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# CCUS and Hydrogen in Japan — Overview of Policies and Project —

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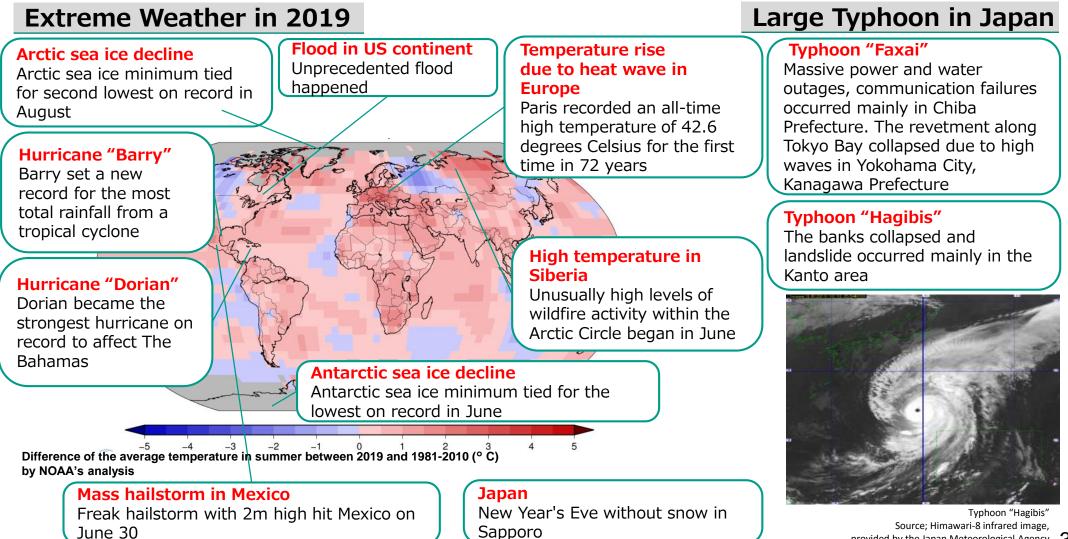


## CCUS and Hydrogen Policies in Japan

## **Frequent Extreme Weather**



- 2019 was the second-hottest year on record after 2016 (WMO).
- Average temperatures for the five-year (2015-2019) and ten-year (2010-2019) periods were the highest on record (WMO).



## **Global Sustainability Trends**



### **Paris Agreement**

Adopted by The 21th session of the **Conference of the Parties** (2015)

> To keep a global temperature rise below 2 degree Celsius compared to pre-industrial level



- To pursue effort to limit even further to 1.5 degree
- Requiring all Parties report on their emissions and efforts

COP21 · CMP11 PARIS 2015



#### Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

Adopted by Sustainable Development Summit (2015)



- To set goals by 2030 for humans, the planet and prosperity
- To consist of 17 goals and 169 goals to achieve these goals



### Long-Term Strategy under the Paris Agreement as Growth Strategy



### **Chapter 1: Basic Concept**

**Vision:** Proclaiming a "decarbonized society" as the ultimate goal and aiming to accomplish it ambitiously as early as possible in the second half of this century, while boldly taking measures towards the reduction of GHGs emissions by 80% by 2050 \* an unconventional vision of an "ideal future model" \* contributing to the achievement of the long-term goals of the Paris Agreement, including efforts to limit the temperature increase to 1.5°C

**Basic Principles of Policy : Realizing "a virtuous cycle of environment and growth"** towards the vision with business-led disruptive innovation, Swift implementation of actions from now, contributing to the world, **Action Towards a bright Society with Hope for the Future** 

[Factors: Achievement of SDGs, Co-creation, Society5.0, the Circulating and Ecological Economy, leading country in solving problems]

### Chapter 2: The Vision of Each Sector and the Direction of Measures



**1.Energy** Pursuing every option for promoting **energy transitions and decarbonization** 

2.Industry Decarbonized manufacturing

**3.Transport** Contribution to the challenge of "Well-to-Wheel Zero Emission"



 4.Community and Living Realizing carbon neutrality, resilient and comfortable
 communities and lives by 2050/
 creating the "Circulating and Ecological Economy"



5. Measures for Carbon Sinks Conserving the natural environment and creating sustainable new values in agriculture, forestry and fisheries industries to secure sufficient carbon sink for decarbonized society



