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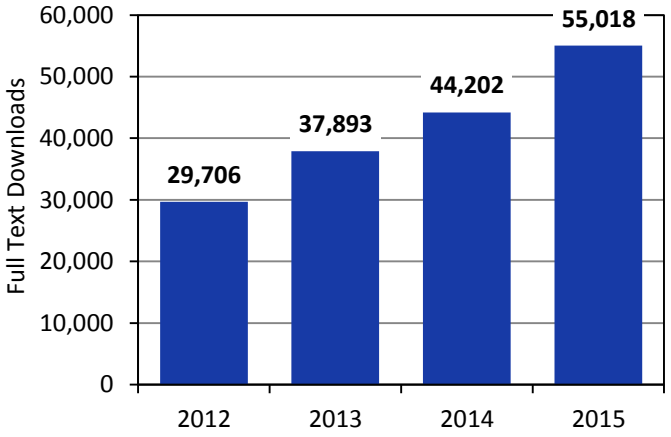
Executive Summary

2015 Highlights for *Journal of Human Development and Capabilities*

- Full-text downloads for the Journal increased by 24% in 2015. **55,018** articles were downloaded in 2015, compared to 44,202 in 2014.
- The top downloaded article (from Volumes 16 and 17) in 2015 was 'No Empowerment without Rights, No Rights without Politics: Gender-equality, MDGs and the post-2015 Development Agenda' by Gita Sen & Avanti Mukherjee with **1,906** full-text downloads.
- The Impact Factor for *Journal of Human Development and Capabilities* increased from 0.855 in the 2014 Journal Citation Report (JCR) to **1.295** in the 2015 JCR. It is ranked 23/55 in the Planning and Development category of the JCR.

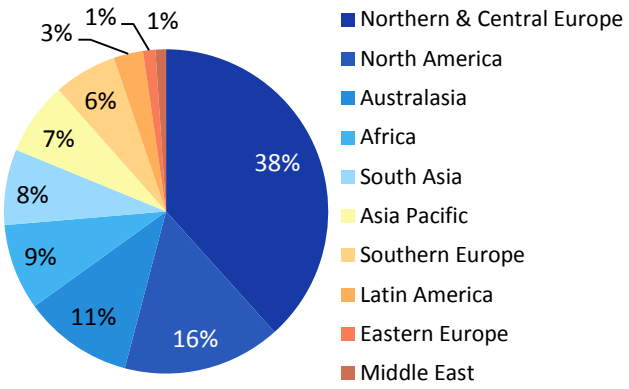
1. Global Accessibility & Sales Reach

1.1. Full-Text Downloads



Downloads increased by 24% in 2015, with a rise from **44,202** downloads in 2014 to **55,018** in 2015. In addition, January-July 2016 has seen 28,270 full-text downloads.

1.2. 2015 Full-Text Downloads by Region



1.3. 2015 Top 10 Articles Downloaded from the Last Two Volumes

Vol (iss)	Author	Title	No.
15 (2-3)*	Gita Sen, & Avanti Mukherjee	No Empowerment without Rights, No Rights without Politics: Gender-equality, MDGs and the post-2015 Development Agenda	1906
15 (2-3)*	Elaine Unterhalter	Measuring Education for the Millennium Development Goals: Reflections on Targets, Indicators, and a Post-2015 Framework	1854
15 (2-3)*	Sakiko Fukuda-Parr, *et al.*	The Power of Numbers: A Critical Review of Millennium Development Goal Targets for Human Development and Human Rights	1342
15 (2-3)*	Sakiko Fukuda-Parr, & Amy Orr	The MDG Hunger Target and the Competing Frameworks of Food Security	749
15 (2-3)*	Aldo Caliari	Analysis of Millennium Development Goal 8: A Global Partnership for Development	664
15 (1)†	Alexandre Frediani, *et al.*	Approaching Development Projects from a Human Development and Capability Perspective	593
15 (2-3)*	Nicoli Nattrass	Millennium Development Goal 6: AIDS and the International Health Agenda	490
15 (1)†	Mario Biggeri, & Andrea Ferrannini	Opportunity Gap Analysis: Procedures and Methods for Applying the Capability Approach in Development Initiatives	486
15 (2-3)*	Sakiko Fukuda-Parr	Global Goals as a Policy Tool: Intended and Unintended Consequences	458
15 (2-3)*	Alicia Ely Yamin, & Vanessa M. Boulanger	Why Global Goals and Indicators Matter: The Experience of Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights in the Millennium Development Goals	455

