IndianJournals.com User Guide

A step-by-step guide to searching, browsing, and downloading journal articles through One Nation One Subscription (ONOS)

This guide walks you through accessing IndianJournals.com through the ONOS (One Nation One Subscription) platform, explains the ways to log in, and shows how to search, filter, browse, and download journal articles once inside.

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IndianJournals.com — 259 Journals • 32 Open Access • 18 Disciplines • 12 Collections

1. Content Overview

IndianJournals.com is India's largest online platform exclusively dedicated to Indian academic and professional journals. The platform highlights academic papers from India, showcasing localized research and supporting Indian academia.

At a glance:

259	32	18	12	1995
Journals	Open Access	Disciplines	Collections	Backfiles From

Disciplines covered include:

• Agriculture	• Animal Science	• Applied Science
• Biotechnology	• Life Sciences	• Business Management
• Computer Science	• Medical Science	• Nursing
• Pharmacy	• Social Sciences	

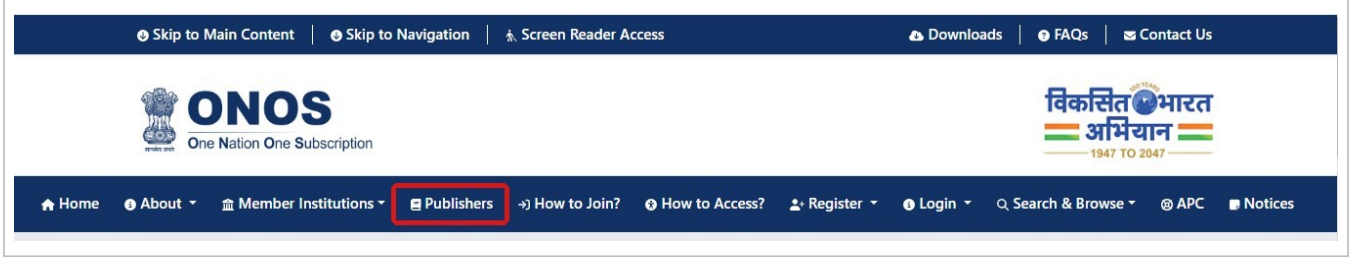
2. Ways to Login via ONOS

There are two ways to access IndianJournals.com content through ONOS:

Method 1 — IP-based Access (Automatic)

Follow these steps to reach IndianJournals.com from the ONOS homepage:

Step 1: Make sure you are accessing ONOS via your institute's registered IP address — this is what enables automatic access. Then, on the ONOS homepage, go to the top navigation bar and click on "Publishers".

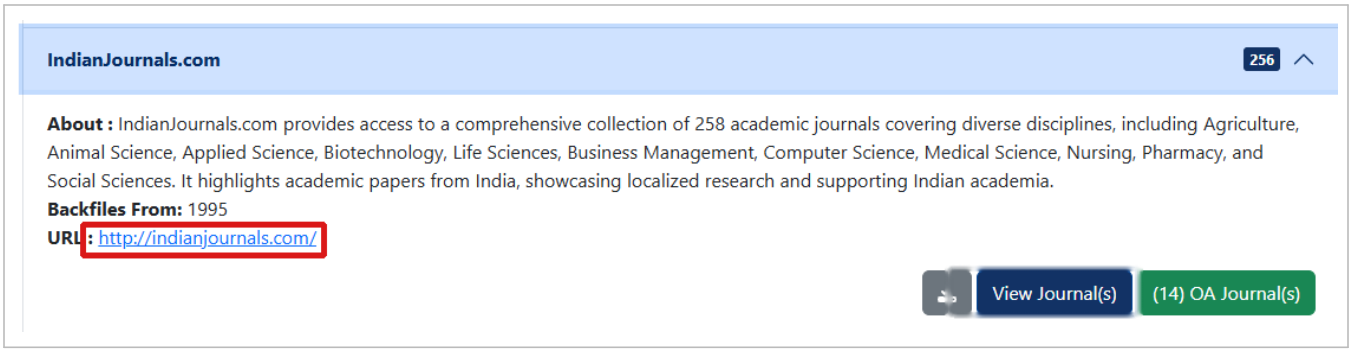


ONOS top navigation bar — click on "Publishers."

> **Note:** You can also reach the platform directly — simply search for indianjournals.com in your browser and open the website, without going through ONOS.

Step 2: In the list of publishers, locate the "IndianJournals.com" card. It displays the total number of journals (259), a short description of the platform, and the years its backfiles are available from (1995 onward).

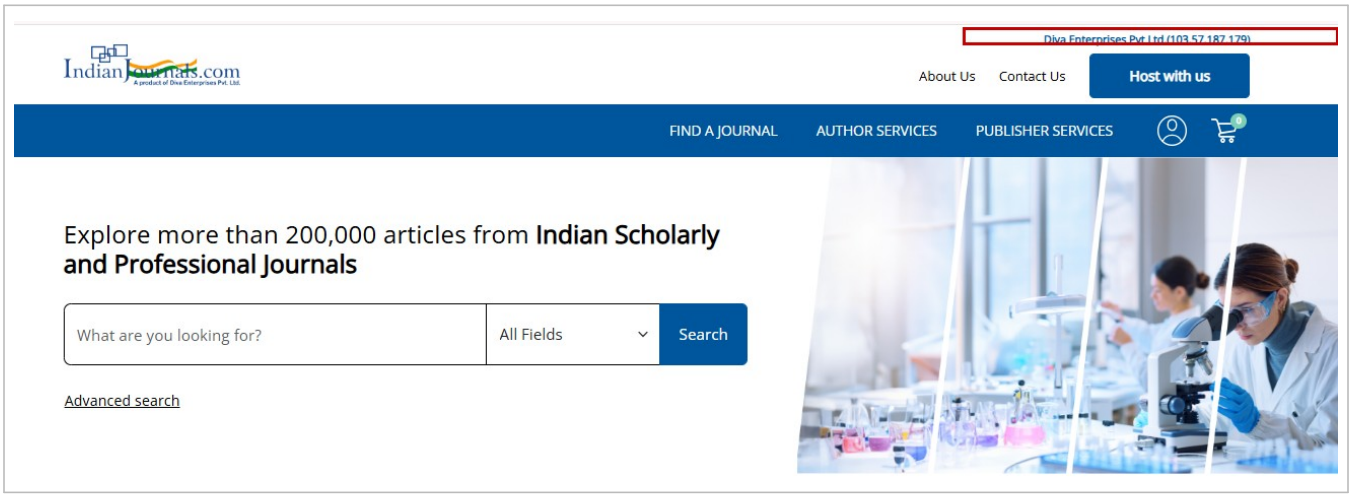
Step 3: On the card, click on the platform's URL (http://indianjournals.com/) — this takes you straight to the IndianJournals.com website.



