

## Open APC Sweden - Statistics

This is a first sample of statistics from the pilot project Open APC Sweden, aiming at gathering data about article processing charges (APC's) paid by Swedish universities. The statistics covers journal articles from a few pilot contributors. Please see the [project wiki](#) for more information about the project and instructions on how to contribute.

### Pilot contributors

Acronym	Contributing organisation
kth	KTH Royal Institute of Technology
ltu	Luleå Technical University
mah	Malmö University College
slu	Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences
su	Stockholm University

### Dataset

Information on both open access journal articles and open access publication of articles in toll-access journals ("hybrid") are provided. You may view the dataset at the [project page in GitHub](#).

In total, **227 223 €** for **150 articles** were paid by the **3 universities** that have delivered APC data so far. The **average APC is 1 515 €** and the **median is APC 1 905 €**.

Universities	Publications	Total APC (€)	Average APC (€)	Median APC (€)
3	150	227 223	1 515	1 905

### Articles in Open Access journals ("gold OA")

At the moment, the dataset contains information on **97** articles in open access journals which charge publication fees. Total expenditure amounts to **123 293 €**. The average fee is **1 271 €** and the median fee is **1 424 €**.

	Articles	Fees paid in €	Mean APC	Median APC
KTH Royal Institute of Technology	83	103 170	1 243	1 424
Malmö University College	3	3 539	1 180	1 311
Stockholm University	11	16 584	1 508	1 530

### OA articles in toll-access journals ("hybrid OA")

In many toll-access journals some of the articles are open access after a fee has been paid. This model is often called "hybrid open access". The dataset covers **53** hybrid open access

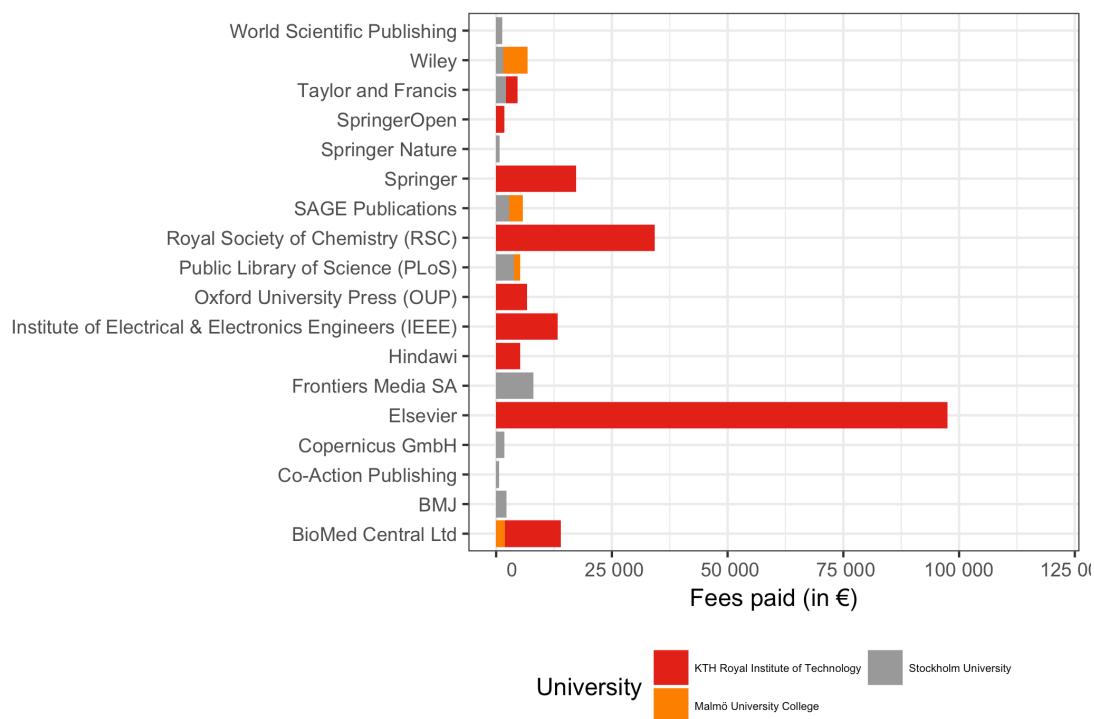
articles. Total expenditure amounts to **103 930 €**. Average fee is **1 961 €** and the median fee is **1 905 €**.

