

A BRIEF INTRODUCTION TO

CHANGES IN R5.1

The Headlines

Still in place

- R5 reports
- R5 metrics

Key changes

- Item as the unit of reporting
- Access Type definitions
- Expanded Data Types
- Upgraded COUNTER API
- Revised JSON

Minor updates

- Registry links in report headers
- Global Item Reports for OA
- Components become optional

Key changes

Item Reporting

- ✓ Like-for-like comparison of usage across different types of content, including in the Item Report
- ✓ Main impact on Item metrics for books and reference works, but the Unique Title metrics are unaffected

COUNTER API

(previously COUNTER SUSHI)

Dropping IP authentication

Updated endpoints

New parameters

JSON

OpenAPI3.1

Deduplicated and compact

Matched to tabular reports

Data types

Longer list to reflect diversity of content

Clarified how to use Parent Data Types

No more Section Types

Components are now optional

Access Types

- ✓ Controlled: Only available to authorized users
- ✓ Open: Available to everyone, with no end date
- ✓ Free To Read: Available to everyone, with an end date