

What can Altmetric.com tell us about policy citations of research?

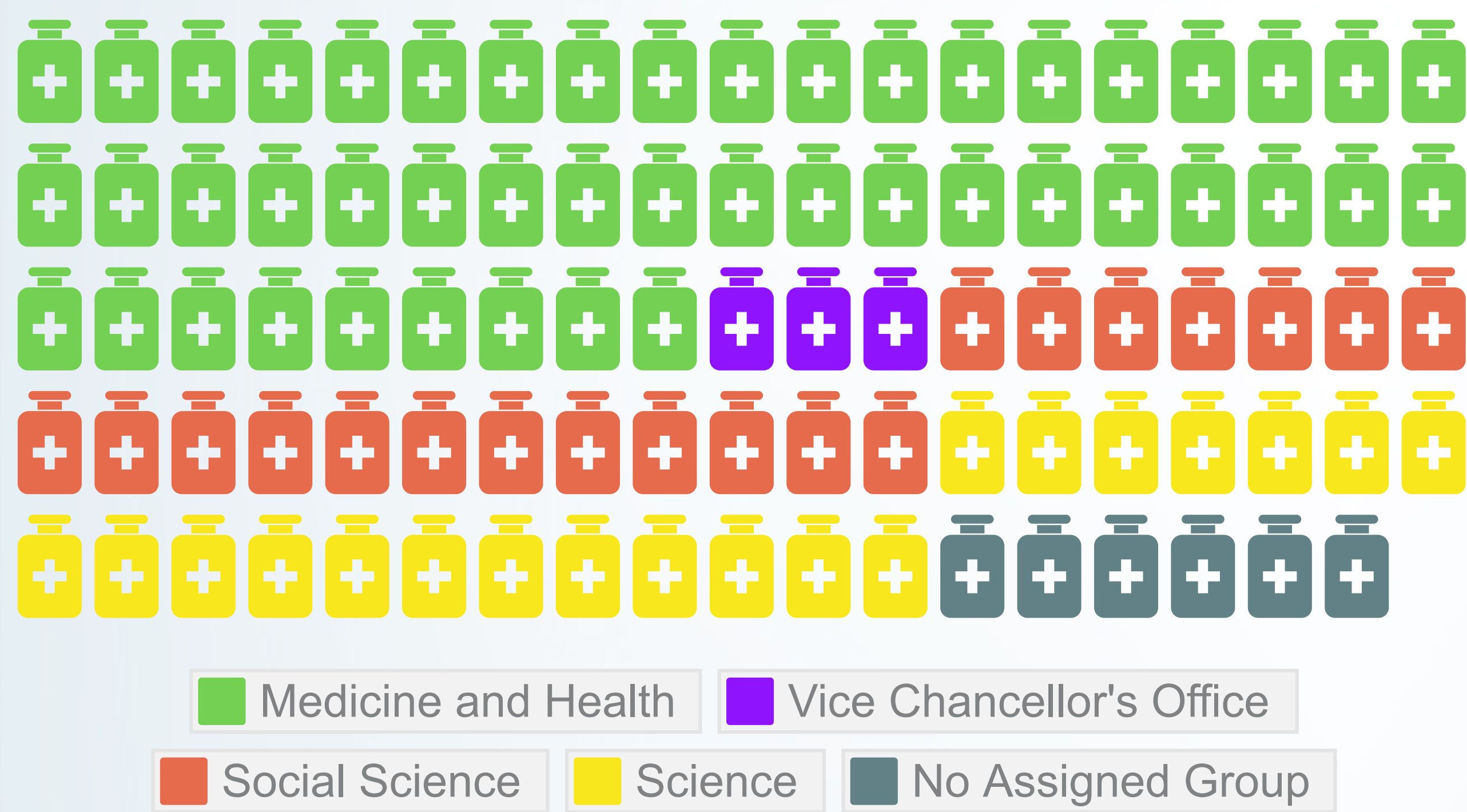


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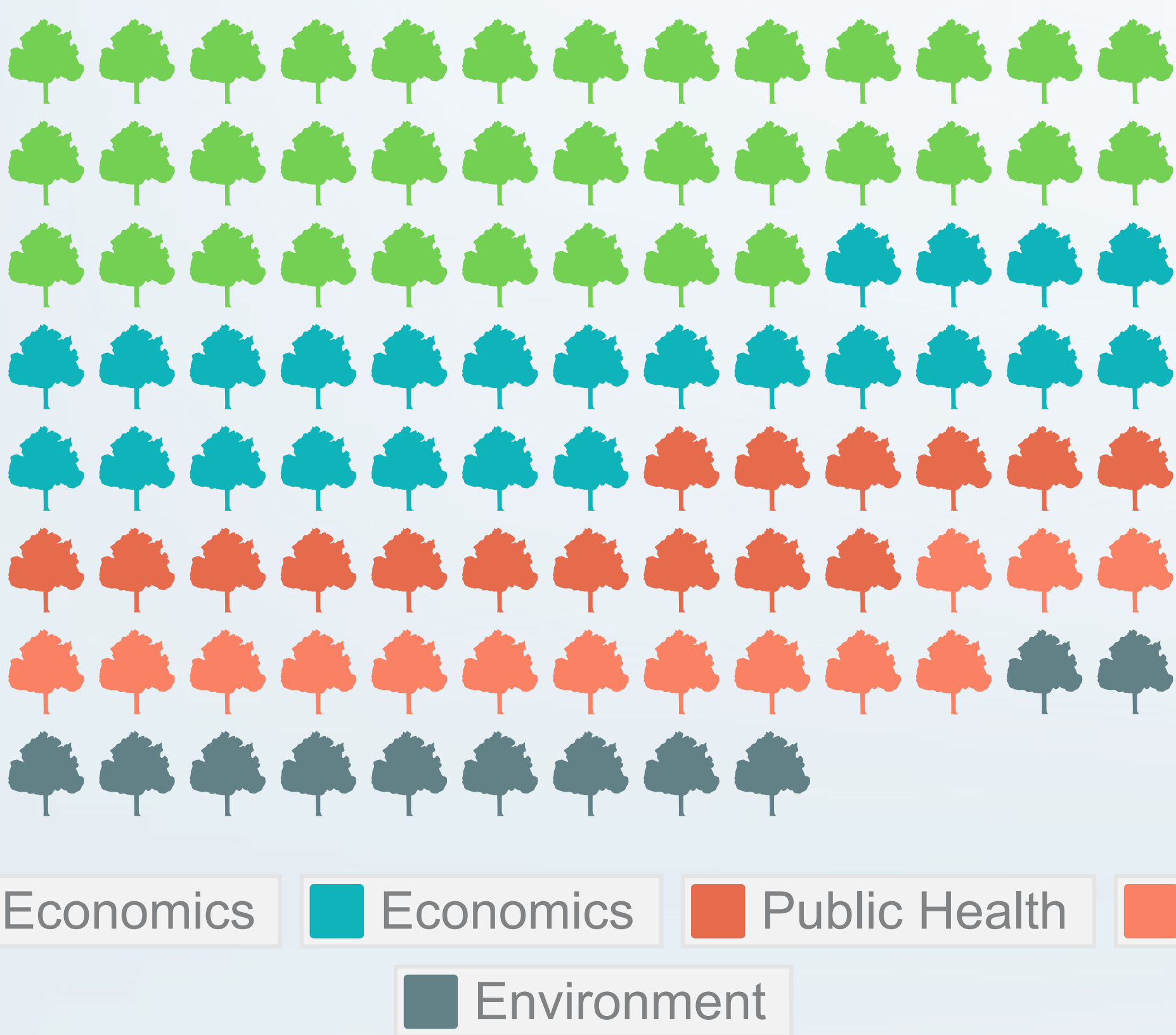
We tracked 96,550 research articles from The University of Sheffield and found that 1,463 had been cited in policy

Outputs by Faculty with at least 3 policy citations. n= 92



The Faculties of Arts and Engineering each had 0 citations

Policy citations from papers with 5 or more citations by research field. n = 117



n = 14 research outputs - 117 policy citations

Good and bad apples - research with >5 policy citations assigned to Sheffield authors, n = 21



Time lags between date of publication and first policy citation



<https://www.altmetric.com/details/13363657>
November 4, 2016 - January 2017 2–3 months NICE

<https://www.altmetric.com/details/9760092>
October 1979 - June 2010 25 years WHO

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October 1979 - June 2010 31 years CDC

WHO, World Health Organization; CDC, Centers for Disease Control; NICE, National Institute for Care and Health Excellence



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