

## INTRODUCTION

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“Kansei Information Processing”

In June 1993, Prof. Morihiro Sugishita became the head of our Cognitive Neuroscience Section and several new research projects were started, including the following

“Neural Basis of Language and Cognition”

“Evaluation and Therapy of Language and Cognitive Disorders”

From this issue, we introduce a slight change in the format of our Annual Bulletin. That is, in order to provide more comprehensive information on the activities of our institute, we have decided to include abstracts of our original contributions published in the journals during the past one year. We hope this format will be more informative to readers of our Annual Bulletin.

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