

5-Year Impact Factor

The Impact Factor (IF) is the industry measure of the frequency with which an article in a journal has been cited over a five-year period. The Journal Citation Report (JCR) Impact Factor is a ratio between citations and recent citable items published. Thus, a journal's 5-Year Impact Factor is calculated by dividing the number of current year citations by the number of articles published in that journal during the previous five years.

5-Year Impact Factor Rankings (2019 & 2018)

<u>Current</u> <u>Ranking*</u>	<u>Journal</u>	<u>2019</u> <u>IF</u>	-	<u>Journal</u>	<u>2018</u> <u>IF</u>
1	Journal of Accounting & Economics (JAE)	7.058	-	<i>JAE</i>	6.108
2	Journal of Accounting Research (JAR)	6.056	-	<i>JAR</i>	5.565
3	The Accounting Review (TAR)	5.464		<i>TAR</i>	4.411
4	Accounting, Organizations and Society (AOS)	5.049		<i>AOS</i>	3.916
5	Auditing: A Journal of Practice & Theory (AJPT)	4.253		<i>CAR</i>	3.120
6	Contemporary Accounting Research (CAR)	3.711		<i>AJPT</i>	3.091
7	Review of Accounting Studies (RAST)	3.348		<i>RAST</i>	2.458

*Comparison of *AJPT* metric to other top journals (*TAR*, *JAR*, *JAE*, *CAR*, *AOS*, *RAST*)