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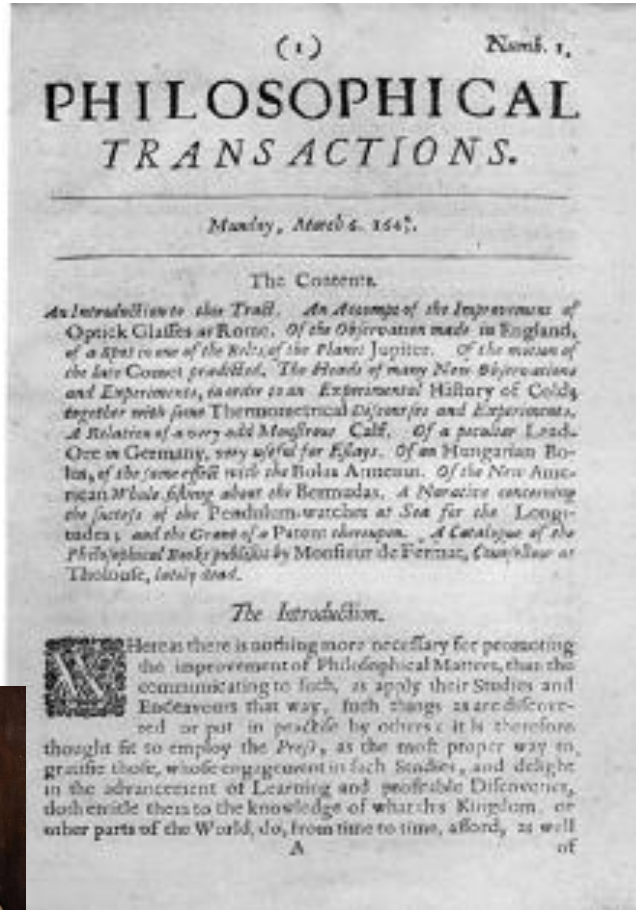
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ORIENTARSI NEL MARE MAGNUM DELL'EDITORIA  
SCIENTIFICA: FACCIAMO UN PO' DI CHIAREZZA

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- Breve intro - la pubblicazione scientifica
- Cosa si aspettano gli editors - ragioni più comuni di rifiuto
- Suggestimenti per un head-start - prima di iniziare a scrivere

# La pubblicazione scientifica



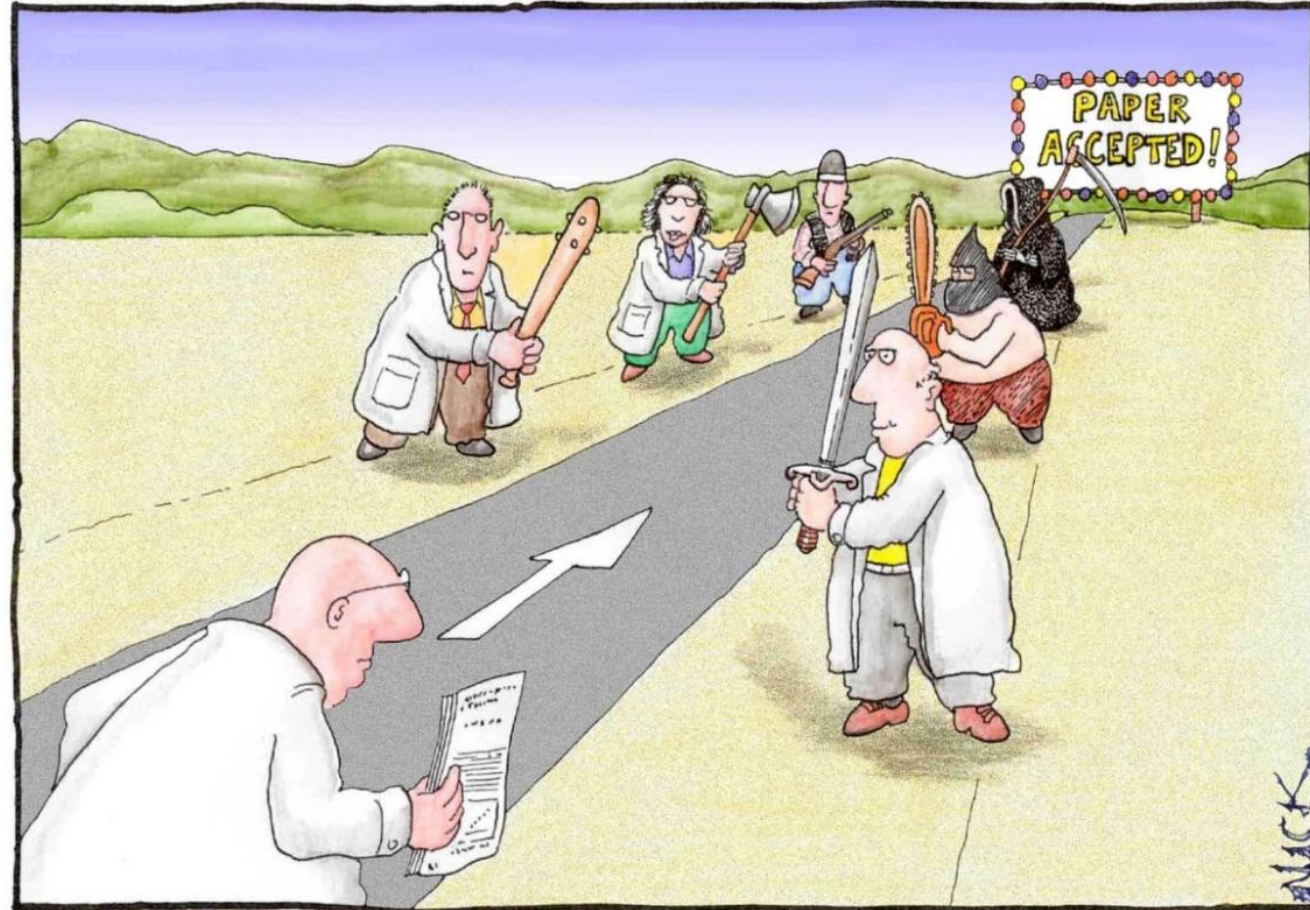
- **Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society** è la a prima e più longeva rivista scientifica "peer-reviewed".
- La rivista nacque dalla necessità della Royal Society di **registrare e disseminare** le scoperte del tempo.
- Lanciata il **6 Marzo del 1665** da Henry Oldenburg, il primo segretario della Royal Society, che funse da redattore scientifico (editor) ed editore (publisher).
- Oldenburg iniziò ad inviare i manoscritti a **esperti del tempo** per valutarne la qualità prima della pubblicazione
- La rivista ha accolto articoli e rapporti di numerosi scienziati famosi come **Isaac Newton, Michael Faraday e Charles Darwin**.

