



# VP Publication Report

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Outline:

Systems Journal status

New EiC/activities

New Journals/Magazines

Open Access





# IEEE Systems Journal Status

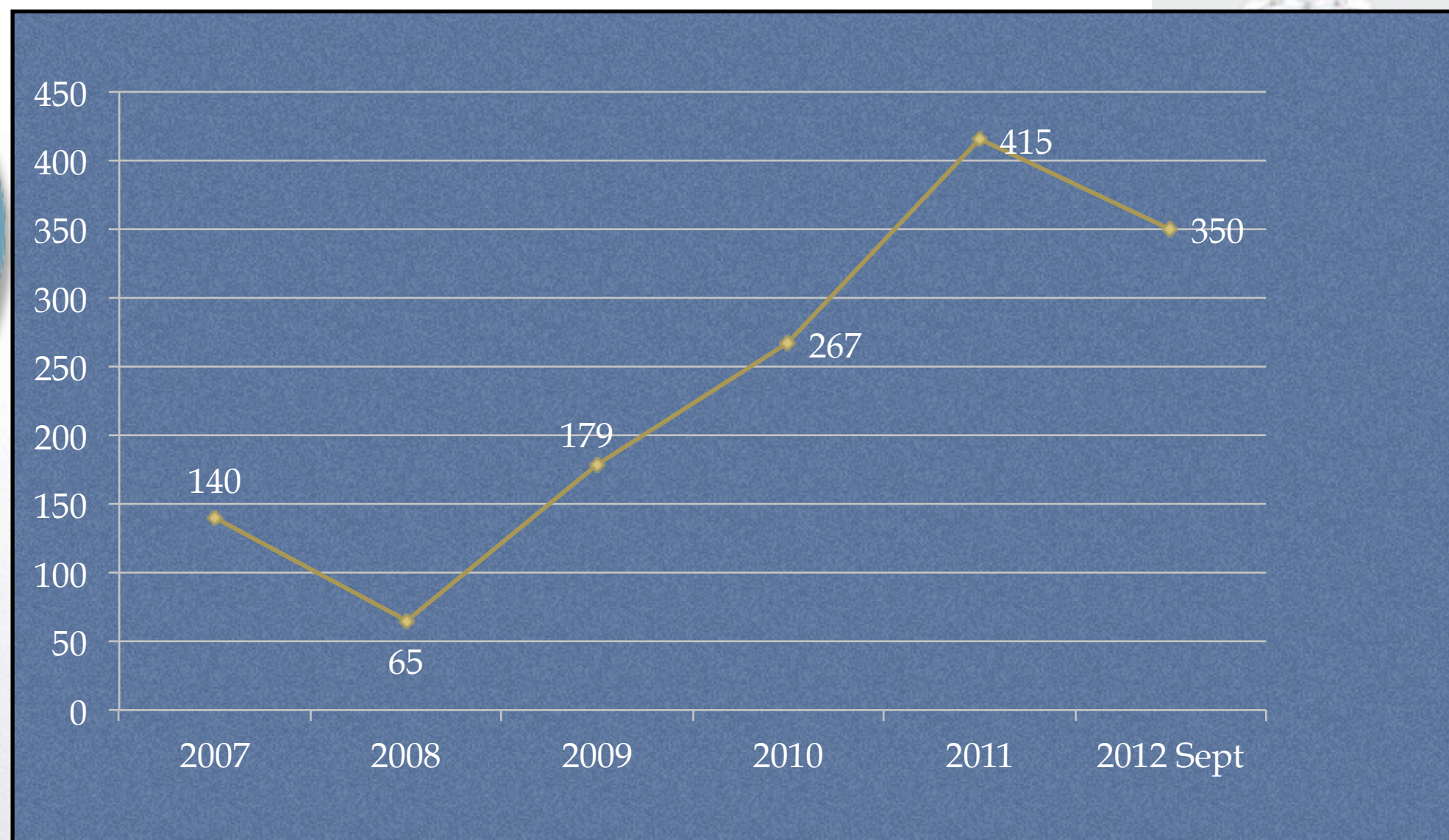
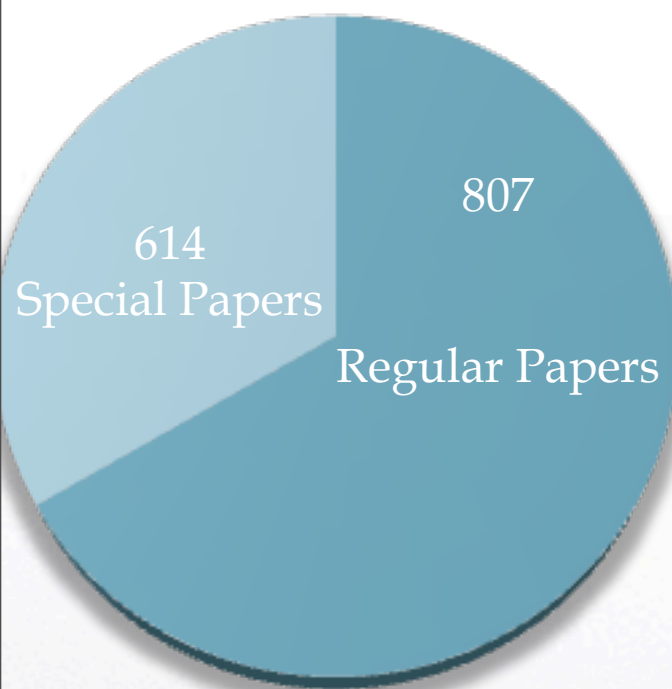


