

# Somebody actually took the time to translate my book into Japanese, it appears

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I have no idea who they are (since I can't read Japanese), but [hatena](#) appears to be some sort of Japanese social bookmarking site, and I'll often find hits from them in my referrer logs. One of the members [found a newly-issued Japanese translation of my book](#), which opens up a whole new audience to my obnoxious personality. Stumbling across [the Japanese edition](#) was a bit of a surprise. I mean, yeah, the book contract has some paragraphs about translations, but seriously, who actually expects their book to be translated? That's just standard book contract boilerplate stuff.

What next, a movie deal?

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