Status of new articles compilation
(Action A2)

Delay in compilation (analyzed on 2010-03-26)

The date of publication (main reference) is compared with the date of transmission to NDS for each *new* EXFOR entry, where:

$Delay$ = time of transmission – time of publication (in month)

Table: Averaged delay in compilation (month of transmission – month of compilation)

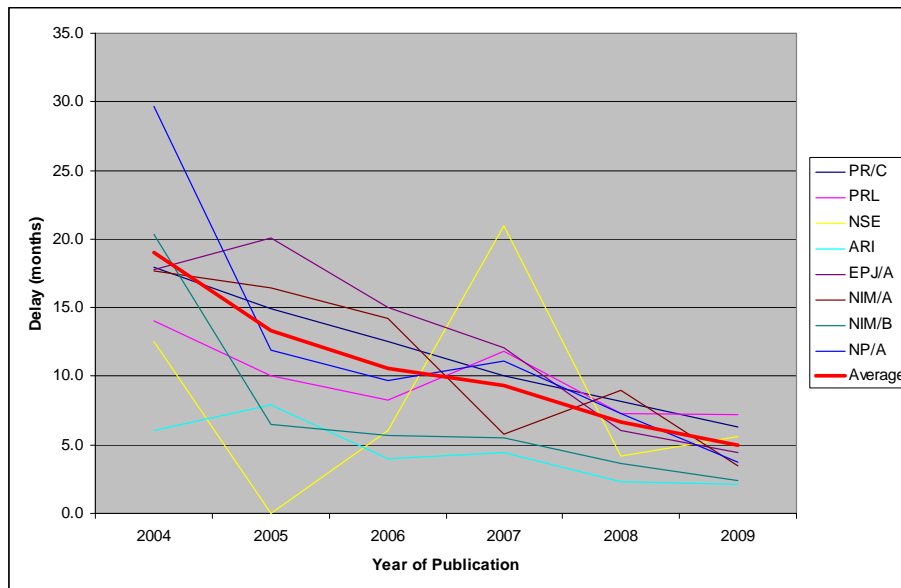| Pub.Year	PR/C	PRL	NSE	ARI	EPJ/A	NIM/A	NIM/B	NP/A	Average
2004	17.9	14.0	12.5	6.0	17.8	17.7	20.3	29.7	19.0
2005	14.9	10.0	(none)	7.9	20.1	16.4	6.5	11.9	13.3
2006	12.5	8.3	6.0	4.0	15.0	14.2	5.7	9.7	10.6
2007	10.0	11.8	21.0	4.4	12.1	5.8	5.5	11.1	9.3
2008	8.2	7.3	4.2	2.3	6.0	9.0	3.6	7.3	6.7
2009	6.3	7.2	5.6	2.1	4.4	3.5	2.4	3.7	5.0

Fig. 1.

Averaged delay in compilation for major journals

Conclusion:
Time in compilation new articles was reduced, but it is still relatively big.