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SCIENTOMETRIC ANALYSIS OF JOURNAL OF SOCIAL WORK FROM 2001 TO 2010

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Abstract:

This is an investigation of Scientometric examination of a Journal of Social Work completed from the year 2001 to 2010. A complete number of 369 commitments distributed in 33 issues of 10 volumes from the year 2001-2010 have been counseled and chosen for this examination. Out of 369 commitments, 187 are articles and rests for example 182 are book surveys and others. The subtleties like volume savvy/issue insightful and year-wise circulation of commitments, volume-wise origin example of distributed articles, number of articles distributed foundation insightful, geological dissemination of distributed articles, volume-wise normal references per articles, volume-wise normal number of pages in each commitment has been examined in this paper. The recorded information has been investigated, classified and after that translated fittingly.

Keywords: Scientometric analysis, Authorship pattern, Distribution of Contributions in the journal of Social work, Scientometric analysis of journal of social Work, Citation analysis.

INTRODUCTION:

Scientometrics is one of the parts of Science utilized prevalently in the estimation and examination of science. It is logical control which extends its points of view in practically all logical fields. It uses to gauge logical occasions and exercises factually in distributions in the science stream that are filed in the different databases. So as to know yield of research, reference investigation in science and innovation, it is utilized to depict and gauge Universities, look into foundations, Journals, nations, explicit orders furthermore, explicit points of research. The terms like Scientometrics, Bibliometric are utilized all things considered all the while defined by Nalimov and Mulchenko and Pritchard in 1969. According to Nalimov and Mulchenko Scientometrics is the utilization of quantative techniques that are managing the investigation of science known as an data process. Pritchard characterizes the bibliometric one of the techniques for factual and scientific connected to books and other media of correspondence. The comparative term of this sort was instituted by Dr. S.R. Ranganathan likewise in 1948 as Librametry.

Literature review

Vijayakumar, M, Padmama, S, Kumar and Sampat, B T.2000, have introduced an examination to discover the example of data use by the venture analysts in the field of Library and data science. The investigation depends on the references annexed to post-graduate library and data science theses amid 1995-1999. Davarpanah, M. R, Aslekia, S. A.2008 have completed a quantitative investigation of efficiency, attributes and different parts of worldwide distribution in the field of library what's more, data science (LIS). In this investigation, they have investigated 894 commitments distributed in 56 LIS diaries from the long periods of 2000– 2004. Nattar, S. 2009 has done Scientometric Analysis of 829 articles distributed in the Indian Journal of material science amid the year 2004-2008 and has seen in it dissemination of commitments, initiation design, geological circulation of commitments and the quantity of pages utilized in every volume. Kumar, Anil [et.al].2008.

Objectives

- 1. To discover volume-wise/issue-wise appropriation of Contributions.
- 2. To look at origin example of distributed articles volume-wise.
- 3. To think about number of distributed articles foundation astute.
- 4. To examine topographical conveyance of distributed articles nation shrewd.
- 5. To decide normal references per article volume-wise.
- 6. To learn Volume-wise normal page length of absolute Contributions.
- 7. To explore organization shrewd commitment of articles.

Methodology

For this investigation, Journal of Social Work has been chosen as the source diary. A complete number of 369 commitments distributed in the 33 issues of 10 volumes from 2001-2010 have been chosen for this investigation. Out of 369 commitments, 187 are articles and rests for example 182 are book surveys and others. The subtleties like volume-wise/issue-wise and year wise circulation of commitments, creation example of commitments volume-wise, number of articles distributed establishment savvy, topographical appropriation of distributed articles, normal references in distributed articles (volume wise), volume-wise normal page length of aggregate commitments has been examined in this paper. The recorded information has been dissected, organized and after that deciphered suitably.

Conclusion

According to the examination did from the year 2001 to 2010 (ten years) there are 369 commitments produced using volume 01 to volume10 of the Journal. From the year 2008, the quantities of issues have developed from issue 3 to issue 4 which clarifies that how much this Journal has turned out to be helpful also, productive in the subject of Social Work. In the Journal, Single creators have indicated distinct fascination for making commitments from volume one to volume ten amid the year 2001 to 2010. Out of 187 articles 88.8% have been contributed just at University level. Twenty nations have made commitments in the Journal of Social Work. Out of twenty nations, the commitments of 82 articles for example 43.8% have originated from U.K alone. There are 9347 references annexed with the 187 articles distributed in the Journal. The most astounding number of references has been seen in volume ten with 1252 in number. The absolute number of pages from volume one to volume ten of the

commitments in the Journal is 3989. The normal length of pages over the commitments can said to be at 21.3% amid every one of these years. Keeping in perspective on the outcomes, the Journal has appeared development from all sides and has remained a tenable and valuable asset of sharing and dispersal of data in the individual subject field.

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