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Nature Reviews Cancer

Journal Citation Reports (JCR) ranked 2/230 in Oncology

Aims and scope:
Nature Reviews Cancer publishes a dynamic and accessible mix of Reviews, Perspectives, Progress and Highlight articles on the most important primary research papers. All Reviews and Perspectives are carefully commissioned, written by leaders in the field and subject to rigorous peer-review – so that readers receive independent, high-quality and authoritative articles in each issue. The journal's broad scope captures the essence of modern multidisciplinary cancer research – integrating cancer biology with new approaches to treatment, diagnosis and prevention. Non-specialists will benefit from the glossary and highlighted references, busy scientists will appreciate the ‘At-a-glance’ summaries, and experts will value the insight provided by top names in their field.

Nature Reviews Cancer is the premier teaching and reference resource in cancer and has become the ‘must read’ review journal of cancer researchers worldwide.

Readership:
Researchers in cancer and cancer-related disciplines, as well as students and those who teach cancer-related subjects.

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Nature Reviews Cardiology

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JCR ranked 4/136 in Cardiac & Cardiovascular Systems.

Aims and scope:

*Nature Reviews Cardiology* is a peer-reviewed journal for cardiologists and affiliated health-care professionals. The journal delivers timely interpretations of key scientific developments in cardiology and related areas of study. *Nature Reviews Cardiology* is published monthly in print and online, and includes commissioned news, commentary and opinion pieces, and comprehensive reviews. Articles are subject to rigorous peer-review and/or review by in-house editors. Topics covered include acute coronary syndromes, arrhythmias, angina, cardiomyopathy, concomitant disease, congenital conditions, coronary artery disease, heart failure, hypertension, imaging and other investigations, infection, interventional cardiology, pathology, stroke, surgery, thrombosis, transplantation, valvular disease and vascular disease, as well as general therapies, disease markers, genetics and public health.

Readership:

Academics, clinicians, researchers (students, post-doctoral researchers and senior scientists) and other health-care professionals interested in cardiology and its related disciplines (e.g. endocrinology, pathology, nephrology etc.), as well as commercial and government organizations involved in drug development and clinical trials.

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Stephen Davey, PhD (Chief Editor)

**Nature Reviews Chemistry**

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JCR ranked 4/172 in Chemistry

**Aims and scope:**

*Nature Reviews Chemistry* aims to cover both the traditional core subjects of the field — organic, inorganic, physical and analytical chemistry — while also providing insight to non-specialists where chemistry is a significant component of interdisciplinary research. These topics may include but are not limited to: chemical biology, chemical physics, materials science and nanotechnology. The journal also aims to bring to the attention of its readers topics beyond academic research with particular focus on chemistry education and research outside the academic environment.

**Readership:**

The journal will be an invaluable resource for chemists, as well as biologists, physicists, engineers and other scientists carrying out interdisciplinary research with a significant chemistry component in academia, government or industry.

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Diana Romero, PhD (Chief Editor)

**Nature Reviews Clinical Oncology**

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**JCR ranked 4/230 in Oncology**

**Aims and scope:**

*Nature Reviews Clinical Oncology* is a peer-reviewed journal for oncologists and affiliated health-care professionals. The journal delivers timely interpretations of key scientific developments in oncology and related areas of study. *Nature Reviews Clinical Oncology* is published monthly in print and online, and includes news, commentary and opinion pieces, and comprehensive reviews. Articles are subject to rigorous peer-review and/or review by in-house editors. Topics covered include epidemiology, screening, diagnosis, pathology, prevention, chemotherapy, radiotherapy, surgical oncology, medical oncology, targeted therapies, hormonal therapies, hematology, immunotherapy, imaging, palliative care, pediatric oncology, genetics and pharmacology.

**Readership:**

Academics, clinicians, researchers (students, post-doctoral researchers and senior scientists) and other health-care professionals in cancer medicine, including hematologists, radiotherapists and general surgeons, as well as commercial and government organizations involved in drug development and clinical trials.