#### Chapter 3: Cross-sectoral Measures to realize "a virtuous cycle of environment and growth"

### 1 Promotion of Innovation

Promoting innovation for practical application and wider usage of cross-sectoral decarbonization technologies that lead to drastic reduction of GHG, achieving cost that allows commercialization

- (1) Progressive environment innovation strategy
- (2) Innovation in economic and social systems/Lifestyle innovation
- 2. Promotion of Green Finance
- 3. Business-led International Application and International Cooperation



Fuel Cell Buss

CO<sub>2</sub> Capture Plant

TCFD Consortium

ESG Finance High-Level Panel JCM Partner Countries Meeting

#### **Chapter 4: Other Measures**

Chapter 5: Review and Implementation of Long Term Strategy

#### G20 Ministerial Meeting in Energy Transitions and Global Environment for Sustainable Growth (15-16 June 2019, Karuizawa, JAPAN)



G20 Karuizawa Innovation Action Plan on Energy Transitions and Global Environment for Sustainable Growth

<Actions to collect wisdom from around the world to encourage innovation>
6. We seek to enhance international cooperation in relevant existing fora and encourage, in a holistic manner, research, development and deployment of innovative technologies and approaches including air and water related technologies, behavioral science for life-style change, bioenergy, Carbon Capture Utilization and Storage (CCUS), clean vehicles, deep renovation and Net Zero Energy Building, demand-side management, energy access technologies, energy efficiency technologies, energy storage, hydrogen, grid digitalization, low carbon technologies, nature-based solutions, renewables, resilient and sustainable cities and communities with integration of technologies, and resource efficient technologies, depending on national circumstances.





## **Groundbreaking Environmental Innovation Strategy**



Decisions made in the Integrated Innovation Strategy Meeting in January 21, 2021

- Groundbreaking Environmental Innovation Strategy based on the long-term strategy consists of;
   "Innovation Action Plan" insisting specific cost targets for 16 technical issues
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  - 2. "Acceleration Plan" showing research systems and investment promotion measures
  - 3. "Zero Emissions Initiatives" communicating and creating with global leaders for social implementation

Aiming to establish innovative technologies that enables global carbon-neutral and even reduction of past stock-based  $CO_2$  (beyond zero) by 2050, social implementation is aimed in order to achieve the goals in the long-term strategy

Innovation & Action Plan: CCUS, H2-related technological challenges (from a total of 16)

#### CCUS

Low-cost CO<sub>2</sub> separation and recovery aimed toward CCUS/carbon recycling

**Conversion of CO<sub>2</sub> to fuel and other carbon recycling technologies** 

Reclaiming CO<sub>2</sub> from the atmosphere

#### Hydrogen

Constructing a low-cost hydrogen supply chain

Establishing green mobility through diverse approaches

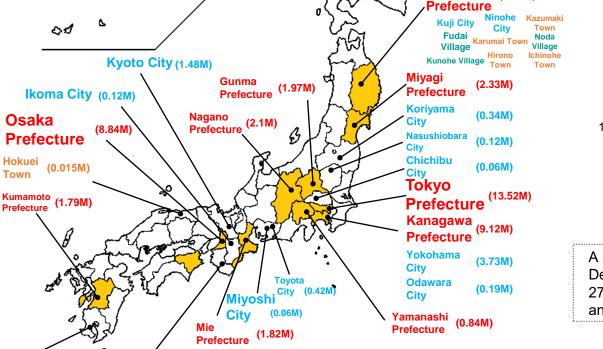
#### **Local Governments:** 2050 Declaration of effectively eliminating carbon dioxide emissions

**31 IOCAL GOVERNMENTS** (11 prefectures, 12 standard cities, 5 townships, and 3 villages), starting with those of Tokyo, Kyoto, and Yokohama, have declared to "effectively eliminate carbon dioxide emissions by 2050."

**50 million**, with a GDP of 235 The population of local governments who made this declaration total at approximately trillion yen, and accounting for about 37% of Japan's total population.

