Table of Contents

Research Trends Editorial Board
PAGE 3
Research trends

Tackling climate change on three fronts: politics, public opinion and science
Public and political interest in tackling climate change has grown in recent years as a result of scientific research. It is now becoming clearer that government policies and public opinion are also spurring further research. Research Trends measures the growing pace.

PAGE 5
Bibliometrics

Biomass and biofuels – the promising potential of oilgae
Bioenergy is a hot topic in the discussion about global warming, and research in this area is offering new solutions. Research Trends looks at some of the benefits and drawbacks of these new technologies, as well as the increase in R&D in this field.

PAGE 7
Profile

Where government, industry and academia meet
It is becoming increasingly clear that the challenges of climate change cannot be solved without combined effort from government, industry and the academic community. Research Trends reports on the 2009 Times/Smith School World Forum on Enterprise and the Environment, which provides a forum for these groups to pool their efforts.

PAGE 9
Policy

Climate research outstrips CO₂ emissions
The greenhouse effect was first discovered in the 1820s, but only recently have its impacts been fully recognized. Research Trends looks at the relationship between economic growth, CO₂-led climate change and article output.