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Mina Razzak, PhD (Chief Editor)

Nature Reviews Disease Primers

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JCR ranked 4/160 in Medicine, General & Internal

Aims and scope:

Nature Reviews Disease Primers publishes introductory review articles, called Primers, that each cover one disease or disorder. Each Primer will cover the epidemiology, disease mechanisms, diagnosis and treatment (current and future) of the disease. Like all the other Nature Reviews journals, this commissioned journal contains high-quality artwork with text provided by internationally recognised researchers. The journal aims to cover all the major diseases within five years of launch and will become an invaluable resource for researchers and educators alike.

Readership:

PhD students, post-doctoral researchers, clinical researchers and medical students, as well as other biomedical researchers entering a new field or medical specialty.

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Nature Reviews Drug Discovery

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No.1 journal in Pharmacology & Pharmacy and Biotechnology & Applied Microbiology

Aims and scope:

Nature Reviews Drug Discovery integrates academia and industry, providing broad, expert coverage of the whole drug discovery and development arena – from disease mechanisms, novel therapeutic approaches and chemistry to clinical trials and regulatory affairs. All reviews are carefully commissioned, written by leaders in the field and subject to rigorous peer-review so that readers receive independent, high-quality and authoritative articles in each issue. Reviews are complemented by news stories that investigate the key issues in drug discovery, timely summaries of significant published papers, market analysis, and updates on the latest advances in fast-moving areas such as new technologies, drug approvals and patent law. Information is presented at several levels that can be tailored to users’ individual needs. Non-specialists will benefit from the glossary and highlighted references, and experts will appreciate the insight provided by top names in their field. Nature Reviews Drug Discovery is a major teaching and reference resource from NPG.

Readership:

People with an interest in the science and business of drug discovery and development, including: biologists, chemists, pharmacologists, toxicologists, informaticians, clinicians, regulatory affairs professionals and pharmaceutical analysts.

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Aims and scope:
We are interested in the latest advances in, and timely syntheses of, research spanning all aspects of Earth and environmental science, incorporating disciplines that fall within, and are related to, the following themes: weather and climate, surface processes, and solid Earth. The reciprocal relationship between the environment and society will also be featured within the journal. Our broad scope and accessible format ensures that work published in our journal reaches the widest possible audience.

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Nature Reviews Endocrinology

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No. 1 journal in Endocrinology & Metabolism

Aims and scope:
Nature Reviews Endocrinology is a peer-reviewed journal for endocrinologists and affiliated health-care professionals. The journal delivers timely interpretations of key developments in endocrinology and related areas of study. Nature Reviews Endocrinology is published monthly in print and online, and includes commissioned news, commentary and opinion pieces and comprehensive narrative reviews. Articles are subject to rigorous peer-review and/or review by in-house editors. Topics covered include prevention, diagnosis and treatment of disorders of the endocrine system and related metabolic and nutritional disorders, including diabetes and the metabolic syndrome, male and female reproductive endocrinology, thyroid, parathyroid, pituitary and adrenal disease, neuroendocrinology, bone and mineral metabolism and other areas of clinical endocrinology.

Readership:
Academics, clinicians, researchers (students, post-doctoral researchers and senior scientists) and other health-care professionals interested in the endocrine system and related metabolic and nutritional disorders, as well as commercial and government organizations involved in drug development and clinical trials.

Online archive:
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Aims and scope: Nature Reviews Gastroenterology & Hepatology is a peer-reviewed journal for gastroenterologists, hepatologists and affiliated health-care professionals. The journal delivers timely interpretations of key developments in gastroenterology, hepatology and related areas of study. Nature Reviews Gastroenterology & Hepatology is published monthly in print and online and includes commissioned news, commentary and opinion pieces and comprehensive reviews. Articles are subject to rigorous peer-review and/or review by in-house editors. Topics covered include the pathology, diagnosis and treatment of diseases of the gastrointestinal tract, liver, pancreas, gall bladder and biliary tract, such as functional gastrointestinal disorders, inflammatory diseases, cancer, infection and nutritional disorders.

