

기관별 · 개인별 논문 분석을 통한 자율주행 자동차의 계량정보 분석

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Scientometric Analysis of Autonomous Vehicle through Paper Analysis of each Organization and Author

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요 약

본 논문에서는 자율 주행 자동차의 연구 방향을 결정하기 위한 기관별·개인별 논문 분석을 통한 계량정보 분석을 검토한다. 기관별·개인별 논문 수 분석, 수준 분석, 국제협력연구 네트워크 분석, 핵심 기관과 개인의 Q-L분포를 이용하여 자율 주행 자동차의 연구 동향을 확인한다.

ABSTRACT

In this paper, we review scientometric analysis through paper analysis of each organization and author to decide research direction for autonomous driving vehicles. We confirms research trend of autonomous driving vehicle by using number of papers. Analysis of Index Level, International Cooperation Research Network, Analysis of Key and Q-L distribution according to each organization and author.

키워드

Scientometric analysis, Autonomous driving vehicle, Index level, International cooperation Research network, Analysis of key, Q-L distribution

계량정보분석, 자율 주행 자동차, 수준 분석, 국제협력연구네트워크, 핵심 분석, Q-L 분포

1. Introduction

Recently scientometric analysis has been widely conducted by many researchers before the start of their research. Many researchers seriously consider the novelty of their subject compared with other researchers' subjects. Many researchers in engineering or related areas have a difficult time disco-

vering unique and reasonable research themes due to the more than two million peer-reviewed papers published every year.

To avoid duplication problem in patents, papers and research subjects, many researchers have to review previous research work and patents with various methods [1-14]. Among those methods, scientometric analysis in global dimensions has

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emerged as one of the best review methods for avoiding duplication in science and technology areas. However, there are very few papers applied with scientometric analysis for information retrieval.

In this paper, we review scientometric analysis through paper analysis of each organization and author to decide research direction for autonomous vehicles. We confirm research trend of autonomous vehicle by using number of papers. Analysis of Index Level, International Cooperation Research Network, Analysis of Key and Q-L distribution according to each organization and author.

II. Scientometric Analysis through Index Level at each Organization for Autonomous Vehicle

2.1 Analysis of each organization

As a result of analysis for author's nationality of published paper in Web of Science for unmanned vehicle during 2001–2011, this subject has been performed by 1,087 organizations including University, research institute and company through the world. During these periods USN has been the largest published 44 and account 2.76 percent among these organizations. The second and third largest published organizations are USAF and Cranfield University, its organizations has been published 40 papers, 2.51% and 30 papers, 1.88%, respectively. In Republic of Korea, Seoul National University has published total 25 papers, 1.57%, it ranked 7th in the world.

Table 1 shows distribution of each organization for published papers during 2001–2011.

Table 1. Distribution of each organization papers published during 2001–2011

R*	*O	NP*	RA* (%)
1	USN	44	2.76
2	USAF	40	2.51

3	Cranfield Univ	30	1.88
3	MIT	30	1.88
5	Brigham Young Univ	26	1.63
5	Georgia Inst Technol	26	1.63
7	Seoul Natl Univ	25	1.57
8	Univ Sydney	24	1.51
9	Technion Israel Inst Technol	19	1.19
10	Politecn Torino	18	1.13
10	Univ Calif Berkeley	18	1.13

* R : Ranking, * O : Organization,
* NP : Number papers, * RA: Ratio

Table 2 and Fig. 1 show the number of published papers of each organization and author during 2001–2011, respectively.

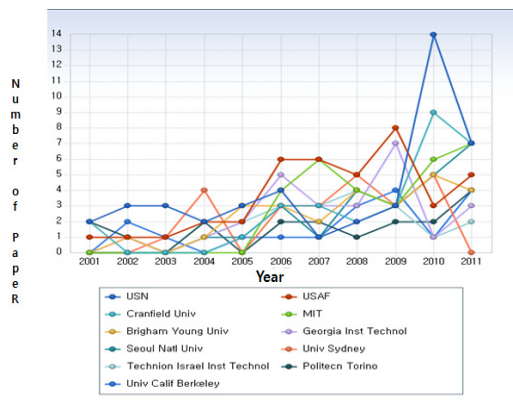


Fig. 1 Number of papers each organization published during 2001–2011

2.2 Analysis of index level for each organization[5]

We calculate index level for each country by using equation[5]. Table 2 and Fig. 1 show the index level of published for each organization respectively.