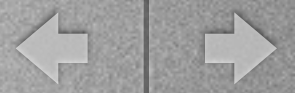


# IEEE Systems Journal: some facts



## Type of Papers





## IEEE Systems Journal: some facts

Year	Submitted	Published	Rejected	Withdrawn	In process	
2007	140	63	71	5	0	1st year
2008	65	35	25	1	4	2nd year
2009	178	98	95	11	6	3rd year
2010	269	111	141	7	7	4th year
2011	415	12	178	12	173	5th year
2012	354	0	79	5	267	6th year
<b>Total</b>	<b>1421</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>589</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>papers</b>





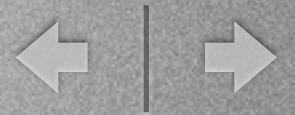
# Production figures

	# articles	average (weeks)
min	1	6
max	362	120
mean	54	82
std	52	19
Our Journal	8	41.5

Photonics Journal

Aerospace & elect. systems

Source:  
IEEE Submission To Publication Report Listed by Publication  
For Articles Published in Q1 2012



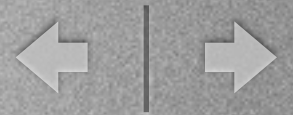
# Figures and facts

#citations/year

- The first 5 most cited papers (2011 and 2012 numbers):

Title: <a href="#">Evaluation of the State of Passive UHF RFID: An Experimental Approach</a> Author(s): Aroor Supreetha Rao; Deavours Daniel D.	4.5 (5)
Title: <a href="#">RFID Application Development With the Accada Middleware Platform</a> Author(s): Floerkemeier Christian; Roduner Christof; Lampe Matthias	3 (4.5)
Title: <a href="#">Biologically Inspired Cooperative Routing for Wireless Mobile Sensor Networks</a> Author(s): Iyengar S. S.; Wu Hsiao-Chun; Balakrishnan N.; et al.	2.83 (3.18)
Title: <a href="#">Processes for System Family Architecting, Design, and Integration</a> Author(s): Sage Andrew P.; Biemer Steven M.	1.67 (2.50)
Title: <a href="#">Practical Minimalist Cryptography for RFID Privacy</a> Author(s): Langheinrich Marc; Marti Remo	1.33 (1.67)