The IndianJournals.com publisher card — the URL opens the website; "View Journal(s)" / "OA Journal(s)" opens the specific list.

- Clicking the blue "View Journal(s)" or the green "(14) OA Journal(s)" button on the card takes you straight to the matching journal list.

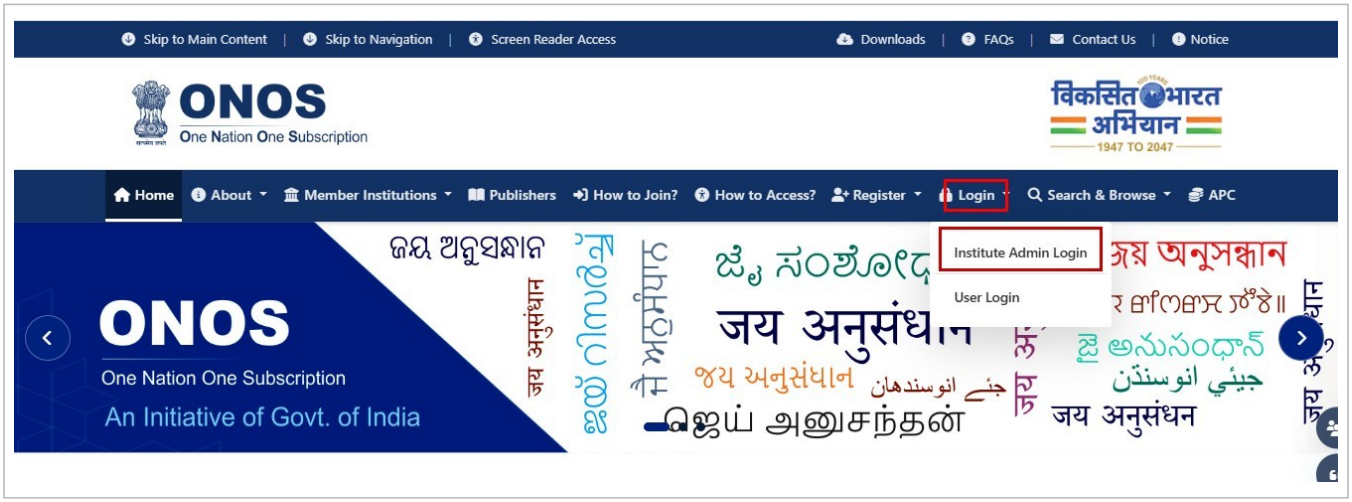
Your institution's IP address is tracked automatically — if it is already registered with ONOS, access to IndianJournals.com content is granted right away, with no separate login required.



Once inside IndianJournals.com, your institution's name and registered IP address appear at the top of the page — confirming that access was granted automatically.

Method 2 — Institute Admin Login

Step 1: On the ONOS homepage, click the "Login" menu in the top navigation bar, then select "Institute Admin Login" from the dropdown.

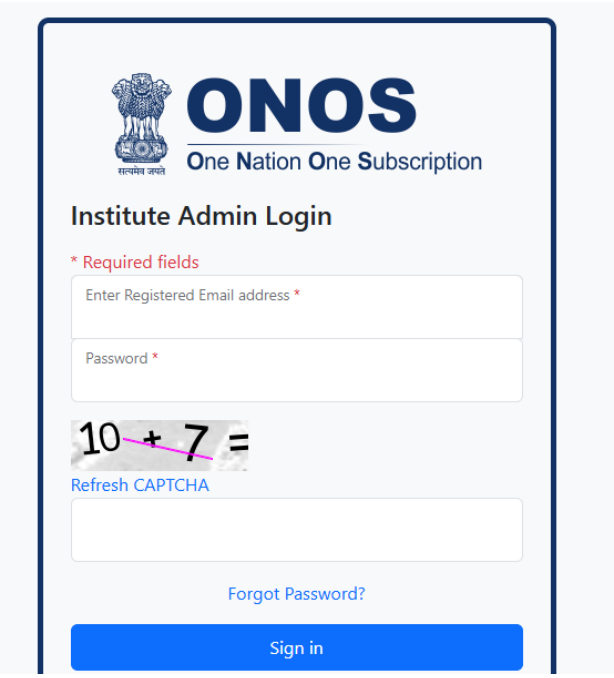


ONOS top navigation — Login dropdown, select "Institute Admin Login."

You will need login credentials to access this — the registered email address and password — from your institution. Please contact your institute's ONOS admin to request these credentials if you don't already have them.

Not sure who your institute's admin is?

- Go to the ONOS website and click on "Member Institutions" in the top navigation bar.
- Open the list of registered institutes.
- Search for your institute by name.
- Click "View" next to your institute to check the admin details.