The following institutions have contributed its expenditures for hybrid open access.

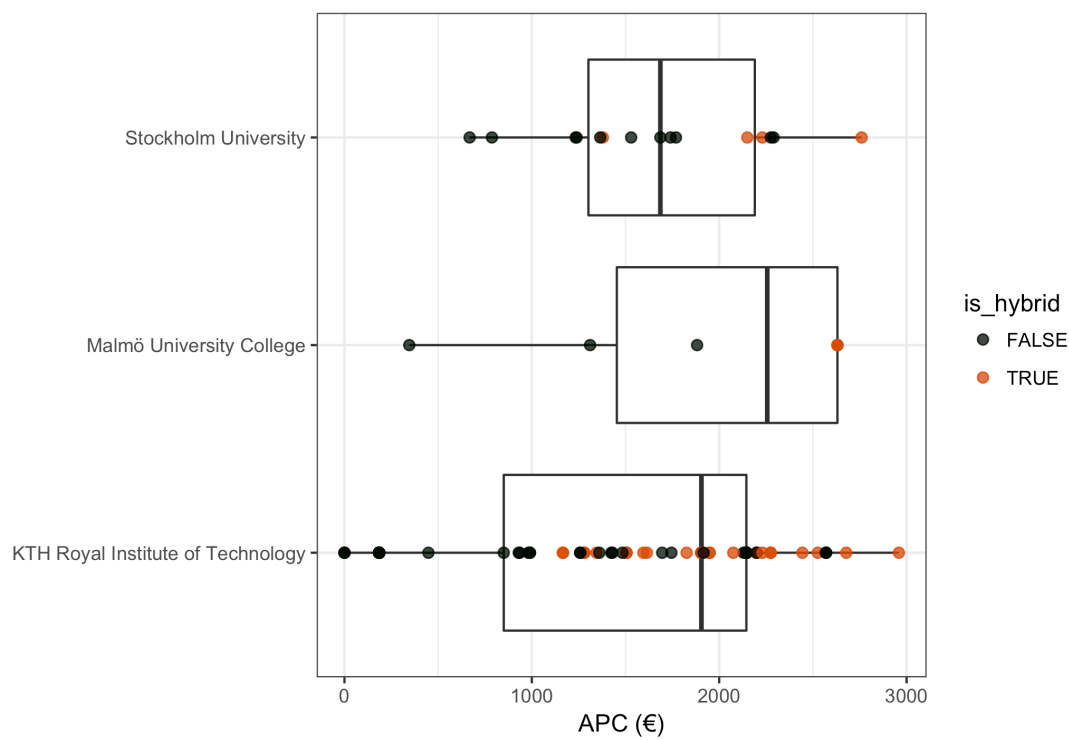
	Articles	Fees paid in €	Mean APC	Median APC
KTH Royal Institute of Technology	46	87 518	1 903	1 905
Malmö University College	3	7 893	2 631	2 631
Stockholm University	4	8 519	2 130	2 190

