

Committee Code and Name: P3 – Weed Technology

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Goals for 2010:

1. Review and publish high quality manuscripts
2. Speed up manuscript throughput (final decision time)
3. Have at least quarterly communications within the WT Editorial group during the year. Respond quickly to AE queries.
4. Carefully scrutinize all submitted articles before they are reviewed

We are making good progress on our goals. Manuscript throughput (decision time) continues to improve. As of June 17 (today's date), 81 new manuscripts have been submitted to Weed Technology in 2010. If that trend continues, submissions in 2010 will exceed those in 2009.

Many of the AEs took advantage of on-line web-based training for the relatively new PeerTrack Manuscript management system. There are still concerns with some of the PeerTrack functions that we have requested the programming group change.

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