

Current Status of Nuclear Power in Japan

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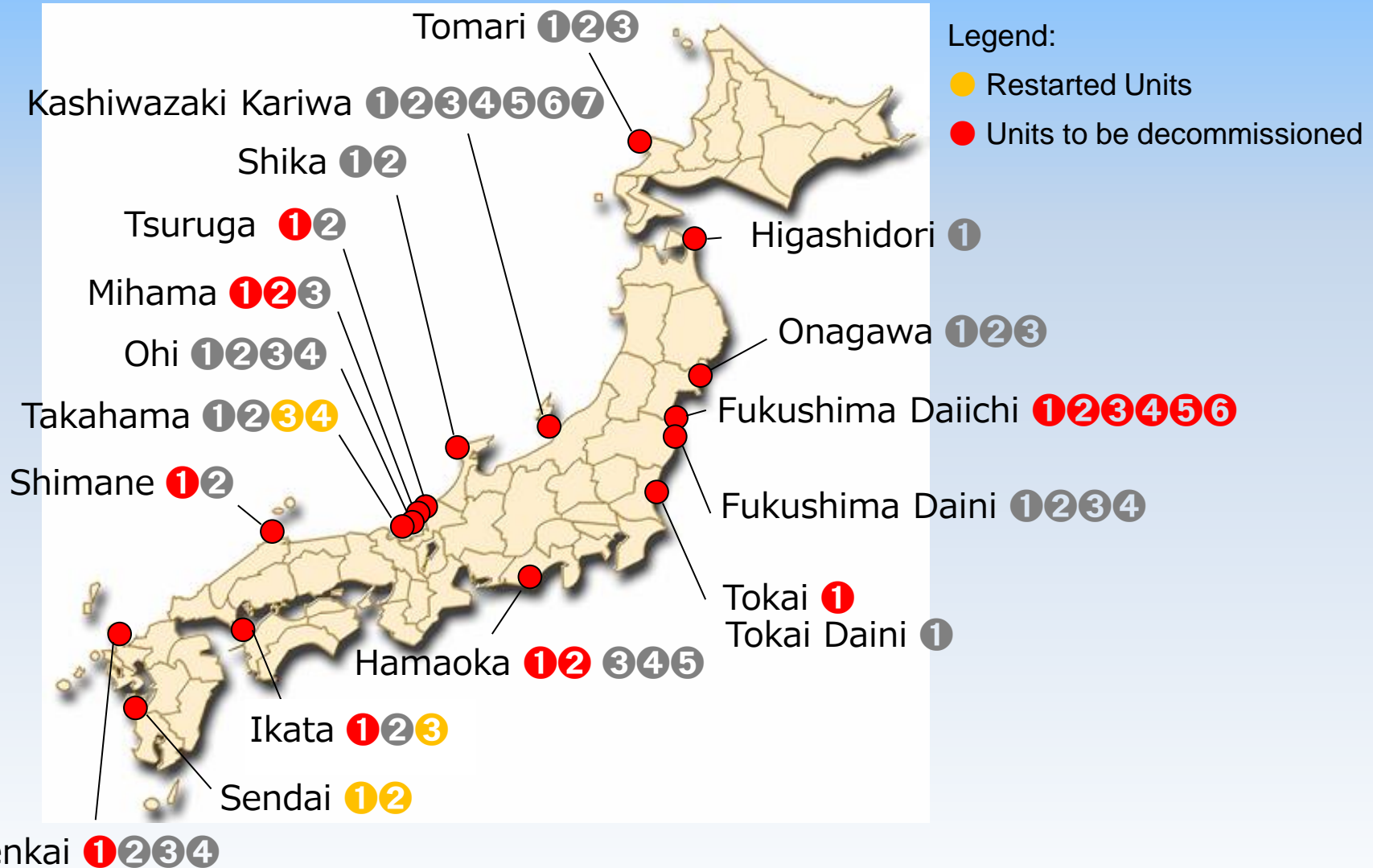


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I. Current Status of NPPs in Japan

Status of Restarted NPPs

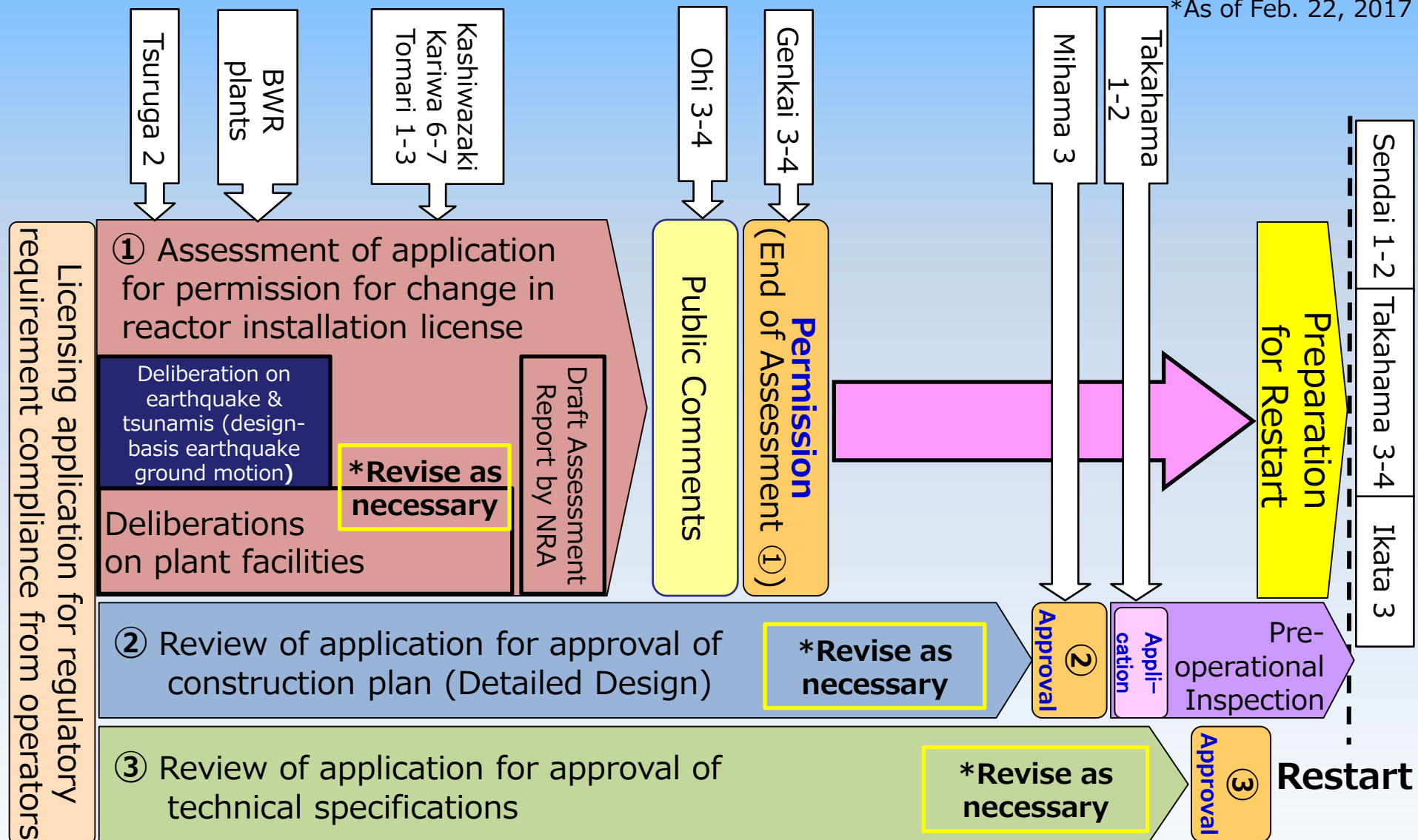


Source: Meeting of Federation of Electric Companies of Japan (FEPC), Nov. 22, 2016