## Distribution over publishers

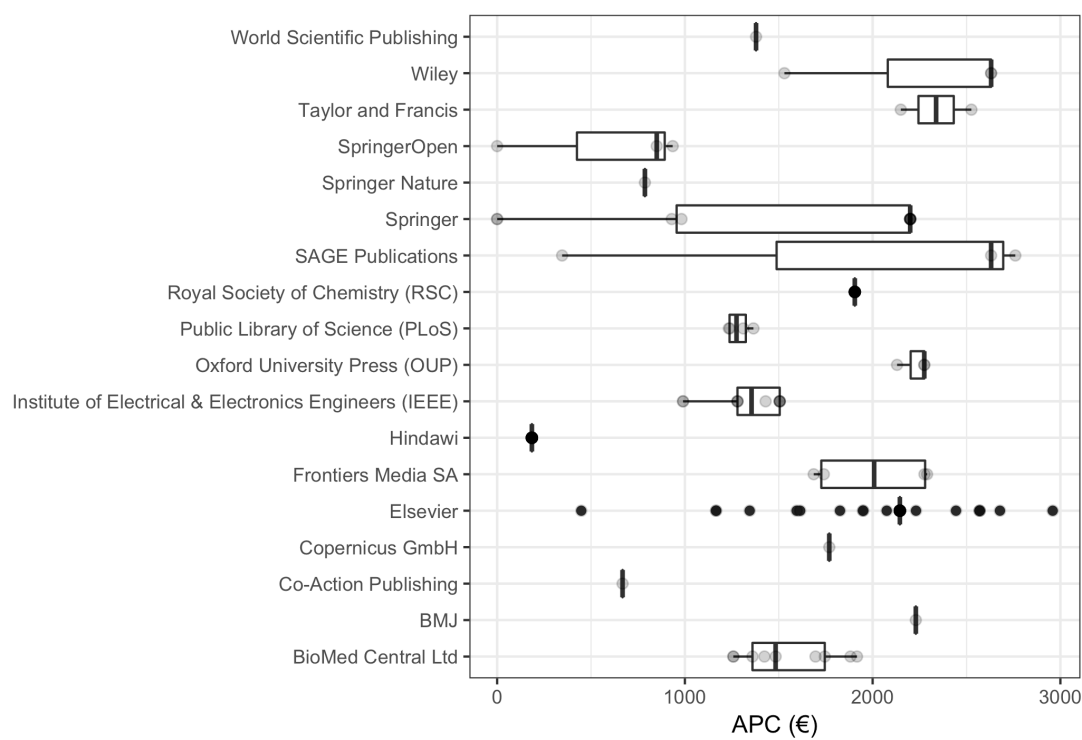
APC fees paid per publisher with indication of contribution from each university.



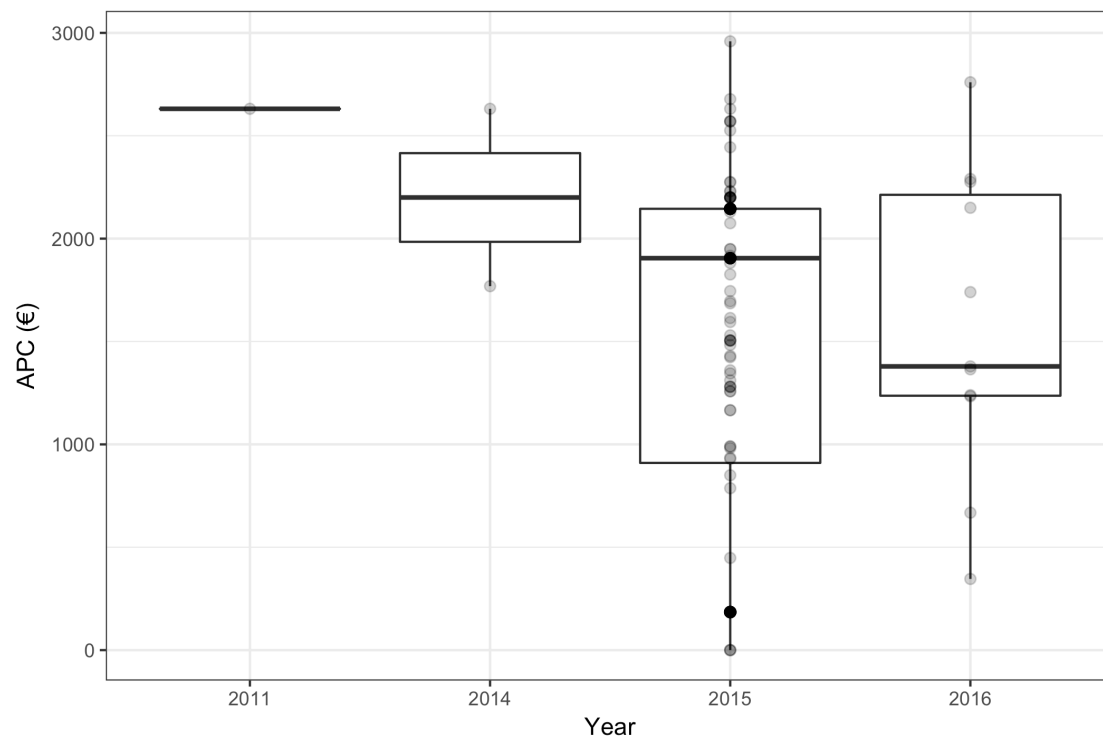
## Fees paid per university



## Average fee per publisher



## Average and distribution of APC's by year



## Acknowledgement

This project follows the [Open APC Initiative](#) to share data on paid APCs. It recognises efforts from [JISC](#) and [FWF](#) to standardise APC reporting.

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