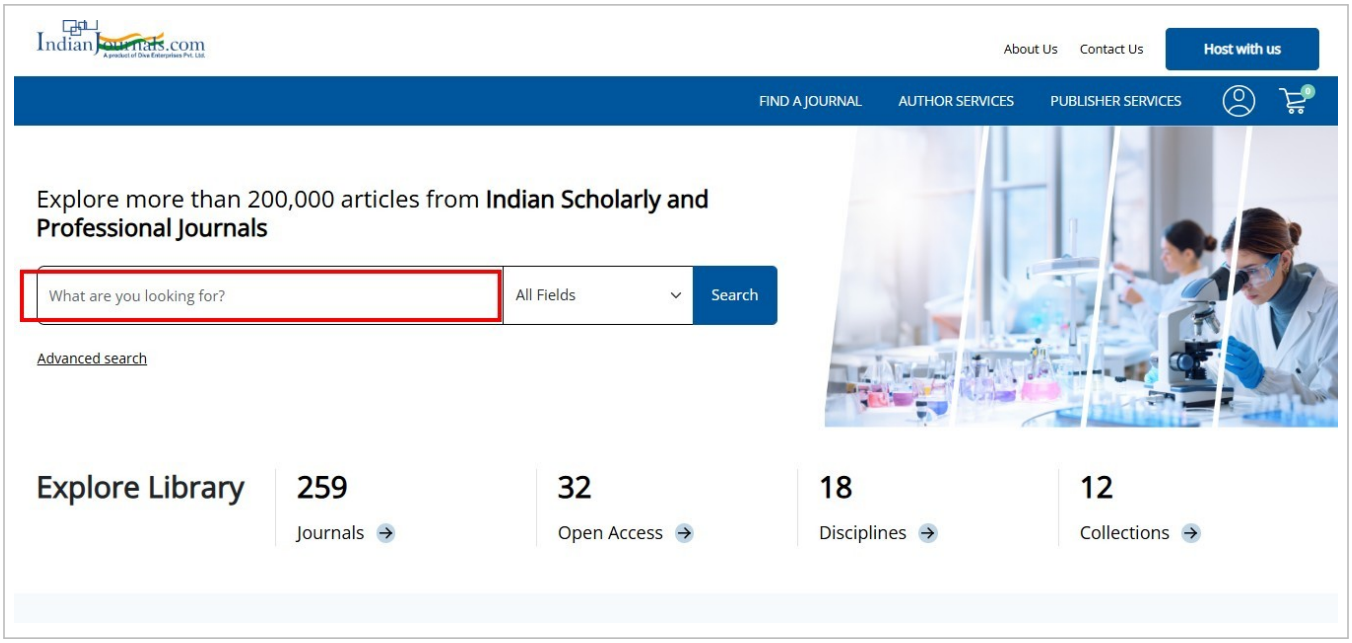


Institute Admin Login form.

Step 2: Enter your registered email address and password, solve the CAPTCHA, and click "Sign in."

3. Homepage and Search

Once you land on the IndianJournals.com homepage, you can search directly or explore the library.

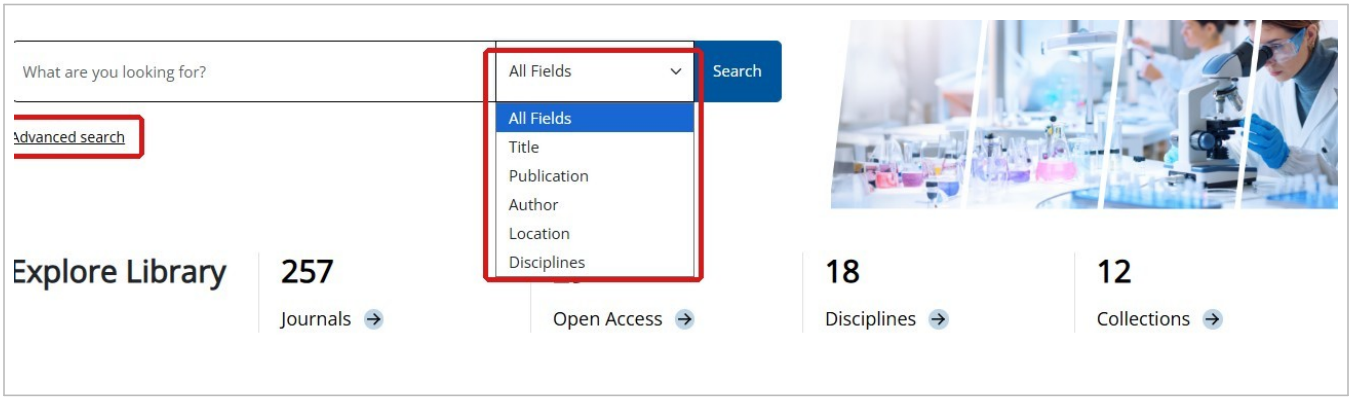


IndianJournals.com homepage, showing the search bar and Explore Library statistics.

Step 1: Click inside the "What are you looking for?" search box and type your keyword (e.g. a journal name, article title, or author).

- You can use this option when you're searching for a specific article — it shows results on the basis of the keywords you enter.

