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Dear readers and authors,

This year, the journal *Laser Physics* enjoys its 20-year anniversary. In the course of these years, *Laser Physics* has become one of the leading journals in the field of optics and laser physics.

The journal was launched in 1990. The historical details can be found on the website (<http://www.lasphys.com/lasphys.htm> > General Information > History).

The first Editorial Board consisted of A.M. Dykhne (Russia), J.H. Eberly (USA), M.V. Fedorov (Russia), D.N. Klyshko (Russia), N. Kroo (Hungary), P.P. Pashinin (Russia), A.M. Prokhorov (Russia), K.A. Prokhorov (Russia), E.D. Protsenko (Russia), P.M. Saari (Estonia), V.V. Samartsev (Russia), A.P. Shotov (Russia), H. Walther (Germany), D.A. Wiersma (Netherlands), C. Yamanaka (Japan), V.M. Yermachenko (Russia), I.V. Yevseyev (Russia), and V.I. Yukalov (Russia). To our great regret, some of the members of this first Editorial Board, Profs.

A.M. Dykhne, D.N. Klyshko, A.M. Prokhorov, A.P. Shotov, and H. Walther, have passed way.

At the present time, the *Laser Physics* Editorial Board consists of 31 members from different countries. Three of the Editorial Board members are the Nobel Prize winners.

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- All published *Laser Physics* volumes 1–15 are available on the journal website.
- All accepted articles appear online before their publication in the paginated issue of the journal.
- Submissions to the journal are now accepted only in the e-form.
- The ISI Web of Science has included all issues of the journal in their database.

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