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(1.28M)



(Population

Hokuei

Town

Kagoshima

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shown in brackets)

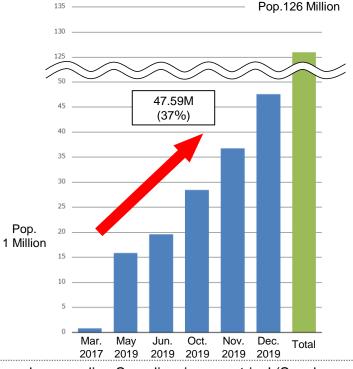
Tokushima

Prefecture

(0.76M)

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(0.6M)



A scale exceeding Scandinavian countries' (Sweden, Denmark, Finland, Norway, Iceland) populations of approx. 27 million, the U.S. State of California's approx. 39 million, and at a similar scale to Spain's population of 47 million.



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## **Businesses:** Initiatives toward carbon-neutral business management



939 pages (of which 216 are in Japan) of financial institutions, corporations, governments etc., from around the world declare compliance

#### Ranked 1<sup>st</sup> in Asia (1<sup>st</sup> Worldwide)

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Source:

Japan

U.S

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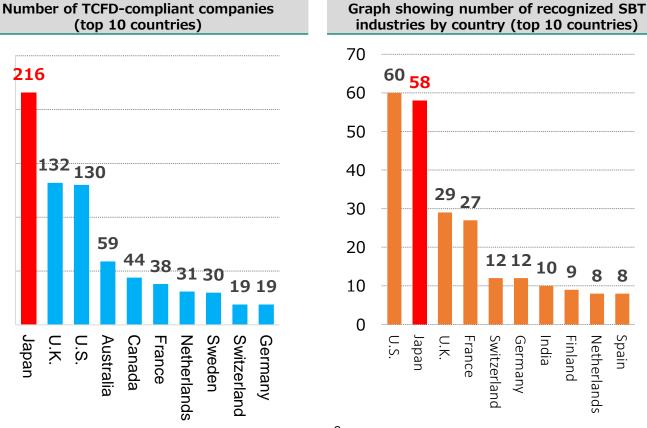
- Number of recognized companies: 317 worldwide (58 of which are Japanese)
- Ranked 1<sup>st</sup> in Asia (2<sup>nd</sup> Worldwide)

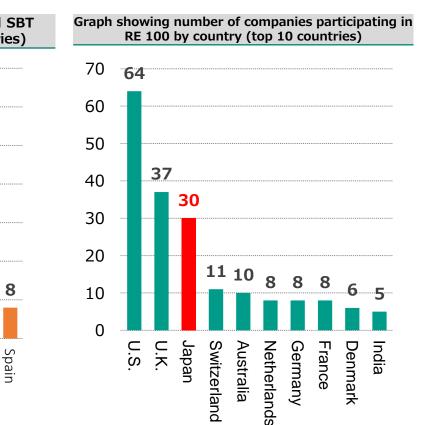


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 Number of participating companies: 221 worldwide (30 of which are Japanese)

#### Ranked 1<sup>st</sup> in Asia (3<sup>rd</sup> Worldwide)





Source: Taken from RE100 Home Page (http://there100.org/)

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Taken from TCFD Home Page "TCFD Supporters" (https://www.fsbtcfd.org/tcfd-supporters/)

Taken from Science Based Targets Home Page "Companies Take Action" (http://sciencebasedtargets.org/companies-taking-action/)

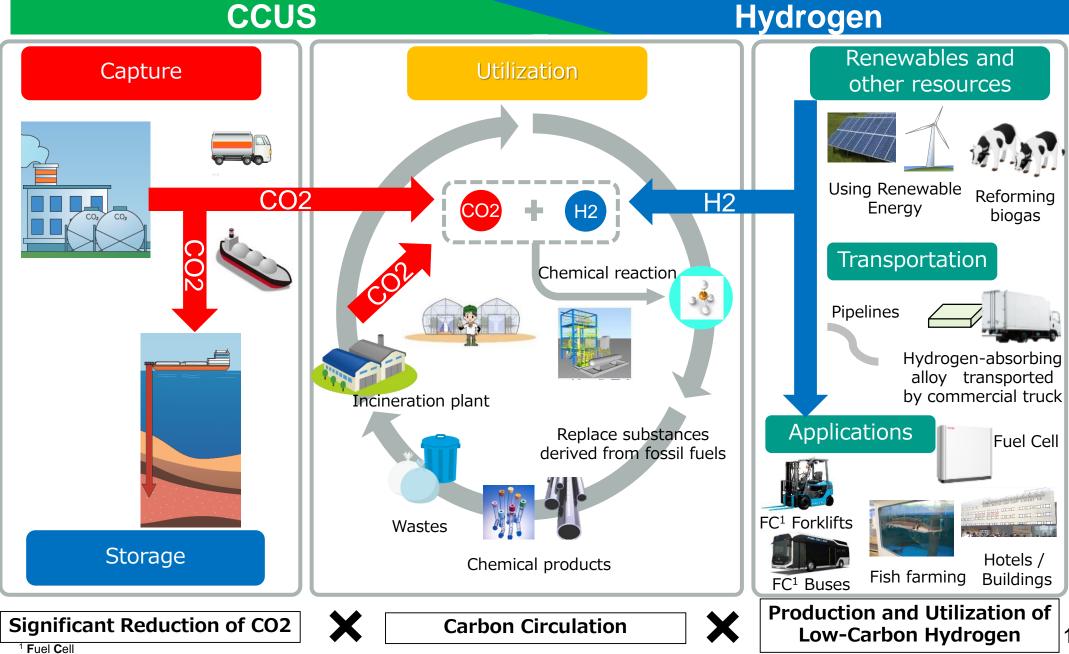
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Netherlands