Step 2: Click the field-selector dropdown (default: "All Fields") next to the search box to narrow your search to a specific field:



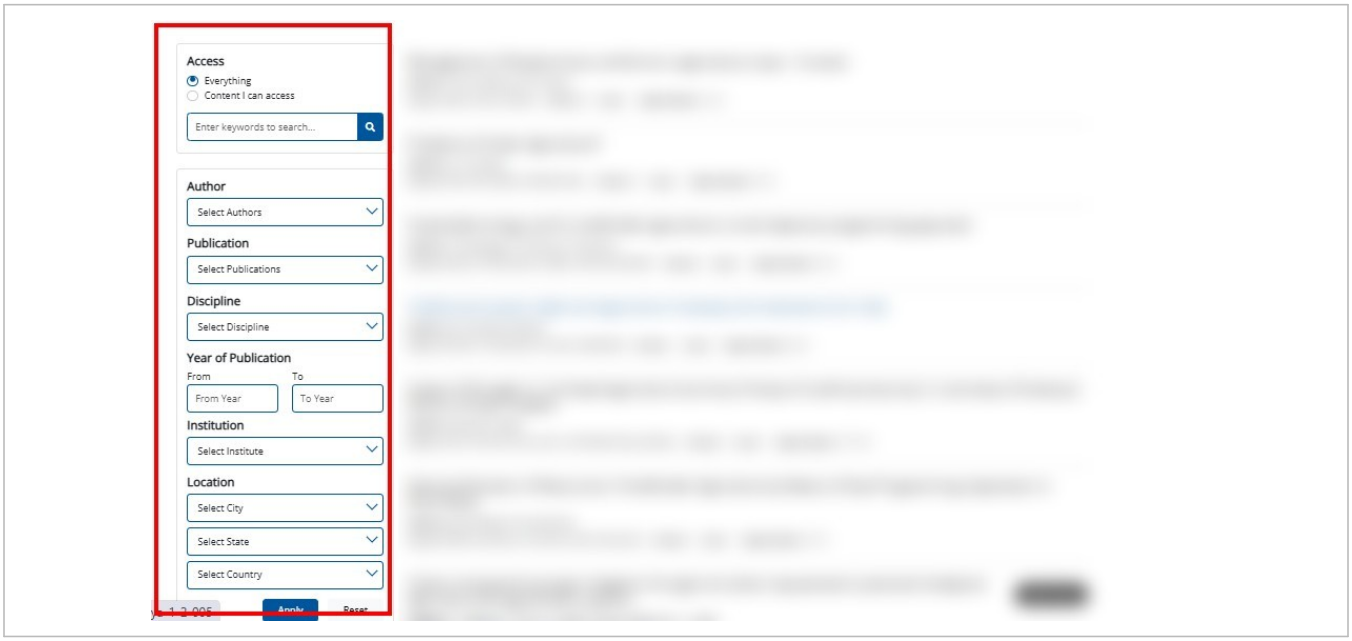
Search field dropdown options: All Fields, Title, Publication, Author, Location, Disciplines.

- All Fields — searches across every field at once.
- Title — searches only within article titles.
- Publication — searches by journal name.
- Author — searches by author name.
- Location — searches by place associated with the publication.

- Disciplines — searches by subject area.

Step 3: Click "Search" (blue button) to run your search, or click "Advanced search" (link below the search box) for more detailed, multi-criteria searching.

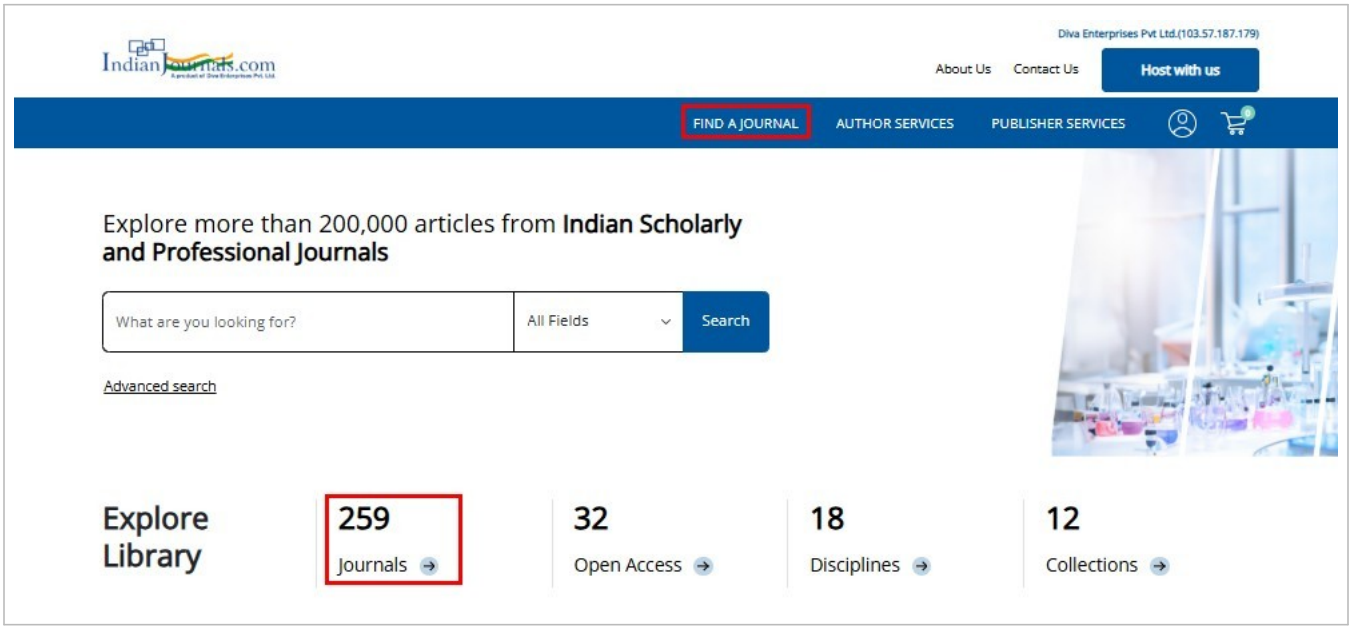
> **Note:** Once you click Search (or press Enter), a filters panel appears on the left side of the results page — you can use it to further filter your results.



