

# ScienceOpen Journal Service Packages 2025

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Category	Service Feature	Plan		
		BASIC	PLUS	CUSTOM
Hosting and Branding	Journal page on the ScienceOpen platform	✓	✓	✓
	Combined landing page bundling 3+ journal pages (with search across all content)	✓	✓	✓
	Control of all editorial content on journal page	✓	✓	✓
	Open Access online hosting of the full text Version of Record	✓	✓	✓
	Volume and issue navigation	✓	✓	✓
	Flexible virtual special issues across all journal content			✓
	Google Scholar metatags / indexing	✓	✓	✓
	Content delivery to indexing services (e.g. DOAJ, PubMed, Scopus, Dimensions, WoS, etc.)	up to 2	up to 6	custom
	Multilingual content capabilities	✓	✓	✓
	Bilingual version / set-up, unique identifiers			✓
	PDF viewer and PDF download	✓	✓	✓
	HTML presentation and download of PDF and XML		✓	✓
	CC BY 4.0 Open Access license (tagged in metadata XML)	✓	✓	✓
	Choice of Creative Commons CC open access license variant			✓
	CrossRef DOI registration and management	✓	✓	✓
	Support for Crossref membership application		✓	✓
	Long-term archiving at CLOCKSS or Portico	✓	✓	✓
	Long-term archiving in further trusted repositories (customized)			✓
	Support with ISSN application			✓
Submission and Peer Review	Interface for editor to upload articles for final publication (PDF only)	✓		
	Intuitive manuscript submission form for authors (generic)		✓	✓
	Customized manuscript submission form			✓
	Integration with state-of-the-art persistent identifiers (ORCID, ROR, Funder)	✓	✓	✓
	Range of content types supported (research article, review article, case report, etc)	up to 2	up to 6	custom
	Comprehensive manuscript tracking system		✓	✓
	Version control for manuscripts and revisions		✓	✓
	Blind or double-blind peer review management dashboard		✓	✓
	Automatic reviewer matching (based on subject areas)		✓	✓
	Automatic reviewer matching (based on AI)			✓
	Import of journal peer reviewer list			✓
	Intuitive peer review form (generic, open)		✓	✓
	Intuitive peer review form (customized)			✓
	Standardized templates for notifications		✓	✓
	Customized templates for notifications			✓
	Tracking of the review process & reminders (automatic)		✓	✓
	Tracking of the review process & reminders (customized deadlines)			✓
Quality Control and Production	Basic production management workflow for PDF creation		✓	✓
	Workflow tools for in-house management of copy-editing and author corrections		✓	✓
	Workflow tools for management of APC payments		✓	✓
	Integration with typesetter of your choice for all production workflow steps		✓	✓
	Copyediting, typesetting, and proofreading services		order separately	order separately
	Generic journal templates (one- or two-column style) with logo		order separately	order separately
	Customized journal template with individual branding			order separately
	Automatic formatting checks based on journal guidelines			✓
	CrossRef plagiarism detection and similarity checks		✓	✓
	Automatic grammar and language checks		✓	✓
	SciScore* scientific rigor check			✓
	Suggestions for manuscript improvement (AI)			✓
	24/7 Customer support for authors and reviewers			✓
	Training for editors (total h in 12 months)	Digital materials	6	12
	Dedicated customer support for editors		✓	✓
Analytics and Reporting	Open, transparent statistics on views, downloads, and citations per article	✓	✓	✓
	Statistics on shares, recommends, comments and open reviews	✓	✓	✓
	ScienceOpen citation tracking (database of 100 million records)	✓	✓	✓
	Crossref "cited-by" data added to article citation count		✓	✓
	Integration with scite.ai to analyze citation statements	✓	✓	✓
	Integration with Altmetric™ to measure online attention	✓	✓	✓
	Monthly usage report (incl. geolocation and institutions) as XLS (basic)	✓	✓	✓
	Monthly usage report (incl. geolocation and institutions) as XLS (extended)			✓
	Integrated banner advertising for article-level messaging		✓	✓
	Context environment of 100+ million records driving search and discovery	✓	✓	✓
	Open post-publication peer review to engage community	✓	✓	✓
	Commenting and recommendation functionalities	✓	✓	✓
	Interface for author lay summaries	✓	✓	✓
	Author profiles integrated with ORCID for effective networking	✓	✓	✓
	Community-run, researcher-led topical collections to further promote usage	✓	✓	✓
	Support with manuscript acquisition (open for submissions tab and submit button)	✓	✓	✓
	Active support from ScienceOpen social media channels		✓	✓
Support and Additional Services	Embedding dynamic discovery features into customer website (Integrator)	order separately	✓	✓
	Fully-loaded customer branded subdomain powered by SO aggregation technology			✓
	APC invoice management			✓
	AI-driven chatbot for deep research			✓
	Conference Solutions (Abstracts, Posters, Articles)	order separately	order separately	order separately
	Institutions Research Hub (all publications at one landing page on ScienceOpen)	order separately	order separately	order separately

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