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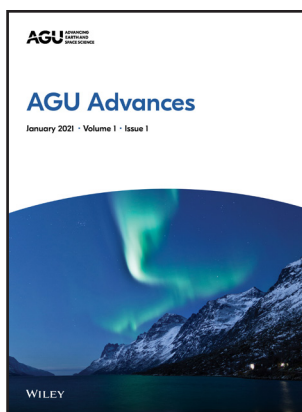
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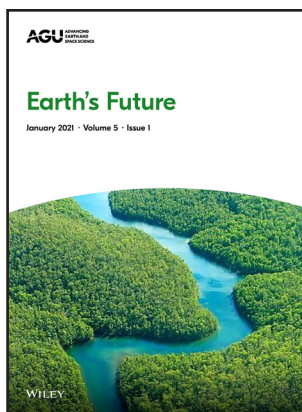
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2019 Impact Factor	6.14
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Five-Year Impact Factor	7.06
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Total Citations in Previous Year	2,369
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2019 Impact Factor	2.31
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Five-Year Impact Factor	3.32
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Total Citations in Previous Year	697
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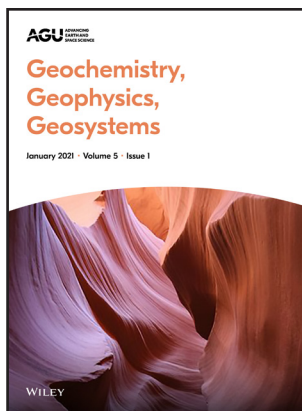
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2019 Impact Factor	3.28
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Five-Year Impact Factor	3.72
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Total Citations in Previous Year	16,556
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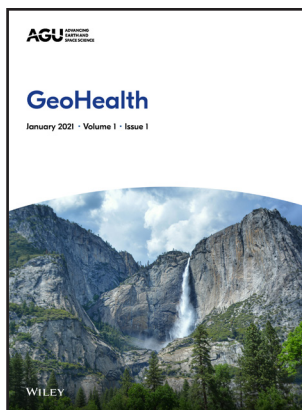
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Median Days to First Decision **45**

2020 Impact Factor **3.66**

*\*\*GeoHealth received its Impact Factor in 2020.*

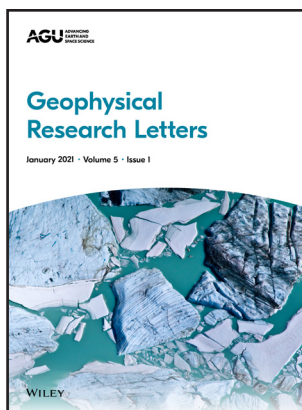
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Median Days to First Decision **31**

2019 Impact Factor **4.50**

Five-Year Impact Factor **4.95**

Total Citations in Previous Year **107,895**

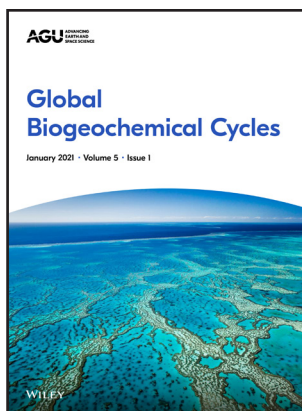
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2019 Impact Factor **4.61**

Five-Year Impact Factor **5.74**

Total Citations in Previous Year **14,713**

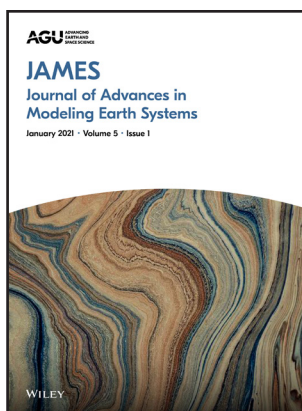
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Median Days to First Decision **76**

2019 Impact Factor **4.33**

Five-Year Impact Factor **4.83**

Total Citations in Previous Year **4,215**



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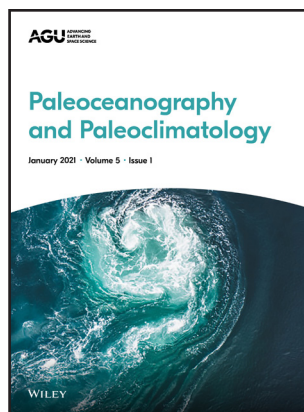
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2019 Impact Factor	2.89
Five-Year Impact Factor	2.89
Total Citations in Previous Year	329

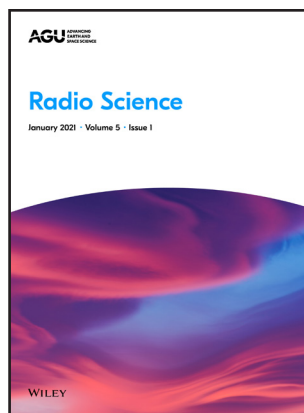
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2019 Impact Factor	1.31
Five-Year Impact Factor	1.47
Total Citations in Previous Year	4,888