Search results page — the filters panel on the left lets you narrow down your results.

4. Listing and Filtering Options

Step 1: Clicking "Find a Journal" (in the top navigation bar) or "259 Journals" (in the Explore Library section) on the homepage will bring you to the full journal listing page.



IndianJournals.com homepage — both "Find a Journal" and "259 Journals" lead to the journal listing page.

Step 2: You can also type the journal name directly in the search box and search for it.

Step 3: You can use the filters in the left panel to make your search more specific.



Journal Listing page, showing 259 journals with the filter panel on the left.

On the left-hand side, you'll find the Refine Search / filter panel:

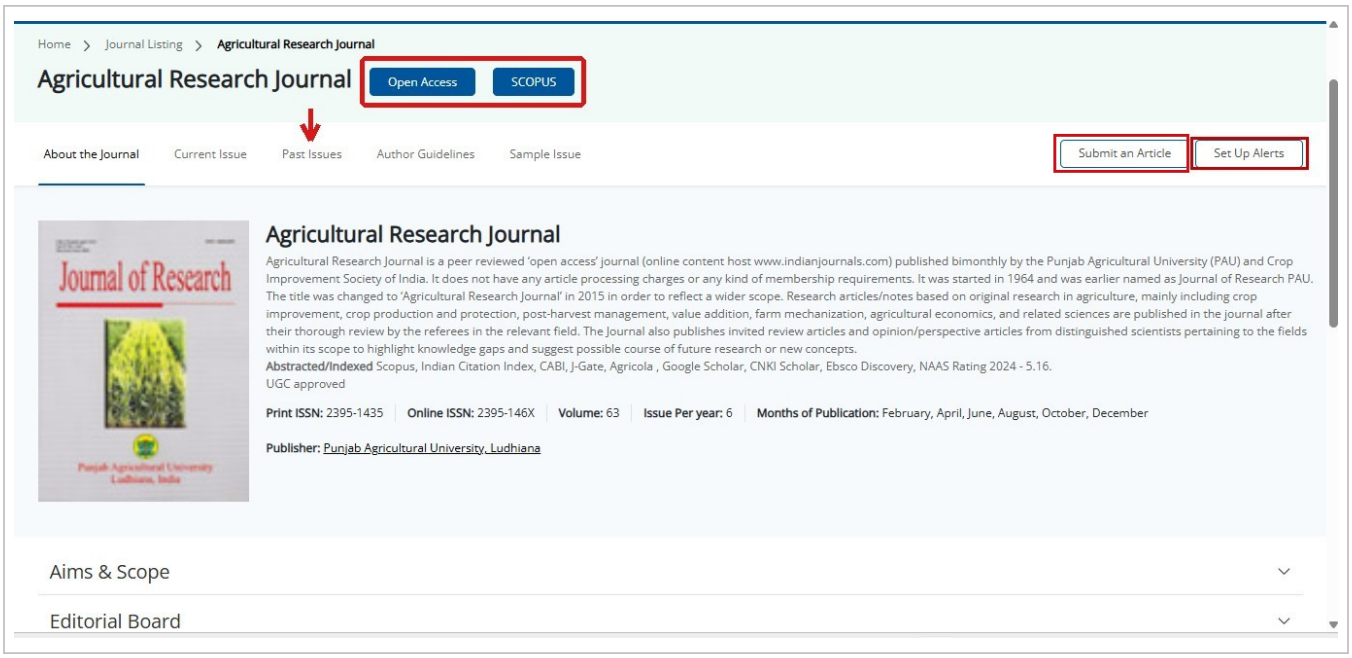
- **Access** — choose "Everything" to view all the content available on the platform, or "Content I can access" to view only the content subscribed to by your institute.
- **Refine by** — choose the criterion to refine by from this dropdown: Collection or Discipline.
- **Select Collection** — if you select Collection in "Refine by", pick a specific subject Collection from this dropdown (e.g. Agriculture Science, Pharmacy).
- **Select Discipline** — if you select Discipline in "Refine by", a dropdown appears to filter the journals by discipline.
- **Sub-Discipline** — select the sub-discipline category to filter the journals within a specific category.
- **Indexing** — filter journals by indexing database (e.g. Scopus, Web of Science).
- **Accepting Submissions** — filter to journals currently open for author submissions.
- **Access Type** — filter by Open Access, Hybrid, etc.

> **Note:** On the results list itself, each journal is also tagged on the right with badges such as "Open Access" and "SCOPUS" — these show that journal's access type and indexing status at a glance.

At the top right of the results list, you can search within the list by journal title and sort alphabetically using "Sort by Letter Ascending".

5. Journal Homepage & Past Issues

Click on any journal title (e.g. "Agricultural Research Journal") from the listing to open its dedicated journal page.



Journal page — About the Journal tab, with access badges, journal details, and the Set Up Alerts button.