# 350 anni dopo.... il mare magnum



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# Il processo editoriale - come sembra




# Il processo editoriale - com'è



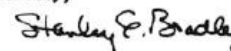
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ON GRAVITATIONAL WAVES.  
BY  
A. EINSTEIN and N. ROSEN.  
ABSTRACT.  
The rigorous solution for cylindrical gravitational waves is given for convenience of the reader the theory of gravitational waves and their already known in principle, is given in the first part of this paper. After relating relationships which cast doubt on the existence of rigorous sinusoidal gravitational fields, we investigate rigorously the case of gravitational waves. It turns out that rigorous solutions exist and a problem reduces to the usual cylindrical waves in euclidean space.  
I. APPROXIMATE SOLUTION OF THE PROBLEM OF PLANE WAVES AND THE PRODUCTION OF GRAVITATIONAL WAVES.  
It is well known that the approximate method of solution of the gravitational equations of the general theory leads to the existence of gravitational waves. The method used is as follows: We start with the equation  
$$R_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2}g_{\mu\nu}R = -T_{\mu\nu}.$$


**Albert Einstein e Nathan Rosen**  
*L'articolo On gravitational waves di A. Einstein e N. Rosen fu rifiutato da Physical Reviews nel 1936 a seguito di peer-review*

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The Editor of NATURE presents his compliments to Mr. H. A. Krebs and regrets that as he has already sufficient letters to fill the correspondence columns of NATURE for seven or eight weeks, it is undesirable to accept further letters at the present time on account of the delay which must occur in their publication.  
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**Hans A. Krebs**  
Rifiuto di *Nature* alla pubblicazione del ciclo enzimatico, valse il nobel a A. Krebs nel 1953

September 29, 1955  
Dr. Solomon A. Berson  
Radioisotope Service  
Veterans Administration Hospital  
130 West Kingsbridge Road  
Bronx 63, New York  
Dear Dr. Berson:  
I regret that the revision of your paper entitled "Insulin-<sup>125</sup>I Metabolism in Human Subjects: Demonstration of Insulin Transporting Antibody in the Circulation of Insulin Treated Subjects" is not acceptable for publication in THE JOURNAL OF CLINICAL INVESTIGATION.  
The second major criticism relates to the dogmatic conclusions set forth which are not warranted by the data. The experts in this field have been particularly emphatic in rejecting your positive statement that the "conclusion that the globulin responsible for insulin binding is an acquired antibody appears to be inescapable". They believe that you have not demonstrated an antigen-antibody reaction on the basis of adequate criteria, nor that you have definitely proved that a globulin is responsible for insulin binding nor that insulin is an antigen. The data you present are indeed suggestive but any more positive claim seems unjustifiable at present.  
Sincerely,  
  
