Thermal Engineering Division

Outline of the Thermal Engineering Division

In the fields related to thermal engineering, the various phenomena are of consideration represented by mega-scale heat and mass transfer found in space and earth scale; photonic, thermal and mass transfer in biological cells; electrochemical transport of mass and energy in microscopic scale; and chemical reaction and its measurement in nano/molecular scales.

Sectional meetings are established for specially-interesting subjects

- Exergy evaluation of energy systems
- Heat and mass transfer in nano/bio technologies

Presentation and discussion on the latest research works

- JSME annual conference (summer)
- Thermal engineering conference (annually, autumn)
- Seminars, workshops and training sessions are organized accordingly.

Thermal control in critical environment such as space, super high / low temperature conditions, etc.

> Development of environmental friendly energy conversion systems and analysis of heat and mass transfer which have decisive impact on the global environment

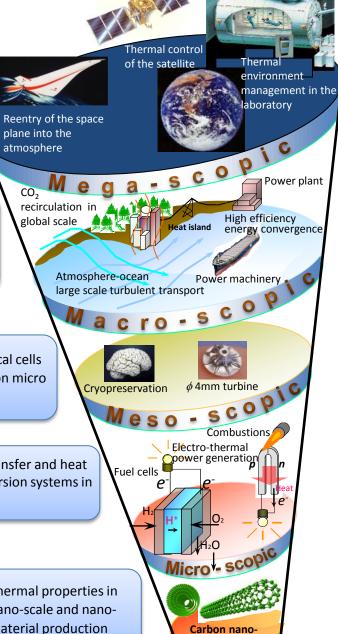
gas turbine

Cryogenics and mass transfer in biological cells Compact power supply systems based on micro

> Electrochemical mass transfer and heat transfer in energy conversion systems in micro-scale

> > Thermal properties in nano-scale and nanomaterial production

> > > Simulation on chemical reaction in molecular level



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Joint conferences and meetings of Japan-U.S. and Japan-Korea

 ASME/JSME Thermal Engineering Joint Conference The latest issues on thermal engineering are presented with fruitful discussions (organized every four years).

 KSME-JSME Thermal Engineering Conference Provides trends of the research activities in Asia (organized every four years).

The thermal engineering division offers various opportunities to present and discuss the latest research progress at symposium, conference, seminars and lectures. The activities of the division is also widely announced through this webpage.

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