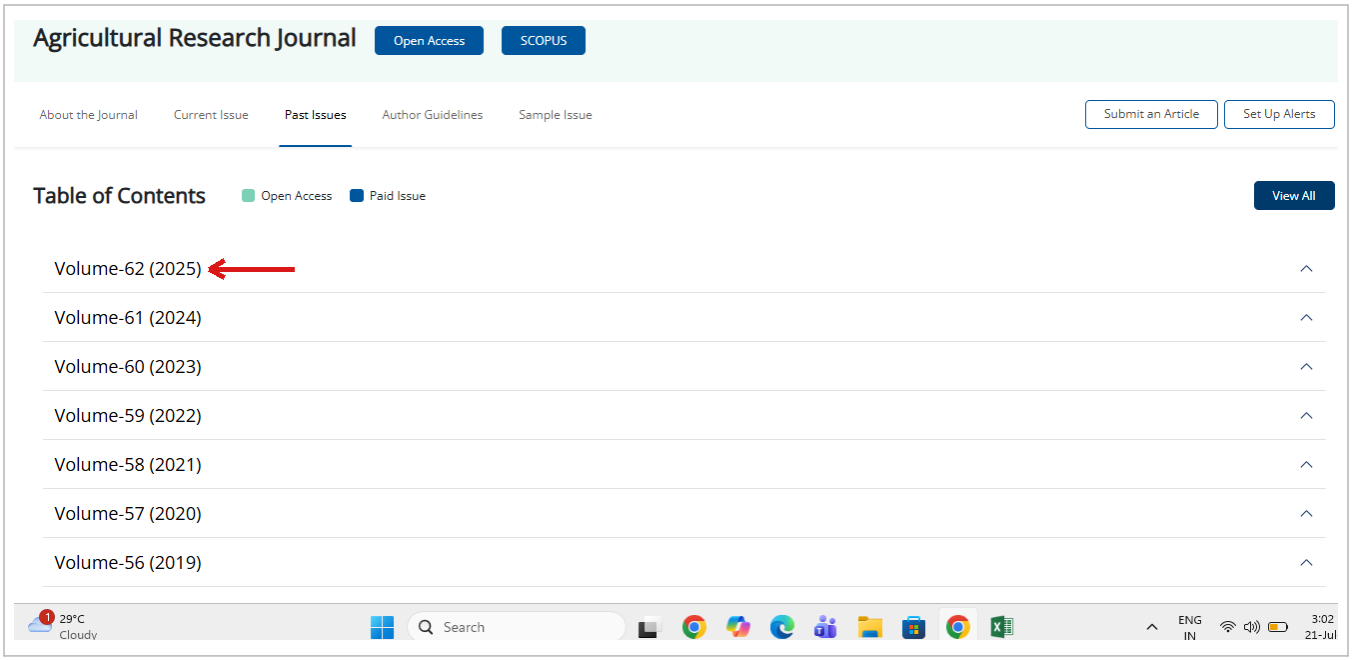
On this page you will find:

- Access and indexing badges (Open Access / SCOPUS) next to the journal title.
- Tabs: About the Journal, Current Issue, Past Issues, Author Guidelines, Sample Issue.
- Journal details: ISSN numbers, volume, issues per year, months of publication, and publisher.
- "Submit an Article" and "Set Up Alerts" buttons on the top right.
- Expandable sections further down the page for "Aims & Scope" and "Editorial Board".

> **Submit an Article:** If you want to submit an article to this journal, click the "Submit an Article" button on the journal page and you can make your submission from there.
>
> **Set Up Alerts:** Click the "Set Up Alerts" button on the journal page to subscribe to that journal. You'll be notified automatically whenever a new issue is published.

Browsing Past Issues & Volumes

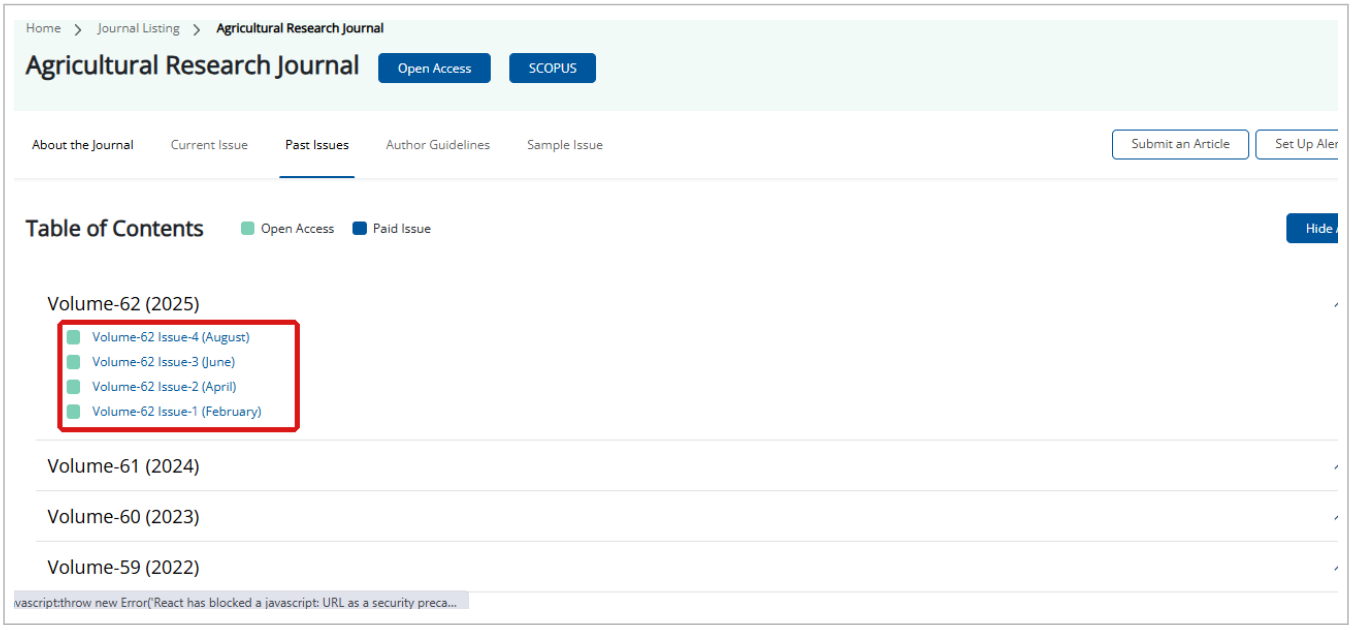
Step 1: From the journal page, click on the "Past Issues" tab.



Past Issues tab — Table of Contents listing all available Volumes.

