

Opening Remarks

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Safety for future generations



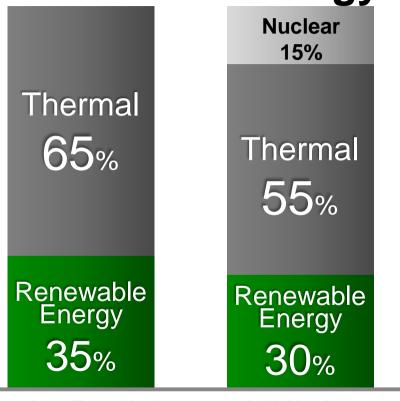




3 Scenarios for Energy Strategy in Japan



Target for introducing Renewable Energy



Renewable Energy
More than 30%
mandatory
target

Scenarios: Zero Nuclear

15% Nuclear

Renewable Energy Deployment in 2012 (forecast)

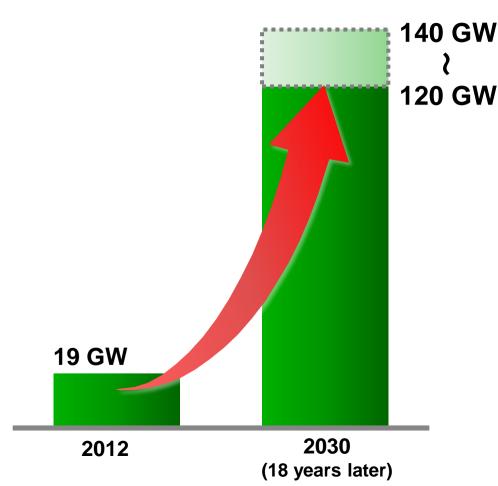




+ 2 million kW

+ 380,000 kW

Renewable Energy to be deployed by 2030



Need to increase more than 6 times (within 18 years)

Wind Energy Potential (Hokkaido)

540 GW

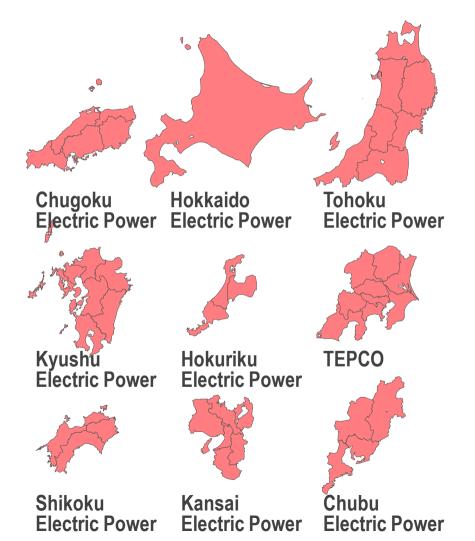


Renewable Energy potential does exist



Wind Energy Potential (Kyushu)

480 GW



Grid operation optimized for separate regions



Renewable Energy does not reach consumers



Hokkaido EP

Tohoku EP

TEPCO

Hokuriku EP

Chubu EP

Kansai EP

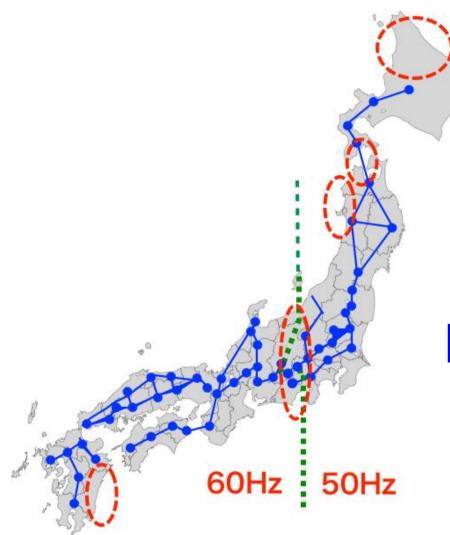
Chugoku EP

Shikoku EP

Kyushu EP

Solution 1

Nationwide integrated operation of grids



Solution 2

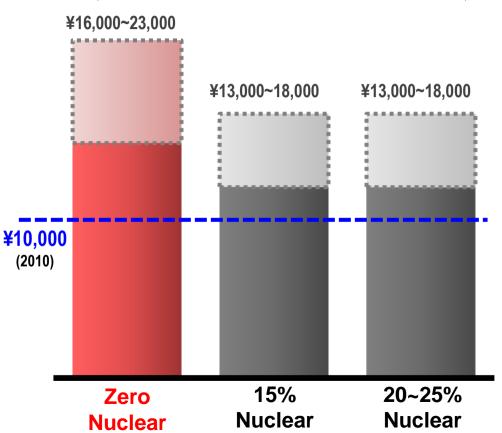
Grid reinforcement for long-distance transmission



The remaining issue

Price rise (Households/corporations)

Electricity cost by scenario (Government estimates)



Will Zero Nuclear raise the cost?

