

J-STAGE: System for Publishing and Linking Electronic Journals in Japan



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About J-STAGE

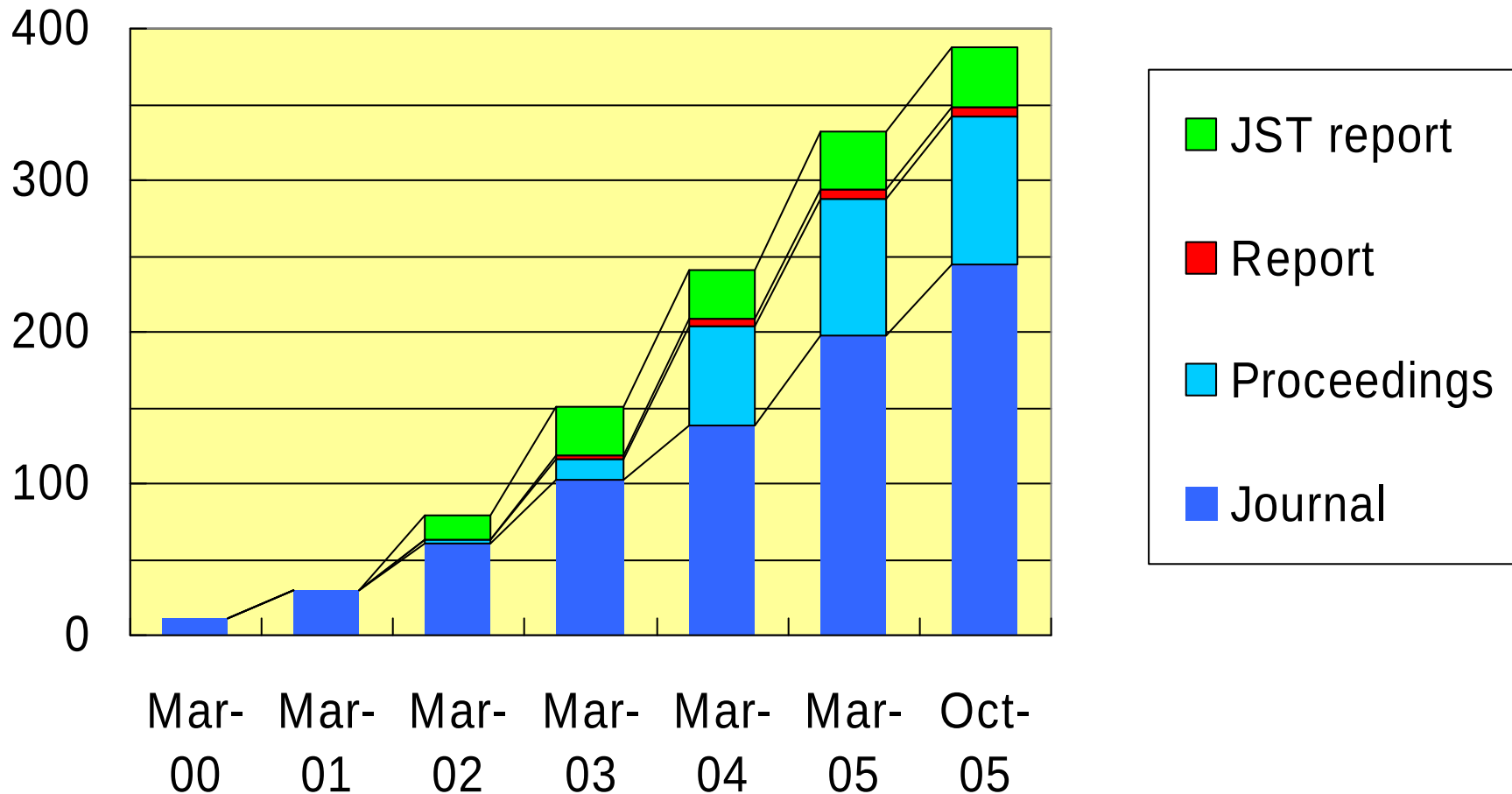
Japan Science and Technology Information
AGgregator, Electronic

- Free platform of electronic journals for academic societies in Japan ***since October 1999***
- Used by ***327 academic societies***
- Hosts ***245 journals, 89 conference proceedings, 6 reports, and 40 JST reports***
- About ***163,000 articles*** are published
- More than ***300,000 PDFs*** are downloaded per month
- Gets the Japanese government budget about ***1.2 billion Japanese Yen*** for each fiscal year

