

## PUBLISHER'S NOTE

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We are pleased to announce that the journal will join the EDP Sciences Subscribe to Open (S2O) programme in 2021 along with 5 other mathematics journals, in partnership with the Société de Mathématiques Industrielles et Appliquées (SMAI) (see [Press Release](#)). S2O is an innovative, transformative model that aims to move subscription journals to open access without resorting to author publication charges. Following the subscription renewal cycle, a journal joining the S2O programme will publish its newly-accepted content in *open access* as soon as all subscription renewals have been received. These articles will be published under a [CC-BY 4.0 licence](#), meaning anyone can share and reuse the content, and authors retain the copyright of their article. For more information on EDP Sciences' S2O programme, please read the [FAQ](#).

To avoid a significant time lag before newly accepted articles can be published in open access following the transition to S2O, we opted to publish the excess articles accepted prior to the transition to S2O in the form of this supplement to the regular 2021 volume. This supplement includes regular articles accepted in the journal prior to 2021. These regular articles had not yet been published, because the volume of articles accepted in the journal historically exceeded the average number of articles published in a regular volume. There is nothing else distinguishing the articles published in this supplement from articles published in the regular volume. We thank the authors and readers of the journal for their understanding.

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