



*Editorial*

## Annual Report 2022

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### 1. Journal summary from Editor in Chief

Wish you a very happy and prosperous new year 2023! Now we have stepped into 2023, at the beginning of the new year and together with the Editorial Office of AIMS Allergy and Immunology, I wish to testify my sincere gratitude to all authors, members of the editorial board and reviewers, thanking everyone for their contribution to AIMS Allergy and Immunology in 2022, now we hope we could cooperate with you more this year.

It was the support of all members of our editorial board and peer reviewers that, despite of COVID-19 difficulties, made possible to successfully complete the full peer review, editing and publishing processes for AIMS Allergy and Immunology in 2022.

The submissions of our AIMS Allergy and Immunology journal in 2022 is 17, with 9 papers under processing (submitted in 2022); during this 2022 we had 32% rejection ratio and publication time (from submission to online) was 73 days, illustrating the strict and efficient review process. We have 10 top articles with highest citations from 15 to 3, and many countries are represented among our authors.

An important part of our strategy has been preparation of special issues. In 2022, two special issues were planned: (1) Young Investigator by Marcella Reale and (2) Anaphylaxis and Mast Cell Disorders by Theo Gulen. In 2023 already the special issue: Aging and Immunity by Ken S. Rosenthal was planned.

AIMS Allergy and Immunology editorial board has 69 members now, and 3 of which joined in 2022. We will continue to renew editorial board in 2023.

To promote and encourage submissions we have established the “Best Paper Award”. We will nominate the winner of best paper among the papers published in 2022 for the first time.

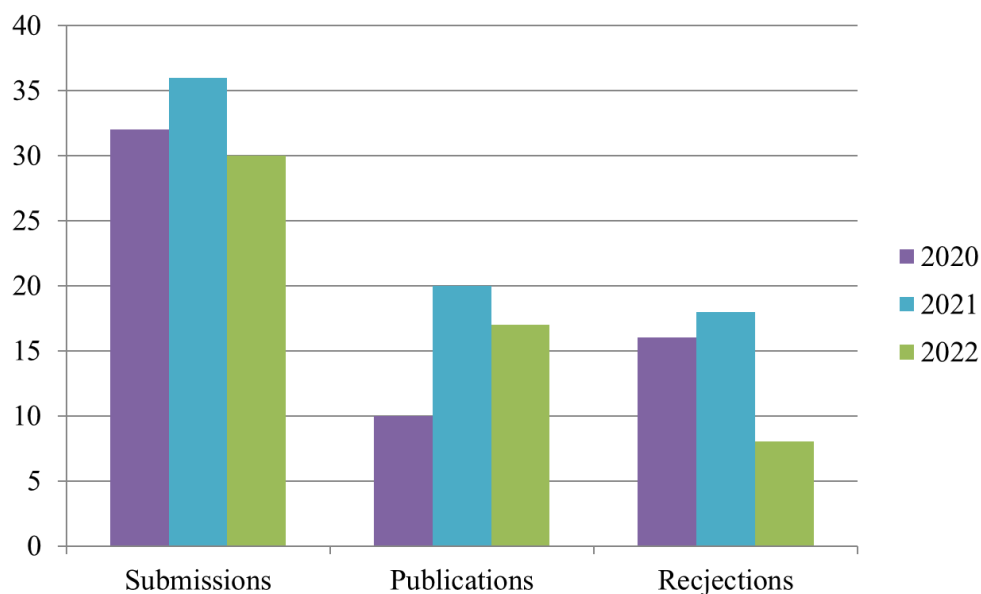
The road is still long and winding but we hope that in 2023, with the support of all the members of the editorial board and reviewers, it will be possible to expand the number of papers submitted and accepted, to be able to publish the scientific contributions of the congresses and special issues organized by the members of the editorial board, to increase the citation/paper and total citations to get the academic rank of AIMS Allergy and Immunology as soon as possible.

Please feel free to let us know your opinions, we will follow your suggestions and make updates to improve AIMS Allergy and Immunology.

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## 2. Editorial development

### 2.1. Manuscripts statistics

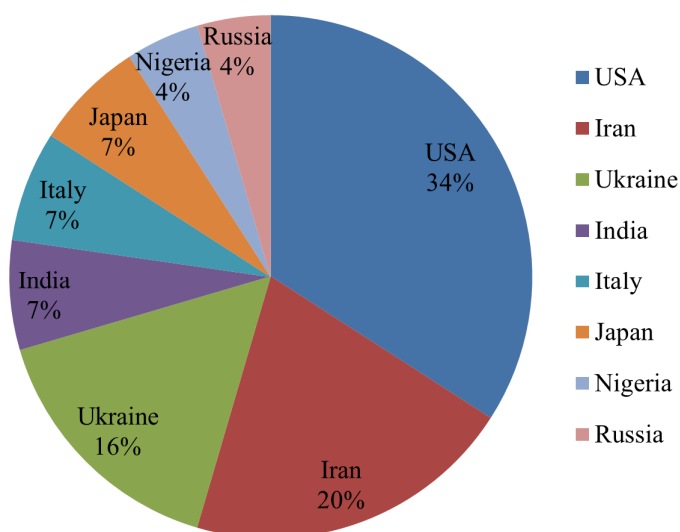


Under processing paper: 9

Rejection rate: 32%

Median publication time (from submission to online): 73 days

## 2.2. Author distribution



## 2.3. Articles type

Type	Number
Review	8
Research article	5
Mini review	1
Letter	1
Case report	1
Editorial	1

