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Each issue contains articles about Canadian astronomers, current activities of the RASC and its Centres, research and review papers by professional and amateur astronomers, book reviews, and articles of a popular, historical, biographical, or educational nature of general interest to the astronomical community.

Circulation

The *Journal* is available online or distributed to all 5000+ members of the RASC as a benefit of membership. The RASC members are the most active and dedicated amateur and professional astronomers in Canada.

University libraries and professional observatories around the world receive the *Journal* by subscription—this accounts for another 200 copies (2016 figures).

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Publication Schedule

The deadline for space orders is the first of the month, two months prior to the issue date. Material is due about two weeks later. See the table below for specific issues.

Issues are mailed to RASC members and subscribers on or before the first day of the month of issue. An electronic on-line service gets the full-colour document to members ahead of the beginning of the issue month.

Issue	Space Closing	Material Closing
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