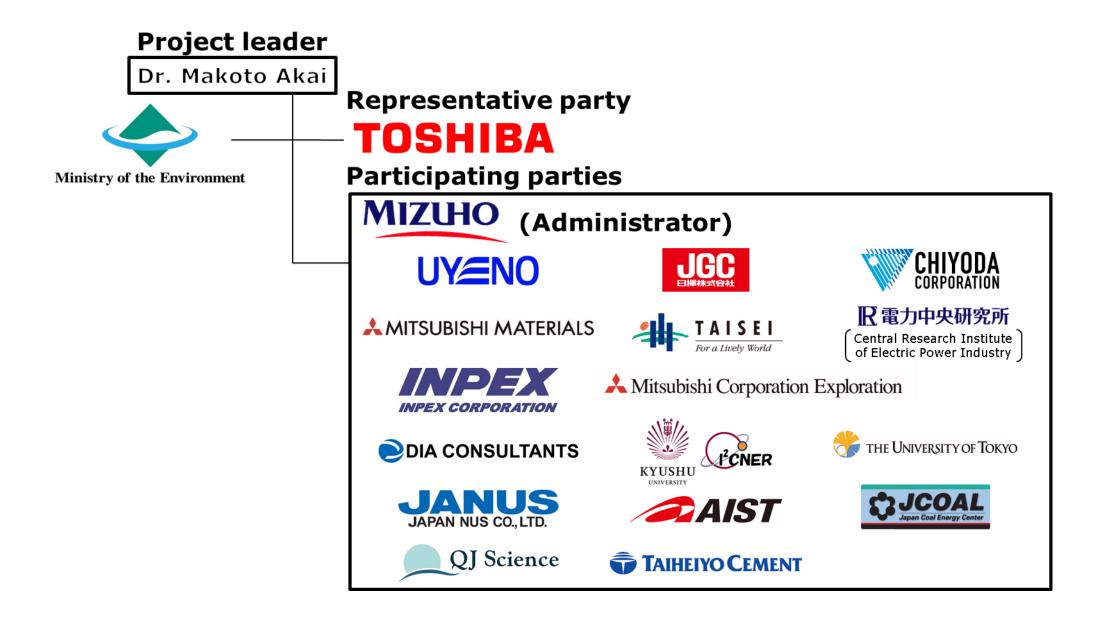
## **MOE's Initiatives**

## Interconnection between CCUS and Hydrogen





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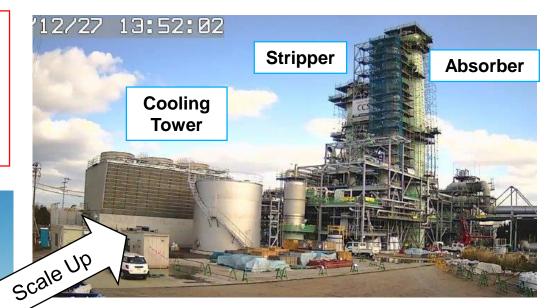
## **CCS : Capture**



- The first commercial scale demonstration project in Japan
- This project may become one of the first BECCS (Bio-Energy CCS) projects in the world.
- Environmental impact assessment of carbon capture.