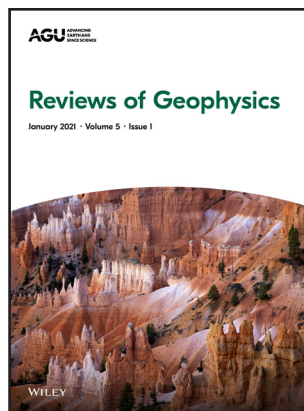
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Five-Year Impact Factor	22.63
Total Citations in Previous Year	12,597

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2019 Impact Factor	3.58
Five-Year Impact Factor	3.24
Total Citations in Previous Year	2,635



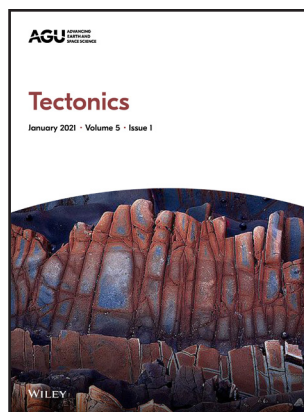
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2019 Impact Factor	3.54
Five-Year Impact Factor	4.47
Total Citations in Previous Year	12,371

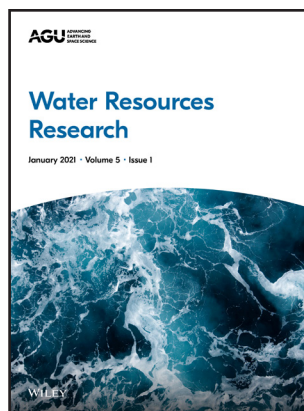
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2019 Impact Factor	4.31
Five-Year Impact Factor	5.04
Total Citations in Previous Year	56,293

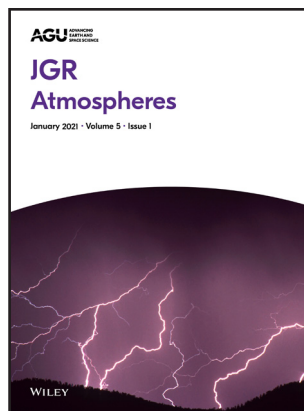
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2019 Impact Factor	3.82
Five-Year Impact Factor	4.35
Total Citations in Previous Year	74,401

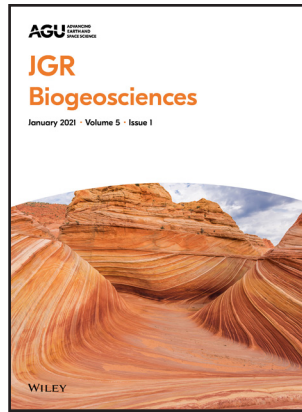
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Five-Year Impact Factor	4.23
Total Citations in Previous Year	9,440

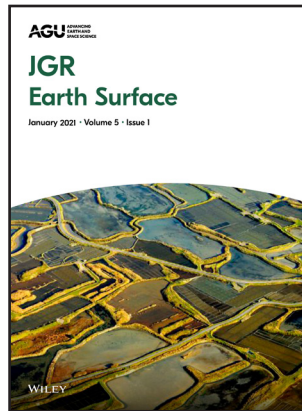
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2019 Impact Factor	3.56
Five-Year Impact Factor	4.08
Total Citations in Previous Year	8,417

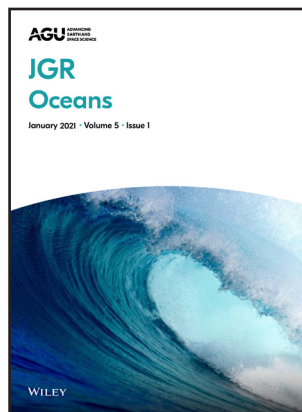
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Five-Year Impact Factor	3.74
Total Citations in Previous Year	38,920

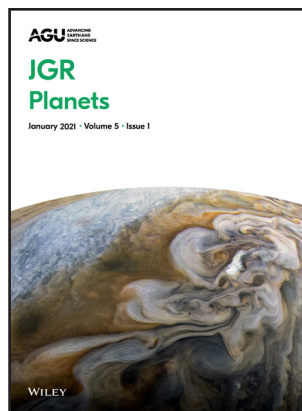
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2019 Impact Factor	3.71
Five-Year Impact Factor	3.86
Total Citations in Previous Year	10,983



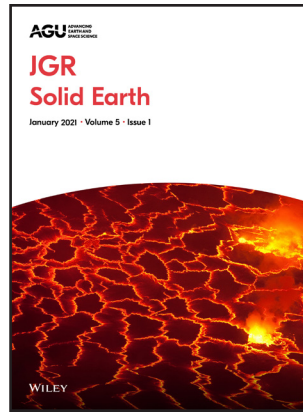
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2019 Impact Factor	3.64
Five-Year Impact Factor	4.19
Total Citations in Previous Year	51,244

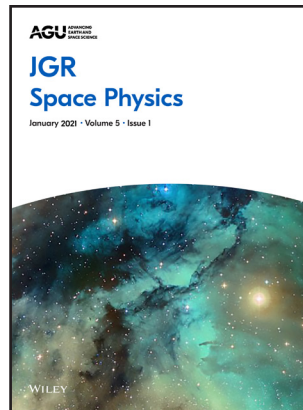
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Five-Year Impact Factor	2.75
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