



# International Brazilian of Urology is the Seventh Biggest Impact Factor (4.5) Among Urology and Andrology Journals in the World

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The 2025 September-October number of Int Braz J Urol, is very special. The International Brazilian Journal of Urology new impact factor just been released and we read a spectacular result: 4.5 (Figure-1). This significant increase in the impact factor in the last year is due to the rigorous and technical selection of published articles. Important papers in robotic surgery (1, 2), reconstructive surgery (3), sexual medicine (4), basic research (5), uro-oncology (6, 7), endourology (8) and neurourology (9) contributed greatly to increasing the impact factor due to the large number of citations they received.

With this new impact factor, we are in seventh position among all andrology and urology journals in the world (Figure-2) and if we count the areas of nephrology and urology (which are related) we are the sixteenth largest impact factor among 133 journals analyzed. We are now on the same level as traditional urology journals. In less than six years of our tenure as editor-in-chief, we have achieved through hard and serious work quadripling the journal's impact factor and making the journal one of the most important in the field in the world.

What is striking is that the International Brazilian Journal of Urology is fully open access and does not charge a cent for authors to publish their articles. We are therefore the fully open-access journal with the greatest impact in the world in our area. We must celebrate this achievement and continue with our work. We are on the right track, and we will surely increase even more our impact factor and our relevance in the academic environment.

**Figure 1 - The figure shows the International Brazilian Journal of Urology calculation of the impact factor in 2024.**

## Calculation

Journal Impact Factor <sup>TM</sup> is calculated using the following metrics:

$$\frac{\text{Citations in 2024 to items published in 2022} \\ (307) + 2023 (226)}{\text{Number of citable items in 2022 (65) + 2023} \\ (54)} = \frac{533}{119} = 4.5$$

**Figure 2 - The figure shows the Journal Citation Report 2025 (CLARIVATE) in Urology and Andrology. We can observe that the International Brazilian Journal of Urology with the new impact factor (4.5) is in seventh place among the 85 journals in this area, truly a great achievement**

