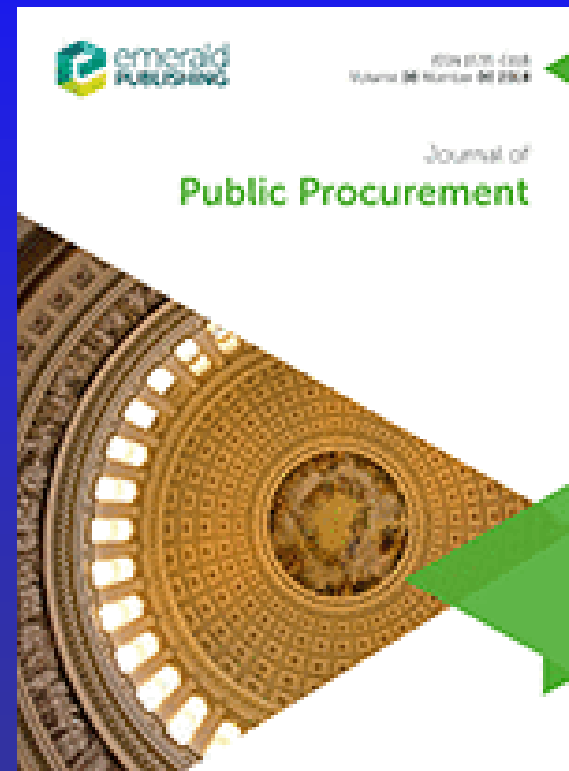


MANAGING A JOURNAL

AN EXPERIENCE BETWEEN JPMS AND JOPP



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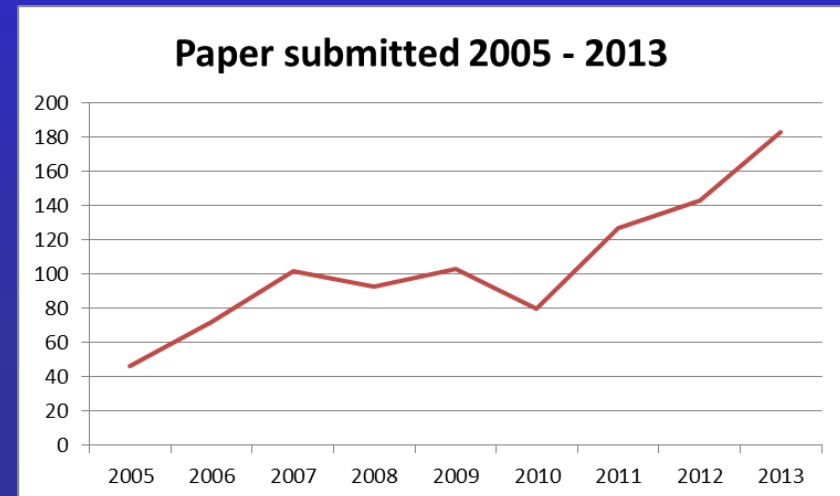
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2. The journal
3. Managing Editor Role
4. Editor In-Chief Role
5. Associate Editors
6. Special Issue Editors
7. Reviewers
8. Publisher
 - Online Platform
 - Managing Relations with Publisher
9. Q&A

MY EXPERIENCE

- Dr. Francesco Mascali
- Assistant Editor for the Journal of Purchasing and Supply Management published by Elsevier, from January 2009 till January 2016
- Managing Editor for the Journal of Public Procurement published by Springer from April 2018

MANAGING A JOURNAL

- Challenging aims
- More papers submitted
- More quality
- More citations
- Publishing an established number of papers per issue and per year
- Acceptance rate can decrease in order to increase quality level.
- three years from (28%) to (12%)
- Guarantee strict times for acceptance



MANAGING EDITOR ROLE

- EVERYTHING HAS TO BE FINE
- Authors can have issues with the online platform
- Reviewers can have have issues with the online platform
- Associate Editors can have issues with the online platform
- Even the Editor-in Chief....
- Doublechecking any submitted paper
- Doublechecking timeline schedule
- Keeping in contact with publisher, EinC and AEs

EDITOR IN CHIEF ROLE

- EVERYTHING HAS TO BE FINE
- TAKE DECISIONS
- Managing relations with Associate Editors
- Join Conferences
- Write Editorials
- Contract with the Publisher
- Check and avoid delays.

ASSOCIATE EDITOR ROLE

- Managing relations with Reviewers
- Managing relations with Authors
- Internationalisation?
- Suggest new reviewers
- Taking decisions

SPECIAL ISSUES EDITOR

- Promote the special issue
- Collect the papers
- Write an Editorial
- Select papers
- Guarantee strict times and no delays

REVIEWERS

- SPEED
- Accept or not the charge
- Review the paper ASAP
- Review the paper again?
- Be fair