I. Current Status of NPPs in Japan

Status of License Application for Restart

*As of Feb. 22, 2017

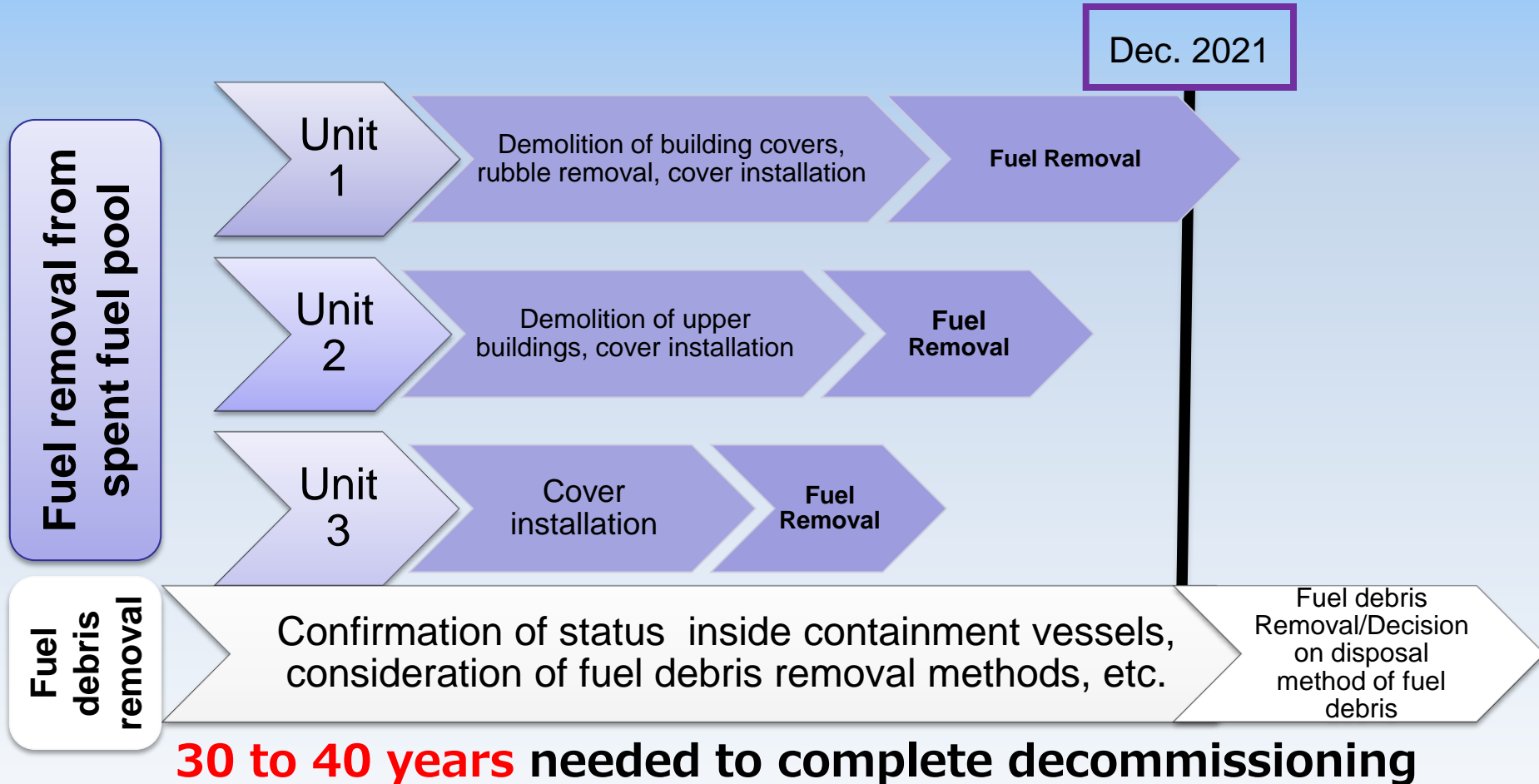


Source: FEPC

Local Consent (before restart)

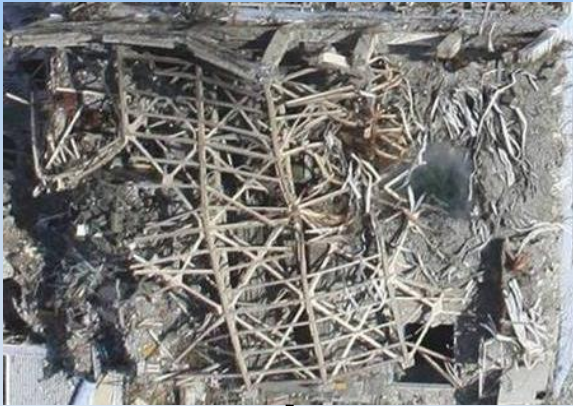


II. Current Status of Fukushima Daiichi NPS Roadmap for Decommissioning



Source: Meeting of METI 's Team for Countermeasures for Decommissioning and Contaminated Water Treatment

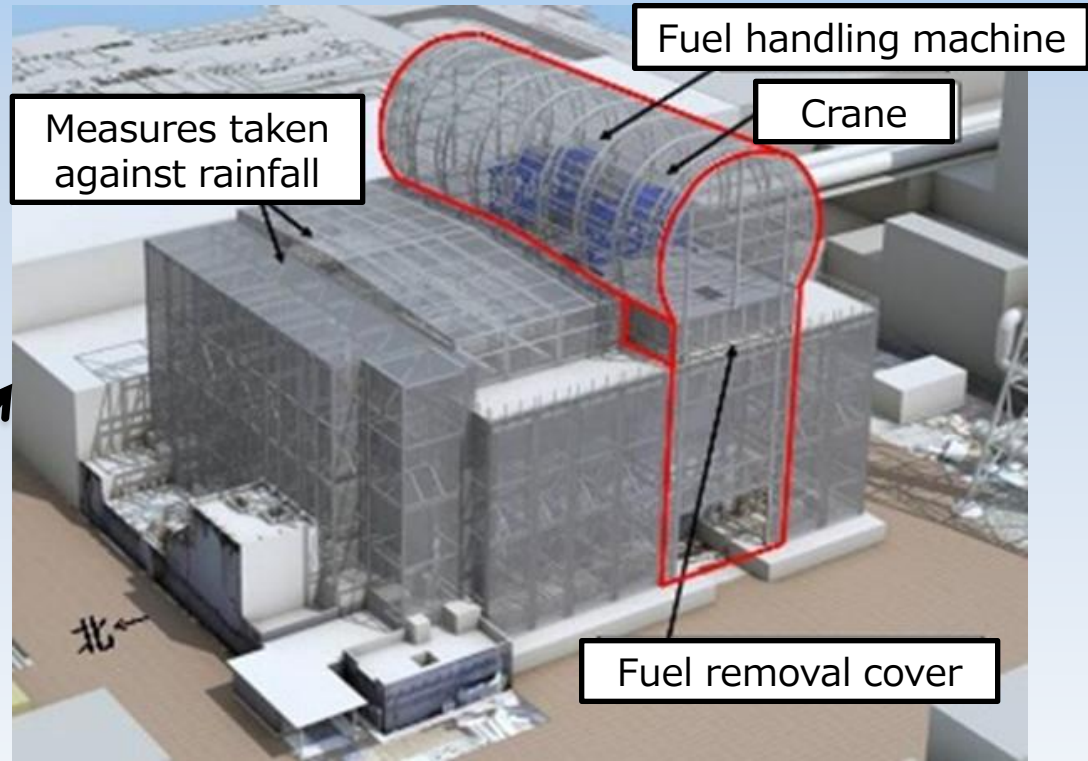
II. Current Status of Fukushima Daiichi NPS Installation of Unit 3 Fuel Removal Cover



Unit 3, Mar. 2011



Unit 3 Operating floor, Mar. 2016



Installation of fuel removal cover (conceptual drawing)

Source: TEPCO HD

II. Current Status of Fukushima Daiichi NPS PCV Internal Investigation

Purpose: To obtain current situation inside the containment vessel and its surroundings to ensure smooth removal of fuel debris.