Table 2. Number of paper of each organization published during 2001-2011

Year	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	Total
USN	2	3	3	2	3	4	1	2	3	14	7	44
USAF	1	1	1	2	2	6	6	5	8	3	5	40
Cranfield Univ	2				1	3	3	2	3	9	7	30
MIT						4	6	4	3	6	7	30
Brigham Young Univ		1		1	3	3	2	4	3	5	4	26
Georgia Inst Technol		1		1	2	5	3	3	7	1	3	26
Seoul Natl Univ				1	1	3	1	4	3	5	7	25
Univ Sydney			1	4		3	3	5	3	5		24
Technion Israel Inst Technol				1	2	3	3	4	3	1	2	19
Politecn Torino	2	1		2		2	2	1	2	2	4	18
Univ Calif Berkeley		2	1		1	1	1	3	4	1	4	18

In the index level of organizations, Brigham Young University gets the highest value of 3.695 meaning that this organization shows the highest qualities of papers in citation areas. The organizations with index level above average are Brigham Young University (3.695), University California Berkeley (3.667), USN(1.421), University Sydney(1.416), Georgia Institute Technology (1.132), MIT(1.125) and USAF(1.033).

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Table 3. Index level of each organization papers published during 2001-2011

*O	*NP	*IP	*IL
Brigham Young Univ	26	17.077	3.695
Univ Calif Berkeley	18	16.944	3.667
USN	44	6.568	1.421
Univ Sydney	24	6.542	1.416
Georgia Inst Technol	26	5.231	1.132
MIT	30	5.2	1.125

USAF	40	4.775	1.033
Politecn Torino	18	3.611	0.781
Technion Israel Inst Technol	19	3.105	0.672
Cranfield Univ	30	2.533	0.548
Seoul Natl Univ	25	1.92	0.415

* O : Organization, * NP : Number papers
* IP : Impact factor, * IL : Index level

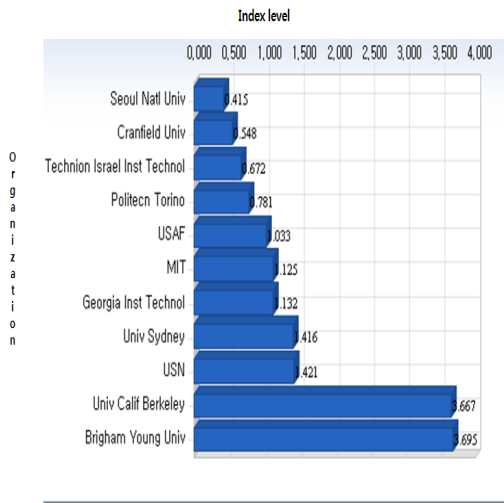


Fig. 2 Index level of each organization papers published during 2001-2011

Fig. 3 shows international cooperation research network for each organization[5].

2.4 Analysis of international cooperation research network for each organization [5]

In order to study International Cooperation Research Relationship, we investigate International Cooperation Research Network between countries and Relationship index of international cooperation(S) and Intensity of International Cooperation (L) in organizations.

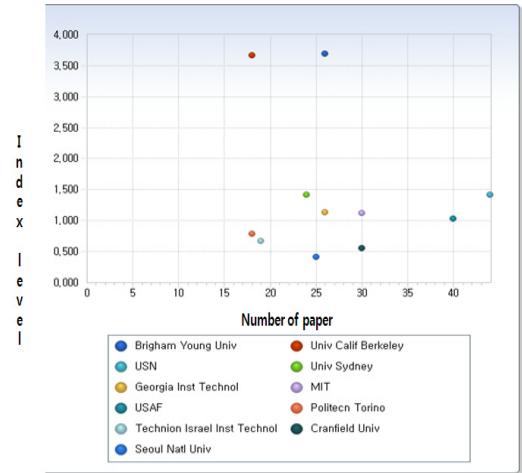


Fig. 3 Index level versus number of papers of each organization in unmanned vehicle

In order to calculate international cooperation research relationship between organizations, we introduce the concept of the Relation Index of International Cooperation(S) and Intensity of International Cooperation (L).

We apply Relation Index of International Cooperation[S]] an and Intensity of International Cooperation (L) in organizations[5].

From equation in [5], we get the Relation Index of International Cooperation(S) and Intensity of International Cooperation (L) for organizations is shown in Table 4.

As a result of analysis of Intensity of International Cooperation (L) for organizations from Table 4, MIT appear to have the highest point of 2.077 which is the top among the organization for unmanned vehicle research. The organizations have above average as follows: MIT(2.077), Cranfield University (2.077), University California Berkeley (1.924), USN(1.419), USAF(1.384), Seoul National University(1.384), University Sydney(1.156), Technion Israel Institute Technology(1.094), Georgia Institute Technology(1.066).

