	157	2,675	2.2	7.5	7	80
Journal of Experimental Psychology: Human Perception and Performance	369	89	148	69%	72%	109	1,723	1.8	3.5	4	81
Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory, and Cognition	492	121	242	72%	75%	113	2,006	2.3	7.6	13	92
Journal of Family Psychology	557	120	110	73%	77%	118	1,203	1.6	6.6	57	37
Journal of Personality and Social Psychology	952	94	233	89%	89%	139	3,050	1.9	8.2	81	193
Neuropsychology	209	63	69	63%	66%	71	903	2.0	3.8	307	34
Professional Psychology: Research and Practice	156	65	60	57%	62%	71	651	2.6	5.5	457	23
Psychological Assessment	600	108	79	78%	82%	113	1,273	1.7	3.9	195	41
Psychological Bulletin	386	30	57	88%	92%	42	1,231	1.9	4.3	70	159
Psychological Methods	348	99	108	65%	73%	43	773	2.1	8.8	285	38
Psychological Review	390	82	100	67%	78%	50	1,204	2.5	5.4	56	178
Psychology and Aging	334	81	59	74%	77%	78	989	1.7	3.8	66	48
Psychology of Addictive Behaviors	343	95	37	73%	74%	89	985	2.0	6.2	785	15
Psychology, Public Policy, and Law	187	40	46	77%	77%	41	595	1.9	5.1	234	24
Rehabilitation Psychology	163	54	30	62%	66%	60	629	2.2	5.0	1,013	18
Total or average	11,920	2,404	3,038	69%	73%	2,446	35,425	2.0	5.8	82,447	2,277

Note. This summary is compiled from the 2021 annual reports of the Council of Editors and from Central Office records. Corresponding figures for 2020 can be found in the July–August 2021 issue of *American Psychologist.* Numbers are rounded off to the nearest whole number.

[a] Includes manuscripts for which final editorial decisions had not been made as of the first week of January 2022. By the date of this report, decisions will have been reached on most of these manuscripts. [b] The rejection rate indicates the percentage of submitted manuscripts not accepted for publication in a journal. For example, a rejection rate of 76% means that manuscripts submitted to a journal have a 24% chance of acceptance. The average rejection rate for all journals is calculated by dividing the number of rejected manuscripts by the total number of decisions made in the year. Manuscripts rejected due to being out of the journal's scope are not included in the "rejected" count for this calculation. [c] Submissions that are deemed by the editor as out of the journal's scope are not factored into rejection rates. This is to provide a more accurate indication to authors of the likelihood of their manuscript being accepted by the journal given the submission fit scope criteria. [d] Includes articles, brief reports, case reports, discussions, monographs, and brief substantive items. [e] "Average lag in months" is calculated using the acceptance and publication dates for all manuscripts published in 2021. As available, this lag is reported for manuscripts published first online then in print. [f] Excludes award addresses, award biographies, comments, editorials, obituaries, and correction notices.

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Summary Report of Division Journal Operations, 2021

