THE EDINBURGH MATHEMATICAL SOCIETY

The Edinburgh Mathematical Society was instituted in 1883 for "the promotion and extension of Mathematical Science, Pure and Applied".

Members may subscribe to the *Proceedings* at a reduced rate. Further information about membership can be obtained from the Secretary.

The Society's address is

> The Edinburgh Mathematical Society
> James Clerk Maxwell Building
> The King's Buildings
> Edinburgh EH9 3JZ

Submission of papers

Papers to be considered for publication should be sent to the Secretary or to an Editor. Manuscripts (**2 copies**)) should be typewritten on A4 paper with double spacing and generous margins. The style and arrangement should conform to current practice in the *Proceedings*. Each manuscript should contain a short abstract of not more than 200 words and also a primary classification number from the American Mathematical Society's 1990 Mathematics Subject Classification Scheme. References, including titles of papers, should be given in the form adopted by *Mathematical Reviews*, footnotes being avoided if possible. Figures should be separated from the text and lettered, ready for photographic reduction; their intended location should be clearly indicated. Manuscripts which are not suitable for submission to the printer will not be accepted. Authors are advised to retain a copy of any material submitted as the Society cannot accept responsibility for any loss.

A proof is supplied once. Authors are particularly requested to correct and return the proof promptly. Excessive corrections may be charged to authors. Fifty free offprints, and additional copies at cost, will be supplied if ordered on a form returned with the proof.

Addresses of editors

K. A. Brown
Department of Mathematics
University of Glasgow
University Gardens
Glasgow G12 8QW

S. D. Cohen
Department of Mathematics
University of Glasgow
University Gardens
Glasgow G12 8QW

A. A. Lacey
Department of Mathematics
Heriot-Watt University
Riccarton
Edinburgh EH14 4AS

S. C. Power
Department of Mathematics
University of Lancaster
Lancaster LA1 4YF

C. M. Campbell
Mathematical Institute
University of St Andrews
North Haugh
St Andrews KY16 9SS

T. N. T. Goodman
Department of Mathematics and
Computer Science
University of Dundee
Dundee DD1 4HN

C. MacLachlan
Department of Mathematical Sciences
University of Aberdeen
Edward Wright Building
Dunbar Street
Aberdeen AB9 2TY

I. Tweddle
Department of Mathematics
University of Strathclyde
Livingstone Tower
Richmond Street
Glasgow G1 1XH

Proceedings of the Edinburgh Mathematical Society