Table 4. Relation Index of International cooperation(S) and Intensity of International cooperation(L) for organization

*O	*NP	*L	*S
MIT	30	0.3	2.077
Cranfield Univ	30	0.3	2.077
Univ Calif Berkeley	18	0.278	1.924
USN	44	0.205	1.419
USAF	40	0.2	1.384
Seoul Natl Univ	25	0.2	1.384
Univ Sydney	24	0.167	1.156
Technion Israel Inst Technol	19	0.158	1.094
Georgia Inst Technol	26	0.154	1.066
Brigham Young Univ	26	0.115	0.796
Politecn Torino	18	0.111	0.768

* O : Organization, * NP : Number papers,
 * S : International Cooperation,
 * L : Intensity of International Cooperation (L)

Cranfield Univ	30	2.533	0.548	0.3	2.077
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Georgia Inst Technol	26	5.231	1.132	0.154	1.066
Seoul Natl Univ	25	1.92	0.415	0.2	1.384
Univ Sydney	24	6.542	1.416	0.167	1.156
Technion Israel Inst Technol	19	3.105	0.672	0.158	1.094
Politecn Torino	18	3.611	0.781	0.111	0.768
Univ Calif Berkeley	18	16.944	3.667	0.278	1.924

* O : Organization, * NP : Number papers,
 * Q : Index level of organization,
 * S : International Cooperation,
 * L : Intensity of International Cooperation (L)

2.5 Q-L distribution for selection of key organization

Selection of key organizations is accomplished using the result of analysis of Index Level of organization (Q) and Intensity of International Cooperation (L). Index level of organization (Q) and Intensity of International Cooperation (L) can be classified in four areas (I-IV) as reference $Q=L=1$. Table 5 and Fig. 4 shows Q-L distribution to select key organizations in the autonomous vehicle.

Table 5. Q-L distribution to select key organization

Organization	NP	Q	L	S	L
USN	44	6.568	1.421	0.205	1.419
USAF	40	4.775	1.033	0.2	1.384
MIT	30	5.2	1.125	0.3	2.077

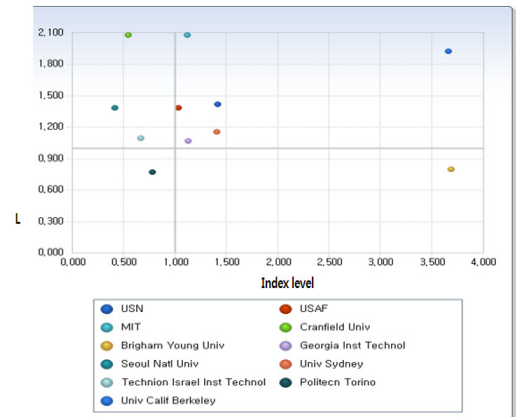


Fig. 4 Q-L distribution to select key organization

III. Scientometric Analysis through Index Level at each Author for Autonomous driving Vehicle

3.1 Number of papers of each author

In order to analysis index level of each author we define the ratio by following equation (1).

$$R = \frac{N}{A} \quad (1)$$

Where N is citation number per certain researcher has been published paper, A is average of citation number per total papers within research area.

Equation (1) evaluate the index of quality level. When level index equal 1.0, it means that number of average citation published by certain researcher equals the number of average citation of number of total papers within related area. In case of level index exceed 1.0 it means number of average citation published by certain researcher higher the number of average citation of number of total papers within related area.

Table 6 and Fig. 5 shows level index of each author for published papers during 2001-2011.

Table 6. Index level of each author for published during 2001-2011

*AU	*NP	*IP	*IL
Beard, RW	12	32.833	7.105
Hamel, T	14	11.857	2.566
Ollero, A	13	11	2.38
Sukkarieh, S	12	9.833	2.128
Kim, J	13	6.385	1.382
Cummings, ML	12	3.5	0.757
Postlethwaite, I	12	2.5	0.541
Gu, DW	12	2.5	0.541
Kim, Y	13	2.462	0.533
[Anonymous]	11	0	0

* AU : Author, * NP : Number papers

* IP : Impact factor, * IL : Index level

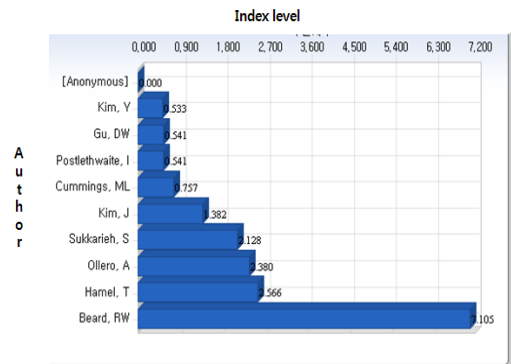


Fig. 5 Index level of each author for published during 2001-2011

As a result of level analysis of author we can realize Beard, RW(7.105), Hamel, T(2.566), Ollero, A(2.38), Sukkarieh, S(2.128), Kim, J(1.382) that are higher than average.

