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## From the desk of the Editor-in-Chief

Labour of love in the year of COVID and beyond, contributed by authors, reviewers, editors, and especially the current Managing Editors has sustained and enhanced this journal. All papers now have a "doi" and Google Scholar is listing them. Many papers are routinely available through ResearchGate. From an editor's perspective, such visibility of the journal is gratifying. We expect that appropriate keywords will also draw additional attention to the papers. The current issue has 13 papers. Their quality reflects the significant efforts and time that the authors, reviewers, and editors have put in.

The first issue of the Journal was published in 1976. Since then, i.e., in the last forty-five years, many transformative papers have adorned its pages. Scope of the papers has evolved with time keeping pace with advances in knowledge and wisdom in sedimentology *sensu lato*. The Journal has caught up with the revolution of electronic publication. The current Managing Editors, with the aid of the Editorial Board, have deftly steered and streamlined the submission, editorial, and publication process in the last 3 years. This is a remarkable feat. The complicated IT process, evolving worldwide, remains blissfully behind the scene while being continually updated. Publishers of the most widely respected journals in science are always on the lookout for improved systems. Our Managing Editors cheerfully shoulder the responsibility of such enhancement. It is time to offer a collective Vote of Thanks to all readers, authors, and editors.

I shall be looking forward to a COVID-free world and to publishing results of your zealous research in the Journal of Indian Association of Sedimentologists.

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