Stanley E. Bradley, M.D.  
Editor-in-Chief

**Rosalin Yalow**  
Rifiuto del *Journal of Clinical Investigation*.  
R. Yalow vinse il premio nobel nel 1977 per il dosaggio radioimmunologico

  
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Dear Dr Ratcliffe,  
I am very sorry about the long delay in reaching a decision on your manuscript, particularly as in the event we are unable to offer to publish it. As I explained on the telephone, we had great difficulty obtaining referees reports; your manuscript has, however, now been seen by two reviewers whose comments are attached.  
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**Peter Ratcliffe**  
Rifiuto di *Nature* allo studio sui meccanismi genetici in risposta all'ipossia. Studio per cui P. Radcliffe ha vinto il nobel nel 2019

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Non rientra negli Aims & Scope della rivista	Conclusioni ingiustificate
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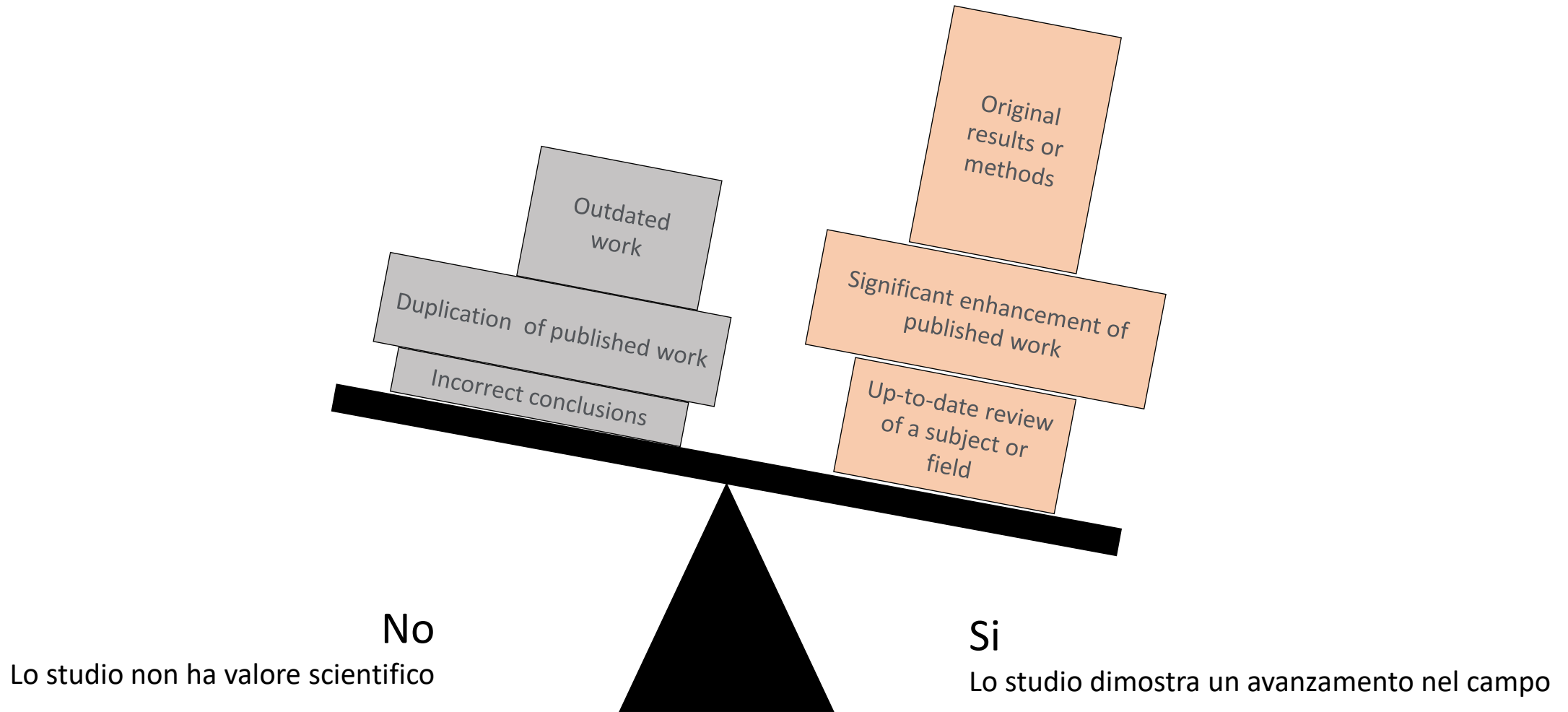




