

# Package ‘PWIR’

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**Title** Provides a Function to Calculate Prize Winner Indices Based on  
Bibliometric Data

**Version** 0.0.3

**Description** A function 'PWI()' that calculates prize winner indices based on bibliometric data is provided. The default is the 'Derek de Solla Price Memorial Medal'. Users can provide recipients of other prizes.

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| countries | <i>Index of Countries.</i> |
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### Description

Data frame containing a normalized index of countries.

Data are used by [biblioAnalysis](#) function to extract Country Field of Cited References and Authors.

### Usage

```
countries
```

### Format

A data frame with 198 rows and 1 variable:

**countries** country names

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| PWI | <i>Function to calculate prize winner indices based on bibliometric data</i> |
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### Description

This function calculates prize winner indices based on bibliometric data. The default prize winners are the recipients of the Derek de Solla Price Memorial Medal. Users can provide recipients of other prizes.

### Usage

```
PWI(
  files,
  pw_pattern = "(BOYACK K)|(KLAVANS R)|(BORNMAN L)|(...",
  method = 1,
  verbosity = 1,
  data_source = "wos",
  data_format = "plaintext"
)
```

### Arguments

|            |                                                                                                                                                                             |
|------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| files      | character variable or list of character variables that contain(s) file name(s) of bibliographic data file(s) that are supported by the package <a href="#">bibliometrix</a> |
| pw_pattern | character variable (optional parameter) that is passed as search pattern to the <a href="#">grep</a> function to identify the prize winners in the data set                 |

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| method      | integer variable (optional parameter) that determines if only the authors in the dataset with number of papers and co-authors is returned or if the prize winner index is calculated 0: return only a list with authors, number of papers, and number of co-authorships 1: calculate the prize winner index and return it alongside with number of papers and number of co-authorships |
| verbosity   | level of verbosity (0=quiet and 1=informative)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| data_source | specifies the data source; this parameter is forwarded to the function <a href="#">convert2df</a> from the R package <a href="#">bibliometrix</a> . The default value is "wos"; other possible values are: "isi", "scopus", "dimensions", or "pubmed"                                                                                                                                  |
| data_format | specifies the data format; this parameter is forwarded to the function <a href="#">convert2df</a> from the R package <a href="#">bibliometrix</a> . The default value is "plaintext"; other possible values are: "api", "bibtex", "endnote", "csv", or "excel"                                                                                                                         |

## Details

PWI(files=bibliographic\_files, pw\_pattern = '(BOYACK K)|(KLAVANS R)|(BORNMAN L)|(BARILAN J)|(BARILAN J)|(WALTMAN L)|(THELWALL M)|(CRONIN B)|(PERSSON O)|(VINKLER P)|(MCCAIN K)|(INGWERSEN P)|(LEYDESDORFF L)|(ROUSSEAU R)|(EGGHE L)|(GLANZEL W)|(GLAENZEL W)|(MOED H)|(IRVINE J)|(MARTIN B)|(GRIFFITH B)|(VAN RAAN A)|(VANRAAN A)|(MERTON R)|(SCHUBERT A)|(BROOKES B)|(NARIN F)|(NALIMOV V)|(BRAUN T)|(MORAVCSIK M)|(GARFIELD E)', method=1, verbosity=1, data\_source='wos', data\_format='plaintext') Only the argument files is necessary. All other arguments are optional.

Literature:

- Bornmann, L. & Haunschild, R. (in preparation). "Prize Winner Index".

## Value

data frame of researcher names, PWI value, number of papers, and number of co-authors

## Examples

```
JoI <- PWI('http://andreas-thor.github.io/cre/data/savedrecs_JOI2.txt')
head(JoI)
```

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PWI2

*Function to calculate prize winner indices based on bibliometric data*

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## Description

This function calculates prize winner indices based on bibliometric data. The default prize winners are the recipients of the Derek de Solla Price Memorial Medal. Users can provide recipients of other prizes.

**Usage**

```
PWI2(
  bib_df,
  pw_pattern = "(BOYACK K)|(KLAVANS R)|(BORNMANN L)|(...",
  method = 1,
  verbosity = 1
)
```

**Arguments**

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| <code>bib_df</code>     | bibliographic dataframe variable from <a href="#">convert2df</a>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <code>pw_pattern</code> | character variable (optional parameter) that is passed as search pattern to the <a href="#">grep</a> function to identify the prize winners in the data set                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <code>method</code>     | integer variable (optional parameter) that determines if only the authors in the dataset with number of papers and co-authors is returned or if the prize winner index is calculated 0: return only a list with authors, number of papers, and number of co-authorships 1: calculate the prize winner index and return it alongside with number of papers and number of co-authorships |
| <code>verbosity</code>  | level of verbosity (0=quiet and 1=informative)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |

**Details**

PWI2(bib\_df=bibliographic\_dataframe, pw\_pattern = '(BOYACK K)|(KLAVANS R)|(BORNMANN L)|(BAR-ILAN J)|(BARILAN J)|(WALTMAN L)|(THELWALL M)|(CRONIN B)|(PERSSON O)|(VINKLER P)|(MCCAIN K)|(INGWERSEN P)|(LEYDESDORFF L)|(ROUSSEAU R)|(EGGHE L)|(GLANZEL W)|(GLAENZEL W)|(MOED H)|(IRVINE J)|(MARTIN B)|(GRIFFITH B)|(VAN RAAN A)|(VANRAAN A)|(MERTON R)|(SCHUBERT A)|(BROOKES B)|(NARIN F)|(NALIMOV V)|(BRAUN T)|(MORAVCSIK M)|(GARFIELD E)', method=1, verbosity=1) Only the argument `bib_df` is necessary. All other arguments are optional.

Literature:

- Bornmann, L. & Haunschild, R. (in preparation). "Prize Winner Index".

**Value**

data frame of researcher names, PWI value, number of papers, and number of co-authors

**Examples**

```
bib_df <- bibliometrix::convert2df('http://andreas-thor.github.io/cre/data/savedrecs_J0I2.txt')
JoI <- PWI2(bib_df)
head(JoI)
```

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