Primary Containment
Vessel (PCV)
Dry Well

Reactor Pressure Vessel
Spent Fuel Pool

Possible
fallen
debris

Through-hole
(X-100B Penetration)

Reactor Pressure Vessel

32m

Enlargement

Platform

Grating

Opening

Pedestal

Pedestal

Diameter: 18m

Suppression
Chamber (S/C)

Bottom of Containment Vessel
(Sectional View)

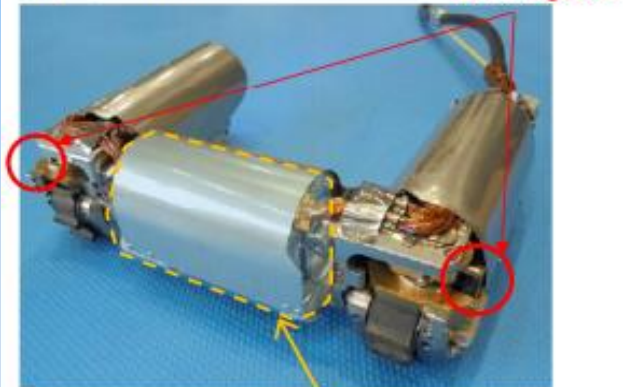
Cross Section of Reactor
Building (Bird's eye view)

Source: TEPCO HD



II. Current Status of Fukushima Daiichi NPS Self-Propelled Investigation Device for Unit 1

Appearance

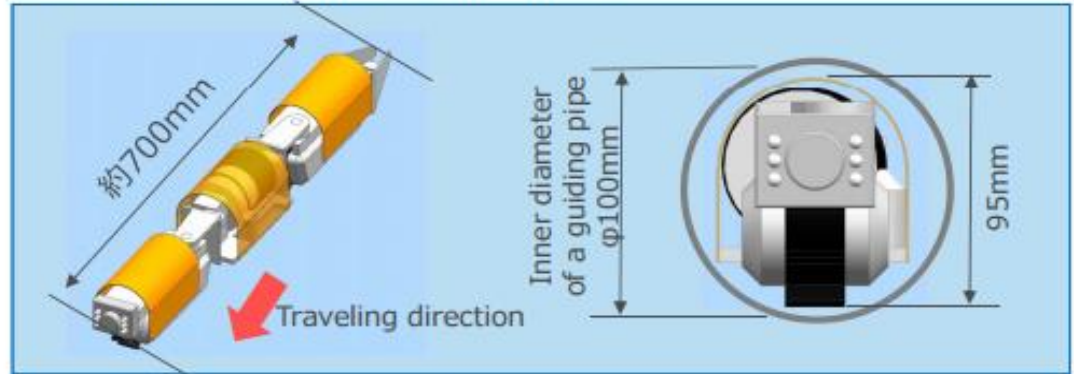


Storage space for a camera and dosimeter
When capturing digital images and
measuring radiation doses

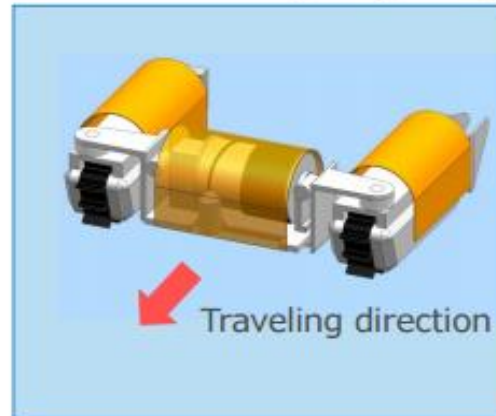


Sensor unit integrating a
camera and dosimeter

When inserted into a guiding pipe



When traveling on grating



Source: TEPCO HD

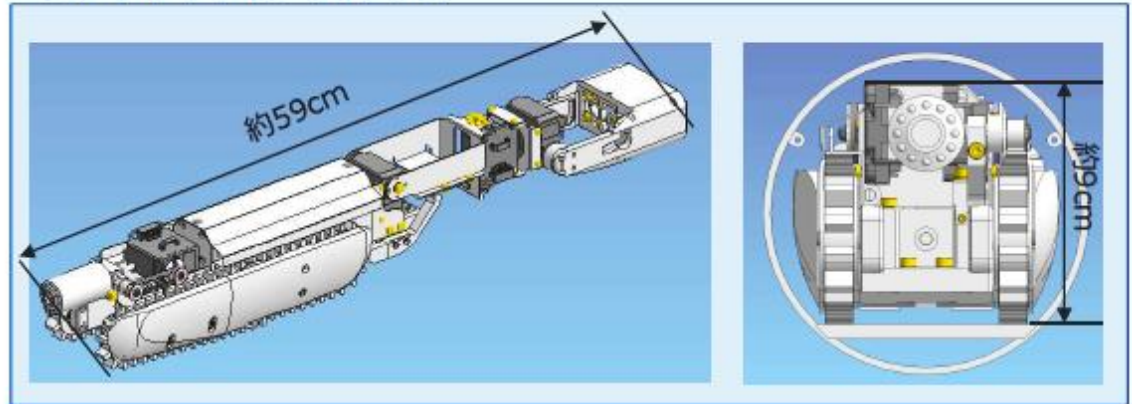
II. Current Status of Fukushima Daiichi NPS Self-Propelled Investigation Device for Unit 2

Rear camera Rear light

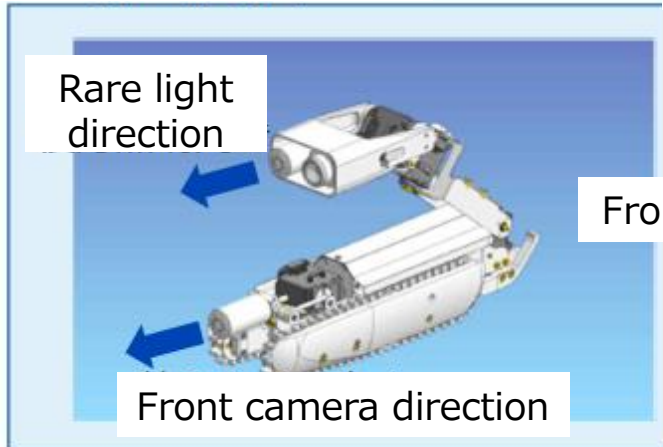


Front camera w/
built-in lighting

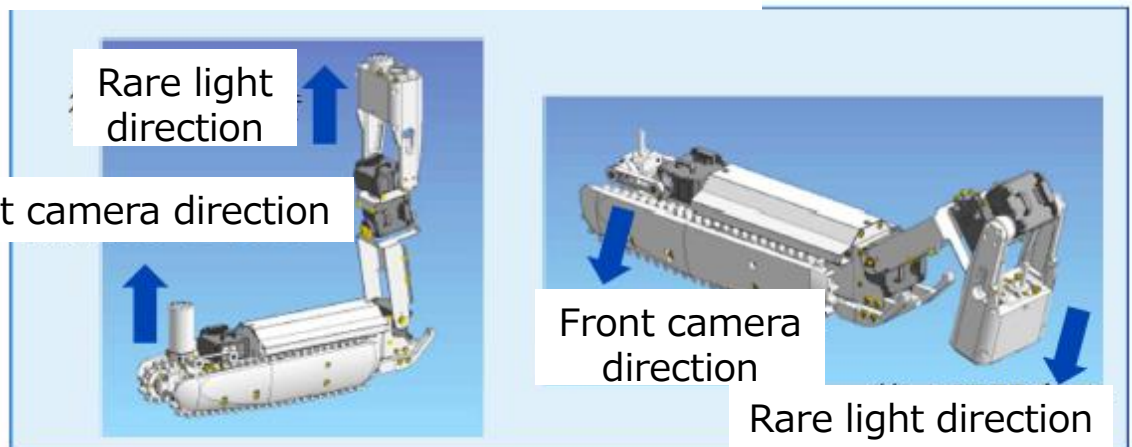
When inserted into a guiding pipe



When moving forward



When investigating inside the pedestal



Source: TEPCO HD

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

On-Site Tanks for Contaminated Water Treatment



Source: Internet

II. Current Status of Fukushima Daiichi NPS

Improving On-Site Working Environment

	R zone	Anorak area
	Y zone	Coverall area
	G zone	Standard working clothes area

Constant dust monitoring

R zone (アノラックエリア)	Y zone (カバーオールエリア)	G zone (一般服エリア)	
Full-face mask 	Full or half face mask 	Disposable mask 	
Anorak on top of Coverall  or Coverallx2	Coverall 	Standard 	Staff wear 