Want to keep the cost as low as possible

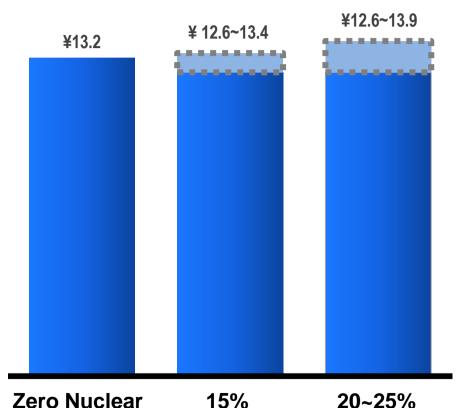






One major misunderstanding

Power generation cost (reviewed)



Nuclear

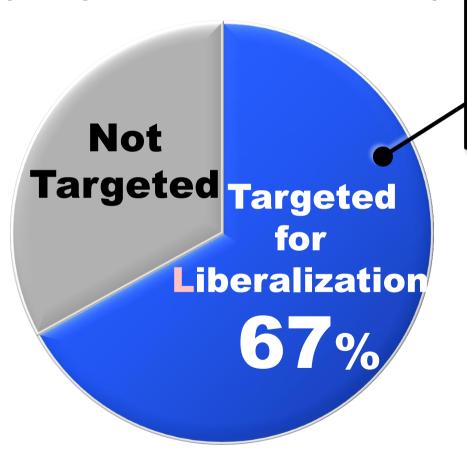
Nuclear

No major difference in electricity cost

*Estimate by JREF

In order to keep the cost down, we need an environment for sound competition

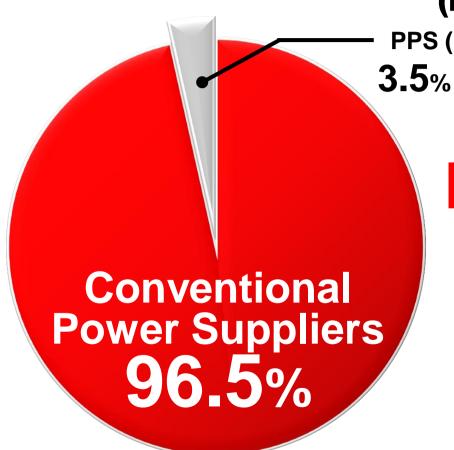
(Total power demand: 1000 TWh)



2000 Liberalization of EHV
(Extra High Voltage)
2004 Partial liberalization of HV
2005 Complete liberalization of HV

Formally, two-thirds are liberalized

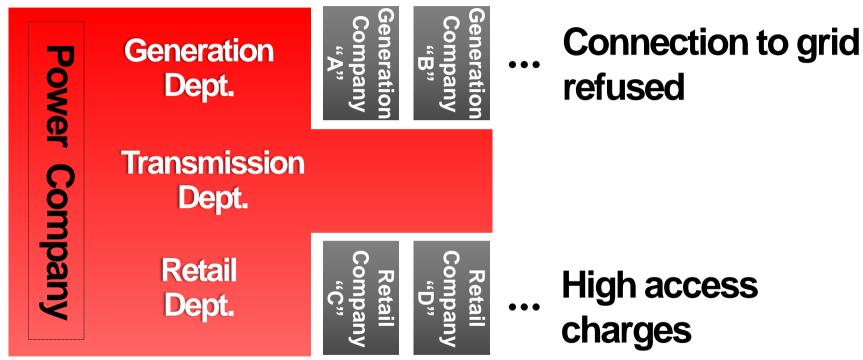
Present share of the liberalized market (Feb. 2012)



PPS (New Power Producers & Suppliers)

Liberalization without substance

Adverse effect of the conventional system (Accounting separation)



Unfair competition

Solution

Separation of power generation and transmission

(Separation of ownership)

Legal separation

Holding Generation Company Company

Transmission Company

Retail Company



Ineffective

Ownership separation

Generation Company



Transmission Company

Retail **Company**



Fair competition

Ownership separation

(Competitive area)
Deregulation

Generation Company

Generation Company "A"

Generation Company "B"

(Neutral area)
Strengthened regulation

Transmission Company

(Competitive area)
Deregulation

Retail Company

Company "C" Retail Company "D"

Fair competition

Keeping energy prices low







Separation form of power generation and transmission will greatly change Japan's energy cost

Towards YR2030 and Beyond



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Appendix

Evaluation of generation/transmission separation forms

Legal separation		Ownership separation	
)	Descible interference		Na interference
•	Possible interference		No interference
×	Possible biased prioritization	<	Neutral operation
×	Incurred	~	No cost
×	Constantly high	~	Optimized for market environment
	?	 Possible interference Possible biased prioritization Incurred 	 Possible interference Possible biased prioritization Incurred

Legal separation cannot create an environment for fair competition