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Corrective definition of traditional IF

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$$IF_{Total/AREL} = \frac{C_{t-1} + C_{t-2}}{N_{AREL(t-1)} + N_{AREL(t-2)}}$$

C_{t-1} and C_{t-2} are citations given in year t to all source items published in years $(t-1)$ and $(t-2)$, respectively, $N_{AREL(t-1)}$ and $N_{AREL(t-2)}$ are the numbers of items including articles, reviews, editorials, and letters published in years $(t-1)$ and $(t-2)$, respectively.