Areas not requiring full-face masks increases

Source: TEPCO HD



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Improving On-Site Working Environment

Paving work



Tank installation work

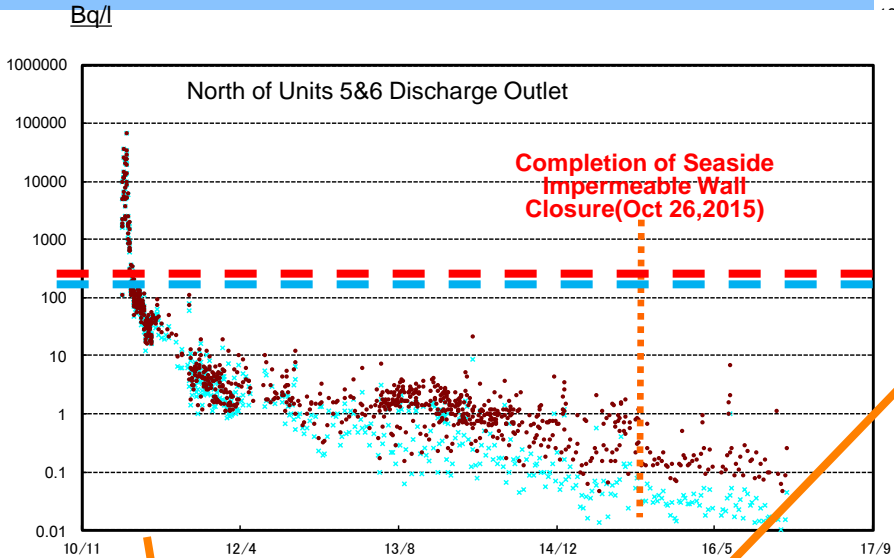


On-site workers working in standard working clothes

Source: TEPCO HD

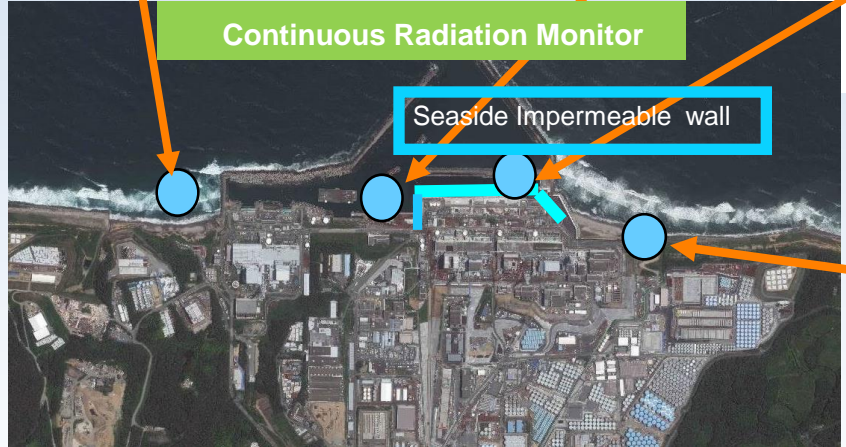
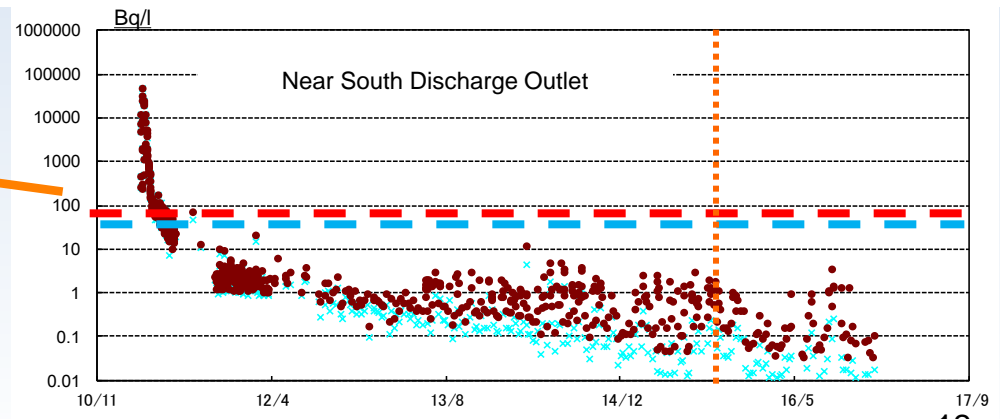
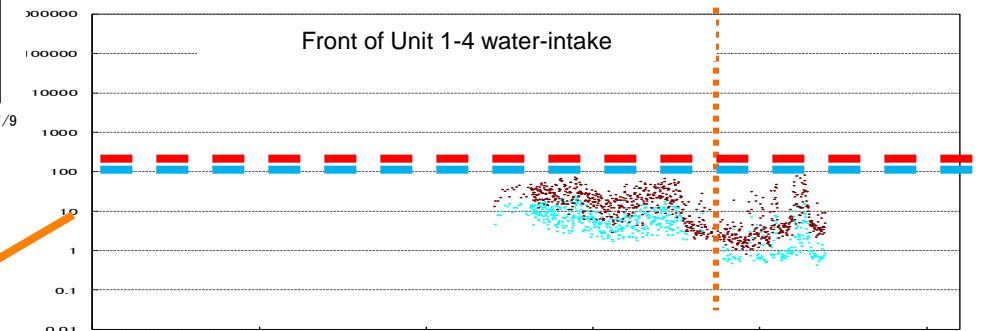
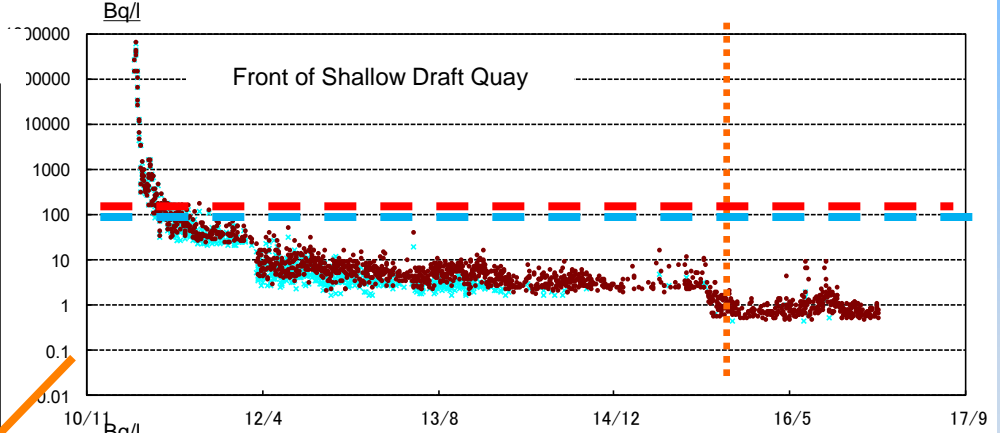
II. Current Status of Fukushima Daiichi NPS Sea Area Monitoring Status

The radioactive material concentration in the sea area by one- 1,000,000th after the accident



