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This home page serves as an open forum of information exchange for better understanding and usage of Creative Problem Solving Methodologies, especially based in Japan. Readers' contributions are very welcome, including introductory articles, papers, case studies, news, questions, comments, etc

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Four Entrance Pages have been introduced. You may be guided through them to readable/useful articles depending on your situations and interests.

New Information (for the latest 6 months) are shown below in the present page. Articles are marked in 5 different colors: classified). (Oct., 2014)

Let's enjoy 'Think & Try'!

(for Children and Highschool students)

- (1) Everything is interesting!
- (2) Watch and find it!
- (3) Think 'Why?'.
- (4) Learn how it works.
- (5) Understand the function.
- (6) Think for yourself.
- (7) Imagine the ideal. (8) Collect different
- examples. (9) Try to divise something
- (10) Information for teachers and parents

For solving problems creatively

(for Students and Citizens)

- (1) Necessity and importance of addressing problems
- (2) Creativity and enlightenment
- (3) Different methods of creative problem solving
- (4) Understanding the problems and
- (5) Analyzing the problem and imagining the ideal
- (6) Generating solution ideas and trying to implement them
- (7) Case studies in various fields
- (8) Addressing to familiar problems and problems in society
- (9) Information sources and learning opportunities
- (10) Miscellaneous

Methods of creative problem

(for Engineers and Researchers novice to TRIZ)

- (1) Purposes and significance of 'Creative problem solving'
- (2) What is TRIZ
- (3) Information sources of TRIZ
- (4) History and current situations of
- (5) Basics of TRIZ
- (6) Knowledge bases and tools of TRIZ
- (7) Methodologies of TRIZ and its
- (8) Application case studies
- (9) Mastering and practicing TRIZ
- (10) Questions and discussions

Practices and methodologies of Creative problem solving

(for Practitioners and Experts)

- (1) Full use of the present site (New information, General index, Searching, etc.)
- (2) TRIZ references, links, and software tools
- (3) TRIZ news, activities, and conference reports
- (4) TRIZ papers and articles
- (5) TRIZ case studies of application and promotion
- (6) TRIZ lecture notes and course materials
- (7) Documents of TRIZ/CrePS methodologies
- (8) TRIZ Forum (communications, discussions, questions, etc.)

General Index Engl	(A) Editorial	(B) References	Links	News & activities	Software tools		Lectures, course materials	(D) Forum	General Index Jap.
	New Information Engl		for children and highschool students	for students and citizens	for engineers (introduction)	for Practitioners			Home Page Jap.

New Information Jan. [Articles posted/updated within these 6 months. was within 3 months.]

Editorial: 'General Index' page has been reorganized and divided into 4 pages (Toru Nakagawa) Jap. (Sept. 25, 2014)

The General Index provides a large number of categorization tables which contain all the articles posted in the present site for these 16 years since its start. Each article is shown by the title, the authors, and the date of posting/update, and has links accessible with one clik to its English page as well as its Japanee page. With the accumulation of articles, the General Index page has become so heavy that I have divided it into four pages. They are

General Index (A) Parent page and Editorial: Guide to the preent site, Index of 'From the Editor' pages

General Index (B) References: References, Links, News and activities, Software tools: Jap.

General Index (C) Papers: Papers, Case studies, Technical reports, Introductory articles, Lecture materials, Documents of methodologies:

General Index (D) Forum: Reports of conferences; Book reviews; Communications, discussions, questions, opinions, feedbacks, etc.; Collabo pages: Engl. Jap.

Editorial: Four 'Entrance Pages' to the present site have been built to make this site friendly to different types of readers (Toru Nakagawa) [Fog] Jan (Sept. 7; Sept. 25; Oct. 17, 2014)

The top page of this site has been renewed and four 'Entrance Pages' have been introduced. The table cells of 4 different colors are the icons to guide you to the Entrance Page suitable for you depending on your current situations and interests.