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Dear Martin Izrailevich

The Editorial Board and Staff of "Uspekhi Khimii" offer hearty congratulations to you, one of their regular authors, on your seventieth birthday.

The scientific school that you have created occupies leading positions in world organophosphorus chemistry. The development of this field in your works provides a striking example of the close connection and fertile interaction of scientific research and practice. Your fundamental contributions to theoretical organic chemistry have obtained widespread fame and world recognition. These investigations have permitted a thorough study of the properties of new types of compounds synthesised under your direction, have provided opportunities for their most

useful practical application, and have established several technical processes of value for the national economy. Effective research and original ideas in diverse fields of chemical science and practice are inseparable from your encyclopaedic knowledge and breadth of scientific interests. You have the skill to arouse the interest of various kinds of experts and attract them to work on a particular problem, thus combining their creative efforts with the most promising lines of scientific advance. A scientist having a world reputation, recipient of Lenin and State prizes, you have devoted much time both to scientific administration and education and to the training of scientific staff.

We wish you, dear Martin Izrailevich, health, fresh creative successes, and many years of fruitful scientific activity!

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