

## Press Release

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# The Cutting Dream Contest 2007 Entries Open!!

**Any manufacturers' machine tools can be used.  
We are looking forward to your products, full of passion for manufacturing  
and creative ideas.**

Mori Seiki Co., Ltd. will start accepting entries for The Cutting Dream Contest 2007 from July 2.

The Cutting Dream Contest is open to companies, schools and research institutions engaged in machining with machine tools in Japan. It is intended to improve the exchange of information and techniques throughout the machining industry.

The response we received in the first three contests, representing the high level of technical skill in Japan's manufacturing industry, far exceeded our expectations.

The contest will be divided into 4 categories, the same as last year: Parts Machining, Die and Mold Machining/Mold Machining, Micro Machining and Academic Research. There will be several prizes in each category, and Gold Prize Winners will each receive 200,000 yen.

To ensure impartiality, the judging will be done by a panel of experts from outside the company. This year the judging panel will be headed by Prof. Atsushi Matsubara of the Department of Micro Engineering, Graduate School of Engineering at Kyoto University.

Of course all entries must be made on machine tools, but it does not matter which manufacturers' machines are used.

All entries will be displayed in Mori Seiki's Cutting Dream Contest catalog.

We hope that many people will take part, as a once-a-year test of skill and as a place where you can display your refined techniques.

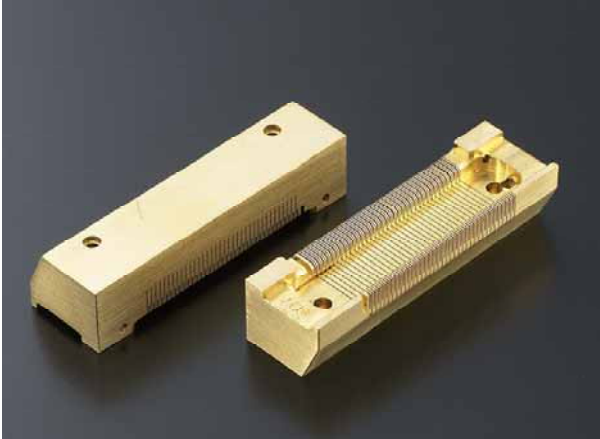
Period for Entries	July 2, 2007 (Mon.) ~ October 10 (Wed.)
Send entries to	106, Kitakoriyama, Yamatokoriyama, Nara 639-1160 Mori Seiki Co., Ltd. Exhibition/Showroom Section attn. Cutting Dream Contest organizer TEL: 0743-53-1734
Contact	Mori Seiki Co., Ltd. Cutting Dream Contest office Marketing Strategy Section (Organizer: Tobo) TEL: 052-587-1827 E-mail: dream@moriseiki.co.jp
How to enter	Please attach an entry form to the product and send it to the above address.
Entry form	You can download it from Mori Seiki's home page. Mori Seiki's home page: <a href="http://www.moriseiki.com">http://www.moriseiki.com</a>
Awards ceremony	November, 2007 At Mori Seiki's Chiba Campus.

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Gold Prize Winners from The Cutting Dream Contest 2006

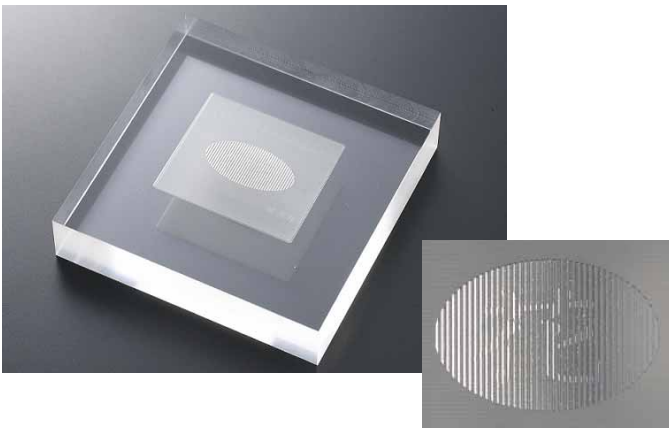


Parts machining Gold Prize Winner

「PIECE HOLDER」

D & M Holdings Inc.

Shirakawa City, Fukushima



Die and mold machining/Mold machining

Gold Prize Winner

「Snow and flower + haiku "Happiness is found right there on the spring mountain," by Kenjiro」

Seko Seimitsu Kinzoku

Minami Saitama, Saitama



Micro machining Gold Prize Winner

「Minicopter」

Senbokuya Co., Ltd.

Yokohama City, Kanagawa



Academic research Gold Prize Winner

「Microarray lens made of super hard metal」

Kobe University Department of Mechanical Engineering

Kobe City, Hyogo