Readership: Academics, clinicians, researchers (students, post-doctoral researchers and senior scientists) and other health-care professionals interested in adult and pediatric gastrointestinal disorders and liver disease, including surgeons, radiologists and specialists in general internal medicine, as well as commercial and government organizations involved in drug development and clinical trials.

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Linda Koch, PhD (Chief Editor)

Nature Reviews Genetics

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No.1 journal in Genetics & Heredity

Aims and scope:

*Nature Reviews Genetics* is an invaluable source of information in genetics and genomics. The journal’s scope covers the whole breadth of these and related fields, bringing readers cutting-edge Reviews on topics that range from molecular genetics to evolution to systems biology. By publishing Reviews, Progress, Comment, Analysis and Perspective articles, among which are Viewpoints from opinion-leaders, *Nature Reviews Genetics* provides a balanced and unique perspective of this exciting field which goes well beyond the conventional review, and appeals to students and established scientists alike. All articles are written by carefully chosen leaders in their field and subject to rigorous peer-review, resulting in each issue providing balanced, high-quality and authoritative articles. While experts appreciate the insights and thought-provoking syntheses provided by the high-calibre authors, non-specialists are helped by the glossary definitions, additional background information in the boxes and highlighted references.

Readership:

Researchers and decision makers (from academia and industry) who use genetics and genomic approaches in their research or have an interest in these and related disciplines, students and educators, physicians, policy makers and bioethicists.

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Alexandra Flemming (Chief Editor)

**Nature Reviews Immunology**

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No.1 journal in Immunology

**Aims and scope:**

Immunology is a diverse and growing discipline that can be defined as the study of the tissues, cells and molecules involved in host defence mechanisms, how the body defends itself against disease, and what happens when it all goes wrong. *Nature Reviews Immunology* provides in-depth coverage of this field, from fundamental mechanisms to translational aspects of basic research, and reviews the field’s most important developments. All Review and Perspective articles are carefully commissioned by the editors and written by leaders in the field. Articles are subject to rigorous peer review and provide high-quality and authoritative coverage of the field in each issue. Articles are carefully tailored by the editors to provide accessible information for non-specialists, and this is additionally enhanced with the use of Glossary terms and highlighted references. Each issue also contains Research Highlight articles – short pieces written by the editors that summarize the results from recent hot research papers.

**Readership:**

Researchers (students, postdocs and senior scientists) and clinicians with research interests in cellular and molecular immunology, innate and adaptive immunity, infection and immunity, immune-based diseases, tumour immunology, transplantation immunology, vaccines and immunotherapy.

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Nature Reviews Materials

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No. 1 journal in Nanoscience & Nanotechnology and Materials Science, Multidisciplinary

Aims and scope:

Nature Reviews Materials is an international monthly multi-disciplinary review journal, which aims to provide timely, authoritative Reviews and Perspectives that are of broad interest and of exceptional quality. Materials science is a diverse and fast-growing discipline, which has moved from a largely engineering focus to a position where it has an increasing impact on other classical disciplines such as physics, chemistry and biology. Materials science encompasses both fundamental and applied studies. No other journal in materials science offers the scientific breadth and vast number of Reviews that Nature Reviews Materials provides.

Readership:

All physicists, chemists, engineers, materials researchers and scientists in academia, industry and government research institutes who are active in the process of discovering and developing materials and materials-related concepts.

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Dominque Morneau, PhD (Chief Editor)

**Nature Reviews Methods primers**
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**Aims and scope:**
Primers are broad articles that provide readers of different communities with an accessible overview of a method. *Nature Reviews Methods Primers* is a new addition to our Review journals portfolio, publishing one Primer per week. Each Primer averages 20 pages in length and is accompanied by a PrimeView graphical overview of the method or technique. Each Primer outlines best practices for experimentation & data analysis, their applications, and promoting reproducibility. The aim is to provide researchers with everything they need to know to evaluate, select, and apply unfamiliar scientific and engineering methods to advance research across the life and physical sciences.

