



## NISC Journals now indexed in Journal Citation Reports®!

In recent years NISC has had several journals added to Thomson Reuters' Journal Citation Reports® (JCR), commonly referred to as being 'ISI rated'. JCR is the world's leading authority for evaluating the impact and influence of the world's foremost research journals and, among other data, presents the widely used journal impact factors. The latest issue of JCR has just been released. Many NISC journals have just received their first impact factors and are off to a respectable start. Others, such as the highly rated *African Journal of Marine Science*, have grown their impact factor year on year. *African Journal of Marine Science* is now the top-rated African journal.

### Results from the 2009 JCR (published in 2010)

*African Journal of AIDS Research*  
First Impact Factor: 0.569

*African Journal of Marine Science*  
Increased Impact Factor and **top-rated African journal**: 1.520

*Ostrich: Journal of African Ornithology*  
Increased Impact Factor: 0.254

*Quaestiones Mathematicae*  
First Impact Factor: 0.267

*Southern African Linguistics and Applied Language Studies*  
First Impact Factor: 0.066

*Southern Forests: a Journal of Forest Science*  
First Impact Factor: 0.500

### Journals with their first impact factor still pending (to be released in 2011)

*African Journal of Aquatic Science*  
*African Journal of Range & Forage Science*

### Other information

*Journal of the Musical Arts in Africa*  
Newly included in the Arts and Humanities Index®

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