



Editorial Introduction

With the release of the latest edition of 2015, we begin the countdown to the New Year. As it can be seen in the data and the graphs below, 2015 is being a year of improvement, achievements and accomplishments for our Journal and for all the colleagues who believed in this project.

We also would like to wish you all our Season's Greetings.

This issue of the ***Independent Journal of Management & production (IJM&P)*** features a selection of articles submitted and revised until October 2015. Observed that works are the fruit of research and publications of undergraduate, postgraduate and entrepreneurs.

It is important to mention that all the works are showed without any kind of payment. All of them are published free from payments or taxes.

The publication also counts on the work of researchers from various parts of the world, which have undergone a process of peer review.

As chief editor of ***IJM&P***, I am indebted to all members of the editorial board and reviewers, which contributed to achieving a very decent job during the evaluation and revision. Moreover, that has contributed to the Journal in recognition of the international scientific community.

In addition, with all the authors, who trusted the results of their research and publications to the scrutiny of editors and reviewers who are part of our Journal.

The first table presents how our collaborators, by their categories of study and sex are.



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Table 1: Distribution of users by degree From the data provided in Table 1 on the distribution users by titration,

	<i>Dr. Ph.D.</i>	<i>MSc.</i>	<i>Dr./Ph.D. Student</i>	<i>MSc. Student</i>	<i>Specialist</i>	<i>Professors</i>	<i>Students</i>	<i>Others</i>	<i>Total</i>
Male	668	173	159	41	27	19	19	88	1,194
Female	220	74	92	13	8	3	11	25	446

Figure 1 shows the percentage of each Degree by registered user.

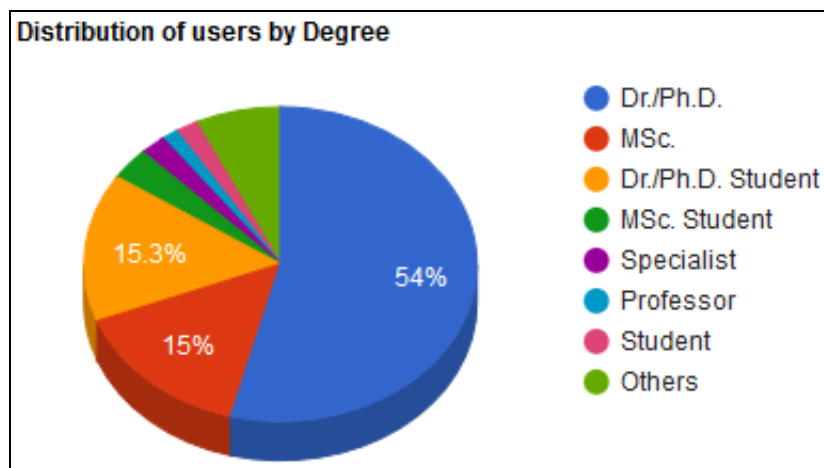


Figure 1: Distribution chart for degree

The Tables 2 and 3 present the medium values and the percentage of viewing yearly and by volume/number, to the day November 30, 2015.

Table 2: views by year of publication

<i>Year</i>	<i>Views</i>	<i>No. Articles</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Percentage</i>
2010	3,241	3	1,080	2.5292
2011	5,760	5	1,152	4.4950
2012	9,131	7	1,304	7.1257
2013	41,888	35	1,197	32.6887
2014	53,873	64	842	42.0416
2015	14,249	62	230	11.1197

Table 3: views by volume/number

<i>Edition</i>	<i>Views</i>	<i>Nº Articles</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Percentage</i>	<i>Edition</i>	<i>Views</i>	<i>Nº Articles</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Percentage</i>
V1_N1	3,241	3	1,080	2.5292	V5_N1	21,271	16	1,329	16.5996
V2_N1	3,554	2	1,185	2.7735	V5_N2	12,376	16	774	9.6580
V2_N2	2,206	2	1,103	1.7215	V5_N3	12,055	16	753	9.4075
V3_N1	1,984	2	992	1.5483	V5_N4	8,171	16	511	6.3765
V3_N2	7,147	5	1,429	5.5774	V6_N1	6,364	14	455	4.9664
V4_N1	24,636	21	1,173	19.2255	V6_N2	4,742	16	296	3.7006
V4_N2	17,252	14	1,232	13.4632	V6_N3	3,143	16	196	2.4527



In the Figure 2, are presented graphically some data. Tables 2 and 3, for example, the total quantity, on average and the percentage of views by edition and year.

