

Annexure 1

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Table 1: Faculty wise response rate

Sl.no	Faculty	Questionnaire Distributed	No of Response	% of Response
1	Arts	45	40	88.89
2	Science	50	48	96
3	Commerce	10	10	100
4	Total	105	98	93.33

Table 2: Familiarity with the term open access

Familiarity	Arts	Science	Commerce
Never heard the term	1(2.5%)	0 (0)	1(10%)
Heard it but not have knowledge	9 (22.5%)	3 (6.25%)	0 (0)
A little bit of knowledge	16 (40%)	20 (41.67%)	6 (60%)
Knowledgeable about Open Access	14 (35%)	25 (53.08%)	3 (30%)

Table 3: Sources of information about open access

Sl. No	Source of Information	No of Respondent	% of Respondent
1	Through Internet	45	45.92
2	Through Journal	22	22.45
3	From colleague/friends	22	22.45
4	From faculty	9	9.18
5	Others	0	0

Table 4: Meaning of open access

Sl. no	Meaning of Open Access	No of Respondent	% of Respondents
1	Free Access	55	45
2	Full Text	20	16.67
3	Online/Electronic format	45	37.5
4	Copyright Free	0	0

5	No Publication Fee	0	0
6	Self Archiving	0	0
7	Peer reviewed	1	0.83
8	Final version	0	0
9	Low quality	0	0

Table 5: Purpose of using open access journals

Sl. No	Purpose	No of Respondent	% of Respondent
1	For research work	48	44.44
2	To update subject knowledge	35	32.41
3	For writing paper	20	18.52
4	Any other work	5	4.63

Table 6: Frequency of using open access

Sl. No	Frequency	No of Respondent	% of Respondent
1	Everyday	55	56.12
2	2-4 times a week	24	24.49
3	Once a week	5	5.10
4	Occasionally	14	14.29

Table 7: Place of accessing open access journals

Sl. No	Place of Access	No of Respondent	% of Respondent
1	Library	6	4.32
2	Department	47	33.81
3	Home	56	40.28
4	Mobile	27	19.42
5	Others	3	2.16

Table 8: Way of accessing articles in open access journals

Sl. No	Way of Accessing article	No of Respondent	% of Respondent
1	Search Engine	66	67.35
2	Database	6	6.12
3	Repositories	1	1.02
4	Direct Link from the Journal	20	20.41
5	Others	5	5.10

Table 9: Importance of open access journals

Statement	Rank-1	Rank-2	Rank-3	Rank-4	Rank-5	Rank-6	Rank-7
Subscription cost free	3.06%	0	2.04%	4.08%	9.18%	15.30%	66.33%
Electronic format available	0	0	0	0	3.06%	32.65%	64.29%
Can be accessed anywhere	0	0	0	0	0	26.53%	73.47%
Greater impact factor	25.51%	35.71%	20.41%	15.30%	0	3.06%	0
Copyright free	20.01%	19.39%	24.49%	27.55%	7.14%	0	1.02%
Publication are made free for authors	56.12%	13.26%	25.51%	5.10%	0	0	0
No publication delay	71.43%	20.41%	4.08%	1.02%	3.06%	0	0

Table 10- Problems of accessing open access journals

Sl. No	Problem	No of Respondent	% of Respondent
1	Retrieval of irrelevant information	29	23.97
2	Lack of training program for proper searching	25	20.66
3	Insufficient power supply	0	0
4	Lack of knowledge about Open Access Journals	31	25.62
5	Not many Open Access Journals available in my subject	36	29.75

Table 11: Level of Satisfaction about the availability of Open Access Journals

Sl. No	Level	No of Respondents	% of Respondent
1	Strongly Satisfied	0	0
2	Satisfied	66	67.35
3	Dissatisfied	2	2.04
4	Strongly dissatisfied	1	1.02
5	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	29	29.59

Table 12: Support to open access movement

Sl. No	Support	No of Respondent	% of Respondent
1	Yes	85	86.73
2	No	0	0
3	Can't say	13	13.26

Table 13: Willingness to publish articles in open access journals

Sl No	Willingness	Arts Respondents	Science Respondents	Commerce Respondents	Total
1	Yes	25 (62.5)	29 (60.42)	10 (100)	64 (65.31)
2	No	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
3	Can't say	15 (37.5)	19 (39.58)	0 (0)	34 (34.70)