PUBLISHER ROLE

- Provide funds
- Provide support
- Provide online platform

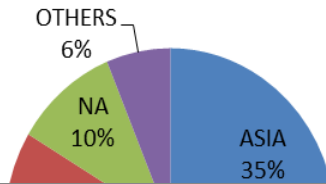
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Nr Submissions	103	81	127	142
Editorial rejects	41% / 41% / 41% / 41%	22% / 22% / 22%	22% / 22%	43%
Reviewer rejects	17% / 20% / 20% / 21%	30% / 36% / 38%	25% / 39%	28%
Withdrawn	4% / 7% / 8% / 9%	1% / 5% / 12%	0% / 6%	0%
Accepted	9% / 20% / 23% / 23%	4% / 15% / 17%	4% / 17%	6%
Final decisions	70% / 88% / 92% / 94%	57% / 78% / 90%	51% / 84%	77%
Under review	14% / 3% / 0% / 0%	17% / 1% / 1%	20% / 5%	8%
Out for revision	17% / 9% / 8% / 7%	26% / 20% / 7%	29% / 11%	15%
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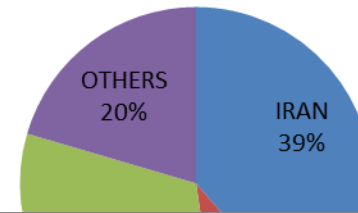
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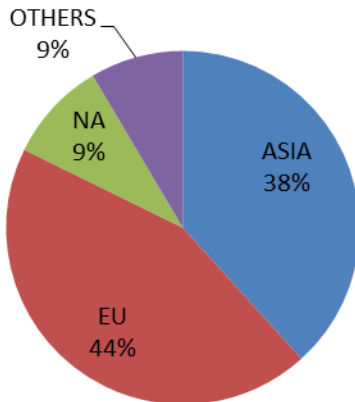
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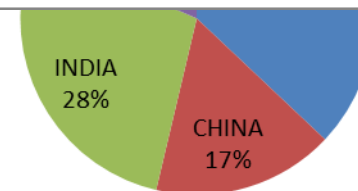
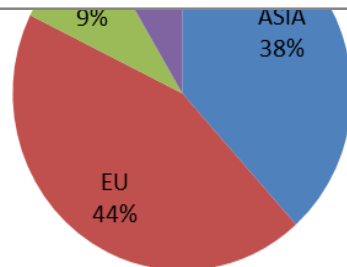
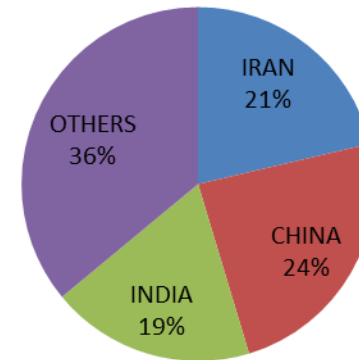
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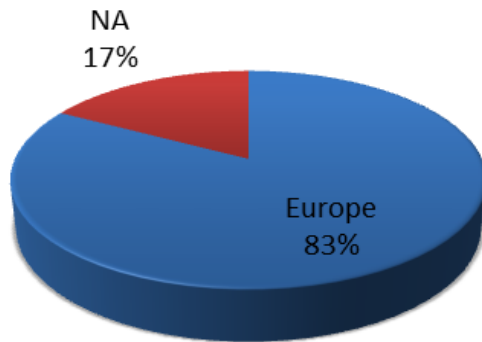


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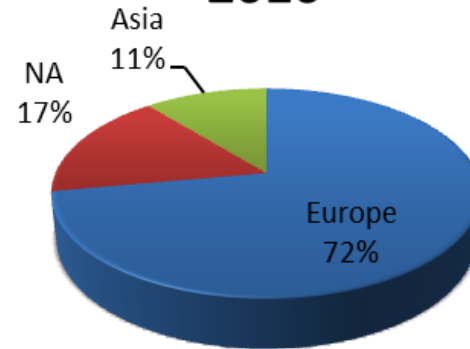


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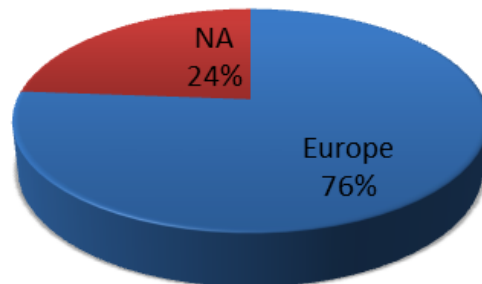
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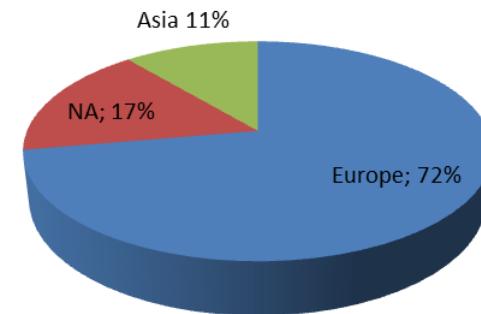
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JOURNAL TURNAROUND TIMES

	1	2
Average Days Submission to Editor Assignment	2	1.8
Average Days Submission to Reviewer Invitation	24.4	26.7
Total Reviewers Invited	274	373
Reviewers who Completed Reviews	198	218
Declined to Review	44	114
Days to Respond to Invitation	7.5	7.1
Number of Reviews per Reviewer	1.6	1.6
Number of Late Reviews	107	103
Average Days Late	15.1	16.7
Number of Early Reviews	104	98
Average Days Early	10	14.2
Days to Complete Review (from Date Invited)	39.9	39.3
Days to Complete Review (from Date Agreed to Review)	32.4	31.9
Average Days Submission to First Decision	67.2	55.5
Average Turnaround Time for Author 1st	102.9	120.6
Average Turnaround Time for Author 2 nd	44.9	47.4
Average Turnaround Time for Author 3 rd	46.4	24.3
Average Turnaround Time for Author 4 th	26.1	9
Average Turnaround Time for Author 5 th	1	

RATINGS AND RANKINGS

- ISI Score
- Scopus
- ABS
- Countries' ranking

Q&A

- Your Questions