

Open Access Policy:

Our Belief

- Open access policy should be based on the belief that full social and economic benefits of research in support of development should be available to everyone who could use it – and build on it – to improve people's lives.
- Open access policy should be consistent with the broader movement toward open access.
- Scientific research should be freely and openly available.
- Open access accelerates research and facilitates access to knowledge worldwide.
- Barriers to the results of funded research unreasonably restrict innovation for the public goodness.

Our Policy:

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Our site has one URL for each article, and not one URL per issue. This enables direct linking to the articles from our site promoting findability and increasing usage of your content.