**Readership:**
Primers are aimed at new (undergraduate and graduate students) or established (academic and industry) researchers wanting to use new techniques and methods and broaden their range of competencies. There are no high profile methods-related publication series that mirror the Primers concept, and the journal will aim to be the ‘go to’ publication for researchers wanting to find and confidently use unfamiliar methods.

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Ursula Hofer, MD PhD (Chief Editor)

**Nature Reviews Microbiology**

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No.1 journal in Microbiology

**Aims and scope:**

*Nature Reviews Microbiology* takes a uniquely integrated approach to microbiology, bridging fundamental research on bacteria, archaea, viruses, fungi and protozoan parasites with its clinical, industrial and environmental applications. All Reviews, Perspectives and Progress articles are commissioned from leaders in the field and undergo rigorous peer review, which results in authoritative, timely articles. Articles are carefully edited and the figures redrawn by professional art editors, creating highly readable, visually attractive articles that are accessible to specialists and non-specialists alike. In addition, each issue contains Research Highlights, providing critical summaries of significant recent research papers as well as a monthly update on the latest advances in microbial genomics – in collaboration with the Wellcome Trust Sanger Institute.

**Readership:**

*Nature Reviews Microbiology* is the premier information and teaching resource for all scientists (from both academia and industry) and students with interests in microbiology and infectious diseases. The editors work hand-in-hand with authors and referees to develop articles that are accessible and timely and that appeal to readers at all levels.

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Kim Baumann, PhD (Chief Editor)

**Nature Reviews Molecular Cell Biology**
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No.1 journal in Cell Biology

**Aims and scope:**
*Nature Reviews Molecular Cell Biology* is the leading monthly review journal in the field of molecular and cell biology. With its extraordinary breadth and depth of coverage, the journal provides a unique resource of information, opinion and commentary for cutting-edge molecular and cell biology research. All Reviews, Perspectives and Progress articles are carefully commissioned, written by leaders in the field, and subject to rigorous peer review — which results in timely and authoritative articles. In addition, articles are edited and the diagrams redrawn by professional art editors, which makes for highly readable, visually attractive articles that are accessible to specialists and non-specialists alike. Each issue contains Research Highlights — short pieces that provide critical summaries of significant recent research papers. Non-specialist readers will also benefit from the glossary and highlighted references in reviews.

**Readership:**
Researchers of all levels — from laboratory heads to students — and those who teach molecular and cell biology, biochemistry and structural biology.

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Readership:

Academics, clinicians, researchers (students, post-doctoral researchers and senior scientists) and other health-care professionals interested in adult and pediatric disorders of the kidney, including specialists in general internal medicine, as well as commercial and government organizations involved in drug development and clinical trials.

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Heather Wood, PhD (Chief Editor)

Nature Reviews Neurology

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2/199 in Clinical Neurology

Aims and scope:
Nature Reviews Neurology is a peer-reviewed journal for neurologists and affiliated health care professionals. The journal delivers timely interpretations of key scientific developments in neurology and related areas of study. Nature Reviews Neurology is published monthly in print and online and includes commissioned news, commentary and opinion pieces and comprehensive reviews. Articles are subject to rigorous peer-review and/or review by in-house editors. Topics covered include pathogenesis, prevention, diagnosis and treatment of disease or impaired function of the central and peripheral nervous systems, including neurodevelopmental, neurodegenerative and neuropsychiatric disorders.

Readership:
Academics, clinicians, researchers (students, post-doctoral researchers and senior scientists) and other health care professionals interested in neurodevelopmental, neurodegenerative and neuropsychiatric disorders, as well as commercial and government organizations involved in drug development and clinical trials.