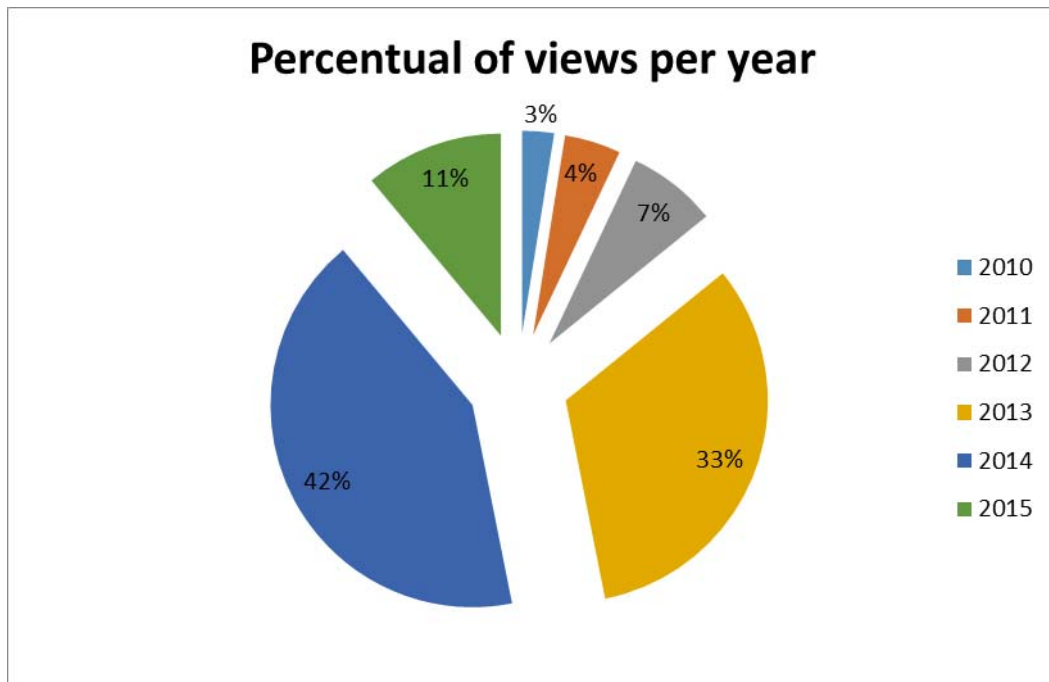


Figure 2: Percentage of viewing by year

In the period from January, 01 to November, 30 2015, the journal was accessed by approximately 13,116 users, of approximately 2,168 cities and 147 countries, in the Figure 3 is presented the map mundi, in which can be observed the countries of where was originating the access (GOOGLE, 2015).

