



Message from the Editor-in-Chief

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Dear friends, we all should still take necessary precautions against COVID -19 as it is coming back in some countries. But the Year 2020 will always be remembered in the history of mankind due to COVID-19 Pandemic.

It gives me great pleasure to bring out the 4th issue of the **International Journal of Microwave and Optical Technology (IJMOT)** for the year 2022. This fourth issue of the year 2022 consists of the following 13 interesting papers in the areas of:

Microwave related areas:

[Simplified Adaptive Interference Suppression Methods Based on Subarray Configurations for 5G Applications](#), [Design of High Isolation Two-port MIMO Two-element Array Antenna Using Square Split-Ring Resonators for 5G Applications](#), [Design and Evaluating Bendability of a Flexible Scorpion Antenna using CMA and MoM for WBAN Applications](#), [Compact ACS-Fed Flexible Monopole Antenna For Dual Band Applications](#), [An EBG Structured Patch Antenna Array With 4 Elements for Satellite Applications](#), [Metamaterial Inspired Patch Antenna loaded with an Interdigital Capacitor for Wireless Applications](#), [A Very Closely Spaced Compact Monopole Antenna Array](#), [Substrate Integrated Waveguide Filtering Antenna for 5G Mobile Communications](#), [A pHEMT Double-balanced Up-Conversion Mixer for 5G mm-wave communication systems](#), and [Elliptical Slots Based Ultrawide Band Frequency Reconfigurable Microstrip Patch Antenna for Wireless Applications](#)

Optical areas:

[A New Method for Coexistence of PON Generations for Rural Broadband ICT](#), [Contribution to the Minimization of Vibration Effects in Optical Satellites](#) and [Performance Enhancement of the OWC by Optimizing the FOV of the Optical Receiver](#).

Please note that the authors with their university/organization being subscriber of IJMOT in good standing will have to pay only 50% of publication charges up to 8 pages. After that it is \$30 per extra page. Also, the IJMOT paper acceptance rate for the year 2021 was only 31%.

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