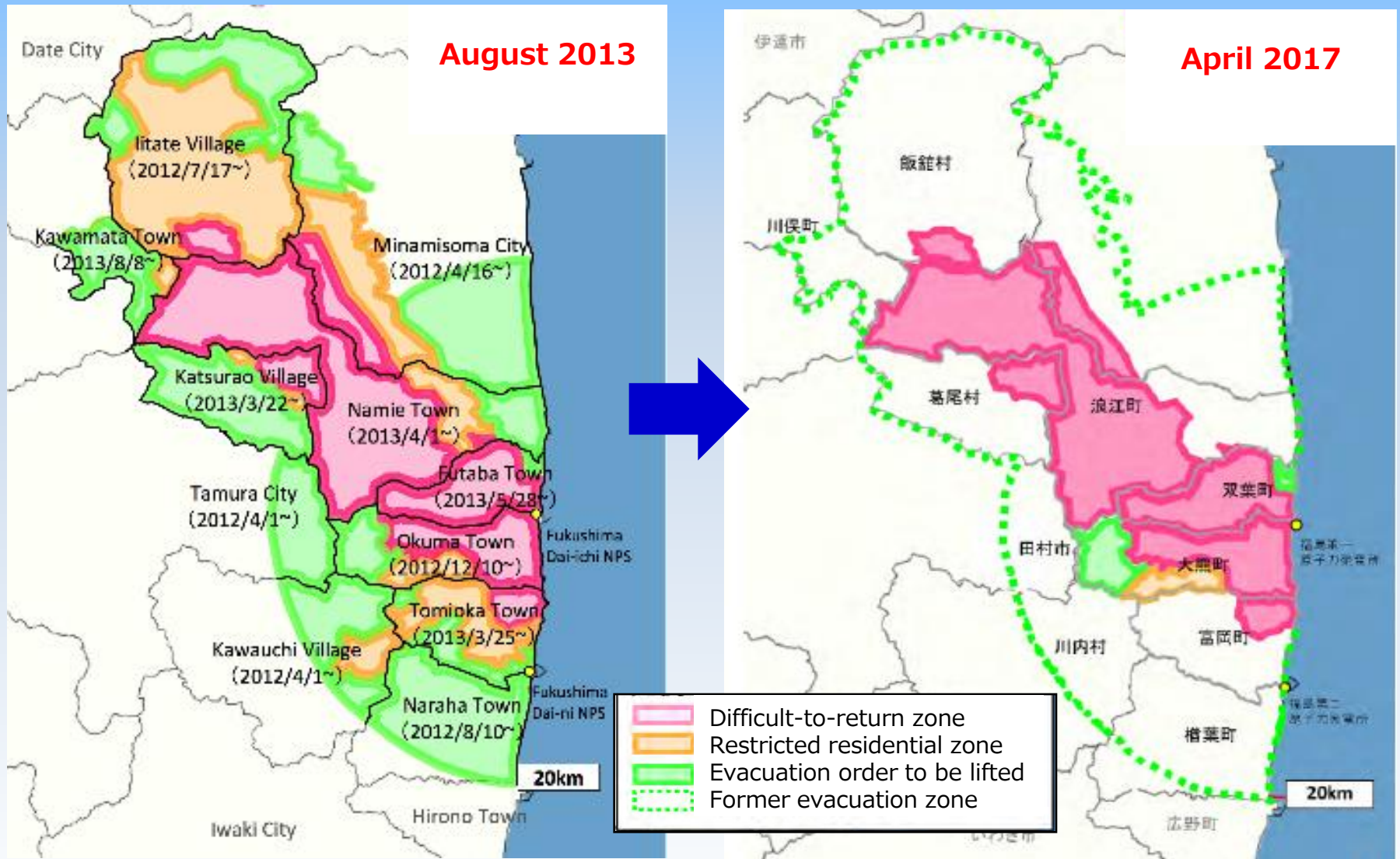
Concentration Limit Specified by the Rule

- Cesium 137: 90Bq/L ■ ■ ■ ■
- Cesium 134: 60Bq/L + + + +



Source: TEPCO HD

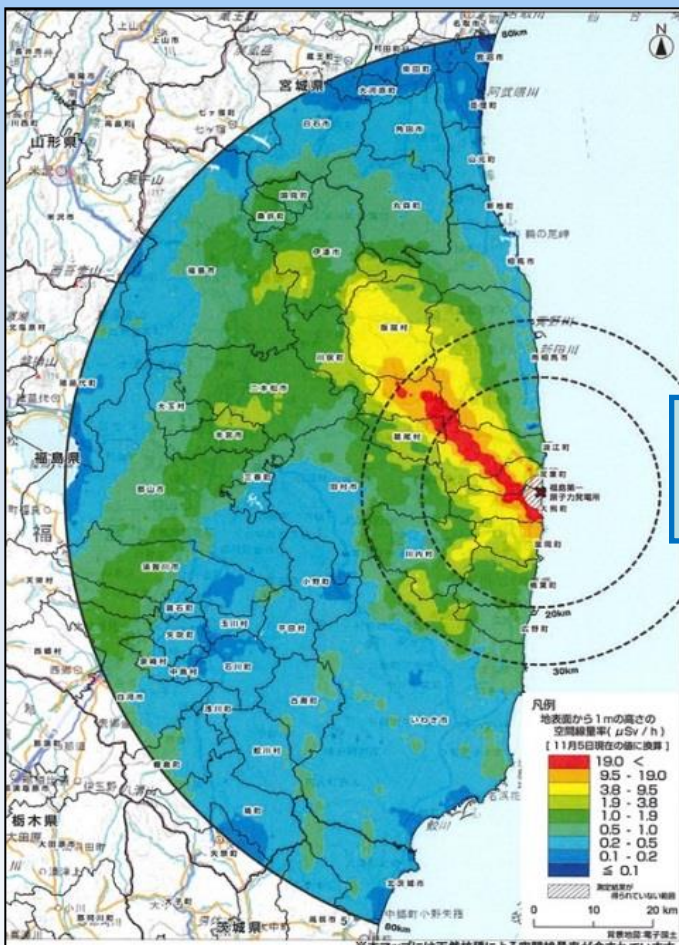
III. Current Status of Areas Surrounding 1F Transition of Evacuation Zone



Source: Meeting material for the 45th Nuclear Emergency Response Headquarters Meeting (<http://www.kantei.go.jp/jp/singi/genshiryoku/dai45/siryou3.pdf>)

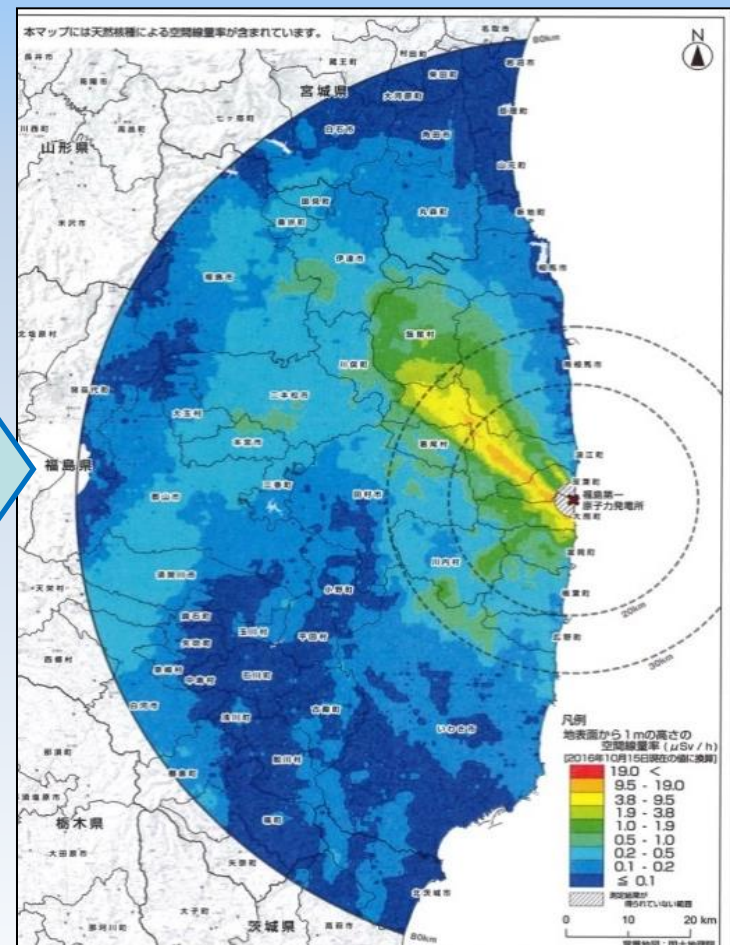
III. Current Status of Areas Surrounding 1F Changes in Radioactivity Level

Results of Airborne Radiation Monitoring (Map of air dose rate 1m above ground surface)