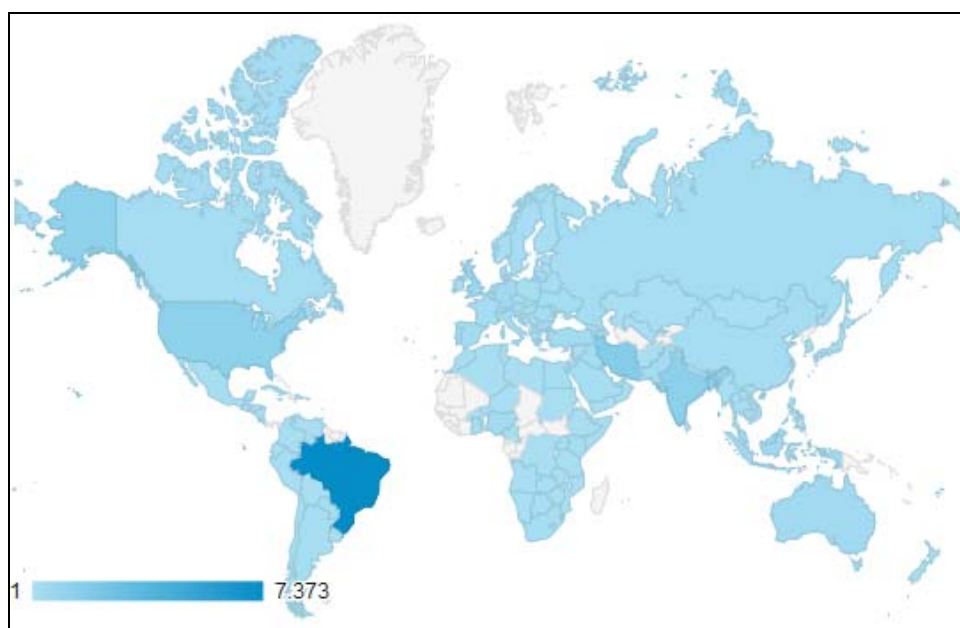


Figure 3: Countries that have accessed the journal



The Table 4 shows the preview data and journal access, since its creation in 2010.

Table 4: views by volume/number

<i>Year</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Cities</i>	<i>Access</i>	<i>Users</i>
2010	25	75	340	181
2011	75	343	1,510	1,024
2012	83	444	2,187	1,406
2013	118	1,208	11,946	6,006
2014	146	1,978	17,440	10,503
2015	147	2,168	20,876	13,116

In Figures 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 is shown a graph of the amount of hits that the journal received between January 1 2014 and November 30 2015; these data are based on information provided by the Google analytics.

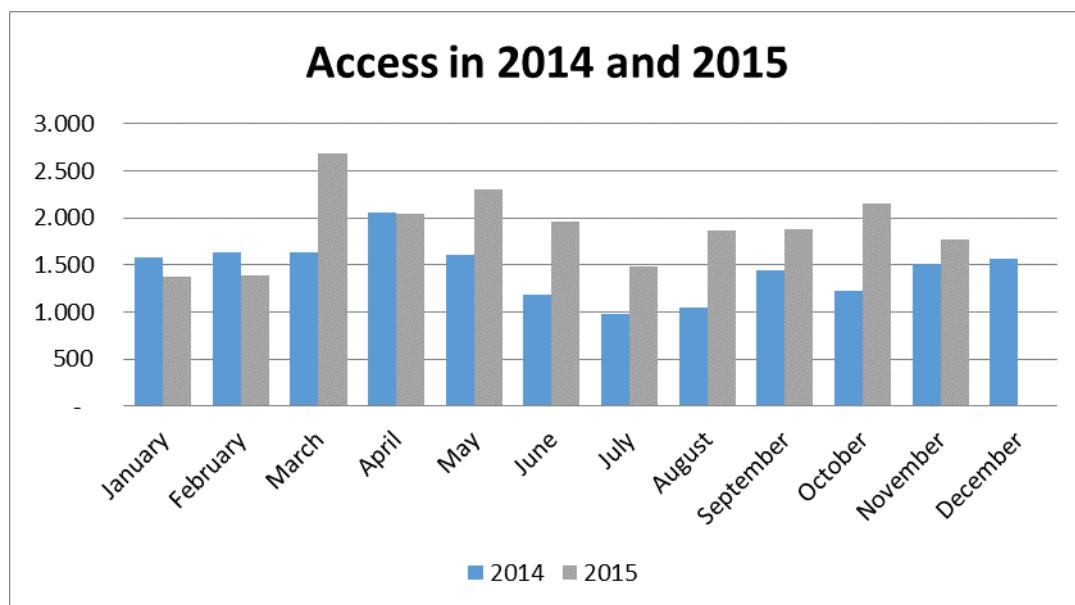


Figure 4: amount of hits between 2014 and 2015

The Figure 5 shows the comparison of the number of cities, around the world, that have accessed the journal.



