Supplementary Tab. S2. Significance of the pairwise comparisons between topics, obtained with emmeans *post-hoc* tests from the models of Tab. 2.

Comparison	Authors	Pages	References	Citations	Abstract readability	Title readability
Hydrobiology - lake ecology	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.9971	0.8075
Hydrobiology - limnology	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.9785	0.9993
Hydrobiology - oceanography	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.1761	0.7531
Lake ecology - limnology	0.6858	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.4796	0.3189
Lake ecology - oceanography	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001
Limnology - oceanography	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.0591