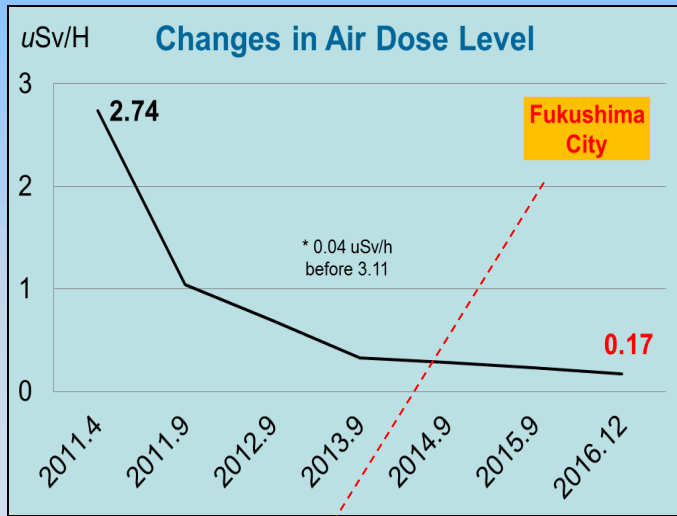
Nov. 5, 2011
(8 months after accident)

Significant
Drop



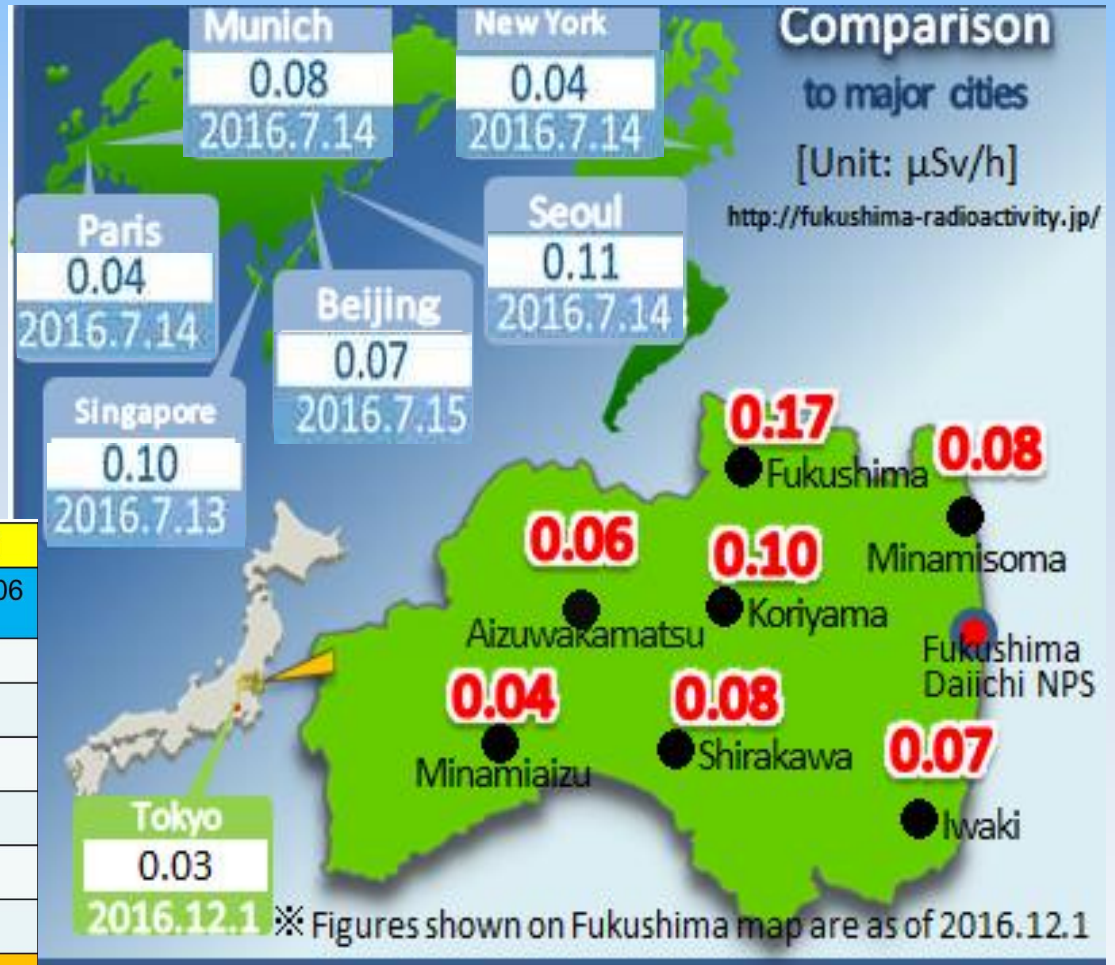
Oct. 15, 2016
(5 years & 7 months after accident)

III. Current Status of Areas Surrounding 1F Radiation Status in Fukushima Pref.



	Fukushima	Aizuwakamatsu	Iwaki
Before 3.11	0.04	0.04-0.05	0.05-0.06
Apr. 2011	2.74	0.24	0.66
Sep. 2011	1.04	0.13	0.18
Mar. 2012	0.63	0.10	0.17
Sep. 2012	0.69	0.10	0.10
Mar. 2013	0.46	0.07	0.09
Sep. 2013	0.33	0.07	0.09
Dec. 2016	0.17	0.06	0.07

Unit: μ Sv/h



Source: *Steps for Revitalization in Fukushima* (Dec. 5, 2016 edition), Fukushima Pref.

III. Current Status of Areas Surrounding 1F

Changes in Hirono Town

Hirono Station (east side)



Elevated disaster prevention green area (10.7m higher than original ground level)



New public restoration housing ready for move-in, Oct. 2014



New office building opened in Mar. 2016.

Photo credit: Hirono Town

Photo by JAIF

III. Current Status of Areas Surrounding 1F

Changes in Okuma Town



TEPCO Housing Units for single staff



Fukushima Meal Supply Center

Photo by JAIF

III. Current Status of Areas Surrounding 1F Changes in Tomioka Town



Front of Tomioka Station after tsunami



Station square to be completed in 2017 spring



Before construction



Under construction

Public restoration housing (ready for move-in in April 2017)

Photo credit: Tomioka Town

III. Current Status of Areas Surrounding 1F

Changes in Naraha Town



View from Tenjinmisaki (2012.11)



View from Tenjinmisaki (2017.02)



Scene of Naraha (2012.11)



Public restoration housing
(move-in began in Nov. 2016)

Photo by JAIF

IV. Post-Fukushima Safety Enhancements

Comparison between Past and New Regulatory Requirements

- The New Regulatory Requirements tighten measures to prevent or deal with severe accidents and acts of terrorism

<Previous Regulatory Requirements>

Design basis to prevent severe accidents
(Confirm that a single failure would not lead to core damage)

Consideration of natural phenomena
Fire protection
Reliability of power supply
Function of other SSCs*
Seismic/tsunami resistance

