

Editors Script

Since I am involved in the development of production technology, I mainly collect articles related to production technology. However, since most of the production technology is know-how, it is often impossible to write about it even if I wanted to, and it is always difficult to collect articles. This is the fifth number since I became an editor of the Technical Review. But among the articles of the past five numbers, only about 10% have been related to production technology. Engineers usually want to promote technologies they have developed themselves, but this hope can be seldom materialized. How can you promote your own technology without disclosing the related production engineering knowhow? It may be a point for the editors to show their skills.
(KAWAZOE)

I never imagined these circumstances a little while ago. Now we need to coexist with COVID-19. If you think you have to change or transform your lifestyle or your awareness of your behavior in a negative way, you may find yourself feeling down. I do not like to be nostalgic, but, when looking back at some numbers of KYB Technical Review issued several years ago, I feel that the editors then tried to encourage employees to continue covering topics that what would bear fruits soon or in future, as their mission, without fearing changing something or changing themselves.

Anyway, KYB Technical Review, including its archive of past numbers, is also available on the company's website. I would be happy for you to feel free to visit the site and casually browse the Review, just like me.
(OTA)

When looking through the KYB Technical Review, you can readily notice that the company has carried out research and development in truly various fields. Editors are often responsible for editing articles or papers related to a field of expertise that is not their own, so they have trouble understanding the contents before editing. On a personal note, I took a qualification test last year and its notification of acceptance arrived at my house when I was involved in the editing of this Review.

Actually, I was almost a beginner in the field of the test I took, which is quite different from my area of specialization. With nearly three months of self-learning, I fortunately passed the test on my first try. The fact that I put forth effort in a field of expertise other than my own may be useful in my future editing work or my efforts for new research and self-development.
(OKADA)

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