## 2.4. Articles metrics

The top 10 articles with highest viewed:

Title	Viewed
Targeting cancer cells: from historic methods to modern chimeric antigen receptor (CAR) T-Cell strategies	6945
Immunological and toxicological effects of bad indoor air to cause Dampness and Mold Hypersensitivity Syndrome	6468
Spleen in innate and adaptive immunity regulation	6348
“Toll-free” pathways for production of type I interferons	5939
Contribution of antibody-dependent enhancement to the pathogenesis of coronavirus infections	5574
Main NK cell receptors and their ligands: regulation by microRNAs	5272
Toll-like receptors and immune cell crosstalk in the intestinal epithelium	5225
IL-10 in cancer: Just a classical immunosuppressive factor or also an immunostimulating one?	5162
CLEC receptors, endocytosis and calcium signaling	4821
Interactions of allergic rhinitis and bronchial asthma at mucosal immunology level	4768

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Spleen in innate and adaptive immunity regulation	5
Homeostatic proliferation as a physiological process and a risk factor for autoimmune pathology	5
Toll-like receptors and immune cell crosstalk in the intestinal epithelium	5
Main NK cell receptors and their ligands: regulation by microRNAs	5
Investigating the affinity of poly tert-butyl acrylate toward Toll-Like Receptor 2	4
Migratory dermatographic urticaria following COVID-19 vaccine booster in young adult male	3
Role of RP105 and A20 in negative regulation of toll-like receptor activity in fibrosis: potential targets for therapeutic intervention	3

### 2.5. Topical section/special issue with the most papers

Topical section

*Immunity to Viruses*

<https://www.aimspress.com/allergy/article/5830/special-articles>

Special issue

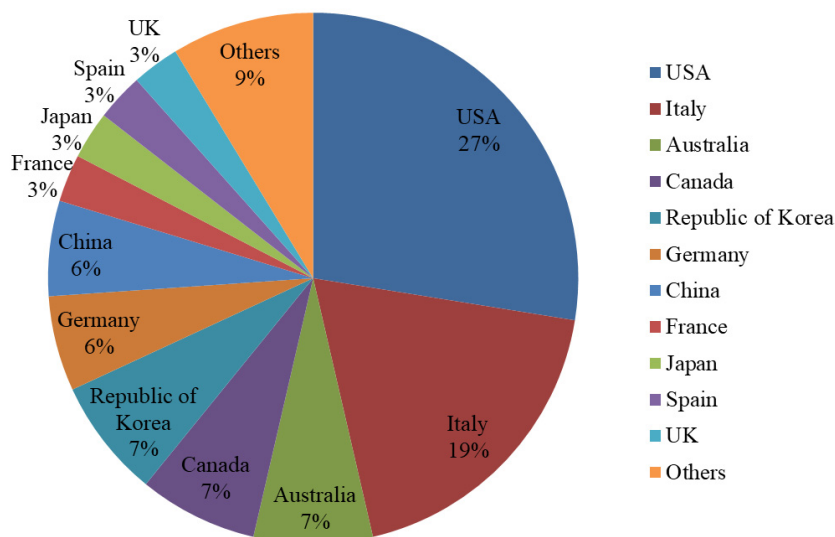
*Young Investigator*

Special issue editor: Prof. Marcella Reale

<https://www.aimspress.com/allergy/article/6071/special-articles>

## 2.6. Editorial board members

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## 2.7. Summary & plan

### 2.7.1. Summary

In 2022, our journal developed smoothly. We have received 30 submissions and published 17 papers in 2022. We will nominate the winner of Best paper among the paper published in 2022 for the first time. The processing period (from received to published) and acceptance rate all remains stable. Each submitted article is processed carefully, fairly, promptly, and the accepted papers appear in the journal in the shortest time.

### 2.7.2. Plan in 2023

Increase influence by soliciting and advertising high quality articles and special issues (topics). We seek to be indexed by more databases in 2023.

## Acknowledgments

We very much appreciate the time and effort of all our editorial board members and guest editors, as well as our reviewers. All of these excellent experts provided us with very useful and professional suggestions in 2022. Many thanks to you all.

Thanks also for the contribution of all authors and the hard work of the in-house editorial team.



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