* SSC: Structure, Systems and Components

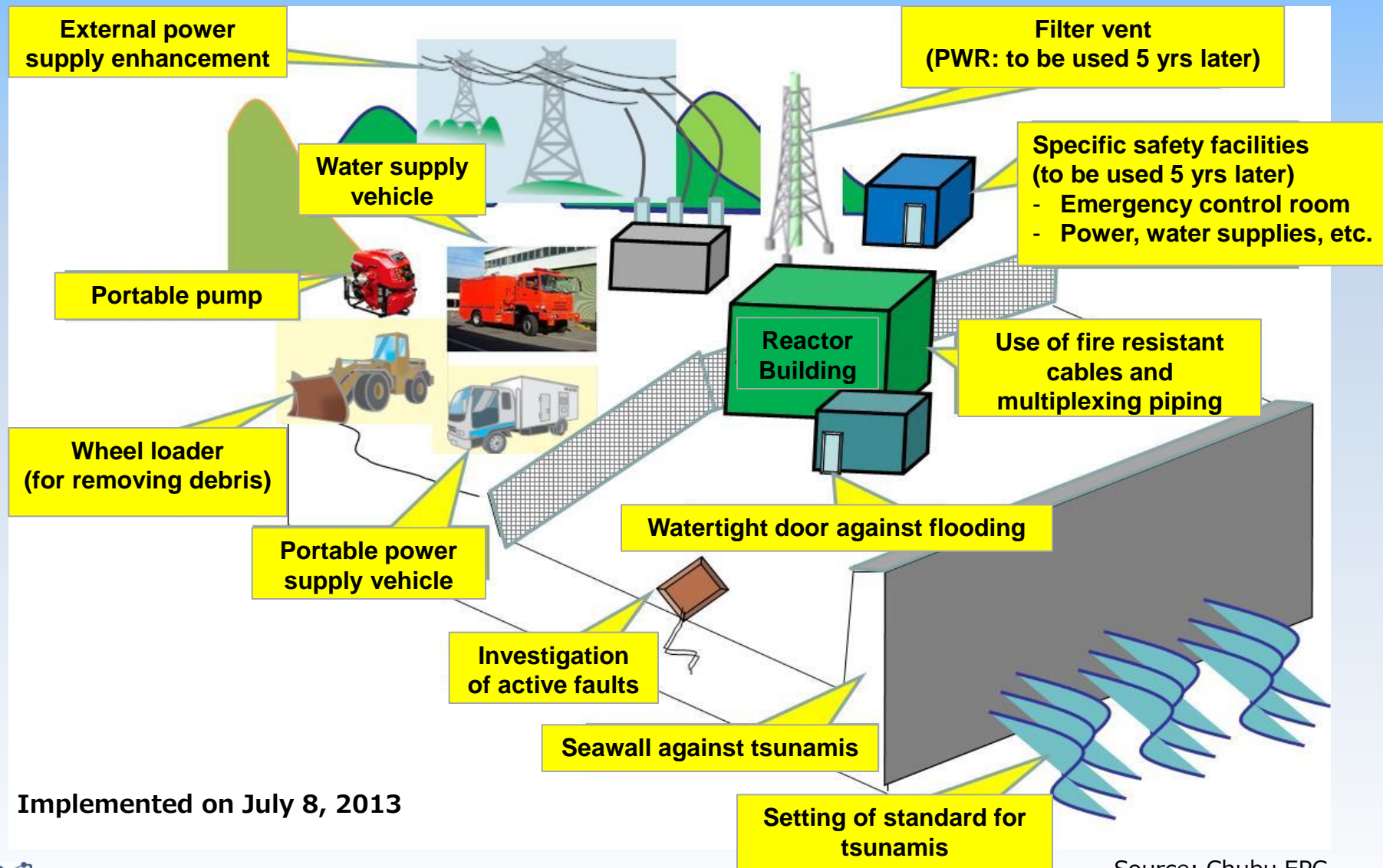
<New Regulatory Requirements>

Response to intentional aircraft crashes	Newly introduced (measures against terrorism)
Measures to suppress radioactive materials dispersion	
Measures to prevent containment vessel failure	Newly introduced (measures against severe accidents)
Measures to prevent core damage (postulate multiple failures)	
Consideration of internal flooding (newly introduced)	
Consideration of natural phenomena in addition to earthquakes and tsunamis-- volcanic eruptions, tornadoes and forest fires	Reinforced or newly introduced
Fire protection	
Reliability of power supply	
Function of other SSCs	Reinforced
Seismic/tsunami resistance	

Source: Nuclear Regulation Authority, Japan

IV. Post-Fukushima Safety Enhancements

Improved Safety Measures



Implemented on July 8, 2013

Source: Chubu EPC



IV. Post-Fukushima Safety Enhancements

Tsunami Countermeasures by Hamaoka NPS (Chubu EPC)



Tsunami protection wall (22m)








Cement-mixed soil embankment

Source: Chubu EPC

IV. Post-Fukushima Safety Enhancements

Voluntary Measures for Safety Enhancement

Voluntary Measures	How to achieve?
Improving methods of risk assessment & decision-making	 Base on appropriate combinations of assessment results, engineering judgments, etc.
Identifying areas for improvement	 Through <u>peer reviews</u> and responses
Conducting further discussions on safety enhancement	 Base on peer review results
Improving abilities to respond to emergencies	 Through operation of the <i>Mihama Nuclear Emergency Assistance Center</i>
Establishing a system of cooperation	 Through collaboration among nuclear operators

Source: FEPC

V. Challenges and Issues

COP21 Commitment

Future Energy Mix of Japan

44% emission-free generation sources in **2030**

▲26% total CO2 emission reduction compared with 2013

Energy Mix	2010	2013	- - - -	2030
Nuclear	29%	1%		20 to 22%
Renewable	10%	11%		22 to 24%
Thermal	61%	88%		56%

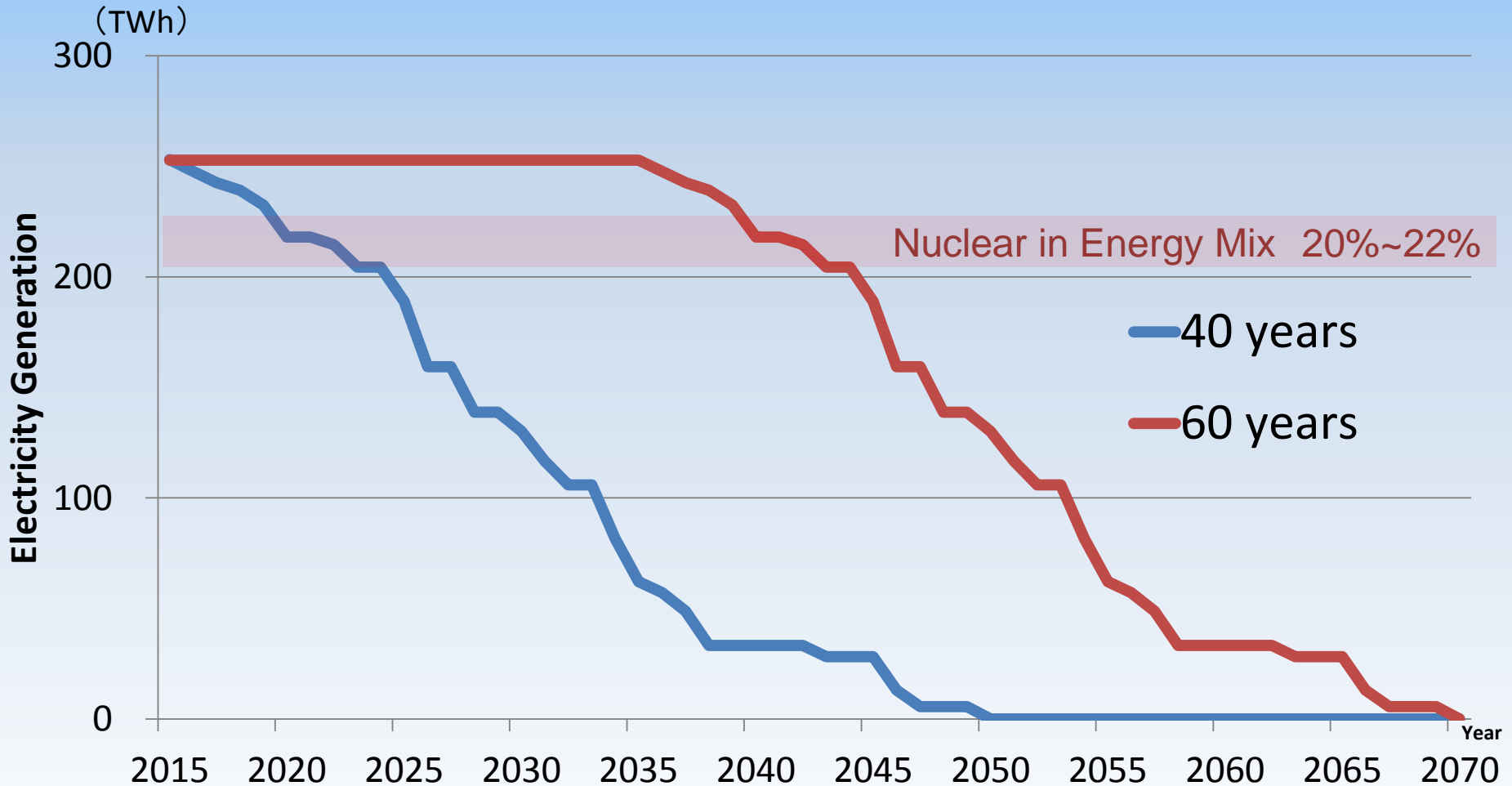
CO2 emissions	2010	2013	- - - -	2030
total	1.304Gt	1.408Gt		1.042Gt ▲26%
CO2kg/kwh	0.350	0.570		0.370

