

Letter to the Editor

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Abstract. Certain objections are made concerning the term “Skordev Point”.

I was surprised to see my name attributed to one of the points considered in [1] although I have no relation to that subject (cf. “Contents/Definitions/Points” and “Contents/Theorems/Points” in [1]). In addition, a paper [2] on the same subject is published in this journal. I thank the author of [1] and [2] for his good feelings for me, but they are expressed in a form which is not usual in science. Moreover, there is a statement occurring both in [1] and [2] that needs an immediate correction. The author writes: “The Skordev Point is named in honor of Dimiter Skordev, a Bulgarian mathematician, one of the founders of the Bulgarian mathematics”. Such an appraisal of me is more than strange, since a Faculty of Mathematics has existed in Bulgaria, namely at Sofia University, almost half a century before I was born, and several generations of excellent mathematicians have worked in that faculty before I became a student there.

Remark. Similar statements are made in [1] also about my colleagues Ivan Dimovski and Grozyo Stanilov. Since they are only several years older than me, these statements also cannot be regarded as justified.

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