Dear ANC members and authors,

Thank you very much for continuing your supports for ANC.

I am very pleased to tell your latest citation update. We have had 2 new citations in recent 2 months. We published total 73 articles in 2016 and 2017. The total citations based on the Web of Sciences are currently total 34. Therefore, the estimated impact factor is currently 0.46.

Since it is now in 2018, the estimated impact factor should be based on the citations related to published article in 2016 and 2017. Therefore, please cite the ANC articles published in vol. 2, 2016 and vol. 3, 2017.

ANC is now planning to apply ESCI after publishing volume 5. ESCI is an entry level of database handling by Clarivate Analysis. Among ESCI database, highly performing journals would move to Web of Sciences which means receiving Impact factor. For the application of ESCI, ANC needs at least impact factor 1.0 and thus, we should aim to have total 73 citations until end of 2018. Your citation would be great help for the ANC.

Kind regards

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NEW!!	New Guidelines for Diagnosis of Cardiac Sarcoidosis in Japan	Korean Circulation	2018, Vol.48 No.10
Terasaki F, et al	(ANC 2017 vol.3: 42-45)	Journal	
NEW!!	The Status and Future of PET Myocardial Blood Flow Quantification	Journal of Nuclear	Epub ahead of print
Sergey V. Nesterov, et al	Software	Cardiology	
	(ANC 2016 vol.2: 106-110)		
Aukelien C. Dimitriu-Leen,	Cardiac ¹²³ I-MIBG Imaging beyond Heart Failure: Potential Clinical		2017, Vol.24 No.3
et al.	Indications	Cardiology	
	(ANC 2016 vol.2: 138-145)		
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		Nuclear Medicine and	
		Molecular Imaging	
Bateman TM	Current Status of Myocardial Perfusion PET in the United States	Journal of Nuclear	2018, Vol.25 No.4
	(ANC 2017 vol.3: 157-162)	Cardiology	
Higashi M, et al	Imaging Modalities for Trygliceride Deposit Cardiomyovasculopathy	Journal of Nuclear	2018, Vol.25 No.4
	(ANC 2017 vol.3: 94-102)	Cardiology	
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		Science	
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		Biophysical Research	
		Communications	2010
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		International	Article ID 5610347
Iida H, et al	Quantitative Assessment of Regional Myocardial Blood Flow with	Journal of Nuclear	2018, Vol.25 No.4
	Clinical SPECT	Cardiology	
	(ANC 2016 vol.2: 111-121)		
Maruo A, et al	Feasibility of Quantifying Myocardial Blood Flow with a Shorter	Journal of Nuclear	2018, Vol.25 No.4
	Acquisition Time Using ¹⁵ O-H ₂ O PET	Cardiology	
	(ANC 2016 vol.2: 30-37)		
Masuda A, et al	Choosing the Appropriate Examination for Diagnosis of Stable	Journal of Nuclear	2018, Vol.25 No.4
	Ischemic Heart Disease	Cardiology	
	(ANC 2016 vol.2: 167-173)		
Manabe O, et al	Qualitative and Quantitative Assessments of Cardiac Sarcoidosis	Eur J Nucl Med Mol	Epub ahead of print
	using ¹⁸ F-FDG PET	Imaging	
	(ANC 2017 vol.3: 117-120)		
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Manabe O, et al	Qualitative and Quantitative Assessments of Cardiac Sarcoidosis using ¹⁸ F-FDG PET (ANC 2017 vol.3: 117-120)	EJNMMI Research	2018, Vol.8 No.1
Miyagawa M, et al	Optimal Patient Preparation for Detection and Assessment of Cardiac Sarcoidosis by FDG-PET (ANC 2017 vol.3: 113-116)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	Epub ahead of print
Nakajima K, et al	Cardiac Sympathetic Nervous System Imaging with ¹²³ I-meta- iodobenzylguanidine: Perspectives from Japan and Europe (ANC 2017 vol.3: 4-11)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	2018, Vol.25 No.4
Nakajima K, et al.	¹²³ I-Meta-Iodobenzylguanidine Imaging: From Standardization to Mortality Risk Models in Heart Failure (ANC 2016 vol.2: 152-156)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	2017, Vol.24 No.3
Nakata T, et al	Recent Developments and Future Directions of Sympathetic Nervous Function Imaging: MIBG Clinical Aspects in Heart Failure Treatment (ANC 2016 vol.2: 146-151)	Nuclear Medicine Communications	2018, Vol.39 No.2
Onoguchi M, et al	Technical Aspects: Image Reconstruction (ANC 2016 vol.2: 94-102)	Annals of Nuclear Medicine	2017, Vol.31 No.9
"	"	Annals of Nuclear Medicine	2017, Vol.31 No.7
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Schindler TH, et al	Clinical Application of Myocardial Blood Flow Quantification in CAD Patients (ANC 2016 vol.2: 84-93)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	2018, Vol.25 No.4
Terasaki F, et al	New Guidelines for Diagnosis of Cardiac Sarcoidosis in Japan (ANC 2017 vol.3: 42-45)	Eur J Nucl Med Mol Imaging	Epub ahead of print
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Yoshinaga K, et al	Current Clinical Practice of Nuclear Cardiology in Japan (ANC 2016 vol.2: 50-52)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	2018, Vol.25 No.4

