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### Coming in 2023 -- Tiered Pricing for AMS Journals

For the 2022 subscription year, the AMS will again hold our prices (AMS Journals and MathSciNet) to a 0% increase, as we did for 2021.

We have also reviewed our journal pricing model with a goal of increased equity. As a society publisher, our goal has always been to maintain reasonable subscription prices and increases. However, the flat pricing model has meant that institutions with smaller budgets struggle more to maintain their subscriptions. As the pandemic has only made even more clear, budget crises do not hit all universities and colleges equally.

After much research and analysis over the past two years, the AMS plans to implement a tiered pricing model for 2023 for our subscription journals. We will have 5 tiers, based on standard classifications such as Carnegie, Ringgold, JISC, and others, and taking World Bank national data into account, as well. Finally, we will also consider the MathSciNet Math Activity score for an institution.

For those institution in Tiers 4 and 5, price increases will remain minimal. For the larger institutions, prices will gradually increase over the next five years (beginning in 2023). No institution will see annual increase above 10% during the transition; we anticipate increases of 7% for the top tier. We hope that this advance notice will make it easier to plan for this change.

This tiered pricing model will apply only to our subscription journals.

For more details, including tier assignments and expected increases for 2023, please do [reach out to us](#).

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