Mikawa Power Plant, SIGMA POWER Ariake(49MW) Xcapable of burning 100% biomass







CO2 Capture Pilot plant, TOSHIBA Capture Capacity:10ton-CO2/day Start of operation :2009~ CO2 Capture Demonstration plant (Under construction) Capture Capacity:500ton-CO2/day Start of operation:2020 Summer

## **CCS : Transport, Storage and Smooth deployment of CCS**

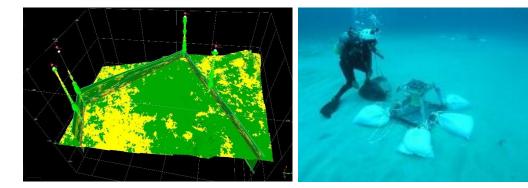


Consideration of CO2 transport method suitable for Japanese condition



CO2 transport ship (illustrative)

Storage and Monitoring planning for the candidate sites



**Construction of geological** model

**Development of offshore** observation technology (CO2 sensor)

Consideration methods for smooth  $\geq$ deployment of CCS

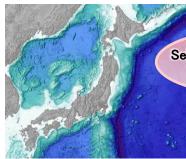
Potential CO2 Storage Sites investigated by Japan CCS Co.,Ltd (with METI)



International symposium



workshop on CO2 storage



Select CO2 Storage Sites (About 3 places)

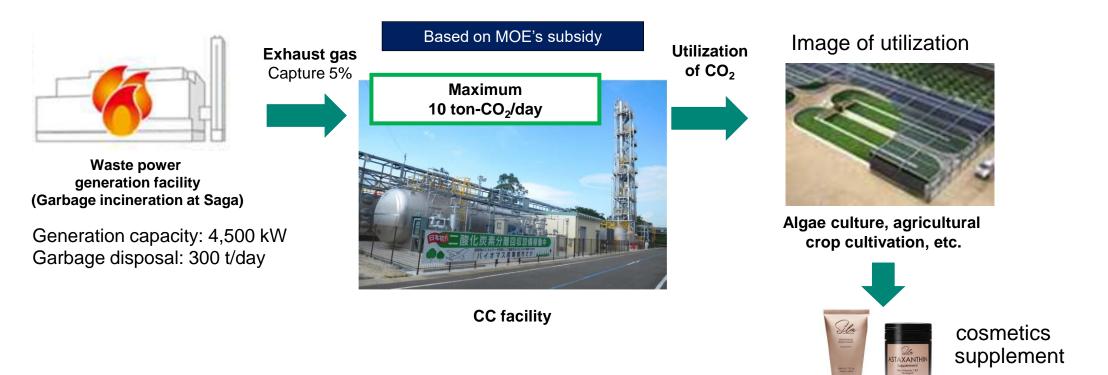
Surrounded by steep & deep waters

3D exploration with air gun

## **CCU: First Japanese CCU from waste power generation**

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- Adding CC equipment to the waste power generation facility in Saga City.
- Carbon dioxide is sold in part to an algae cultivator and commercialized as cosmetics and supplements with anti-aging effect.

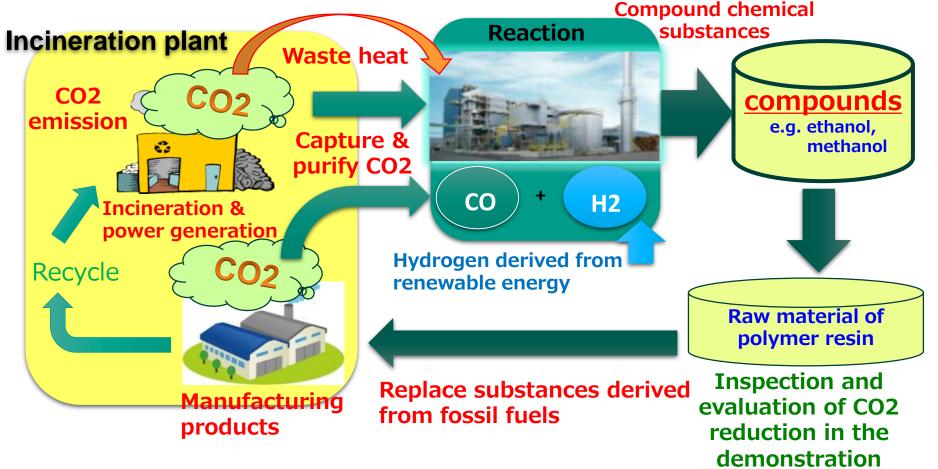


ALVITA Corporation

## • Aim to establish commercial scale CCU technology by 2023

Promotion of CO2 cycle circulation society through collecting and utilizing carbon dioxide discharged from incineration plant etc. (FY2018-FY2022)

- (1) Hitachi Zosen Corporation
- (2) Sekisui Chemical Co. Ltd.



