

DNB criteria for research output and list of journals

1. In view of the recommendations by the external research assessment committee, it has been decided to come up with criteria and a journal list that reflect the research policy of DNB.
2. Articles in journals and (contributions to) books are evaluated according to the DNB list of journals (see below) and the Tinbergen Institute (TI) list of publishers (<http://www.tinbergen.nl/research-institute/publishing-houses-list.php>), respectively.
3. A distinction is made between AA, A, B and C publications. As a rule, B journals have a minimum impact factor of 0.5 and receive a similar rating by the ECB and/or academic research institutes in the Netherlands (like TI, CentER, SOM). Books (monographs and edited volumes) and contributions in books published by one of the publishers on the TI list of publishers are counted as 2C and C publications, respectively.
4. The following formula is applied: Credits = Category*(2/(number of authors+1)) where AA= 9; A = 6; B = 3; C = 1. All publications over a moving window of 5 years are counted. Over this period, senior economists should have at least two publications and 6 credit points, of which 4 have to be earned by AA/A/B publications.
5. A publication in a peer-reviewed journal that is not on the DNB list of journals can be rewarded by the Head of Research - in consultation with the Director of the Division - provided that such a request has been made by the authors before submission.

DNB list of journals:

| Journal: | DNB | TI AA- A-B | Cent ER T,VG | SOM 5-3-1 | ECB 1,2, 3,4 | Impact factor (2010) |
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| AER | AA | AA | T | 5 | 1 | 3.15 |
| Econometrica | AA | AA | T | 5 | 1 | 3.19 |
| Journal of Finance | AA | AA | T | 5 | 1 | 4.15 |
| Journal of Political Economy | AA | AA | T | 5 | 1 | 4.01 |
| Quarterly Journal of Economics | AA | AA | T | 5 | 1 | 5.94 |
| Review of Economic Studies | AA | AA | T | 5 | 1 | 3.11 |
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| Economic Journal | A | A | T | 5 | 2 | 2.27 |
| European Economic Review | A | A | VG | 5 | 2 | 1.16 |
| Games and Economic Behavior | A | A | VG | 5 | 2 | 1.02 |
| International Economic Review | A | A | VG | 5 | 2 | 1.52 |
| Journal of Business and Economic Statistics | A | A | VG | 3 | 2 | 1.69 |
| Journal of Development Economics | A | B | VG | 5 | 2 | 1.75 |
| Journal of Econometrics | A | A | T | 5 | 2 | 1.82 |
| Journal of Economic Literature | A | A | -- | 5 | 3 | 7.43 |
| Journal of Economic Perspectives | A | A | -- | 5 | 2 | 3.70 |
| Journal of Economic Theory | A | A | T | 5 | 2 | 1.11 |
| Journal of Financial Economics | A | A | T | 5 | 2 | 3.81 |
| Journal of Financial Intermediation | A | A | T | 3 | 3 | 1.20 |
| Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis | A | B | T | 5 | 2 | 1.59 |
| Journal of International Economics | A | A | T | 5 | 2 | 1.79 |
| Journal of Labor Economics | A | A | VG | 5 | 2 | 2.24 |
| Journal of Monetary Economics | A | A | T | 5 | 1 | 1.65 |

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| Journal of Money, Credit, and Banking | A | B | VG | 3 | 2 | 1.15 |
| Journal of Public Economics | A | A | T | 5 | 2 | 1.73 |
| Journal of Risk and Uncertainty | A | A | VG | 5 | 3 | 1.56 |
| Journal of the European Economic Association | A | A | VG | 3 | 2 | 1.70 |
| Rand Journal of Economics | A | A | T | 5 | 2 | 1.28 |
| Review of Economics and Statistics | A | A | VG | 5 | 1 | 2.88 |
| Review of Financial Studies | A | A | T | 5 | 2 | 4.60 |
| World Bank Economic Review | A | A | -- | 3 | 4 | 1.32 |
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| Applied Economics | B | B | -- | 1 | 3 | 0.42 |
| Cambridge Journal of Economics | B | B | -- | 1 | 3 | 1.46 |
| Canadian Journal of Economics | B | B | VG | 3 | 3 | 0.84 |
| Economic Inquiry | B | B | -- | 3 | 3 | 0.80 |
| Economic Policy | B | B | VG | 3 | 2 | 2.00 |
| Economic Theory | B | B | VG | 3 | 3 | 0.62 |
| Economica | B | B | -- | 3 | 3 | 1.29 |
| Economics Letters | B | B | -- | 1 | 3 | 0.45 |
| European Journal of Political Economy | B | -- | -- | 1 | 4 | 0.97 |
| Experimental Economics | B | -- | -- | 1 | 4 | 1.87 |
| Finance and Stochastics | B | B | -- | 3 | 4 | 1.33 |
| Financial Management | B | B | VG | 3 | 3 | 1.30 |
| Insurance: Mathematics and Economics | B | B | -- | 1 | 4 | 1.18 |
| International Journal of Central Banking | B | -- | -- | -- | 2 | 0.69 |
| International Journal of Forecasting | B | B | -- | 1 | 3 | 1.86 |
| International Journal of Game Theory | B | B | -- | 3 | 4 | 0.59 |
| International Journal of Industrial Organization | B | B | VG | 3 | 3 | 0.73 |
| International Monetary Fund Staff Papers/IMF Economic Review | B | B | -- | 1 | 3 | 0.77 |