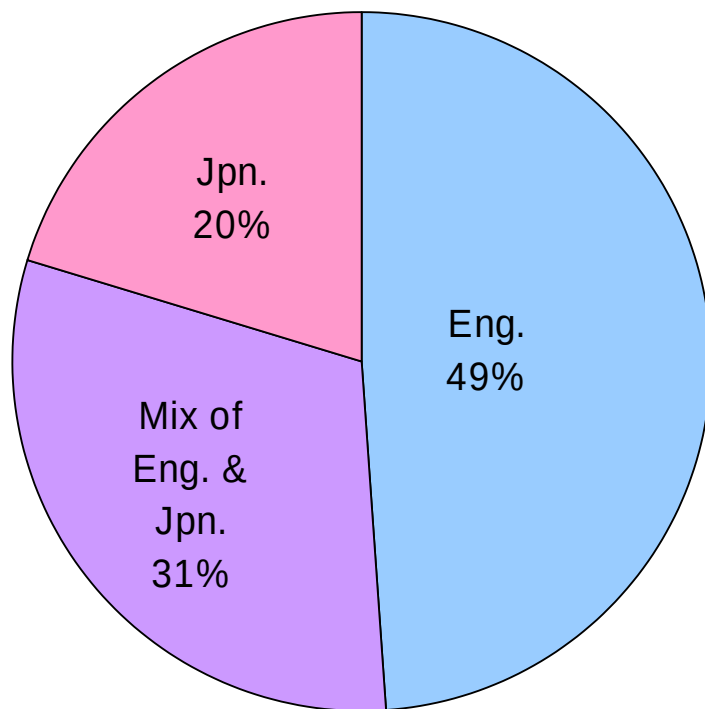
J-STAGE

- **Helps academic societies in Japan to publish their electronic journals**
 - free of charge for use
 - can be customized for each academic society
 - copyrights are still held by the academic societies
- **Disseminates STM information to the world**
 - everyone can access without any registrations
 - abstracts can be viewed freely
 - full text access is controlled by each academic society (free access, id/password or IP address authentication)
 - supports many functions: errata, electronic supplements, full-text search, reference linking, new arrival alert
- **Supports all processes of electronic publishing**
submission/reception of manuscripts, peer-reviewing, judgment, editing, loading articles on the web site

