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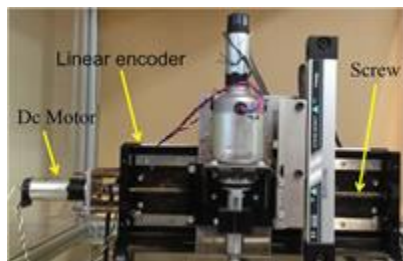
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Research highlights featured in the February 2015 issue of *Toyohashi Tech e-Newsletter*.

Industrial electronics: reducing the energy consumption of feed-drive systems

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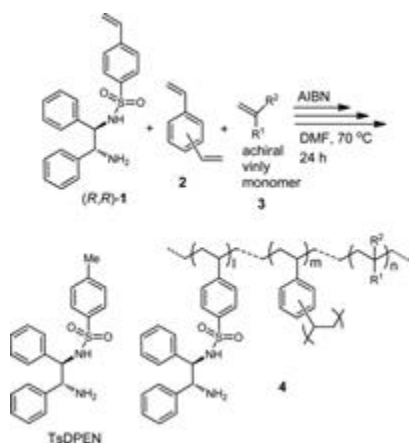
Toyohashi Tech team led by Naoki Uchiyama describe a new technique for enhancing the performance of ball-screw-driven mechanisms actuated by servo drives.



Chiral chemistry: catalysts benefit from polymer support

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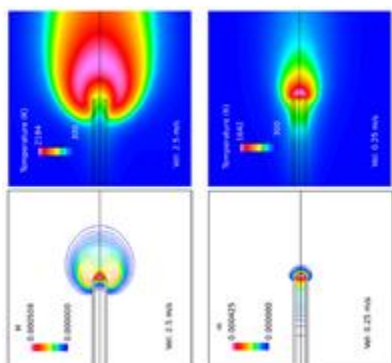
Shinichi Itsuno, Yosuke Hashimoto and Naoki Haraguchi report how to immobilise industrially important chiral complexes on polymer supports for re-use in effective chiral catalysis.



Novel stability concept in miniaturized jet flames

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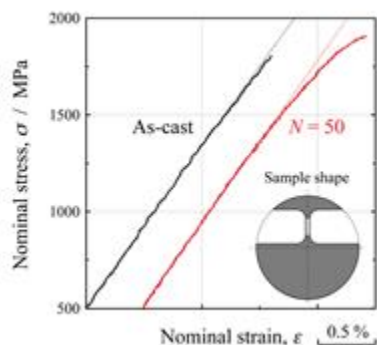
Yuji Nakamura (Toyohashi University of Technology) and Akter Hossain (Hokkaido University) examined numerically the stability of miniature hydrogen jet diffusion flames inside micro-burners made from different materials.



Materials science: enhancing the ductility of bulk metallic glasses

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Toyohashi University of Technology and Tohoku University researchers report how mechanically-induced defects can counter this limitation and enhance the ductility of bulk metallic glasses. The study describes the results of differential scanning calorimetry measurements on bulk metallic glass Zr₅₀Cu₄₀Al₁₀.



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