

The meaning of contradictions in technical creativity

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The article substantiates the urgency of analyzing the contradictions in technical creativity when developing and improving technical systems. The paper shows that if some characteristics of the technical system are improved, the deterioration of its other indicators is noted. The law of development, improvement of any technical system, is expressed by such unity of opposites. It is emphasized that the process of resolving contradictions in both qualitative and quantitative directions can be carried out. It is noted that quantitative changes in technical systems are no less significant than quality ones. The process of quantitative improvement of the technical system has a certain limit. Transition to a new principle of action in a technical system is necessary. The principle of operation is the most important indicator in the technique. Its value in the scientific and technical creativity is carried out. The importance of indicators for improving the technical systems available in the collections of patents is highlighted. Their connection with various forms of conflict resolution is indicated. Findings of the research show that the conflict resolution methodology in domestic practice is significantly different from the methodology in foreign practice. This is a certain novelty of this work. Recommendations for further investigation of the resolution of contradictions in technical systems are given. Recommendations for further research of the conflict resolution in technical systems are given.

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