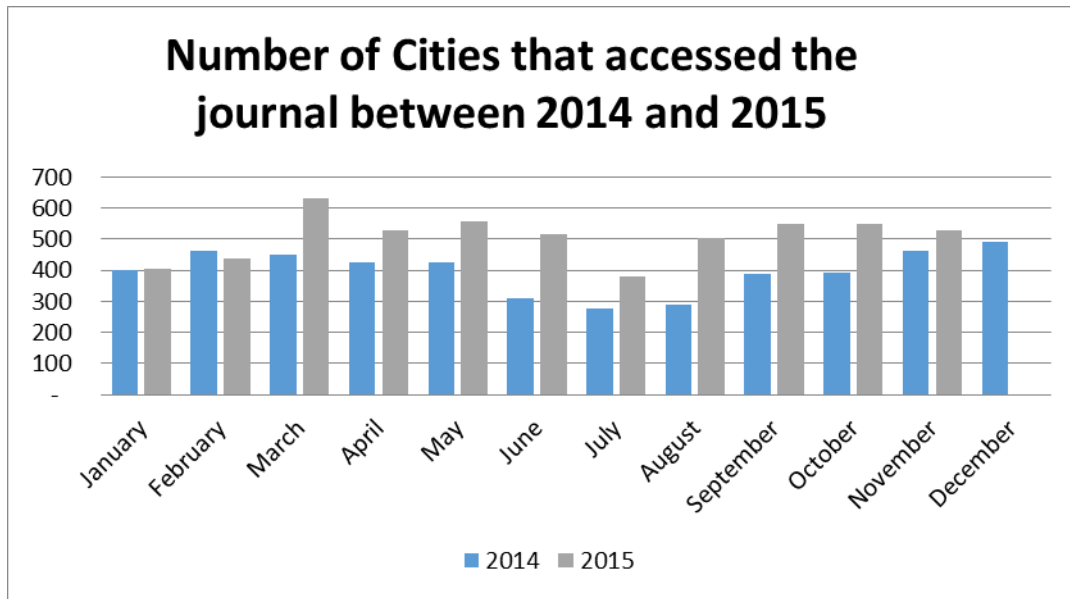


Figure 5: Amount of cities between 2014 and 2015

The Figure 6 shows the averages of views on the journal in the period between the years of 2014 and 2015.

