"The scope of this book is modest: we study no Lie algebras with dimension greater than 6. Furthermore, in the six-dimensional case, $\mathfrak{I}_6$, we do not give complete results. (The so-called addition theorems of Gegenbauer type for Bessel functions would be obtained from such an analysis.) However, it should be clear to the reader that our methods can be generalized to higher dimensional Lie algebras.

"We will almost exclusively be concerned with the derivation of recursion relations and addition theorems. The manifold applications of group theory in the derivation of orthogonality relations and integral transforms of special functions will rarely be considered. For these applications see the encyclopedic work of Vilenkin. The overlap in subject matter between that book and this one is relatively small, except in the study of unitary representations of real Lie groups."

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26[7].—RUDOLF ONDREJKA, *Exact Values of* 2^n, $n = 1(1)4000$, ms. of 519 computer sheets deposited in the UMT file.

This impressive table of the exact values of the first 4000 powers of 2, which was computed in 1961 on an IBM 709 system, constitutes the first volume of an extensive unpublished series of such tables.

In private correspondence with the editors the author has revealed that in October and November 1966 and in the period from May through August 1967 he extended this initial table by computing the next 29,219 powers of 2 on an IBM 7090 system. These additional powers occupy a total of 27,023 computer sheets, arranged in 74 volumes, which are in the possession of the author.

A further statistic supplied by the author is that the total number of digits in all 75 volumes is 166,115,268. This digit count is also given for each volume; thus, the volume under review, for example, contains 2,410,843 digits. A useful index has been supplied for the entire set of tables.

The selection of 33,219 as the total number of entries in this immense tabulation was based on the author's plan to include all powers of 2 whose individual lengths do not exceed 10,000 decimal digits.

The tabular entries are clearly printed in groups of five digits, with 19 such pentads on each line. The appropriate exponent is printed beside each entry, and successive powers are conveniently separated by a double space.

In a brief abstract the author has added the information that tabular values were spot checked by comparison with the published results of others, particularly those relating to the known Mersenne primes.

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27[7].—H. R. AGGARWAL & VAHE SAGHERIAN, *An Extension of the Tables of the Quotient Functions of the Third Kind*, Stanford Research Institute, Menlo Park, Calif., ms. of 18 typewritten pages deposited in the UMT file.