

EDITORIAL

During 2019, the journal Contributions of the Astronomical Observatory Skalnaté Pleso (CAOSP) published 81 papers on 562 pages within three issues. The journal received 145 citations and increased its impact factor to 0.833 for 2018 - the highest value to date.

Volume 49/1 presents two regular papers, one containing a large contribution on the recent photometry of symbiotic stars - XIV. part, which continues our long-lasting monitoring program of these objects, we started in 1991.

Volume 49/2 contains contributions based on lectures from proceedings of the workshop "Observing techniques, instrumentation and science for metre-class telescopes II", held in Tatranská Lomnica during September 24-28, 2018.

Other regular articles were published in Volume 49/3 together with seven contributions based on lectures from the joint ERASMUS+ and OPTICON summer schools held in Stará Lesná between 17 and 27 July, 2019.

During 2020 we plan to publish two special issues from international conferences and at least one issue containing regular articles. The first special issue is scheduled for Volume 50/1 and represents proceedings from "12th Serbian Conference on spectral line shapes in astrophysics", held in Vrdnik, Serbia, June 3-7, 2019, and the second one is allocated for proceedings from the conference, "Universe of Binaries, Binaries in the Universe", held in Telč, Czech republic, September 7 - 11, 2019.

Finally, during 2019 we established assignment of the digital object identifier (DOI) to each article published by CAOSP, being in effect from January 1, 2020.

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