# Figures (ISI web of science)

- Impact factor 2011 - **0.923**
- Impact factor 2010 - 0.629
- Impact factor 2009 - 0.825

IF year  $X$  = average number of citations per article in year  $X$  of articles in previous 2 years ( $X-1$ ,  $X-2$ )

- INCOSE Systems Engineering
- Impact factor 2011 - **0.42**
- Impact factor 2010 - 0.791
- Impact factor 2009 - 0.578

## Usage example

IF enters research quality assessment models throughout the world

## Drawback

Often criticized because induces adaptive behaviors by authors and publishers



# Figures 2007-2012

- Regular papers: 97
- Systems conference: 4
- 12 closed special issues
- 4 open special issues

Source: Mo Jamshidi





# New EiC

- The Editor in Chief Mo Jamshidi has done an excellent job
- New EiC selection process managed over the last months
- Call for applicants sent to member socs and published in the Systems journal
- Applications before June 15: 4 candidates have responded
- 3 of them were outstanding: Vincenzo Piuri was selected as new EiC
- Regional/co-editors as a possible policy to improve journal diffusion and impact (other candidates available to take this role)




# Discussion ...

- The Journal masthead will list the name of Mo Jamshidi as its Founding EIC
- Congratulations to the new EIC





# Vision



IEEE SYSTEMS COUNCIL

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SYSTEMS THINKING?  
THINK OF THE IEEE SYSTEMS JOURNAL!

The IEEE Systems Journal publishes peer-reviewed technical papers dealing with many shared aspects and attributes of systems and system-of-systems across the many domains and applications, in particular:

- complexity
- dynamics
- integration
- interoperability
- adaptability
- completeness
- effectiveness
- modeling
- analysis
- simulation
- engineering
- science
- human factors
- management
- operations
- communications
- applications
- ethics
- education
- and much more

**Typical domains include:**

- autonomous vehicles and systems
- disaster response
- energy
- environmental monitoring and control
- exploratory exploration (space, terrestrial, underwater)
- global earth observation & prediction
- human health and life science
- intermodal transportation systems
- logistics
- national defenses security
- organizational internal
- privacy & security
- social and political systems
- socio-economic (including trade & banking systems)

**Typical disciplines, processes, and skills include:**

- automation & control
- decision making and optimization
- management of large-scale systems
- manufacturing
- mission assurance
- modeling and simulation
- nanotechnology in system-of-systems
- self-con guration and adaptation
- product life cycle
- regulatory compliance
- reliability & availability
- safety
- maintainability
- quality
- risk management
- scholarship of systems engineering
- systems engineering processes
- systems-of-systems

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- **Medium term:** consolidate journal/website
- Promote journal at member socs flagship conferences: send handouts/posters to conference/publication coordinators: **DONE**
- Ease publication path from SYSC conf. to journal (state so in cfp, conf. website): **DONE** - added blurb to website
- Member socs to promote special issues (e.g. through rep. members: complex instrumentation systems): **DONE** - submitted special issue proposal to EiC on **Complex Measurement Systems**
- Encourage submission of review papers (Mo's input)



# Sponsorship of other pubs

- Currently involved in following activities:
- Financial sponsorship of T. Cloud Comp. (7%)
- IEEE Cloud Computing Magazine (SYSC involm.TBD)
- IEEE Trans. on Big Data (SYSC involm.TBD) to be proposed in 2013





# Trans. on Cloud Computing

- SYSC to be financial sponsor of IEEE Trans. on Cloud Computing (7%)

Computer Society: 51%, being the lead society

ComSoc: 20%

PES: 15%

Systems Council: 7%

Cons. Electr. 7%

MOU signed

Currently serving on the steering committee

Looking for EiC, deadline 5th October

CFA: <http://www.computer.org/portal/web/pressroom/IEEE-Transactions-on-Cloud-Computing-Seeks-Editor-in-Chief>



# Cloud Computing Magazine

- IEEE Cloud Computing Magazine

Launch date: March 2014 (tentative)