# Suggerimenti per un head-start



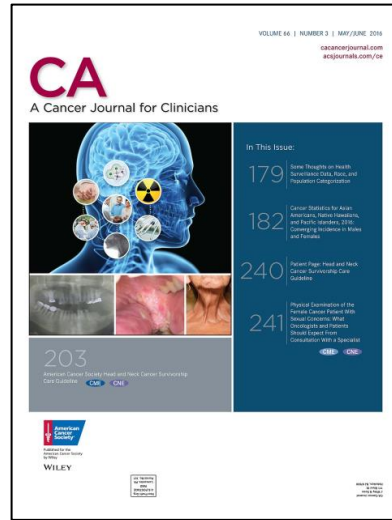
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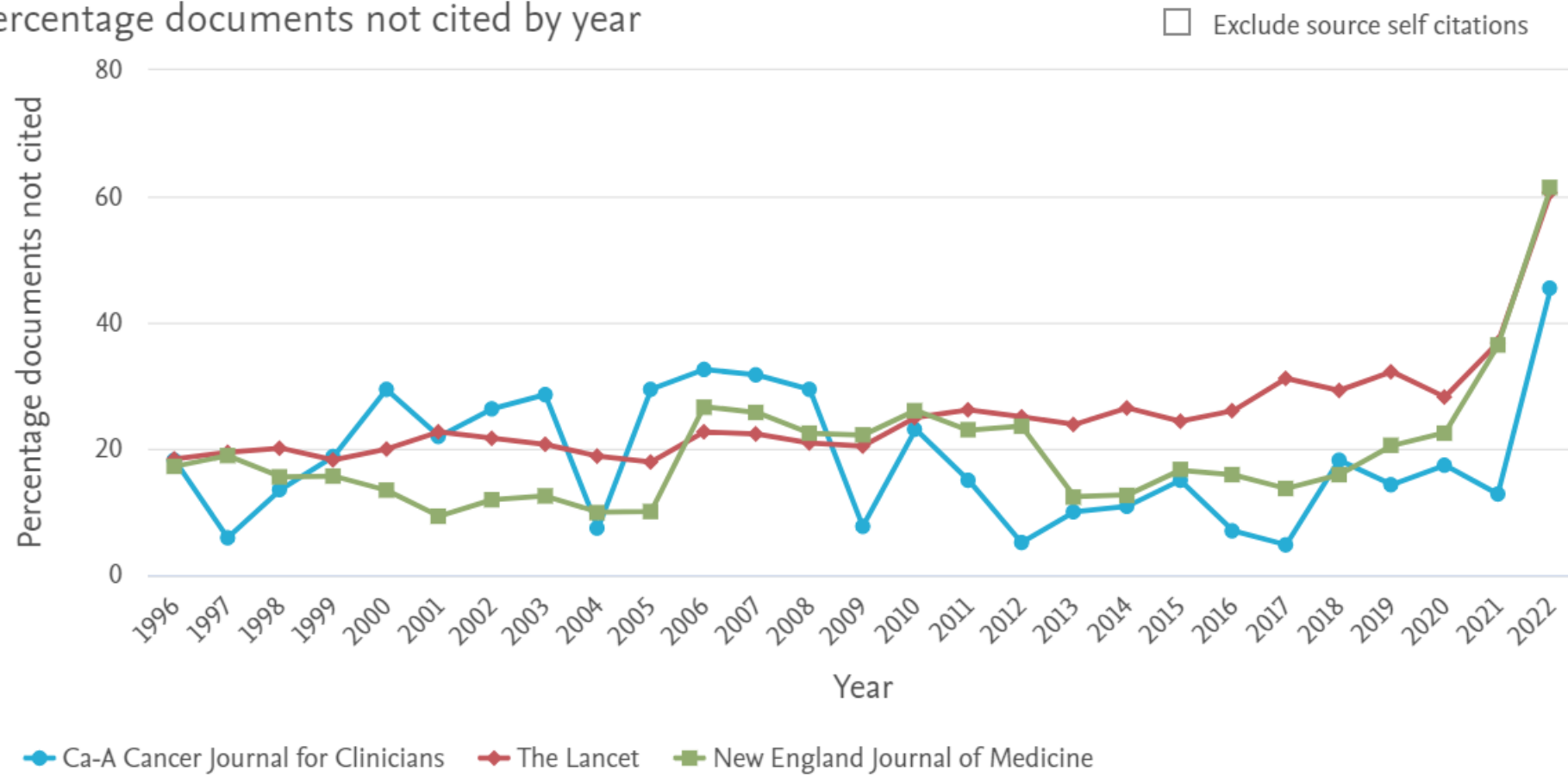
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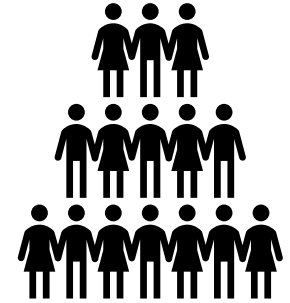
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