

# diabetes

## Impact Factor

The 2007 impact factor for *Diabetes* is 8.261, ranked 3rd of 92 publications in the field of endocrinology/metabolism and 2nd among journals publishing original research in that field.

Impact factor is a measure of the frequency with which the “average” article in a journal has been cited in a particular year; it is calculated as the number of current citations of articles published in the journal during the previous two years divided by the number of articles published in the journal during the previous two years.

## Immediacy Index

In 2007, *Diabetes* received 40,379 total cites and published 379 articles, the 3rd highest totals of 92 endocrinology/metabolism journals. Its immediacy index is 1.528.

Immediacy index measures the average number of times that an article, published in a specific year within a specific journal, is cited over the course of the same year.

## EigenFactor

In 2006, *Diabetes* ranked 2nd in eigenfactor, a measure of the overall value provided by all of the articles published in a given journal in a year, among 95 endocrinology/metabolism journals. It ranks 4th in article influence, a measure of a journal’s prestige based on per-article citations. (The most recent available data are for 2006.)

Eigenfactor is an estimate of the percentage of time that library users spend with that journal. See <http://www.eigenfactor.org/methods.htm> for more information. Source: EigenFactor.org

## Submissions

In 2007, *Diabetes* received 1,776 first submissions, and the average time from submission to initial decision was 21 days.

## Accepted Articles

In 2007, the overall acceptance rate for articles submitted to *Diabetes* was 21%, the average time from acceptance to online-ahead-of-print posting was 11 days, and the average time from acceptance to final print publication was 83 days.

## Articles Published

In 2007, *Diabetes* published 3,106 editorial pages.

Editorial pages include only accepted articles and errata, not front or back matter, supplements, or ADA-sponsored material.