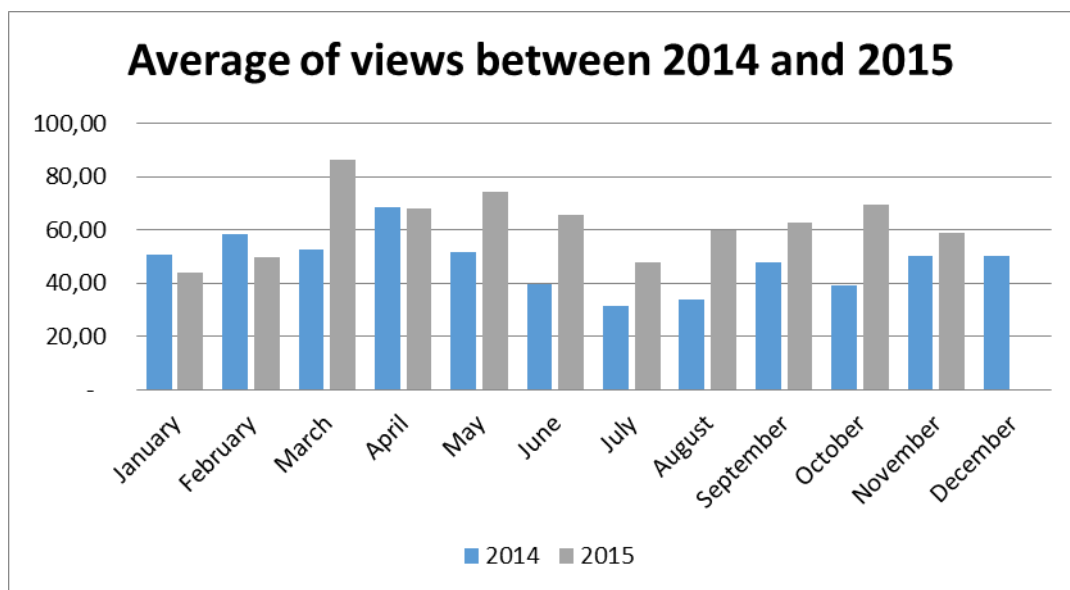


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The Figure 7 shows the comparison of the number of countries, around the world, that have accessed the journal.



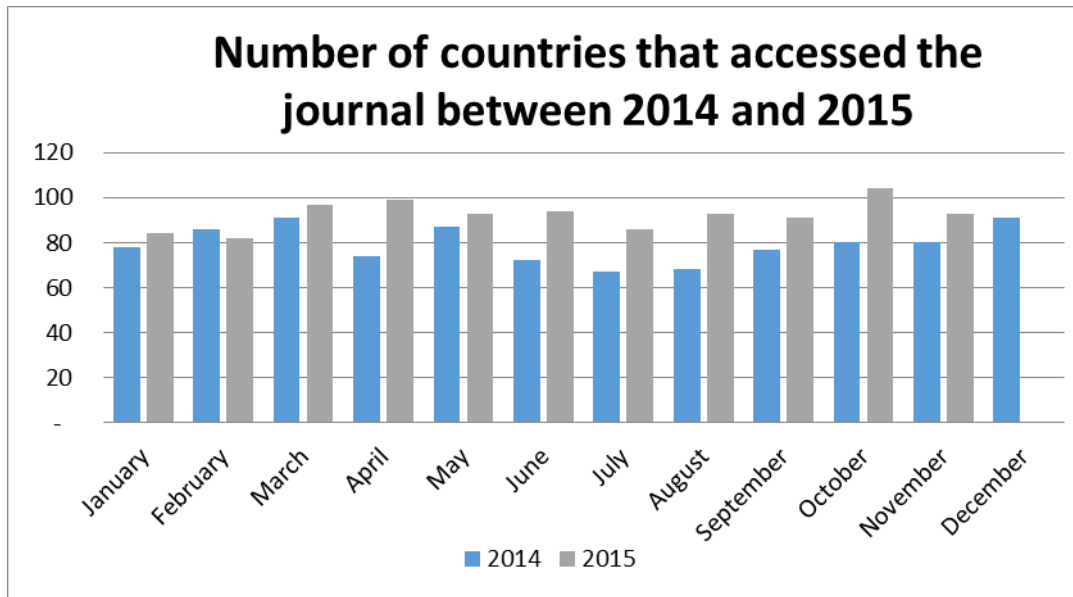


Figure 7: Amount of countries between 2014 and 2015

The Figure 8 shows the comparison of the number of users, around the world, that have accessed the journal.