This shows a Table of Contents listing every Volume of the journal (e.g. Volume-62 (2025) down to older volumes), each marked as Open Access (green) or Paid Issue (blue).

Step 2: Click on any Volume (e.g. "Volume-62 (2025)") to expand it and reveal the individual Issues published within that volume.

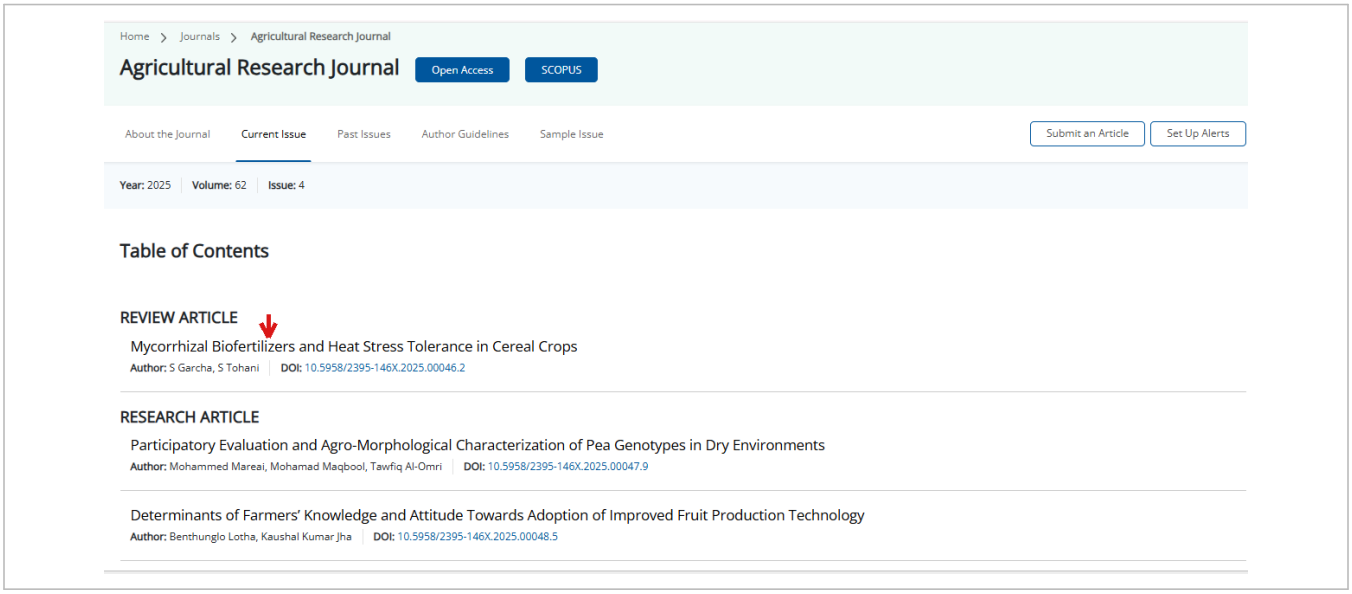


Expanded Volume-62 (2025), showing its individual issues (Issue-1 to Issue-4).

Step 3: Click on the Issue you want to read (e.g. "Volume-62 Issue-4 (August)") to open its Table of Contents.

6. Issue's Table of Content

Clicking an issue opens its Table of Contents, listing every article published in that issue, grouped by article type (e.g. Review Article, Research Article).

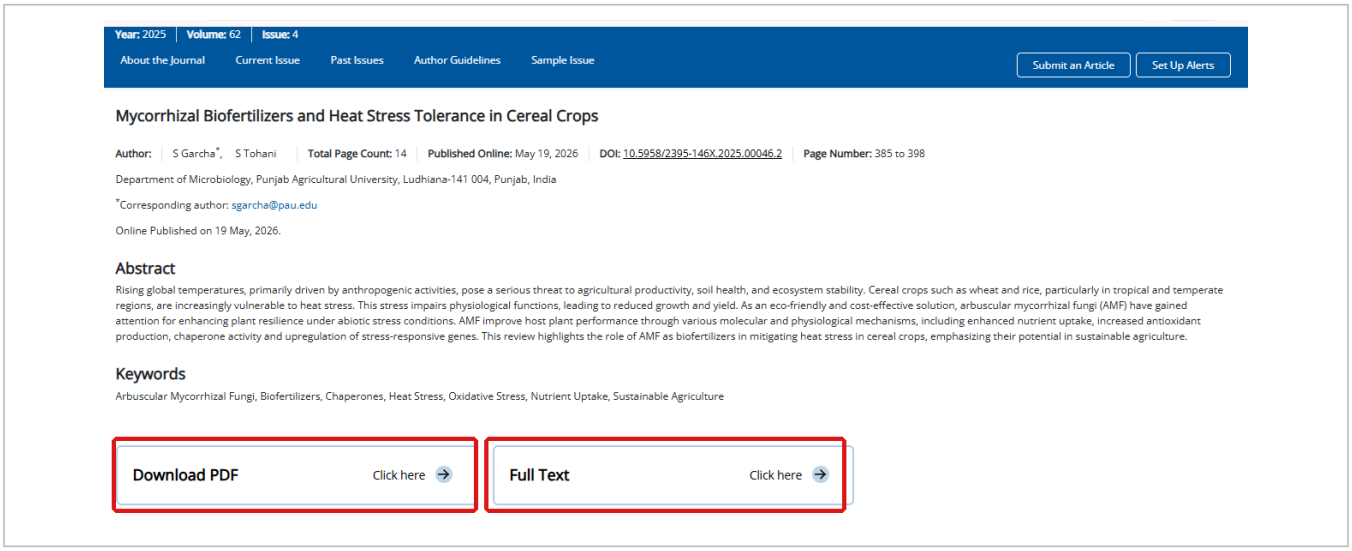


Current Issue view (Year, Volume, Issue) showing the Table of Contents with article titles, authors, and DOIs.