*Special Issue: Special Issue on Millennium Development Goals

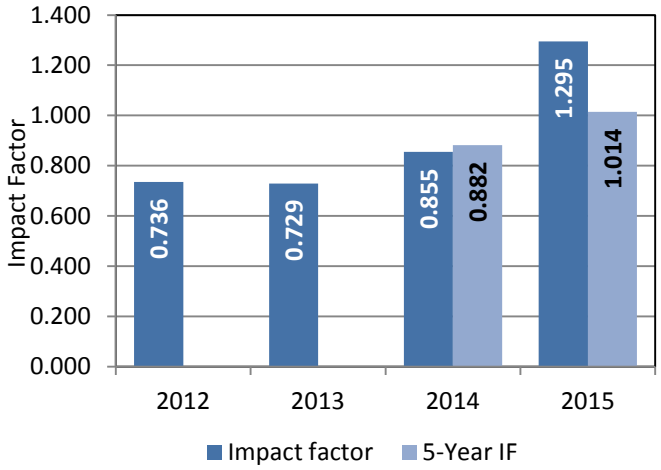
†Special Issue: Special Issue on Development Projects

1.4. 2015 Top Institutions by Downloads

Institutions	No.
London School of Economics (UK)	2813
University College London (UK)	1655
University of Manchester (UK)	1259
University of the Free State (South Africa)	1009
Oxford University (UK)	977
University of Cambridge (UK)	965
University of Leeds (UK)	893
Australian National University (Australia)	875
University of London (UK)	846
University of Sussex (UK)	818

2. Citation Analysis

2.1. Impact Factor 2012-2015



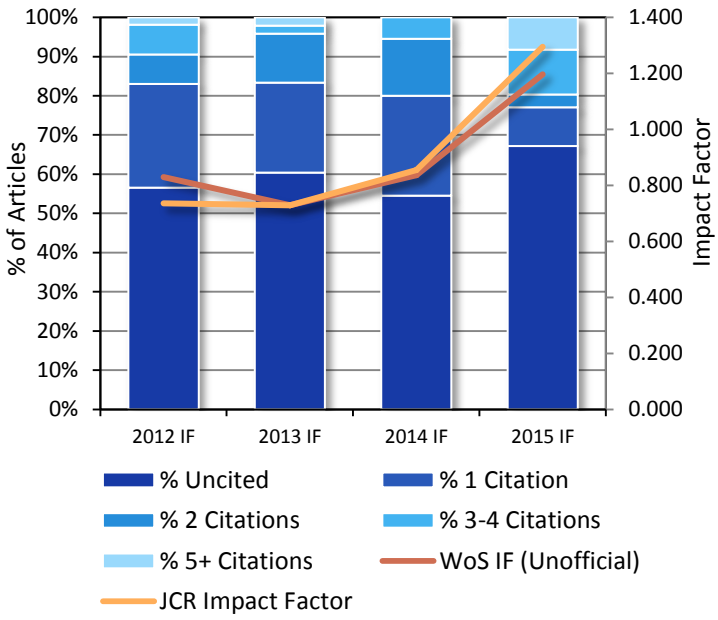
2015 Impact Factor	2015 5-Year Impact Factor
1.295	1.014
Ranking 23/55 Planning & Development (Q2)	Ranking 44/55 Planning & Development (Q4)

2.2. Top Cited Articles for 2015 Impact Factor

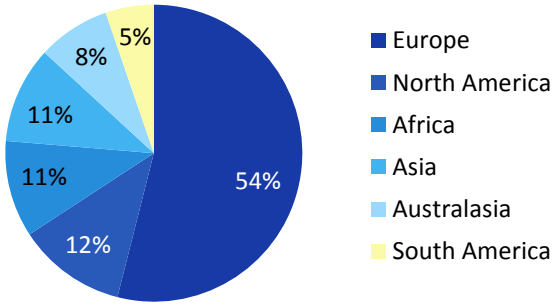
Vol.	Author	Title	No.
14 (1)*	Amartya Sen	The Ends and Means of Sustainability	10
14 (1)*	Ortrud Lessmann & Felix Rauschmayer	Re-conceptualizing Sustainable Development on the Basis of the Capability Approach: A Model and Its Difficulties	9
15 (2-3)†	Sakiko Fukuda-Parr, et al.	The Power of Numbers: A Critical Review of Millennium Development Goal Targets for Human Development and Human Rights	7
14 (1)*	Emily Schultz, *et al.*	A Sustainability-Fitting Interpretation of the Capability Approach: Integrating the Natural Dimension by Employing Feedback Loops	6
14 (1)*	Jérôme Pelenc, *et al.*	Sustainable Human Development and the Capability Approach: Integrating Environment, Responsibility and Collective Agency	5