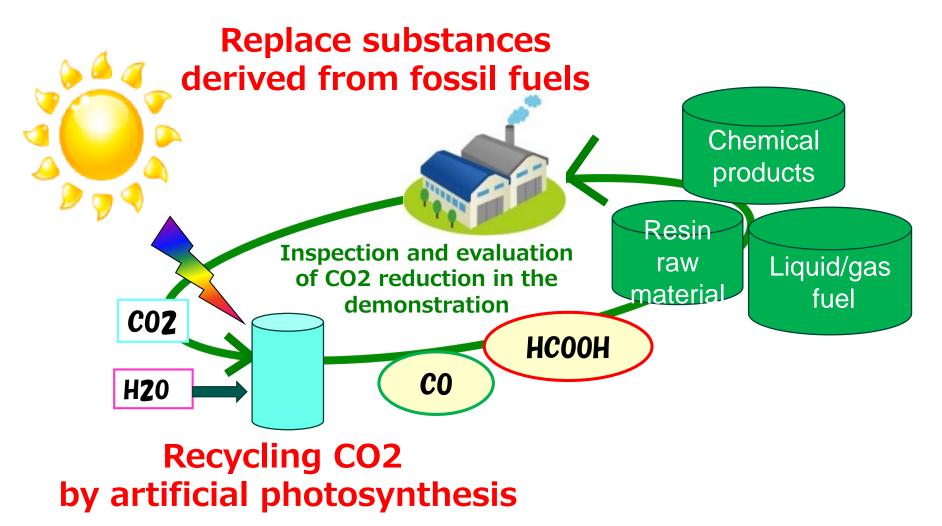
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## **CCU: 2 ongoing R&D Projects**

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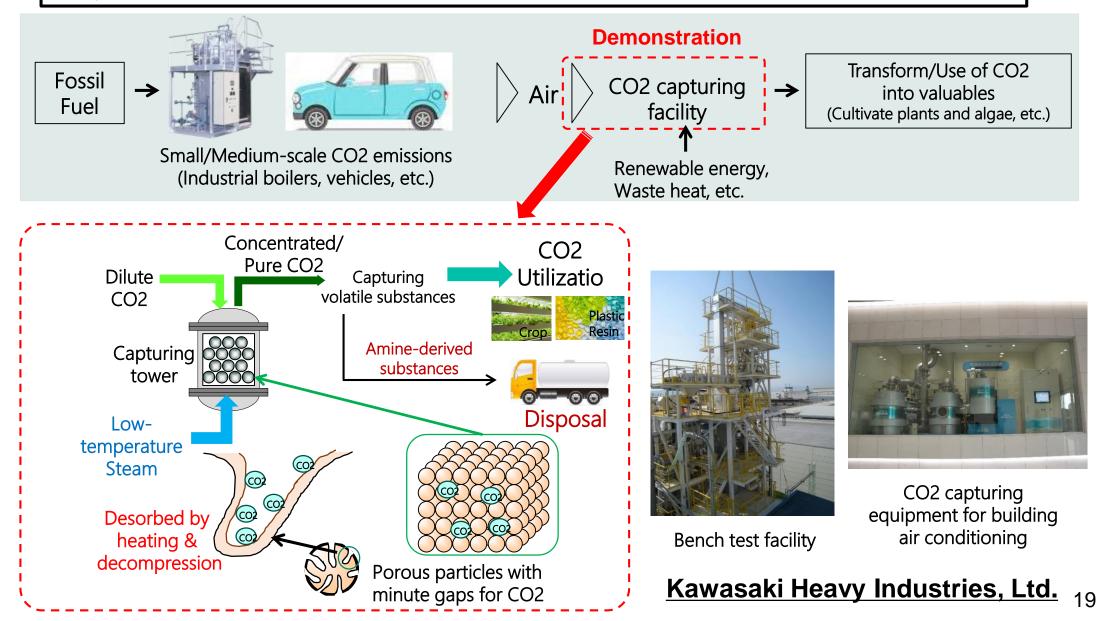
Promotion of CO2 cycle circulation society by artificial photosynthesis (FY2018-FY2022)

