

Editor's Note:
JCST 2020: Expect some great changes

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The *Journal of Current Science and Technology* (JCST) has undergone great changes in 2020.

First, JCST officially discontinued the print version of the journal. The last in-print JCST (ISSN 2630-0583) was Volume 9 Number 2, July-December 2019, allowing the journal to focus on its online-only version from January 2020 onward. The journal will continue publishing high-quality peer reviewed articles in strictly electronic form [ISSN 2630-0656 (Online)] which can be easily accessed on the web.

Second, the acceptance for inclusion in the SCOPUS database on May 5, 2020, has made us at the *Journal of Current Science and Technology* (JCST) very proud.

Third, the Editorial Team of JCST are much more diversified than ever before. We feel very obliged for the kind collaboration and support from experts and scholars from Australia, Belgium, Canada, China, Greece, India, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand, UK, USA, and Vietnam. Such contributions from international experts will always be welcome.

Fourth, we are grateful for the assistance of experts as reviewers of manuscripts. They, too, come from many countries including India, Israel, Japan, Singapore, Thailand, USA, and Vietnam.

Fifth, the Editorial Board of JCST is thankful for the contributions of manuscripts from authors residing in Brazil, India, Malaysia, Myanmar, Thailand, and Vietnam. The Board encourages researchers world-wide who are specialists in science and technology to consider JCST as their first choice.

Sixth, from 2020 onwards, JCST will focus on publishing more review articles. The first of these review articles entitled "Circadian and non-circadian melatonin: influences on glucose metabolism in cancer cells", was kindly contributed by Russel J. Reiter, Ramaswamy Sharma, Qiang Ma, Sergio Rosales-Corral, and Walter Manucha. We mention this in the hope that other scientists will undertake such reviews in their disciplines.

Seventh, JCST has established a publishing target of 20 articles annually in the period 2020 to 2022. The number will increase to 24 annually for the period 2023-2024.

Eighth, in the current July-December 2020 issue, JCST asks readers to look at a most interesting article entitled "Design and development of a compact and highly efficient small-scale rice mill machine: A case study" written by Dusit Thangphitsityothin, Jiraphong Phongsitong, Uraipan Prangudomsab, Kanlayarat Rattanachitra, Wanlope Ruengdetchaisakun, and Chantana Yuvaniyama.

It represents a national and international collaborative research effort. As stated in the Abstract "At least 25 machines have been used by Thai farmers nationwide. The design and development of this machine as well as lessons learned from the actual usage in the community level were discussed in the paper." We believe that this kind of research work is needed for the New Normal Era.

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Ninth, we are pleased to confirm that our ‘no charge’ policy will continue. There will be no charge for the publishing of all types of articles. Articles will be fully peer reviewed and if accepted for publication, all will be made available freely to all readers via the official JCST Website (<https://jcst.rsu.ac.th>).

Last, but not least, the Editorial Board of the Journal of Current Science and Technology (JCST) invites you to submit manuscripts for consideration. We welcome research papers, reviews, reports and other manuscripts within the aim and scope of JCST. Please visit <https://jcst.rsu.ac.th/page/submissions> for more details. There is no deadline for manuscript submissions. We serve all manuscript contributions on the basis of “First come, first served”. Papers can be submitted all year round, electronically, at <https://jcst.rsu.ac.th>. You can also contact us via this email address: jcst2018@rsu.ac.th.

Thank you for your kind attention and participation.

Editor-in-Chief