

POSTFACE: EDITOR'S NOTE

Over the past year, *Insect Science and its Application* has been undergoing a major reorganisation of both its management and editorial policy. In an effort to put the journal back onto a timely publication schedule, we are now processing the backlog of manuscripts accepted for publication as soon as they have been reviewed, edited and revised according to our new policies. In this issue, therefore, manuscripts accepted in 1996 and 1997 may be antedated and published in Volume 16 (1995). A revised Instructions to Authors appears in Volume 16 Number 1, and will continue to be amended from time to time to reflect changes in our procedures.

Note that a few papers in this issue have used the Duncan's Multiple Range Test for data analysis, although in future we will discourage the use of this method.

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