CONTENTS

Tadashi Ashikaga and Ken-Ichi Yoshikawa — A divisor on the moduli space of curves associated to the signature of fibered surfaces (with an appendix by Kazuhiro Konno)	1
Kazuhiro Konno — Appendix to "A divisor on the moduli space of curves associated to the signature of fibered surfaces" by T. Ashikaga and KI. Yoshikawa	35
${\it Taro~AsukeOn~the~Fatou-Julia~decomposition~of~transversally~holomorphic~foliations~of~complex~codimension~one}$	39
Jean-Paul Brasselet — Characteristic classes along the Japanese singularity road	49
Alex Degtyarev — On irreducible sextics with non-abelian fundamental group	65
Alex Degtyarev and Mutsuo Oka — A plane sextic with finite fundamental group	93
Christophe Eyral and Mutsuo Oka — A proof of a conjecture of Degtyarev on non-torus plane sextics	109
Gerard Gonzalez-Sprinberg — On Nash blow-up of orbifolds	133
Keizo Hasegawa — Complex and Kähler structures on compact homogeneous manifolds—their existence, classification and moduli problem	151
$\label{thm:condition} \mbox{Hirotaka Ishida and Hiro-o Tokunaga} - \mbox{Triple covers of algebraic surfaces and a generalization of Zariski's example}$	169
Shihoko Ishii — Smoothness and jet schemes	187
Masaharu Ishikawa — On the contact structure of a class of real analytic germs of the form $f\bar{g}$	201
Mutsuo Oka — Topology of abelian pencils of curves	225
Oswald Riemenschneider — Simple analytic proofs of some versions of the abstract Prime Number Theorem	249
Ichiro Shimada — Non-homeomorphic conjugate complex varieties	285
Mamuka Shubladze — On the middle Betti number of certain singularities with critical locus a hyperplane	303

Tatsuo Suwa —	$\check{C}ech-Dolbeault$	cohomology a	and the $\bar{\partial}$ -Thom	${\it class}$	321

Shinichi Tajima, Yayoi Nakamura and Katsusuke Nabeshima — Standard bases and algebraic local cohomology for zero dimensional ideals

Shoji Yokura — A universal bivariant theory and cobordism groups $363\,$