



Message from the Editor-in-Chief

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It gives me great pleasure to bring out the 3rd issue of the **International Journal of Microwave and Optical Technology (IJMOT)** for the year 2023. This third issue of year 2023 consists of interesting papers in the areas of:

Microwave related areas: [Wideband Six-Port Reflectometer for Microwave Applications](#), [UWB MIMO Antenna With Enhanced Isolation Using SRR](#), [Miniature Square Koch Fractal Folded-Slot Antenna for the 3.5 GHz IMT Range](#), [Metamaterial Embedded Multi-Notched Ultra Wideband Monopole Antenna](#), [A Frequency-Reconfigurable Flexible Antenna for IoT On-Body Applications](#), [Gain Enhancement at Selective Frequency of HMSIW Based Leaky Wave Antenna](#), [Bow-Tie Antenna with Improved Performance for Advanced GPR Applications](#), [“HEART” Shaped Broadband Hybrid Patch Antenna](#), [A Compact Multiband Annular-Slotted Patch Rectenna for Efficient Energy Harvesting](#), [Low-Cost Portable System for Antenna Polarization Measurement](#), and [Compact UWB Microstrip Patch Antenna for 5G Mobile Handset Applications](#).

Optical areas

[FBG Sensors for Temperature and Strain Measurement in Underground Coal Mines](#).

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