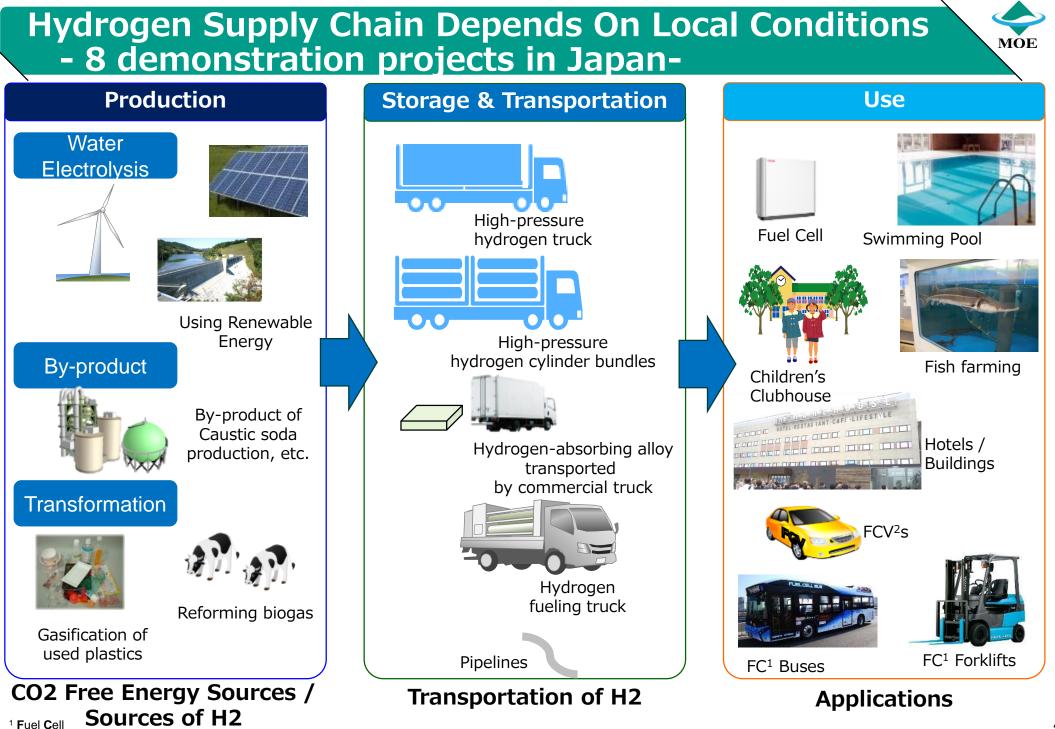
(1) <u>Toshiba Corporation</u> (2) <u>Toyota Central R&D Labs, Inc.</u>



## **CCU: Ongoing R&D Project for DAC**

 Demonstration of capture technology for low-concentration (dilute) CO2 such as the air by solid absorbent material can be used at around 60 °C.





<sup>2</sup> Fuel Cell Vehicle

## **Development for Hydrogen Usage Technologies**



#### FC<sup>1</sup> Forklift



Courtesy of Toyota Industries Corp.

■ R&D 2013-2015 ■ Released from 2016

#### FC<sup>1</sup> Bus



Courtesy of Toyota Motor Corp.

■ R&D 2013-2015 ■ Released from 2017

#### FC1 Vessel (2014-2015) FC<sup>1</sup> Garbage Truck (2015-2017) FC<sup>1</sup> Truck (2016-)



Courtesy of Tokyo R&D Co., Ltd.



Courtesy of Toda Corp.



Courtesy of Flat Field Co., Ltd.

<sup>1</sup> <u>F</u>uel <u>C</u>ell

### Challenges in introducing CCUS and Hydrogen future efforts

- In order to achieve a carbon-neutral society, "a virtuous cycle of environment and growth" through disruptive innovations is important
- Needs for early establishment of CCUS and Hydrogen technologies toward carbon neutral society.
- CCU and green hydrogen technologies are interrelated, both could be developed reciprocally within their proper demands.
- CCS could be a pragmatic and quick solution for significant reduction CO<sub>2</sub>.
- CO<sub>2</sub> reduction by CCUS and hydrogen will be achieved through comprehensive initiatives taking into consideration of both CCUS and hydrogen.



