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Preface

In commemoration of his retirement from the University of California, Berkeley, an "International Conference on Functional Analysis and its Application in Honor of Professor Tosio Kato" was held on July 3 through 6, 1989, at Sanjo Conference Hall, University of Tokyo, the university where he began his academic career. The Organizing Committee, which consisted of Hiroshi Fujita (Meiji Univ.), S. T. Kuroda (Gakushuin Univ.), and Teruo Ikebe (Kyoto Univ., chairman), selected invited speakers mostly from among his students, students' students, and some recent collaborators. The Conference was followed by a "Symposium on Spectral and Scattering Theory" held on July 7 through 9 at Gakushuin Centennial Memorial Hall, Gakushuin University, Tokyo.

The Conference received financial supports from the Inoue Foundation for Science and the Japan Association for Mathematical Sciences, and the Symposium from Gakushuin University. We express our gratitude to these organizations.

Speakers and participants of these Conference and Symposium wish to heartily dedicate this volume to Professor Kato in celebration of his seventieth birthday.

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