JOURNAL CITATION REPORTS™ 2025 (CLARIVATE) JOURNALS OF UROLOGY AND ANDROLOGY							
Journal name	2024 JIF	JIF Quartile	Total citations	Journal name	2024 JIF	JIF Quartile	Total citations
EUROPEAN UROLOGY	25.2	Q1	36,969	INTERNATIONAL UROLOGY AND NEPHROLOGY	1.9	Q3	6,997
Nature Reviews Urology	14.6	Q1	7,509	Journal of Pediatric Urology	1.9	Q3	5,229
European Urology Oncology	9.3	Q1	4,058	BMC Urology	1.9	Q3	3,375
JOURNAL OF UROLOGY	6.8	Q1	41,598	Central European Journal of Urology	1.9	Q3	1,081
PROSTATE CANCER AND PROSTATIC DISEASES	5.8	Q1	4,813	BIJU Compass	1.9	Q3	504
European Urology Focus	5.6	Q1	5,630	INTERNATIONAL UROGYNECOLOGY JOURNAL	1.8	Q3	8,624
International Braz J Urol	4.5	Q1	2,726	<b>Translational Andrology and Urology</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>Q3 (U) Q4 (A)</b>	<b>4,561</b>
European Urology Open Science	4.5	Q1	1,943	Urology Practice	1.7	Q3	829
BIU INTERNATIONAL	4.4	Q1	18,324	LUTS-Lower Urinary Tract Symptoms	1.5	Q3	713
Minerva Urology and Nephrology	4.2	Q1	1,713	American Journal of Clinical and Experimental Urology	1.4	Q3	517
<b>World Journal of Mens Health</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>Q1 (U) Q1 (A)</b>	<b>2,134</b>	UROLOGIA INTERNATIONALIS	1.3	Q3	3,468
Therapeutic Advances in Urology	3.5	Q1	1,430	Archivio Italiano di Urologia e Andrologia	1.3	Q3	966
<b>Andrology</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>Q1</b>	<b>5,574</b>	Current Urology	1.3	Q3	665
Sexual Medicine Reviews	3.4	Q1	2,033	Actas Urológicas Españolas	1.2	Q3	1,078
Journal of Sexual Medicine	3.3	Q1	12,861	Arab Journal of Urology	1.2	Q3	1,060
WORLD JOURNAL OF UROLOGY	2.9	Q2	11,334	Bladder Cancer	1.2	Q3	563
UROLOGIC CLINICS OF NORTH AMERICA	2.9	Q2	2,297	Continence	1.2	Q3	118
Current Urology Reports	2.9	Q2	2,281	Urology Research and Practice	1.1	Q3	77
JOURNAL OF ENDOUROLOGY	2.8	Q2	8,099	PROGRES EN UROLOGIE	1.1	Q3	1,175
<b>ASIAN JOURNAL OF ANDROLOGY</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>Q2 (U) Q2 (A)</b>	<b>4,887</b>	Turkish Journal of Urology	1.1	Q3	896
Clinical Genitourinary Cancer	2.7	Q2	3,775	Kidney Cancer	1.1	Q3	153
Research and Reports in Urology	2.7	Q2	997	Frontiers in Urology	1.1	Q3	152
Aging Male	2.6	Q2	1,421	Indian Journal of Urology	0.9	Q4	1,271
Prostate International	2.6	Q2	656	Urology Journal	0.9	Q4	1,167
PROSTATE	2.5	Q2	7,342	Canadian Journal of Urology	0.9	Q4	1,114
<b>INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF IMPOTENCE RESEARCH</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>Q2</b>	<b>3,353</b>	ARCHIVOS ESPAÑOL DE UROLOGIA	0.9	Q4	733
Asian Journal of Urology	2.4	Q2	1,064	Urology Annals	0.8	Q4	1,018
UROLOGIC ONCOLOGY-SEMINARS AND ORIGINAL INVESTIGATIONS	2.3	Q2	7,101	<b>Revista Internacional de Andrologia</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>Q4</b>	<b>195</b>
Current Sexual Health Reports	2.3	Q2	742	Urologia Journal	0.7	Q4	631
Advances in Urology	2.3	Q2	670	IBU Case Reports	0.6	Q4	277
INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF UROLOGY	2.2	Q2	5,136	Urological Science	0.6	Q4	268
CURRENT OPINION IN UROLOGY	2.2	Q2	2,249	Trends in Urology & Mens Health	0.6	Q4	119
Urolithiasis	2.2	Q2	2,164	Journal of Clinical Urology	0.5	Q4	385
Systems Biology in Reproductive Medicine	2.2	Q2	1,344	International Journal of Urological Nursing	0.5	Q4	153
Investigative and Clinical Urology	2.1	Q2	1,200	Continence Reports	0.5	Q4	17
International Neurourology Journal	2.1	Q2	1,155	Urology Case Reports	0.4	Q4	1,145
Scandinavian Journal of Urology	2.1	Q2	1,030	Urologie	0.4	Q4	692
UROLOGY	2.0	Q2	19,731	African Journal of Urology	0.4	Q4	428
<b>ANDROLOGIA</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>Q3</b>	<b>6,590</b>	Current Bladder Dysfunction Reports	0.4	Q4	243
CUAJ-Canadian Urological Association Journal	2.0	Q2	2,684	AKTUELLE UROLOGIE	0.4	Q4	156
Sexual Medicine	2.0	Q2	1,606	Journal of Urological Surgery	0.2	Q4	90
Basic and Clinical Andrology	2.0	Q3	507				
NEUROUROLOGY AND URODYNAMICS	1.9	Q3	7,821				

Legend
Category: Urology
Category: Urology (andrological journal)
Category: Andrology
Category: both Urology and Andrology



The Editor-in-chief expects everyone to enjoy reading the original contributions with a lot of interesting papers in this number.

## CONFLICT OF INTEREST

None declared.

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