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Darran Yates, PhD (Chief Editor)

Nature Reviews Neuroscience
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No.1 journal in Neurosciences

Aims and scope:
Nature Reviews Neuroscience is the leading review journal in the neurosciences. It publishes articles that review recent progress in brain and nervous system research. Topics range from molecular and cellular aspects of neuronal development and function to behavior, cognition and disorders of the nervous system. By commissioning the best authors to write on the timeliest issues, and following a rigorous peer-review process, the journal provides an unparalleled source of information and opinion for neuroscientists in academia, clinical research and industry. One of the unique features of Nature Reviews Neuroscience is its extraordinary breadth and depth of coverage. This very broad scope – from molecules to mind – captures the essence of modern neuroscience, and allows the journal to attract readers from all areas of this ever-expanding discipline. As well as Reviews, the journal publishes a range of expert opinion and commentary – making it the complete resource for neuroscientists at every level.

Readership:
Nature Reviews Neuroscience is targeted towards researchers working across all areas of neuroscience, as well as students and those who teach neurobiology. The editors work hand-in-hand with the authors and the referees to develop articles that are accessible and timely and that appeal to readers at all levels.

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Nature Reviews Physics

Iulia Georgescu, PhD (Chief Editor)

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Aims and scope:
Nature Reviews Physics is an online-only journal publishing technical articles summarizing difficult to find information that would otherwise be scattered across different sources, concise and accessible forward-looking reviews overviewing the latest developments in emerging areas and roadmaps outlining the challenges and short-term and long-term goals for a field. The title will provide a high-quality and trusted source of information, and aims to stimulate and facilitate collaboration across different subfields of physics.

Readership:
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Sarah Onuora (Chief Editor)

**Nature Reviews Rheumatology**

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No. 1 monthly reviews journal in Rheumatology

**Aims and scope:**

*Nature Reviews Rheumatology* is a peer-reviewed journal for rheumatologists and affiliated health-care professionals. The journal delivers timely interpretations of key scientific developments in rheumatology and related areas of study. *Nature Reviews Rheumatology* is published monthly in print and online and includes news, commissioned commentary and opinion pieces, and comprehensive reviews. Articles are subject to rigorous peer-review and/or review by in-house editors. Topics covered include prevention, diagnosis and treatment of conditions of the joints, muscle, bones, blood vessels and connective tissues, including systemic autoimmune diseases, inflammatory and degenerative joint diseases, regional musculoskeletal disorders, osteoporosis and other metabolic bone diseases, pain management, imaging, immunology, genetics, clinical trials, epidemiology and clinical outcomes.

**Readership:**

Academics, clinicians, researchers (students, post-doctoral researchers and senior scientists) and other health-care professionals interested in disorders of the musculoskeletal system, including physical and occupational therapists and specialists in general internal medicine, as well as commercial and government organizations involved in drug development and clinical trials.

**Online archive:**

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Annette Fenner, MBBS, PhD (Chief Editor)

**Nature Reviews Urology**
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5/76 in Urology & Nephrology

**Aims and scope:**
*Nature Reviews Urology* is a peer-reviewed journal for urologists and affiliated health-care professionals. The journal delivers timely interpretations of key developments in urology and related areas of medicine. *Nature Reviews Urology* is published monthly in print and online and includes commissioned news, commentary and opinion pieces, comprehensive reviews and in-depth case studies. Articles are subject to rigorous peer review and/or review by in-house editors. Topics covered include urologic oncology, sexual dysfunction, benign prostatic hyperplasia, urinary incontinence, endourology, trauma and reconstruction, male factor infertility, imaging and radiology, infection and inflammation, andrology and pathology.

**Readership:**
Academics, clinicians, researchers (students, post-doctoral researchers and senior scientists) and other health-care professionals interested in urologic conditions, including nephrologists and specialists in general internal medicine, as well as commercial and government organizations involved in drug development and clinical trials.

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Bonnie Bassler (b 1962)

Bonnie Bassler is a molecular biologist, professor at Princeton University and one of the world’s most dynamic scientific speakers. Bassler’s seminal studies on the process of cell-cell signalling have shown how bacteria can communicate with one another through chemical signals, and by doing so behave as multicellular organisms. These findings have revolutionised the study of microbiology and are already leading to the creation of new more potent therapies against drug resistant superbugs.

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