*Special Issue: The Capability Approach and Sustainability
†Special Issue: Special Issue on Millennium Development Goals

2.3. Article Citations



2.4. Articles Citing *Journal of Human Development and Capabilities* contributing to the 2015 Impact Factor



The top five citing countries are as follows:

- UK
- USA
- Germany
- Belgium
- Australia

3. Production

3.1. Published Content in 2015

In 2015 a total of 54 manuscripts were published.

By article these were:

Manuscript Type	No.
Articles	33
Book Reviews	15
Other	6
Total	**54**

3.2. Production Schedule for 2015

Issue	Final copy / running order:		Online copies published	Print copies published
	Due at T&F	Received		
1	13-11-14	8-1-15	20-2-15	27-2-15
2	24-2-15	31-3-15	1-5-15	13-5-15
3	13-5-15	11-8-15	22-9-15	1-10-15
4	13-8-15	4-12-15	4-1-16	7-1-16

3.3. Speed of Publication in 2015

Sample Size	Median Publication Speed *
48	5.68

* weeks from submission to Central Article Tracking System (CATS) to online publication.

3.4. Volume 17, Content 2016

Volume Page Budget for 2015	Number of Pages used to Date	Number of Pages Remaining
656	308*	348

* Issues 1 and 2

The current backlog of content:

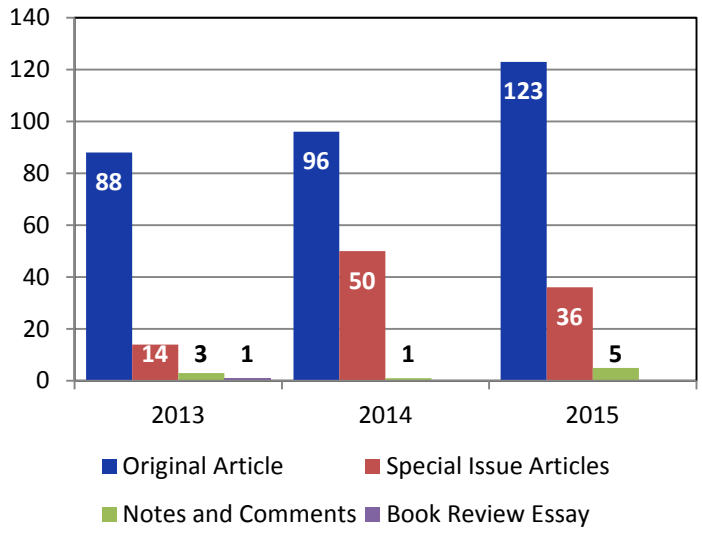
- Five articles or 88 pages
- Oldest submitted article is from September 2015.

3.5. Production Schedule for 2016

Issue	Final copy / running order due at T&F	Corrected proofs to typesetter	Planned Publication date	Planned Dispatch date
1	3-12-15	5-1-16	12-1-16	18-1-16
2	14-3-16	13-4-16	21-4-16	26-4-16
3	3-6-16	1-7-16	11-7-16	14-7-16
4	7-9-16	5-10-16	12-10-16	17-10-16

