

## Editors Script

This issue of KYB Technical Review (KYB TR) is No.63. KYB TR has introduced many different products developed by the company and released to the world so far. How have they fared after their release? Some should have been back on the KYB TR again after undergoing another evolution. But I wonder if some technologies have disappeared quietly or have not matched the needs of the age. If we look back on such marginalized products, we may perhaps see some other new thing from that horizon. KYB products have been manufactured for the purpose of contributing to society. Could it not happen that the product or technology at that time has evolved into another thing, helping people somewhere else? Could we not be able to find something new? How about such a plan to find an "after-sales" product? (OKAMURA)

Shameless! There is no other characteristic indispensable to clerical editors. In general, it is common for persons with backgrounds in liberal arts to build high inhibitions when they just hear the word "technology." The sentence given to me is to ask beginner's questions of those around me over and over again to feel ashamed as a representative of non-scientific readers. If the Technical Review were read by as many people as much as I feel ashamed, I can say I have the reason for my existence as an elected editor. The fact that I used to belong to Engineering is just between us. (MATSUMURA)

One and a half years have already passed since the COVID-19 pandemic began. You may spend each day feeling uncomfortable about everything under the 4th declaration of a state of emergency while the Tokyo Olympic games are going on. You may be stressed out, probably much more than you think yourself. In this situation, some of you may see and be moved by how the Olympic athletes play very hard without giving up to the end, being energized and encouraged. I'm very happy if those who read this KYB Technical Review will similarly address technical development or product development without giving up. (MARUYAMA)

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