



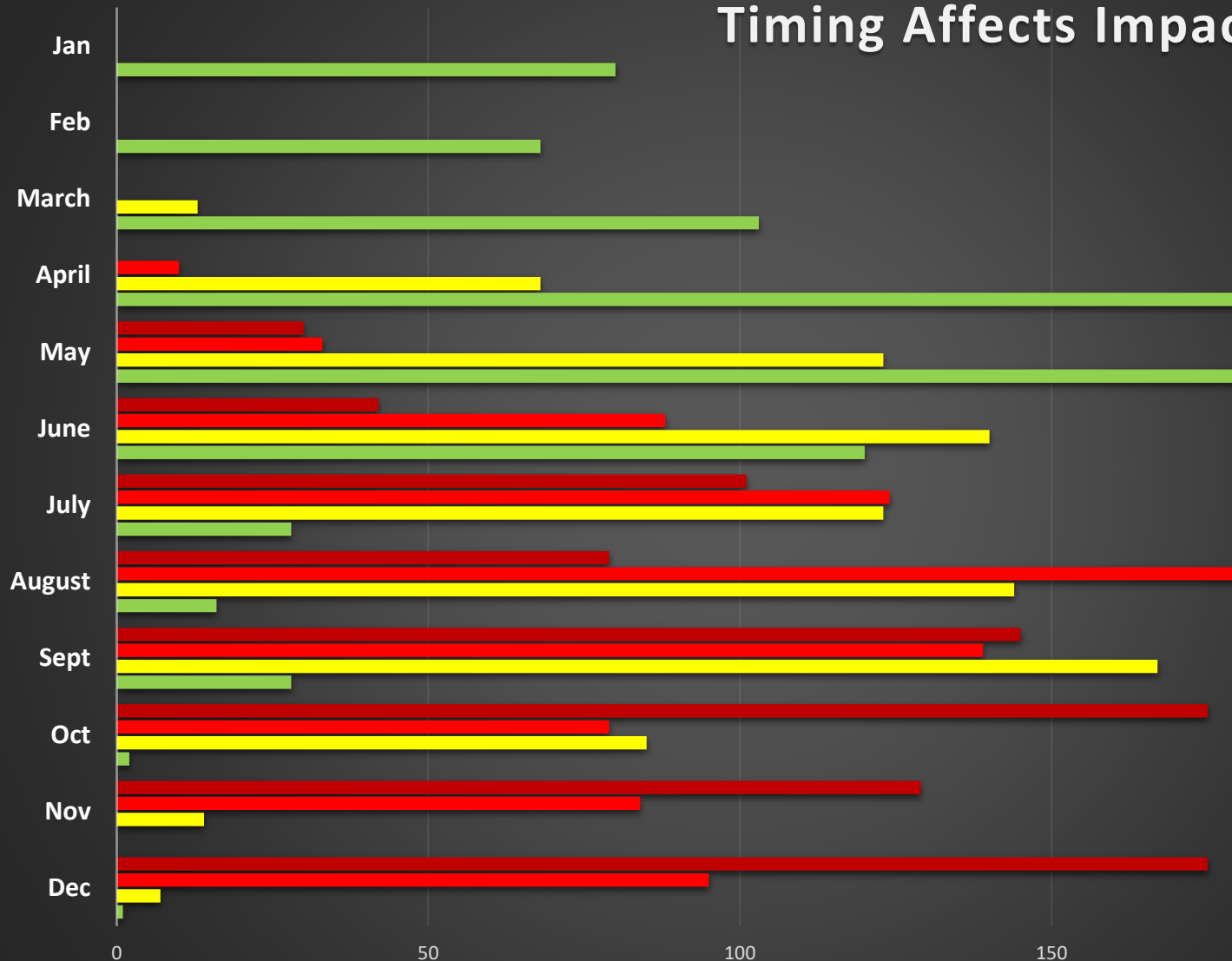
2019 Award-winning papers have been published in a special print edition. Stop by Booth 527 to collect a copy



2019 papers were published online faster than ever before

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Timing Affects Impact Factor



Percentage of papers
published by July

2016: 19%

2017: 29%

2018: 52%

2019: 94%

	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July
2016	0	0	0	0	30	42	101
2017	0	0	0	10	33	88	124
2018	0	0	13	68	123	140	123
2019	80	68	103	193	202	120	28

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TRB Committee Paper Review: 2019

- TRB Committees reviewed over 6100 papers
- Committees were asked to recommend the very best (not a quota) of papers for further review by the Editorial Board
- ~1100 (23%) were sent to the Board and are undergoing further assessment
- Reviews and comments travel with the paper
- Review Coordinators, Chairs, and Reviewers could indicate if they want to participate in publication review
- Committees can begin award nominations and will be notified of final publication decisions in the spring



TRR Editorial Review: 2020

- **Approximately 150 Associate and Handling Editors are on the Inaugural Editorial Board**
- **The journal is now open for year-round review**
- **About half of the AM papers have received a first decision; these should be completed by March**
- **TRR Editorial Staff will assist authors in promoting their research**

Looking Ahead: 2020

- Committees will still designate papers of interest to practitioners
- TRB is partnering with SAGE to host unpublished practical papers and selected eCircular papers on an enhanced platform
- The site will be curated by members of the Editorial Board and open to the public