4. Content Management

4.1. Submission Trends



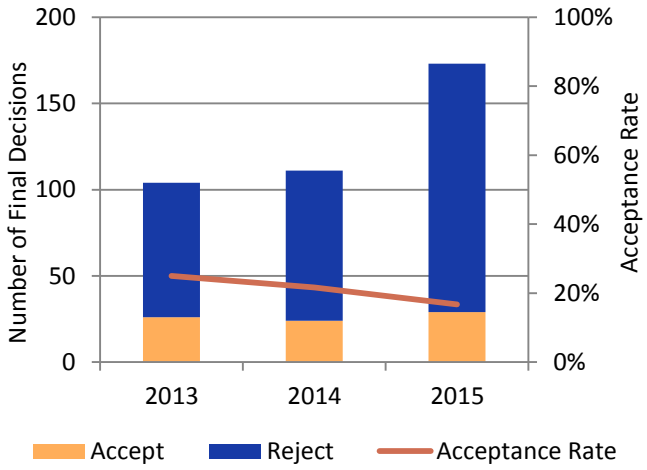
4.2. 2015 Top Submitting Countries

Country	No.
USA	26
UK	20
India	19
Iran	7
Pakistan	6
South Africa	6
Italy	5
Australia	4
Netherlands	4

4.3. Time from Submissions to Decisions

Average time between submissions to first decision for original papers is 71 days (10 weeks).

4.4. Final Manuscript Decisions per year



5. Marketing Campaigns

5.1. 2015-16 Conferences

The *Journal of Human Development and Capabilities* was represented at a number of conferences in 2015-16, including the following:

- American Sociological Association
- British Association for South Asian Studies
- British Sociological Association (BSA)
- British International Studies Association (BISA)
- Congress of the Humanities and Social Sciences
- Development Studies Association (DSA)
- European Seminar on Extension and Education
- European Sociological Association (ESA)
- Human Development & Capability Association (HDCA)
- Norwegian Association for Development Research
- Royal Economic Society Conference
- South Asia Diaspora Convention

5.2. Marketing Campaign: The Millennium Development Goals

Following the 2000 Millennium Summit of the United Nations, the Millennium Development Goals were established to galvanise efforts to meet the needs of the world's poorest. In support of this, we ran a year-long marketing campaign promoting a range of content linking to each of the eight goals.

The campaign came to a close at the end of 2015 and in total generated more than **3,700 full-text downloads** for *JHDC.*

The top three downloaded articles are shown here:

Author	Title	No.
Elaine Unterhalter	Measuring Education for the Millennium Development Goals: Reflections on Targets, Indicators, and a Post-2015 Framework	384
Gita Sen & Avanti Mukherjee	No Empowerment without Rights, No Rights without Politics: Gender-equality, MDGs and the post-2015 Development Agenda	252
Sakiko Fukuda-Parr & Amy Orr	The MDG Hunger Target and the Competing Frameworks of Food Security	222

5.3. Marketing Campaign: Development Studies Most Read

The Most Read collection drew together the most read articles published in Routledge Development Studies journals in 2014 and made them free to read online for a limited time. Over **430 full text downloads** were recorded for the *JHDC* as a result of this campaign. The top three downloaded articles are shown here:

Author	Title	No.
Alexandre Apsan Frediani, *et al.*	Approaching Development Projects from a Human Development and Capability Perspective	157
Gita Sen & Avanti Mukherjee	No Empowerment without Rights, No Rights without Politics: Gender-equality, MDGs and the post-2015 Development Agenda	123
Sakiko Fukuda-Parr, *et al.*	The Power of Numbers: A Critical Review of Millennium Development Goal Targets for Human Development and Human Rights	100

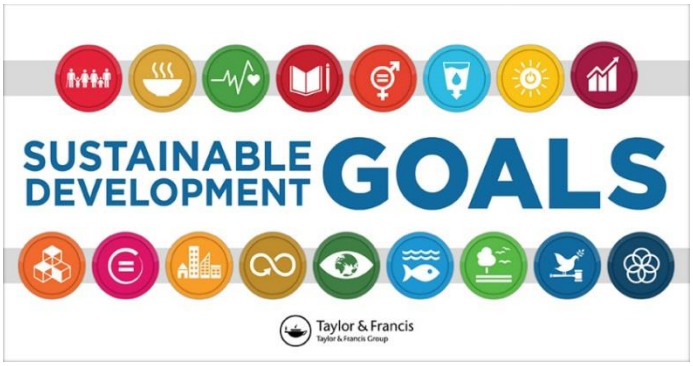
5.4. Marketing Campaign: Highly-Cited

Our Development Studies Highly-Cited Campaign ran from late 2014 to early 2015 and offered free access to a number of highly-cited articles from across the portfolio.