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Yoshinaga K, et al	Current Clinical Practice of Nuclear Cardiology in Japan	European Journal of	2018, Vol.45, No.7
	(ANC 2016 vol.2: 50-52)	Nuclear Medicine and	
		Molecular Imaging	
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Yoshinaga K, et al	Focus Issue: Cardiac Sympathetic Nervous System Imaging from	Journal of Nuclear	2017, Vol.24 No.3
	JSNC/ASNC Joint Session in 26th JSNC Annual Scientific Meeting	Cardiology	
	(ANC 2016 vol.2: 136-137)		
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	(ANC 2017 vol.3: 42-45)	Imaging	
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Ami E. Iskandrian	The art and science of writing a scientific manuscript (ANC 2015 vol.1: 3-5)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	2017, Vol.24 No.2
Kasama S, et al.	The Clinical Usefulness of Cardiac Sympathetic Nerve Imaging using ¹²³ Iodine-Meta-iodobenzylguanidine Scintigraphy to Evaluate the Effectiveness of Pharmacological Treatments in Patients with Heart Failure (ANC 2015 vol.1: 6-17)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	2017, Vol.24 No.3
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Kudo T,	The Effects of Medical Radiation: A Few Things Nuclear Cardiologists Must Know (ANC 2015 vol.1: 35-42)	Journal of Radiation Research	2018, Vol.59 Suppl2
Matsumoto N, et al.	Current Japanese Ministry of Health, Labor, and Welfare Approval of Cardiac Single Photon Emission Computed Tomography (ANC 2015 vol.1: 108-109)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	2018, Vol.25 No.4
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Matsuo S, et al	Assessment of cardiac sympathetic nerve function using ¹²³ I-meta-iodobenzylguanidine scintigraphy: Technical aspects and standardization. (ANC 2015 vol.1: 27-34)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	2017, Vol.24 No.3
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Ohira H, et al.	The cardiac imaging fellowship training program at the University of Ottawa Heart Institute (ANC 2015 vol.1: 103-105)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	2017, Vol.24 No.2
Schindler TH, et al.	Role of PET/CT for the Identification of Cardiac Sarcoid Disease (ANC 2015 vol.1: 79-86)	Japanese Journal of Radiology	2018, Vol.36 No.5
"	n	Circulation Journal	2018, Vol.82 No.4
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Schindler TH, et al.	Role of PET/CT for the Identification of Cardiac Sarcoid Disease (ANC 2015 vol.1: 79-86)	JACC-Cardiovascular Imaging	2017, Vol.10 No.2
Tanaka H, et al.	Diagnostic Value of Vasodilator-Induced Left Ventricular Dyssynchrony as Assessed by Phase Analysis to Detect Multivessel Coronary Artery Disease (ANC 2015 vol.1: 6-17)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	2017, Vol.24 No.1
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Yoshinaga K	Time to move on to the next stage and open our door to the world (ANC 2015 vol.1: 1-2)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	2017, Vol.24 No.2
Yoshinaga K, et al.	Focus Issue on Cardiac Sarcoidosis from International Congress of Nuclear Cardiology and Cardiac CT (ICNC 12) Symposium: Improving the Detectability of Cardiac Sarcoidosis -Practical Aspects of ¹⁸ F-fluorodeoxyglucose Positron Emission Tomography Imaging for Diagnosis of Cardiac Sarcoidosis-(ANC 2015 vol.1: 87-94)	Circulation Journal	2015, Vol.79 No.12
Yoshinaga K, et al.	Current Japanese Ministry of Health, Labor, and Welfare Approval of Cardiac Positron Emission Tomography (ANC 2015 vol.1: 106-107)	Journal of Nuclear Cardiology	2018, Vol.25 No.2
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