ICMI Archive – Delessert Secretaryship

The archive presented here is the result of work carried out to index, reorder and inventory the papers that testify to ICMI activity during the period in which André Delessert held the office of secretary (1963-1970). The papers were generously donated by his daughter Edith Samba to the Department of Mathematics "Giuseppe Peano" of the University of Torino.

The archive also includes documents preceding and successive to that period, part of which have come down from the activity of the previous secretary, and part regarding the activities of the Swiss subcommission of the ICMI, of which Delessert was president. The archive, comprised of 646 archival units, is conserved in the *Fondo Rari* of the Library of the Department of Mathematics.

The work of reordering has led to a dual inventory system, one arranged in archival series, and the other in chronological order. Here, for the sake of uniformity with the parts of the ICMI archives already published, only the chronological listing is reproduced, in table format. Also provided, in PDF format, is a legend of the abbreviations, the index of the names of people, and denominations of institutions. The complete inventory is conserved, in both paper and digital media, in the Library of the Department of Mathematics together with the Delessert papers. It is arranged in the following sections:

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