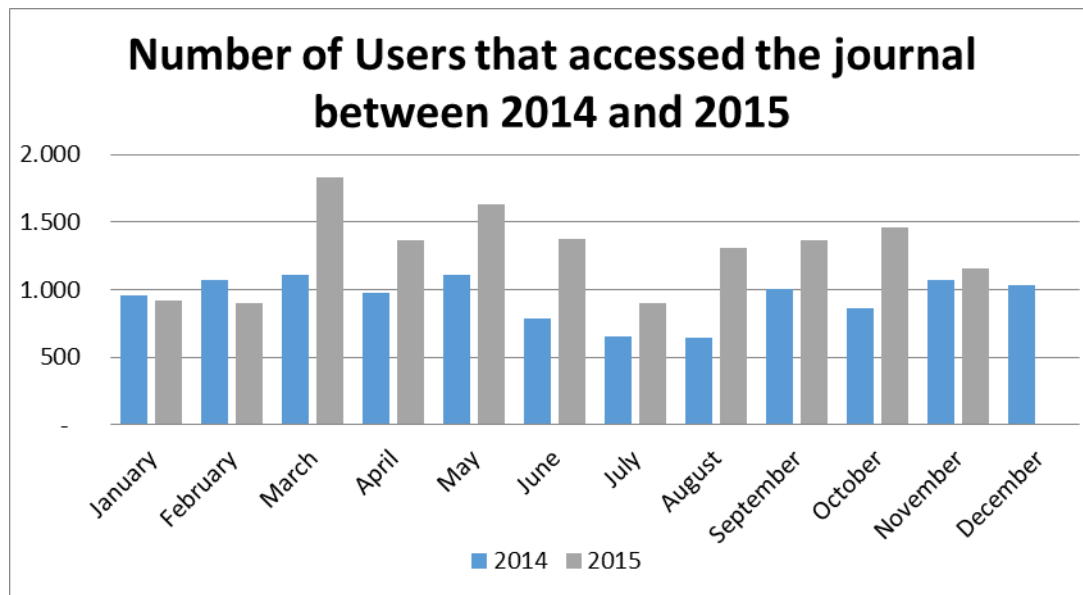


Figure 8: Amount of users between 2014 and 2015

The Figure 9 shows the comparison of the number of viewers, around the world, that have accessed the journal.



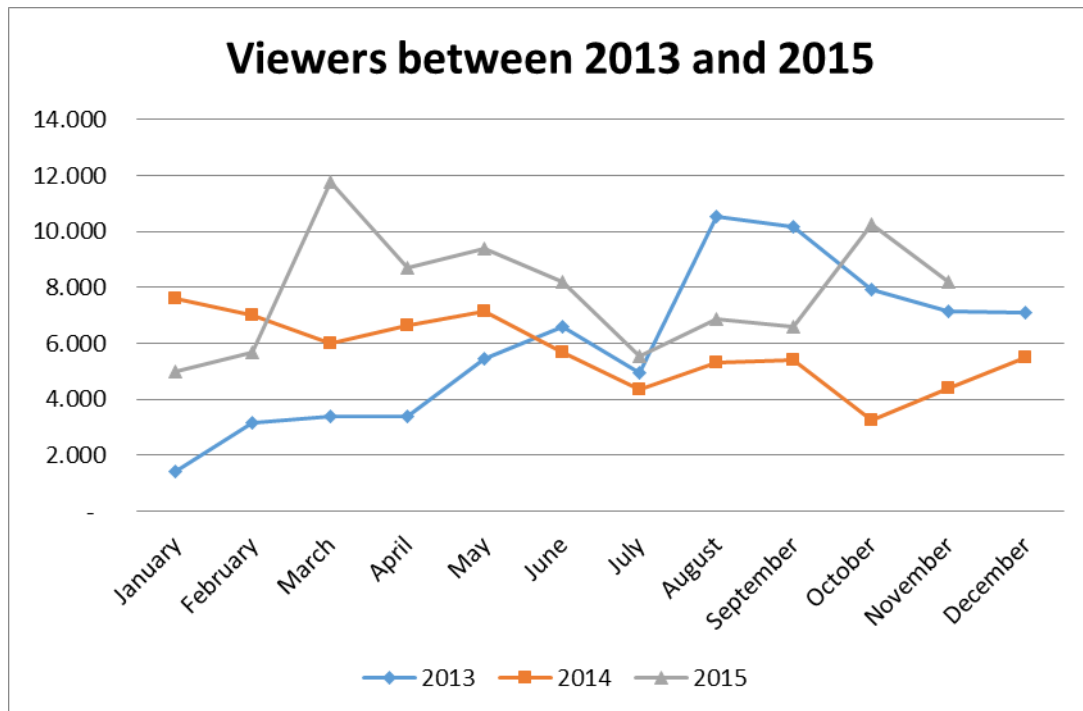


Figure 9: Amount of Viewers between 2014 and 2015

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