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# The Barrel Finishing Method has been evolving

~the 1<sup>st</sup> year of Reiwa era~

## National Awards for Inventions & Awarded Companies



	Awards	Awarded Company	Invention
1	Imperial Invention Award	Hitachi	The design of Rapid-Transit Rail Car System which became the infrastructure of the United Kingdom.(Design Patent No.1486294)
2	Prime Minister Award	TOSHIBA	Long-life large secondary battery which excels at input-output performance.(Patent No.3769291)
3	MEXT Minister Award*	FUJI FILM	The Digital Imaging Elements which use the color filter of low cyclic nature.(Patent No.5054856)
4	METI Minister Award*	TIPTON	The Barrel Finishing Machine which uses low-speed high-pressure mass flow. (mass = media + parts).( Patent No.555383)
5	Commissioner of Patents Award	TOYOTA	The Technology of Laser Welding for layered copper plates (Patent No.5902400)
6	JIII Chairman Award*	JFE Steel	The electromagnetic Copper Plates which contribute to the Small-size High Efficiency of electric equipment. (Patent No.5644680)
7	NICC Chairman Award*	Canon	The Exposure Equipment for the Display which achieves the perfect balance with the positional adjustment's speed and accuracy.(Patent No.6185724)
8	JCCI Chamber Award*	HORIBA	The Analysis Equipment with function of coexist-moisture compensation.(Patent No.3771849)
9	JPAA Chairman Award*	YAMAHA	The Design of Electric Fiddle which combines Strength, Light Weight and Performance.(Design Patent No. 1520260)
10	Asahi Shimbun Ward (Newspaper Publisher)	SEIKO EPSON	The Dry-type Office Papermaking Machine.(Patent No.6127882)

※Some Awards' Names with \* are abbreviated.  
Please refer to the next page for unabbreviated names



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## Unabbreviated Names of Awards



	Abbreviated	Unabbreviated
3	MEXT Minister Award	Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology Award
4	METI Minister Award	Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry Award
6	JIII Chairman Award	Chairman of Institute of Invention and Innovation Award
7	NICC Chairman Award	Chairman of Nippon-Keidanren International Cooperation Award
8	JCCI Chamber Award.	President of the Japan Chamber of Commerce and Industry
9	JPAA Chairman Award	Chairman of Japan Patent Attorneys Association Award