

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Journal of Earth and Planetary Sciences, Nagoya University succeeded *The Journal of Earth Sciences, Nagoya University* in 1992, contingent upon the reorganization of our Department.

The editorial policy of *The Journal of Earth and Planetary Sciences, Nagoya University* is altered from this volume:

First, it publishes not only original research papers but also data-set papers, since many, if not most, journals do not give space for listing extensive original data, even in case that the essential part of papers is largely based on them. This is neither fair nor convenient; because the readers cannot easily check or use the data by their own way. The original important data that have not been published, or will not be included in a main paper, should be published properly elsewhere.

Secondly, the names of referees will be published every two years, since *The Journal of Earth and Planetary Sciences, Nagoya University* shall continue to be a refereed journal.

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