

ERRATUM

Evgeniĭ Mikhaĭlovich Lifshitz (On His Sixtieth Birthday)

I. E. Dzyaloshinskiĭ and L. P. Pitaevskiĭ, *Sov. Phys.-Uspekhi*, 18, 167 (1975).

Through a regrettable error the translation of the following first paragraph of this article was omitted:

The outstanding Soviet physicist Evgeniĭ Mikhaĭlovich Lifshitz celebrated his sixtieth birthday on the the 21st of February this year. Much of Lifshitz's splendid work has predetermined for a long time the development of entire branches of theoretical physics. Thus, while we frequently encounter in recent physics journals references to the "Landau-

Lifshitz equation" (in the theory of magnetic resonances), the "Lifshitz criterion" (in the theory of phase transitions), or "the Lifshitz theory of molecular forces," we often lose sight of the fact that the equation was derived more than forty years ago, the criterion dates back almost thirty-five years, and the molecular-force theory is more than twenty years old. Not to mention even his recent work on cosmology, without reference to which practically no article on this subject is complete.