



FINDING AUTHOR'S H-INDEX IN SCOPUS



- Short form for highly cited index.
- This index was developed in 2005 by Jorge Hirsch.
- It is a way of measuring the impact of an author's research by the number of times their articles have been cited.

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What is H-Index

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A scientist has index h if h of his or her NP (number of papers) papers have at least h citations each and the other (NP - h) papers have fewer than h citations each.

Formula

Lecturer A published 24 papers which are ranked in descending citation order.

Article rank position	1	2	3	4	5	6	 \rightarrow	22	23	24
Citation Count	15	10	8	7	5	4	 \rightarrow	0	0	0

Example 1

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Lecturer A has an h-index 5 if 5 of his 24 papers have at least 5 citations each

Professor B published 184 papers which are ranked in descending citation order.

Article rank position	1	2	3	\rightarrow	28	29	30	 \rightarrow	183	184
Citation Count	191	139	102	\rightarrow	29	29	28	 \rightarrow	1	0

Example 2

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Professor B has an h-index 29 if 29 of his 184 papers have/ at least 29 citations each A scientist has index h if h of his or her NP (number of papers) papers have at least h citations each and **the other** (**NP**–**h**) **papers have fewer than h citations each**

Professor C published 34 papers which are ranked in descending citation order.

Article rank position	1	2	3	\rightarrow	15	16	17	 \rightarrow	33	34
Citation Count	182	109	98	\rightarrow	23	21	11	 \rightarrow	1	0

Example 3

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Professor C has an h-index 16

A scientist has index h if h of his or her NP (number of papers) papers have at least h citations each and **the other** (**NP** –**h**) **papers have fewer than h citations each**

Lecturer D published 15 papers which are ranked in descending citation order.

Article rank position	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	\rightarrow	13	14	15
Citation Count	58	51	27	18	10	4	4	\rightarrow	3	1	0

Example 4

Lecturer D has an h-index 5



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