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In 2004, 26 manuscripts were published in the *Journal of Cotton Science*. The distribution of published manuscripts by discipline is as follows: Agronomy and Soils – 4; Arthropod Management – 1; Breeding and Genetics – 4; Economics and Marketing – 1; Engineering and Ginning – 2; Molecular Biology and Physiology – 6; Plant Pathology and Nematology – 1; Textile Technology – 2; and Weed Science – 5.

To date (December 17), 70 manuscripts representing all nine disciplines have been submitted in 2004. A summary of the action taken on these manuscripts by discipline is provided in Table 1. The acceptance rate for manuscripts for which a decision has been made is 53.3%.

Table 1. Summary of action taken on manuscripts submitted to the *Journal of Cotton Science* in 2004

Discipline	Submitted	Accepted	Rejected	Returned ^x	Pending
Agronomy and Soils ^y	12	2	6	0	4
Arthropod Management	6	1	2	0	3
Breeding and Genetics	7	1	3	2	1
Economics and Marketing	5	0	1	1	3
Engineering and Ginning	8	3	1	2	2
Molecular Biology and Physiology	13	2	9	1	1
Plant Pathology and Nematology	4	1	0	0	3
Textile Technology	10	5	1	0	4
Weed Science	5	2	1	0	2
Totals	70	17	24	6	23

^x These manuscripts were returned because they were not submitted in the style required by the journal, or the experiments were not properly repeated and replicated.

^y One manuscript was withdrawn after acceptance.