Journal and division	Manuscripts				Printed pages				Print subscriptions	
							Average lag in months			
	No. received	No. accepted	No. pending[a]	Rejection rate	Items published	Total pages published	Online first[c]	Print	Member–nonmember	Institutional
Review of General Psychology (1)	157	22	15	86%	28	446	1.3	5.7	NR	NR
Teaching of Psychology (2)	262	91	38	64%	44	357	1.8	12.2	NR	NR
Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin (8)	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Personality and Social Psychology Review (8)	181	13	15	93%	13	366	5	NR	NR	NR
Journal of Social Issues (9)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	NR	NR	N/A	N/A	NR	NR
Analyses of Social Issues and Public Policy (9)	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Psychology of Aesthetics, Creativity and the Arts (10)[b]	248	79	105	63%	63	755	1.7	14.4	343	10
Clinical Psychology: Science and Practice (12)	151	62	24	39%	54	400	3.9	5.4	2,378	19
Consulting Psychology Journal: Practice and Research (13)[b]	82	25	35	56%	20	379	2.4	4.8	936	5
Industrial and Organizational Psychology (14)	202	72	56	51%	116	619	N/A	2.0	NR	NR
Educational Psychologist (15)	159	21	28	70%	22	332	1.3	3.0	NR	NR
School Psychology (16)	317	73	73	75%	54	559	1.4	2.7	1,381	15
The Counseling Psychologist (17)	170	31	10	81%	46	1,173	9.9	11.3	NR	NR
Journal of Prevention and Health Promotion (17)	173	18	79	67%	11	375	1.5	3.0	NR	NR
Psychological Services (18)	210	96	129	56%	73	703	1.4	14.7	894	4
Military Psychology (19)	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Journal of Consumer Psychology (23)	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Journal of Theoretical and Philosophical Psychology (24)	95	18	31	76%	22	258	1.2	6.8	362	3
American Journal of Community Psychology (27)	289	72	11	76%	73	1,006	1.5	6.3	NR	NR
Psychotherapy (29)	257	64	48	74%	52	590	2.0	6.1	1,018	42
The Humanistic Psychologist (32)	88	42	27	51%	48	640	2.2	10.2	659	13
Psychology of Women Quarterly (35)	410	51	30	92%	51	547	1.3	4.6	NR	NR
Psychology of Religion and Spirituality (36)[b]	292	47	63	79%	50	501	1.3	17.5	704	6
Health Psychology (38)	841	93	124	87%	101	1,013	3.1	4.7	2,756	36
Psychoanalytic Psychology (39)	136	57	34	35%	61	358	2.7	5.6	2,086	14
Law and Human Behavior (41)[b]	255	43	26	77%	38	563	N/A	2.8	2,238	36
Practice Innovations (42)	46	21	14	36%	24	286	2.4	5.0	1,501	2
Couple and Family Psychology: Research and Practice (43)	84	53	36	53%	25	322	2.0	4.7	484	1
Psychology of Sexual Orientation and Gender Diversity (44)	240	83	94	62%	52	504	1.6	6.3	958	4
Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology (45)	398	78	97	79%	72	800	2.5	7.1	1,649	17
Sport, Exercise, and Performance Psychology (47)	264	28	29	86%	37	587	1.8	6.3	898	5
Peace and Conflict: The Journal of Peace Psychology (48)	139	36	60	38%	85	697	1.7	7.2	346	13
Group Dynamics: Theory, Research, and Practice (49)[b]	74	27	17	64%	24	348	1.7	5.3	256	9
Psychology of Men and Masculinity (51)	188	51	24	72%	74	845	1.7	5.5	340	7
International Perspectives in Psychology: Research, Practice, Consultation (52)	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
Evidence-Based Practice in Child and Adolescent Mental Health (53)	107	62	27	36%	37	515	3.1	4.4	NR	NR
Journal of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology (53)	456	60	50	87%	70	978	1.9	16.0	NR	NR
Clinical Practice in Pediatric Psychology (54)	73	44	25	46%	40	423	1.9	6.2	2,395	2
Journal of Pediatric Psychology (54)	321	131	10	61%	128	1,286	1.6	N/A	NR	NR
Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy (56)	467	204	188	53%	109	937	2.0	6.1	1,425	35
Total or average	7,832	1,968	1,672	65%	1,817	20,468	2.3	7.0	1,182	14

Note. This summary is compiled from the 2021 annual reports of the division journal editors. NR = not reported; N/A = data not applicable to journal.
[a] Includes manuscripts for which final editorial decisions had not been made as of December 31, 2021. By the date of this report, decisions will have been reached on most of these manuscripts. [b] Data for the editors and incoming editors were combined in order to reflect activity for the journals as a whole. [c] Online first data reflect only manuscripts for which data were available.

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