Frequency: 4 issues/year

Financial co-sponsorships:

Computer Society 75%

Communications Society 25%

Technical co-sponsorships:

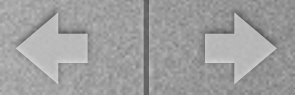
Power and Energy Society

Consumer Electronics Society

Systems Council

Signal Processing Society





# Input: ASPP - financial analysis

## Computer society snapshot

### Analysis For Inclusion Into ASPP/ New Pubs

Metrics Table

				Percentile
				50-100%
				25-50%
				0-25%
				Rank %
SOCIETY		PUB		
16	C	16CT-C	T-C	61%
16	C	16CM-C	M-C	98%
16	C	16CT-SE	T-SE	71%
16	C	16CT-PAMI	T-PAMI	76%
16	C	16CT-KDE	T-KDE	49%
16	C	16CT-PDS	T-PDS	79%
16	C	16CT-VCG	T-VCG	91%
16	C	16CM-CG&A	M-CG&A	86%
16	C	16CM-MICRO	M-MICRO	88%
16	C	16CM-SOFT	M-SOFT	95%
16	C	16CM-IS	M-IS	78%
16	C	16CM-AHC	M-AHC	85%
16	C	16CM-MULTI	M-MULTI	72%
16	C	16CM-IC	M-IC	89%
16	C	16CM-ITPRO	M-ITPRO	77%
16	C	16CD&S-COMP	D&S-COMP	76%
16	C	16CL-CA	L-CA	86%
16	C	16CM-PVC	M-PVC	97%
16	C	16CT-SC	T-SC	50%

- Ranking of all journals according to **margin**=revenue-cost
- IEEE Systems Journal: 34%
- Keyword search within ISJ:
- 'data' - 89 results

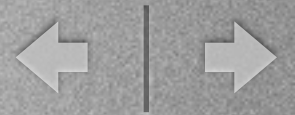
Source: 2012\_sc\_analysis\_for\_inclusion\_into\_aspp



# Technical/financial sponsorship

- Proposals stage does not allow for budget estimates (asked for)
- Do our scientific/technical interests justify involvement?
- Does our budget allow us to sponsor other journals/magazines?
- Are we willing to take risks?

