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[Ultimate Injection Molding Technology and Pulp Injection Molding]

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Recent Topics on Visualization and In-process Measurement Technologies for Injection Molding

The Yokoi Laboratory is conducting the following projects "Ultimate Injection Molding Technology" and "Pulp Injection Molding (PIM)". Visualization themes and in-process measurement technologies are introduced through the demonstration of recent analytical results and video visualization images. Development of PIM samples are also reported using typical molded samples on display.

Visualization Analysis on Plastication Process of Glass Fiber Reinforced Resin by **Glass-inserted Heating Cylinder**

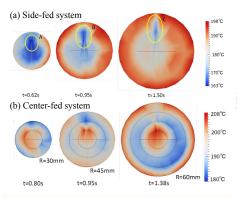
Analysis of Cavity Filling Phenomena inside Mold with Hot Runner System

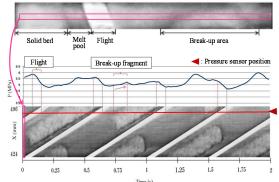
Visualization Analysis of Melt Flow Behavior inside Hot-runner Manifold

Visualization Analysis of Gas Vent Behavior Using Laser-Light-Sheet Technique

Visualization Analysis of Inner Burn-mark Generation Phenomenon

Development of New Products on Pulp Injection Molding





Ignition position Weld-line

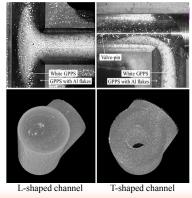
Time-sequential images showing

Change of temperature distribution with time after injection starts in hot runner mold

1 2mm(Thickness) Without gas-vent

Gas-cloud behavior under different gasvent conditions

Plastication process of glass fiber reinforced PP



Visualization images of melt flow behavior inside hot-runner manifold

SEKISO CORPORATION Defroster nozzle for windshield of automobile (1/2 scale model)

the inner burn process

New products on pulp injection molding