

EDITORIAL

From 1996 the Journal will increase from four to six issues per annum. This will meet the space requirements of the increasing number of good manuscripts received each year and enable us to continue to reduce the submission-to-publication time. We hope that this development will be welcomed by our authors and readers. Inevitably, the rejection rate has had to rise in the last year, putting higher demands on submitting authors. Furthermore, to maintain the quality of our publishing three (not two) referees are now sought for every manuscript wherever possible. Limitations on space have enabled a further concentration on the basic ecology of the tropics, an area in which the Journal now has an established name.

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