

## **From Editor's Desk :**

The way science and technology has leaped forward in the recent past is indeed an astonishing feature of the modern era. The magic wand of technology has enabled man to roam around the world, to peep through every nook and corner of the universe. The essence of the advancement of science and technology is the thirst for knowledge. We wonder agape at the fast changing environment around us. Sometimes we are baffled by the changes; we cannot decide whether those are good or bad, or whether those are beneficial at all to the human civilization. But man cannot stop. Since the dawn of civilization, from the days of yore, he has never ceased to invent and surely, he would not stop ever. After all, he is still a child at the lap of Mother Nature. There are, indeed, many things which he is yet to know, there are many pages in her book which he has not been able to explore till now.

It is better to be optimistic than to be pessimistic. Somebody once said, "An optimist invented the aeroplane, a pessimist the parachute". Technology is the tool to prosper. It is up to the man how he does with it. Those who cannot think well cannot do better. This is why it is often said, "The world hates change, yet it is the only thing that has brought progress".

We have tried our best to keep pace with the changing world of science and technology. The topics are all state-of-the-art and we hope it will not only provide enjoyable reading but also serve as a quencher of thirst for those interested in tracking the advanced features of science and technology.