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Over the years, the terminology for the various types of publications has differed.

Terms as invited review (or article), current practice, special section (or report), brief report, (lustrum) lectures, proceedings and symposium presentations were reclassified into the categories as indicated in *table 1*. All meeting abstracts were omitted, as were reports from a number of societies.

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Table 1. Number of publications	
Type of publication	Rough estimate of the number over the 50 years
Editorials	350
Reviews	770
Original articles	990
Case reports	780
Letters to the editor	90



