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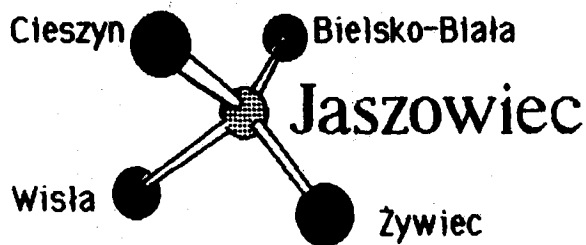
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Preface

The XXI International School on Physics of Semiconducting Compounds "Jaszowiec 1992" was held in the *GWAREK* and *KOLEJARZ* hotels in Jaszowiec between the 22nd and the 29th of May, 1992, and was organized by the Institute of Physics, Polish Academy of Sciences and by the Faculty of Physics of Warsaw University. The XXI Jaszowiec School was attended by about 200 participants. During the School 18 invited talks were presented by distinguished Colleagues from both Poland and abroad. More than 110 original contributions were presented in oral or poster forms. The submitted papers (more than 80) were reviewed by the Program Committee and they are published in the Proceedings, consisting of this and the following issue of the *Acta Physica Polonica A*.

For the first time additional tutorial session was organized during this Jaszowiec School. This two-day course was devoted to basic physics of the two-dimensional systems. The aim of the course was to help students and newcomers in this field to follow specialized talks during the School. The session was organized in cooperation with "Pro Physica" Foundation. Financial help of Stefan Batory Foundation and International Physics Group of the American Physical Society is kindly acknowledged. The organization of the tutorial session would be impossible without this help.

The Program Committee would like to express gratitude to all invited speakers and especially to speakers of the Special Tutorial Session for their effort in preparing and delivering the lectures. The success of the "Jaszowiec" meeting relies mostly on Speakers and their interaction with the audience. We thank them for a perfect match to our expectations.

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