The below articles were included in this campaign:

Author	Title
Amartya Sen	The Ends and Means of Sustainability
Ortrud Lessmann & Felix Rauschmayer	Re-conceptualizing Sustainable Development on the Basis of the Capability Approach: A Model and Its Difficulties
José Antonio Ocampo & Juliana Vallejo	Economic Growth, Equity and Human Development in Latin America
Emily Schultz, *et al.*	A Sustainability-Fitting Interpretation of the Capability Approach: Integrating the Natural Dimension by Employing Feedback Loops
Elaine Unterhalter	Trade-off, Comparative Evaluation and Global Obligation: Reflections on the Poverty, Gender and Education Millennium Development Goals

5.5. Marketing Campaign: Sustainable Development Goals



The Sustainable Development Goals campaign is a dedicated research collection to spread awareness and support the UN's global goals. All included articles are currently free to access until the end of 2016. The top three downloaded articles so far are shown here:

Author	Title
Sakiko Fukuda-Parr & Amy Orr	The MDG Hunger Target and the Competing Frameworks of Food Security
Gita Sen & Avanti Mukherjee	No Empowerment without Rights, No Rights without Politics: Gender-equality, MDGs and the post-2015 Development Agenda
Joshua Greenstein, Ugo Gentilini & Andy Sumner	National or International Poverty Lines or Both? Setting Goals for Income Poverty after 2015

5.6. Development Studies e-Newsletter

We send out a bimonthly subject newsletter which contains the latest news and offers from our Development Studies journals. There are over **2,500** recipients registered to receive these updates and we encourage new sign ups at the conferences that we attend.

5.7. Social Media

We regularly post news and offers featuring *JHDC* to our social media networks on Facebook and Twitter, which have grew by 74% and 163% respectively since July 2015.

	Twitter followers
July 2015	255
July 2016	673

You can join them at https://twitter.com/RoutledgeDevSt.

	Facebook likes
July 2015	3,551
July 2016	6,166

You can join them at www.facebook.com/RoutledgeSocio.

6. Public Library Access

The Public Library Access Initiative (PLI) was a key recommendation of the UK 'Finch' report of July 2012 (Accessibility, sustainability, excellence: how to expand access to research publications). It provides patrons of public libraries with walk-in access to research articles and conference proceedings. We have enrolled all Taylor & Francis and Routledge titles, subject to journal owners' permission, in a two year pilot, involving libraries throughout the UK. 80% of UK library services have signed up to the PLI, allowing users free access to over 10 million articles. We believe that the PLI is a viable means to democratize access to content, and allows publishers, editors and societies to show our commitment to open access principles, without jeopardizing the subscription base on which many journals depend.

7. Open Access

OA is a fast moving area, so we've included links to key resources and some headlines from our programme below.

Revised Green OA policy

Authors can now post their Accepted Manuscript (AM) article versions to personal or departmental websites, Facebook, and LinkedIn upon publication of the final article. Embargoes remain in place for posting the AM to repositories or academic social networks such as Mendeley, Academia.edu or ResearchGate. Find out more: http://bit.ly/1riiBTF. We have a pilot scheme on our Library and Information Science and Archives and Heritage titles where no embargoes are in place for posting of the AM, and plan to report any meaningful findings from this pilot (http://bit.ly/1opowZF).

OA membership options for institutions

We have an ever-increasing number of institutions signing up to an OA membership scheme with Taylor & Francis, offering discounts on article publishing charges. Why not encourage authors from a member institution to try Gold OA? Find out more here: http://www.tandfonline.com/page/openaccess/funders

Offset models

We have an agreement with JISC Collections for 2015, which offers participating UK institutions a number of vouchers which they can use to obtain a 75% discount on article publishing charges in most (hybrid open access) Open Select journals. We have also agreed a pilot offset scheme in Austria, whereby members of the KEMO academic library consortium receive a credit based on the previous full year's APC spend by the Austrian Science Fund (FWF). We will continue the global offset policy of reducing journal subscription pricing if the proportion of OA articles exceeds a certain threshold: http://bit.ly/1E5QMrv.

OA resources and useful links

2014 Taylor & Francis OA author survey: http://www.tandfonline.com/page/openaccess/opensurvey/2014.

Advice for authors: http://journalauthors.tandf.co.uk/preparation/OpenAccess.asp.

General OA information: http://www.tandfonline.com/page/openaccess.

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8. Development Initiatives

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