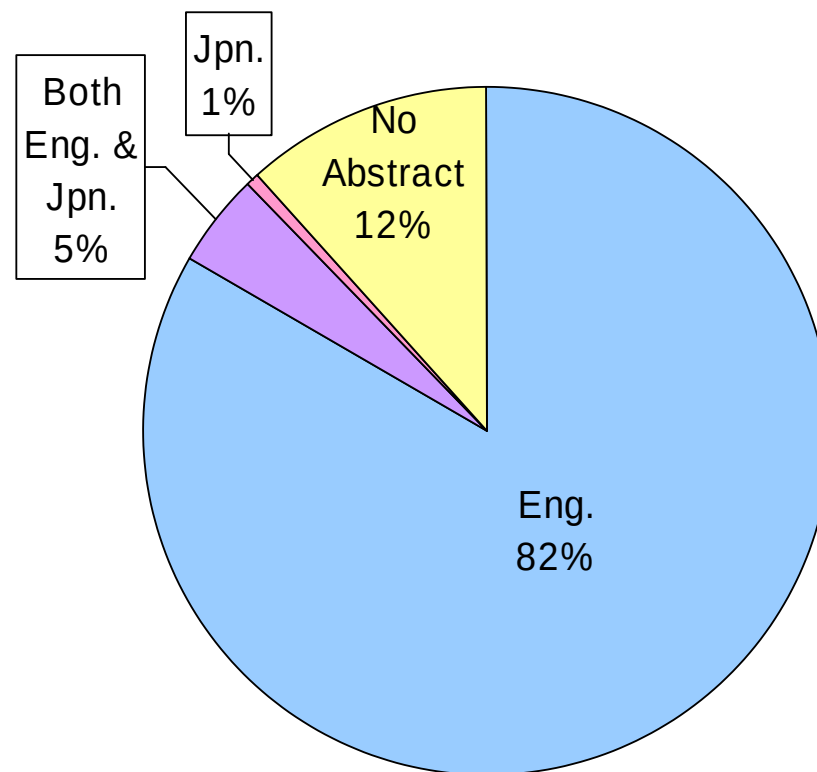
Number of Titles on J-STAGE



Language of Journals on J-STAGE



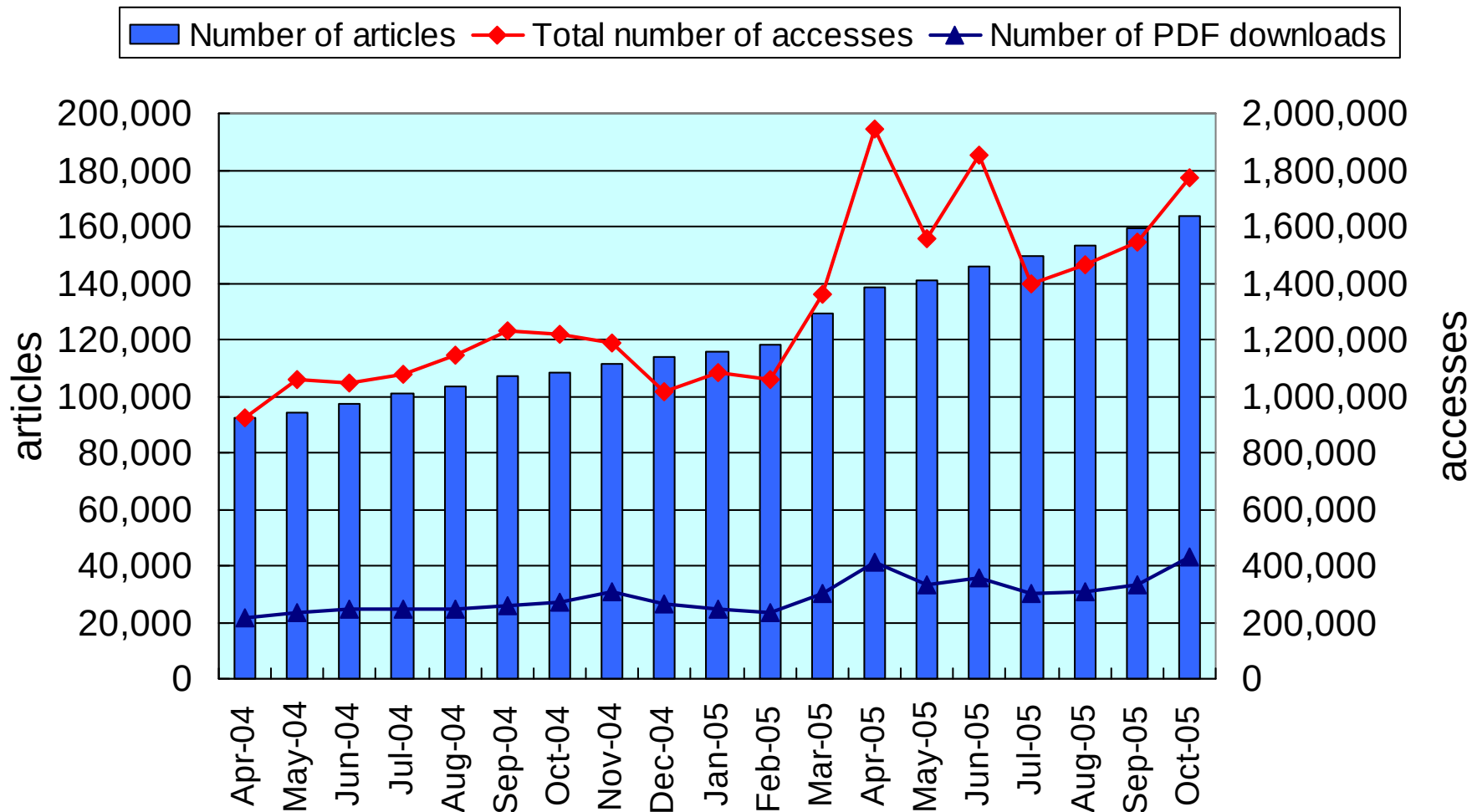
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