Research Metrics Flowchart

What type of metric are you looking for?

Journal

Examples:
What is the impact factor of a journal?
Which journals have the highest impact in a subject?

Find measures and rankings of journal impact in:
⇒ Journal Citation Reports
⇒ SCImago Journal Rankings
⇒ Eigenfactor
⇒ Scopus
⇒ Google Scholar Metrics

Article

Examples:
How many times has an article been cited?
What is the most cited article on a topic?

Find article citation numbers and measures of author productivity in:
⇒ Web of Science
⇒ Scopus
⇒ Google Scholar

Author

Examples:
How many times have articles by an author been cited?
What is an author’s h-index?

Find the research output, research impact, and collaborations of researchers, institutions, and countries in:
⇒ InCites
⇒ SciVal

Institution

Examples:
Which institutions have the greatest impact in a subject?
Which countries does an institution collaborate with most?

Find the research output, research impact, and collaborations of researchers, institutions, and countries in:
⇒ InCites
⇒ SciVal

Country

Examples:
What countries produce the most research in a subject?
Which country has the greatest impact in a subject?

Find measures and rankings of journal impact in:
⇒ Journal Citation Reports
⇒ SCImago Journal Rankings
⇒ Eigenfactor
⇒ Scopus
⇒ Google Scholar Metrics

Note: Library resources are bolded.