Each entry shows the article title, author name(s), and its DOI (Digital Object Identifier) link. Click on an article title to open its full details page.

7. Downloading an Article

Clicking an article title from the Table of Contents opens its details page.



Article page, showing Abstract, Keywords, and Download options.

This page includes:

- Author name(s), total page count, publication date, DOI, and page numbers.
- The Abstract, summarizing the article's content.

- Keywords associated with the article.

Step 1: Click "Download PDF → Click here" to download the article as a PDF file.

Step 2: Click "Full Text → Click here" to read the complete article online in your browser.

8. Contact Us

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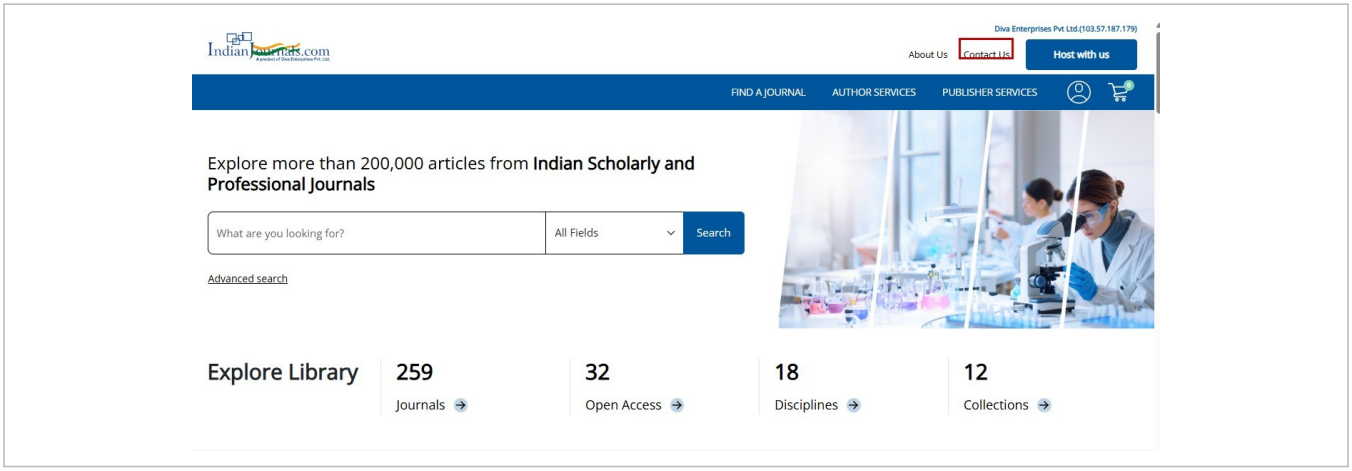
Step 1: Click "Contact Us", available in the top navigation bar of IndianJournals.com.



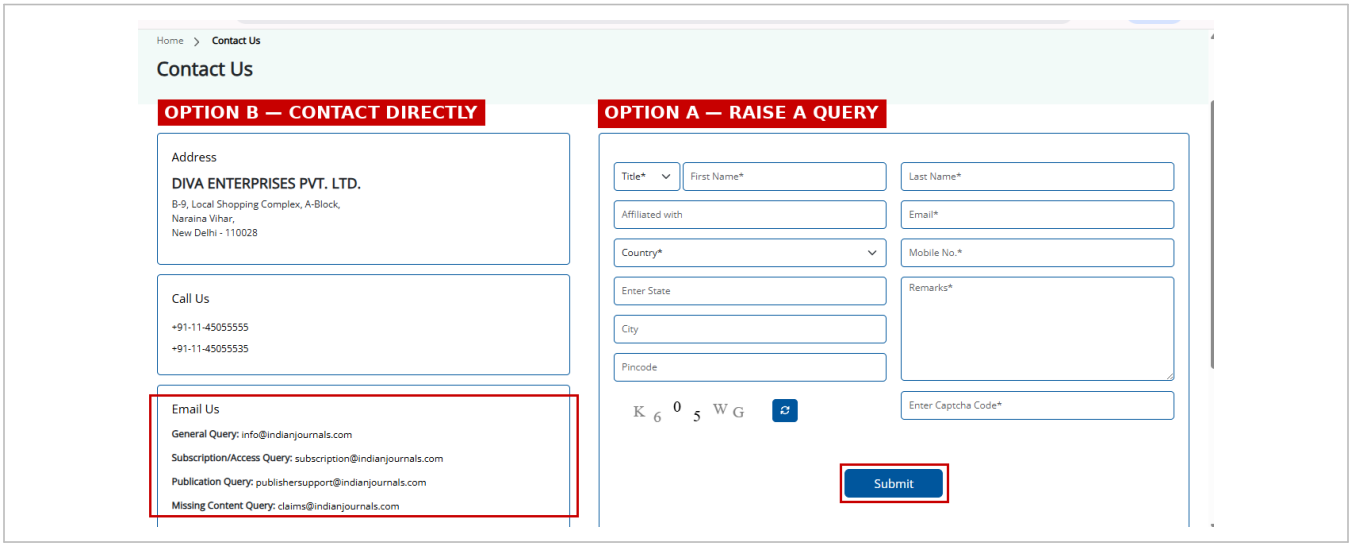
IndianJournals.com homepage — "Contact Us" link in the top navigation.

Option A — Raise a Query

Fill out the Contact Us form with your name, affiliation, email, mobile number, and remarks, then solve the CAPTCHA and click Submit. The support team will respond to your query.

Option B — Contact Directly

You can also reach out directly to the relevant team using the details below:



Contact Us page — Option A (raise a query via the form) and Option B (reach the team directly) are marked above.