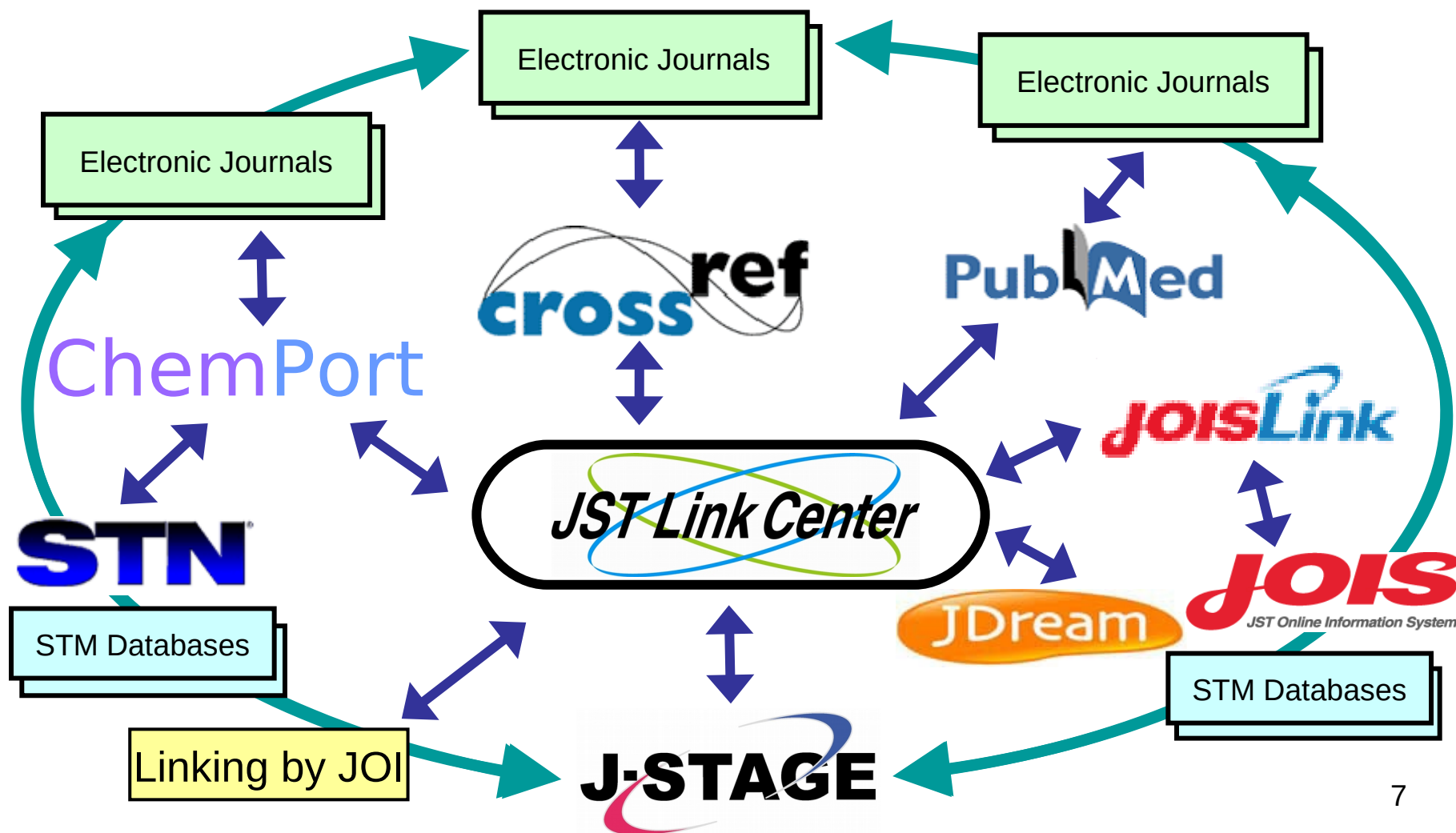
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Number of Articles on J-STAGE and Number of Accesses to J-STAGE



