

Subscription FAQs



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Subscriptions: Pricing & Payment Information

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Can I order through my current subscription agent?

Yes, subscriptions to JPSJ can be placed through your regular subscription agent. Please note that Kinokuniya is the exclusive subscription agent for customers in Japan.

When will pricing be available?

2019 prices will be available in July 2018.

What currency will be used?

2019 prices will be set in US dollars and renewals and new orders for customers outside of Japan will be invoiced in US dollars.

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Will JPSJ be part of the AIP Complete package?

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Access to JPSJ

Is a license required to access JPSJ?

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Will JPSJ be available on AIP Publishing's Scitation platform?

No. JPSJ will continue to be hosted by the Physical Society of Japan at <https://journals.jps.jp/journal/jpsj>. JPSJ content will not be available from or searchable on Scitation.org.

I already have a subscription to JPSJ; will I still have access to the content that I have subscribed to?

Yes, you will continue to have access to any JPSJ content that you currently subscribe to.

Is back-file access included in my subscription?

Yes, your subscription to JPSJ entitles you to access the entire archive from Volume 1, Issue 1 in PDF format at no extra charge.

Do I have post-cancellation access rights to JPSJ content that I subscribe to through AIP Publishing?

Yes, the Physical Society of Japan guarantees perpetual access to the volumes from 2014 onwards that you had a subscription to.

Are trials to JPSJ available?

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Account Management and Usage Reports

As an administrator, how do I manage my account?

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