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| International Tax and Public Finance | B | B | -- | 1 | 4 | 0.70 |
| Journal of Applied Econometrics | B | B | VG | 3 | 2 | 1.34 |
| Journal of Banking and Finance | B | B | VG | 3 | 3 | 2.73 |
| Journal of Common Market Studies | B | -- | -- | 1 | 3 | 1.27 |
| Journal of Comparative Economics | B | B | -- | 3 | 3 | 0.84 |
| Journal of Corporate Finance | B | - | VG | 3 | 4 | 1.52 |
| Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization | B | B | VG | 3 | 3 | 0.92 |
| Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control | B | B | VG | 3 | 3 | 1.12 |
| Journal of Economic Growth | B | B | VG | 3 | 3 | 2.46 |
| Journal of Economic Psychology | B | B | -- | 1 | 4 | 1.36 |
| Journal of Economic Surveys | B | -- | -- | 1 | 4 | 1.59 |
| Journal of Empirical Finance | B | -- | VG | 3 | 3 | 0.81 |
| Journal of Evolutionary Economics | B | B | -- | 3 | 4 | 0.98 |
| Journal of Forecasting | B | B | -- | 1 | 3 | 0.66 |
| Journal of Financial Services Research | B | -- | -- | -- | 4 | 0.76 |
| Journal of Financial Stability | B | -- | -- | -- | 4 | 0.79 |
| Journal of Industrial Economics | B | B | VG | 5 | 3 | 0.96 |
| Journal of International Money and Finance | B | B | VG | 3 | 3 | 0.84 |
| Journal of Law and Economics | B | B | VG | 3 | 2 | 1.62 |
| Journal of Risk and Insurance | B | -- | -- | 1 | 4 | 1.09 |
| Journal of Macroeconomics | B | B | -- | -- | 3 | 0.68 |
| Kyklos | B | B | -- | 1 | 3 | 1.13 |
| Macroeconomic Dynamics | B | B | VG | 3 | 3 | 0.76 |

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| Mathematical Finance | B | B | VG | 3 | 3 | 1.05 |
| National Tax Journal | B | B | -- | 3 | 3 | 0.69 |
| Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics | B | B | -- | 3 | 3 | 1.18 |
| Oxford Economic Papers | B | B | -- | 3 | 3 | 0.71 |
| Oxford Review of Economic Policy | B | B | -- | 3 | 3 | 1.70 |
| Public Choice | B | B | -- | 3 | 3 | 0.89 |
| Regional Science and Urban Economics | B | B | -- | 3 | 4 | 0.89 |
| Review of Finance | B | - | VG | 1 | 3 | 1.95 |
| Scandinavian Journal of Economics | B | B | -- | 3 | 3 | 0.92 |
| Southern Economic Journal | B | B | -- | 3 | 4 | 0.54 |
| Weltwirtschaftliches Archiv | B | B | -- | 1 | 3 | 0.97 |
| World Development | B | B | -- | 3 | 4 | 1.61 |
| World Economy | B | B | -- | 3 | 4 | 0.88 |
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| Applied Economics Letters (new) | C | -- | -- | 1 | 4 | 0.25 |
| Applied Financial Economics | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | -- |
| BE Journal of Macroeconomics | C | -- | -- | -- | 2 | 0.53 |
| BE Journal of Theoretical Economics | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | 0.30 |
| Contemporary Economic Policy | C | B | -- | 1 | 4 | 0.52 |
| Econometrics Journal | C | - | VG | 1 | 3 | 0.69 |
| Economic Modelling | C | -- | -- | 1 | 3 | 0.60 |
| De Economist | C | -- | -- | 1 | 4 | 0.62 |
| Empirical Economics | C | -- | -- | -- | 3 | 0.71 |
| European Journal of Finance | C | -- | -- | -- | 3 | 0.49 |
| Emerging Markets Finance and Trade | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | 0.44 |
| Finance Research Letters | C | -- | -- | -- | -- | 0.31 |
| Geneva Papers on Risk and Insurance | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | 0.73 |
| Global Finance Journal | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | -- |
| International Finance | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | 0.46 |

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| International Journal of Finance and Economics | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | 0.57 |
| International Review of Economics and Finance | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | -- |
| International Review of Financial Analysis | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | -- |
| International Review of Finance | C | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Journal of Banking Regulation | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | -- |
| Journal of Financial Markets | C | -- | -- | 1 | 3 | 1.10 |
| Journal of International Financial Markets, Institutions & Money | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | -- |
| Journal of Pension Economics and Finance | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | 0.31 |
| North American Journal of Economics and Finance | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | -- |
| Open Economies Review | C | -- | -- | 1 | 4 | 0.38 |
| Review of Financial Economics | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | -- |
| Review of Network Economics | C | -- | -- | -- | 4 | 0.71 |
| Scottish Journal of Political Economy | C | B | -- | 1 | 3 | 0.43 |