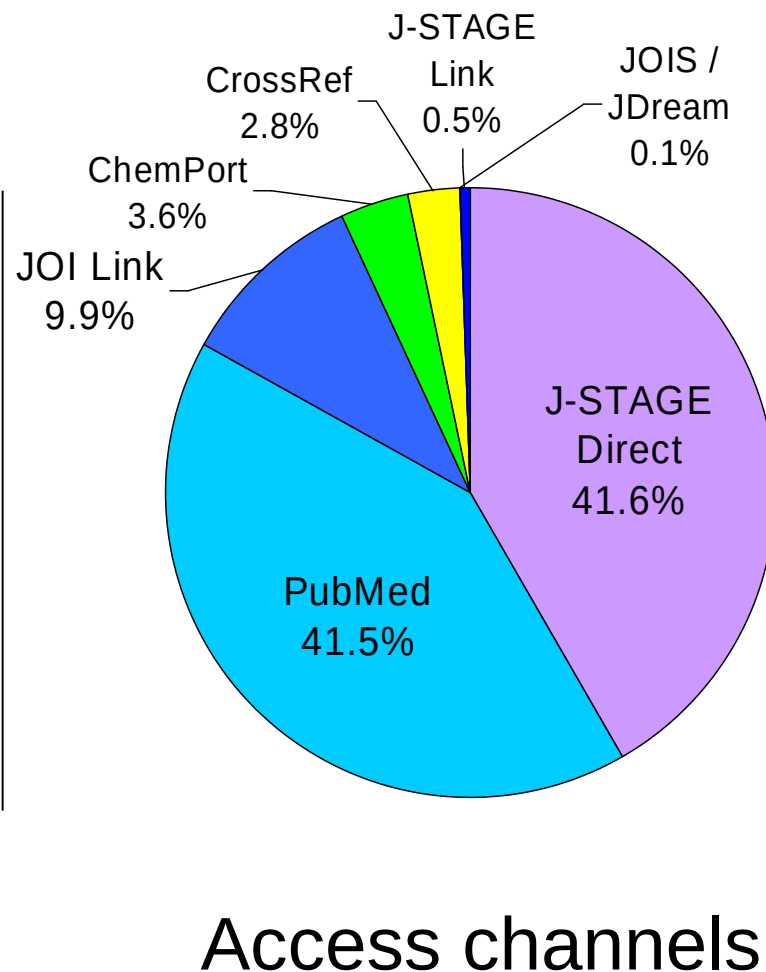
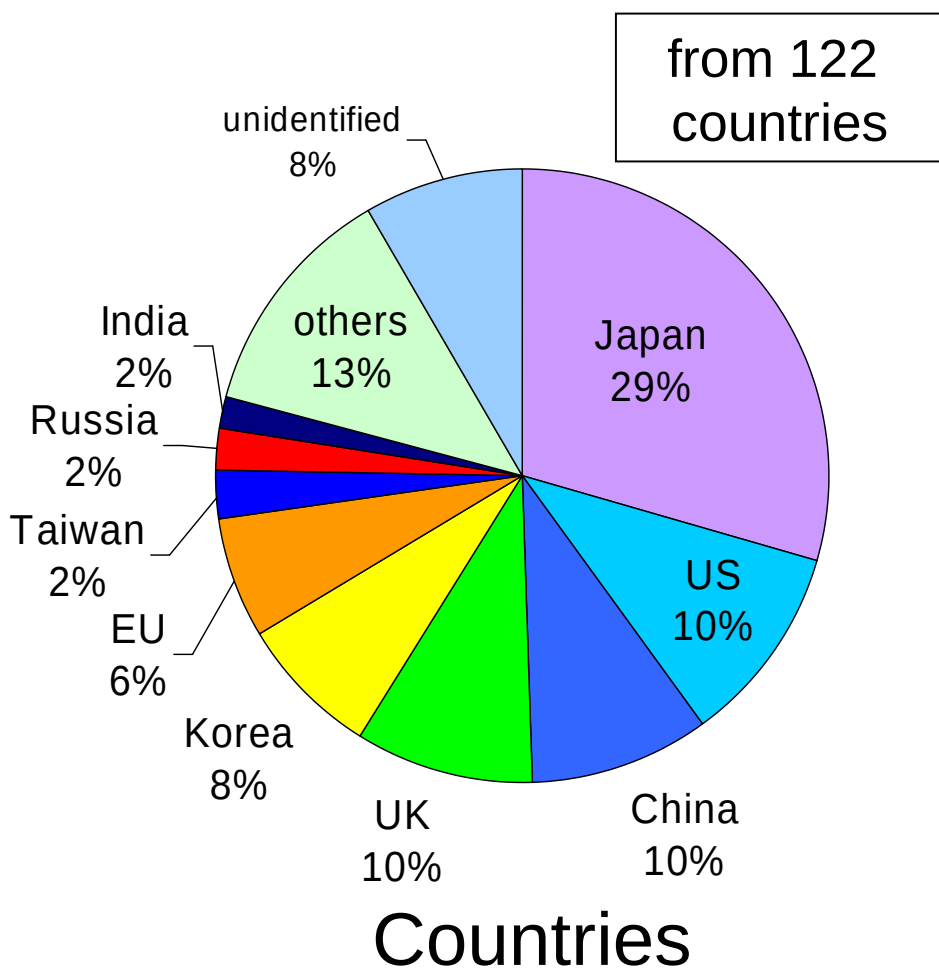
Linking via JST Link Center

Enables linking between electronic journals and bibliographic databases



User Distribution of J-STAGE

(April 2004 ~ September 2005)



Future Plans

- Encouraging more journals to use J-STAGE
 - **500 titles** by the end of fiscal 2006
- Extension of links to other sites
 - cooperation with **Google**
 - participation in **CrossRef Search**
 - provision of **OpenURL** interface
- Back Issue Digital Archiving Initiative
 - production of back file data back to the first issue
 - major 500 titles in five years
- More New Functions
 - alert mail when an article is cited
 - usage reports in **COUNTER*** format
 - * **C**ounting **O**nline **U**sage of **N**etworked **E**lectronic **R**esource