

NEWS

Dear all,

The spring sunshine is comfortable every day, but how are you getting on?
After all it feels good in spring! ☺
Have you heard "In spring one sleeps a sleep that knows no dawn."
This is a passage of poetry written by a poet from the Tang Dynasty in China.
It means that you can sleep comfortably on spring nights,
so you don't even notice that the morning has come and you just oversleep.
Isn't that the case for everyone? ☺☺



“Kado” (Japanese flower arrangement)

Kado is a traditional Japanese art originating from the Heian period (794-1185) in which flowers and plants are specially arranged in a vase for appreciation. It is also called Ikebana. Ikebana is a Japanese-style flower arrangement. Those flowers are usually displayed in tokonoma*¹.
The general style of ikebana, a kenzan (needle-point holder) is placed in the vase with water, flowering plants and branches of trees are secured on it, and the length and shapes is adjusted with scissors.
Flowers and plants in ikebana represent human life and express its beauty and venerableness. In Ikebana, flowers also represent heaven, earth and man, which are to be arranged in a proper balance. There are many styles in Ikebana. Based on Ikenobo style*², there are about 2000-30000 styles.
In Ikebana, flowers, grasses, trees, and all different kinds of plants are used. Ikebana exhibitions are held at exhibition spaces, post offices and train stations.



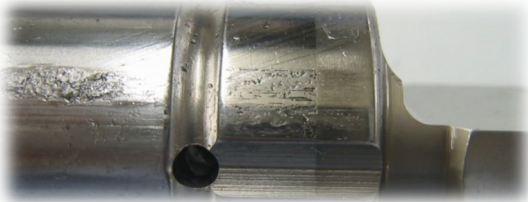
*¹ tokonoma: an alcove in a traditional Japanese room where art and ikebana are displayed.

*² Ikenobo style is the base of Ikebana established by Senoh Ikebono.

Moly Paste 300

(Anti-Seizure Paste)

Tool lubrication is very important to keep tool life longer and keep good condition to punching tools. Especially punch body and guide need to put good lubricant oil / grease is necessary to use.



Sliding troubles have a large effect such as tool breakage and machine stoppage.



Conic recommend this high performance lubricant named "Moly paste 300" produced by Sumico. When we ship the "SET ORDER TOOL" to the customer, we apply this lubricant to the slide part of the punch body.*1, *2



*1 Do not wipe off the lubricant that was applied at the time of shipment.

*2 The single item order tool is not applied, so please purchase and use this item.



Take an appropriate amount.



In particular, apply carefully to the outer circumference near the root of the cutting edge and near the retainer collar.



* Please keep it as a necessary item for maintenance.

* Solid lubricants contained: Molybdenum disulfide, Graphite

* Price: 5,000 JPY (500g)

If you need to get this products, please contact our **TOOL SALES DESK!**