Fig. 6 displays number of papers versus level index of each author for published papers during 2001-2011.

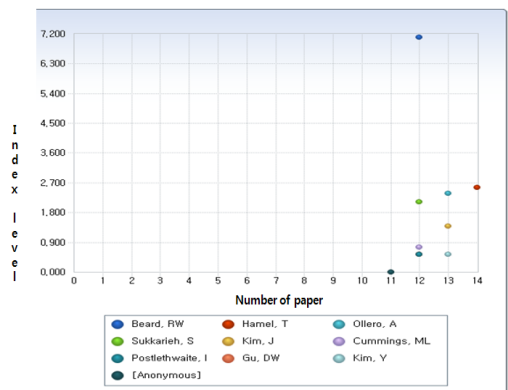


Fig. 6 Number per papers versus index level of each author for published during 2001-2011

3.2 Analysis of international cooperation research network for each author

In order to study International Cooperation Research Relationship, we investigate International Cooperation Research Network between countries and Relationship index of international coop-

eration(S) and Intensity of International Cooperation (L) in authors.

From equation in [5], we get the Relation Index of International Cooperation(S) and Intensity of International Cooperation (L) for author is shown in Table 7.

Table 7. Relation Index of International cooperation(S) and Intensity of International cooperation (L) for author

*O	*NP	*L	*S
Hamel, T	14	0.5	3.461
Kim, Y	13	0.308	2.132
Gu, DW	12	0.25	1.73
Postlethwaite, I	12	0.25	1.73
Kim, J	13	0.231	1.599
Cummings, ML	12	0.167	1.156
Beard, RW	12	0.167	1.156
Sukkarieh, S	12	0.083	0.575
Ollero, A	13	0.077	0.533
Anonymous	11	0	0

* O : Organization, * NP : Number papers,
 * S : International Cooperation,
 * L : Intensity of International Cooperation (L)

As a result of analysis of Intensity of International Cooperation (L) for organizations from Table 10, Hamel, T appear to have the highest point of 3.461 which is the top among the authors for unmanned vehicle research. The authors have above average as follows: Hamel, T(3.461), Kim, Y(2.132), Gu, DW(1.73), Postlethwaite, I(1.73), Kim, J(1.599), Cummings, ML(1.156), Beard, RW(1.156)

3.3 Analysis of key authors

Selection of key organizations and authors are accomplished using the result of analysis of Index Level of Authors (Q) and Intensity of International Cooperation (L). Index level of authors (Q) and

Intensity of International Cooperation (L) can be classified in four areas (I-IV) as reference $Q=L=1$. Table 8 and Fig. 7 shows Q-L distribution to select key authors in the unmanned vehicle, respectively.

Table 8. Q-L distribution to select key authors in the unmanned vehicle

*AU	*NP	CPP	Q	S	L
Hamel,T	14	11.857	2.566	0.5	3.461
Kim, Y	13	2.462	0.533	0.308	2.132
Ollero, A	13	11	2.38	0.077	0.533
Kim, J	13	6.385	1.382	0.231	1.599
Postlethwaite, I	12	2.5	0.541	0.25	1.73
Gu, DW	12	2.5	0.541	0.25	1.73
Sukkarieh, S	12	9.833	2.128	0.083	0.575
Beard, RW	12	32.833	7.105	0.167	1.156
Cummings, ML	12	3.5	0.757	0.167	1.156
Anonymous]	11	0	0	0	0

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 * Q : Index level of organization,
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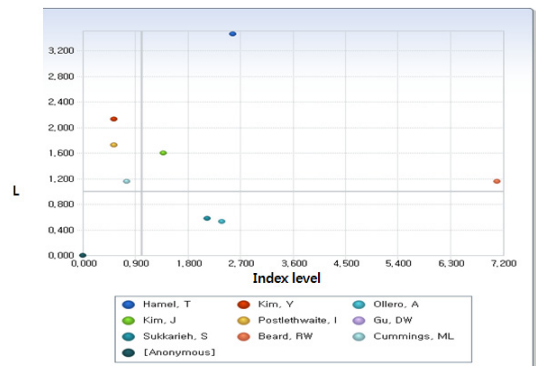


Fig. 7 Q-L distribution to select key author

IV. Conclusion

In this paper, we presented scientometric analysis including Analysis of Index Level, International Cooperation Research Network, Analysis of Key Organizations and Authors and Q-L distribution by using Web of Science (Thomson Reuters). Through this presented method, we can review the research trend about autonomous vehicle including activity according to each organization and each author. Using this method, we need to find research direction in the future. In the future, more research is necessary to improve the results about scientometric analysis to properly apply them to real research environment.

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