



ELSEVIER

Fast facts about Elsevier

Elsevier, a global leader in information and analytics, helps researchers and healthcare professionals advance science and improve health outcomes for the benefit of society. Growing from our roots in publishing, we have supported the work of our research and health partners for more than 140 years. Elsevier offers knowledge and valuable analytics that help our users make breakthroughs and drive societal progress. We employ 8,600 people, including 1,906 technologists around the world. [Learn more](#)

Trusted partner

~18%

Elsevier's article output accounts for ~18% of global research and ~27% of citation share, demonstrating our commitment to delivering research quality significantly ahead of the industry average.

2,650

We publish 2,650 digitized journals, including [The Lancet](#) and [Cell](#). Our 42,000+ eBook titles include iconic reference works such as [Gray's Anatomy](#).

200m+

In 2020, there were over 200 million downloads of expert, curated information for the research and health communities via Elsevier's free [Novel Coronavirus Information Center](#).

>1/4

Elsevier provides more than a quarter of the 140,000 peer-reviewed resources in [Research4Life](#): about 4,000 journals and 27,500 eBooks in 125 developing countries.

>99%

Since 2000, more than 99% of Nobel Laureates in science have published in Elsevier journals.

~25k

About 25,000 academic and government institutions around the world use our products.

Open access

~2,650

Open access is an integral part of our commitment to a collaborative, inclusive and transparent world of research where authors, researchers and academic institutions can share knowledge and build on each other's work to advance outcomes. As one of the world's largest open access publishers, Elsevier enables open access in nearly all its 2,650 journals, with 500 journals being fully open access.

81k

In 2020, Elsevier published 81,000 gold or pay-to-publish OA articles — an increase of 65% over 2019, making us one of the fastest-growing OA publishers.

15

Elsevier has established 15 [transformative journal agreements](#) with universities and research institutions around the world in the last two years as part of our commitment to enabling OA options that meet the diverse needs of our customers.

>160

We are piloting [transformative journal status](#) for more than 160 journals across our portfolio. You can see the [list of transformative journals](#) and visit the journal home pages for more information.

[Learn more about open science at Elsevier.](#)

Supporting the research community

1.3b+

More than 1.3 billion articles were downloaded by researchers in 2020. Over 18 million monthly users visit [ScienceDirect](#), the world's largest database of peer-reviewed scientific and medical research.

560k+

Elsevier published over 560,000 peer-reviewed articles in 2020 — 90% more than a decade ago.

81m+

With over 81 million records across 25,000 journals from more than 5,000 publishers, [Scopus](#) enables researchers to track, analyze and visualize the world's research output.

6.4m

In 2020, [Reaxys](#) added 1.8 million key substances in 6.4 million documents from 16,000 journal titles and 12 patent offices.

Supporting the health community

400+

More than 400 institutions are using [Sherpath](#), an adaptive teaching and learning solution for nursing.

1.9m+

Over 1.9 million registered users in more than 300 medical schools and universities worldwide are using [Complete Anatomy](#), the world's most advanced 3D anatomy education platform.

90+

[ClinicalKey](#) is accessed in more than 90 countries and territories and by over 1,900 institutions in North America alone.

900+

More than 900 institutions in North America use products from Elsevier's [Shadow Health](#), a leading provider of best-in-class healthcare simulations.