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Life Extension & Decommissioning



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Life Extension & Decommissioning

NPPs in Japan to be Decommissioned

(as of April 2017)

	Plant Name	Commercial Operation	Reactor Type
1	Tokai-1	1966.07	GCR
2	Hamaoka-1	1976.03	BWR
3	Hamaoka-2	1978.11	BWR
4	Fukushima Daiichi-1	1971.03	BWR (BWR-3)
5	Fukushima Daiichi-2	1974.07	BWR (BWR-4)
6	Fukushima Daiichi-3	1976.03	BWR (BWR-4)
7	Fukushima Daiichi-4	1978.10	BWR (BWR-4)
8	Fukushima Daiichi-5	1978.04	BWR (BWR-4)
9	Fukushima Daiichi-6	1979.10	BWR (BWR-5)
10	Tsuruga-1	1970.03	BWR (BWR-5)
11	Mihama-1	1970.11	PWR W(2 loop)
12	Mihama-2	1972.07	PWR M(2 loop)
13	Genkai-1	1975.10	PWR M(2 loop)
14	Shimane-1	1974.03	BWR (BWR-3)
15	Ikata-1	1977.09	PWR M(2 loop)

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Efforts to Improve Public Understanding

Public Poll on Nuclear Power

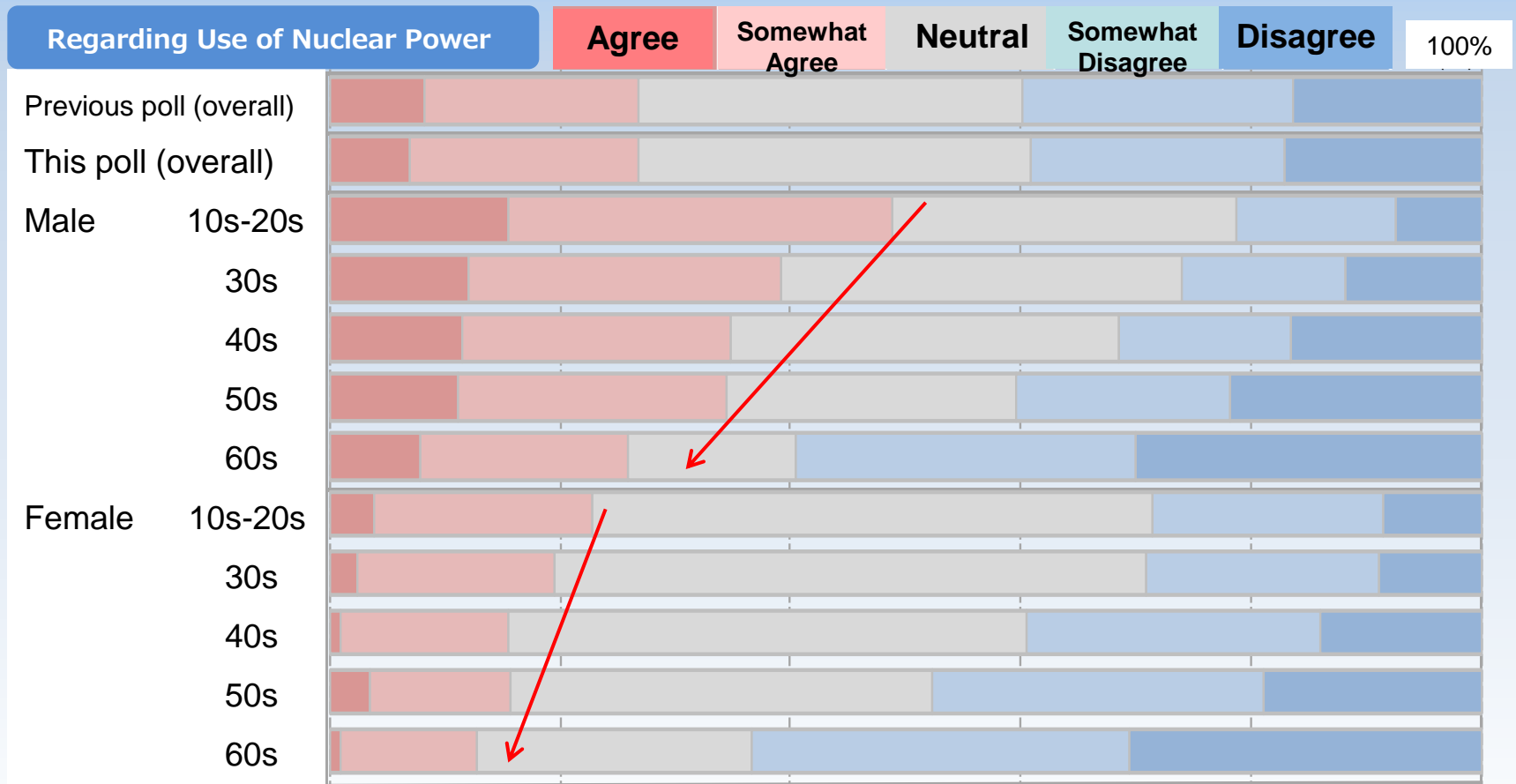
Period: Dec. 22-24, 2016

Area covered: Japan nationwide (major metropolitan cities)

Target: Adults aged 18-69

Sample size: 3,800

Method: Internet survey



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V. Challenges and Issues

Dispelling Unfounded Fears and Rumors

Reference Values for Cesium Concentration in Foods

[Unit: Bq/kg]

	Japan (2012.4-)	Codex Alimentarius Commission※	EU (Products distributed within the EU)	U.S.A.
Drinking water	10	1000	1000	1200
Milk	50	1000	1000	1200
General food	100	1000	1250	1200
Baby food	50	1000	400	1200

Note: As seen in the next slide, the assumptions for calculating reference values vary; thus the reference values can be quite different and are not directly comparable.

※ An intergovernmental organization issuing international food standards (Codex Standards), established in 1963 by the Food and Agriculture Organization and the World Health Organization (WHO) of the United Nations.

Source: Basic Information on Radiation Risk, Cabinet Office, Et Al. (February 2016)



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Reference Values for Cesium Concentration in Foods

Assumptions in calculations of reference values

	Standard Limit	Assumption
Japan	Upper limit of additional effective dose by food ingestion at 1 mSv/year	50% of general foods are contaminated at levels equivalent to the reference value. Given that marketed milk and baby food are mostly domestically produced, the effective dose from them is half the reference value for general foods.
Codex Alimentarius Commission	Based on the Operational Intervention Level of 1 mSv/year (below which no need for special measures)	10% of all foods come from radioactively contaminated areas.
EU	Additional exposure dose of not more than 1 mSv/year	10% of all foods for human consumption in a lifetime are contaminated at levels equivalent to regulation values.
U.S.A.	Effective dose of 5 mSv/year	30% of all food intake is radioactively contaminated.

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Efforts to Ensure Safety of Food in Fukushima

Monitoring of Fukushima Food Products

- Fukushima Prefecture conducts **repeated inspections on all local food products** in each stage of production, distribution and consumption, in order to ensure their safety.
- Only primary products certified to be safe** through multiple inspections in each stage are shipped out **to the market**.

Food Types	# of Inspected Cases	Cases Exceeding Standard Limits	Ratio
Brown rice (2006 grown)	8,600,000	0	0.00%
Fruits & vegetables	2,998	0	0.00%
Livestock	2,496	0	0.00%
Cultivated mushrooms	562	0	0.00%
Marine fish & shellfish	4,908	0	0.00%
Farm-raised fish	66	0	0.00%
Edible wild plants & mushrooms	1,031	2	0.19%
Freshwater fish	502	4	0.80%

No single case exceeding inspection standard limits!

Data collected between 2016.4.1-10.31
(Brown rice: 2016.8.24-10.31)

Source: *Steps for Revitalization in Fukushima* (Dec. 5, 2016 edition), Fukushima Pref.



VI. Final Message

「知己知彼,百战百胜」

(孙子兵法)

To know one's own strength and the enemy's is the sure way to victory.

(The Art of War by Sun Tzu)

**Thank you very much
for your attention.**

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