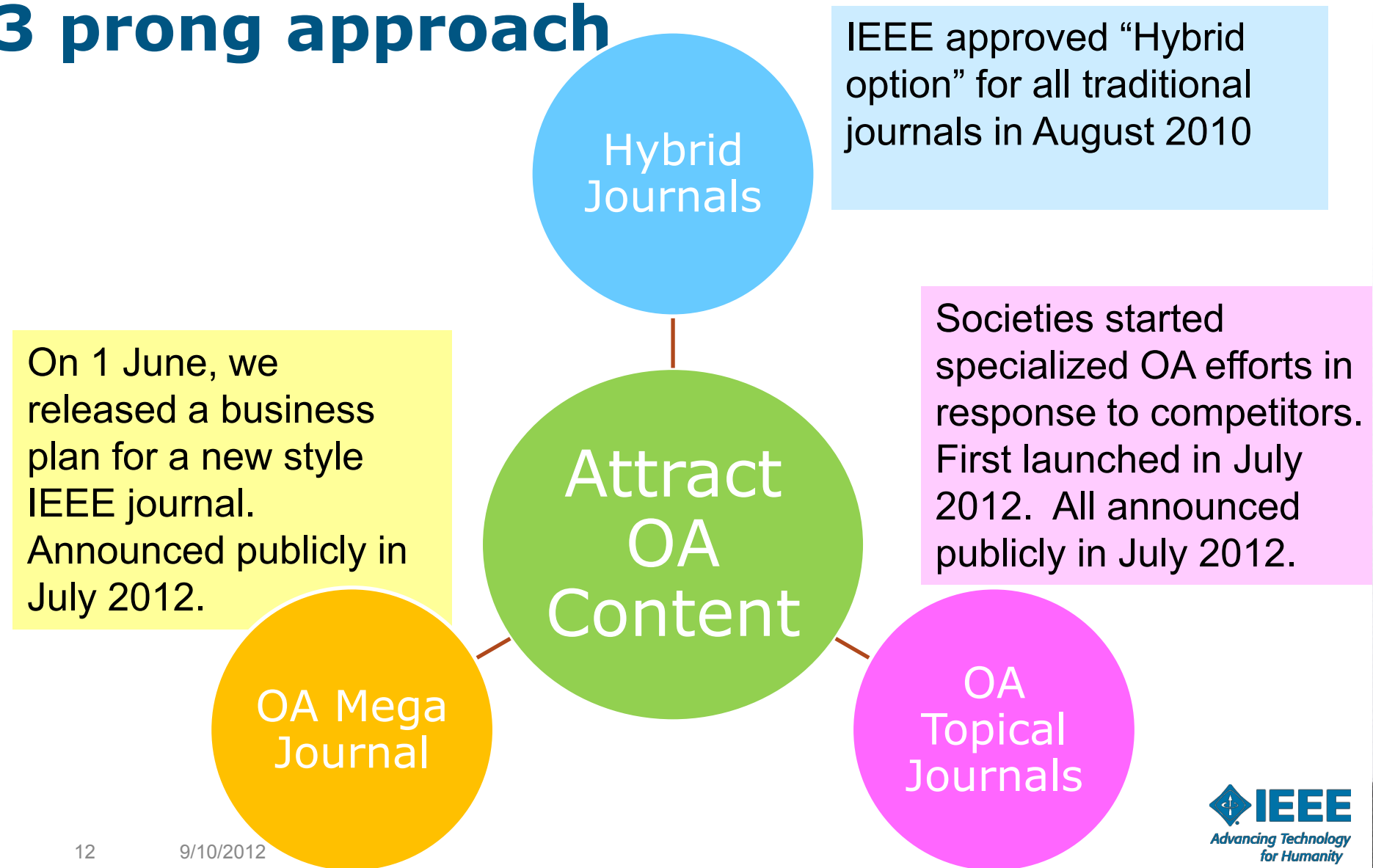




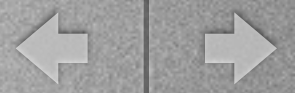
# IEEE Open Access Strategy

- IEEE moving fast using a 3 prong OA strategy

## Recommended OA Strategy – 3 prong approach



webinars on this topic



# IEEE OA

<b>Hybrid Journals Produced by</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•Pubs</li><li>•ComSoc</li><li>•Computer</li><li>•Other Societies</li></ul> Discount \$1750* + Pg Chg	<b>OA Topical Journals</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•Photonics</li><li>•J-TEHM</li><li>•ET in Computing</li><li>•Journal of EDS</li></ul> Mostly \$1350 + Pg Chg	<b>OA Mega Journal</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•IEEE Access</li></ul> \$1750
Promote OA available in Traditional Journals	Product Communications Plans	Product Communications Plan

- Different timeframes for each, some already/about to roll out, some needing triage, and some emerging
- Differing starting points
- Near term and Longer term plans will be necessary

\* Discounted price from \$3000 for 24 months



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# IEEE Systems Journal

- Does not use ScholarOne Manuscripts to **handle** submission
- Uses Work Management Systems for **production**
- Necessary to start operations for including hybrid OA approach
- Excluding for the moment being the foundation of new full OA journals
- Will work with current and next EiC (deadline **Nov. 1**)
- **HOLD SPACE in NEXT ISSUE** (1 full page - promotional ad for authors)



# html formatted papers

- 1,400 HTML-formatted articles are now available via IEEE Xplore.
- The HTML-formatted articles also provide access to:

- Figures in a variety of formats, including high-resolution
- References in context
- TeX source of display equations
- Information on who is citing this article

goal this year: 200,000 articles in flagship journals (2001-2011) and conf. proceedings