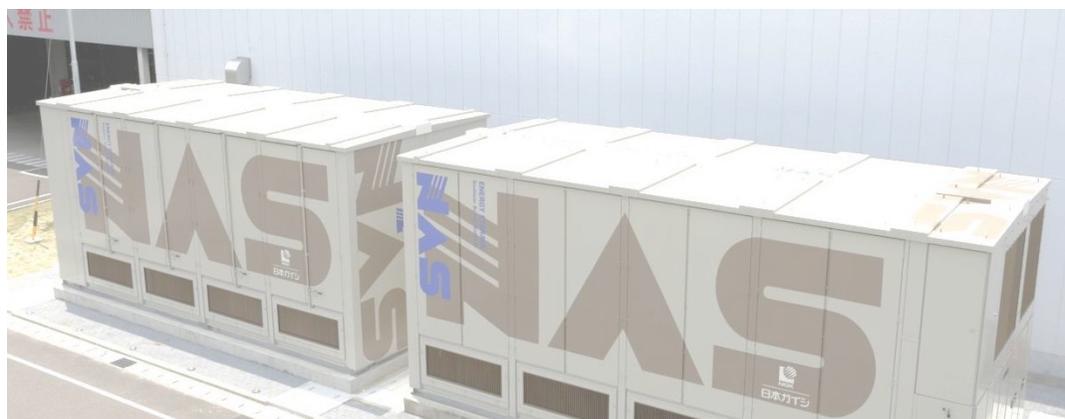


# Sodium-Sulfur (NAS<sup>®</sup>) Battery

## - Renewable Applications & NAS Battery –

### Central Asia Regional Economic Cooperation (CAREC)



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# Outline of NGK Insulators, Ltd.

Date of Establishment

May 5, 1919

Sales Turnover

US\$ 3 Billion

Number of Employees

16,000 (consolidated)



## Power Business



Suspension Insulators

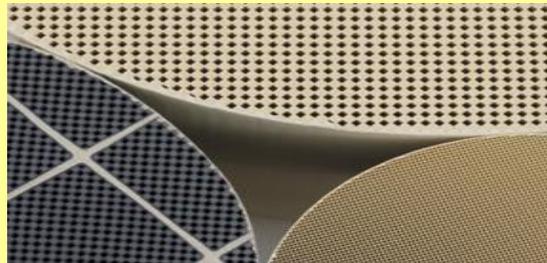


Gas Bushing for UHV Substation



Sodium Sulfur (NAS)<sup>®</sup> Battery System

## Ceramic Products Business



HONEYCERAM<sup>®</sup> and Diesel Particulate Filter for Automobile Emission Control

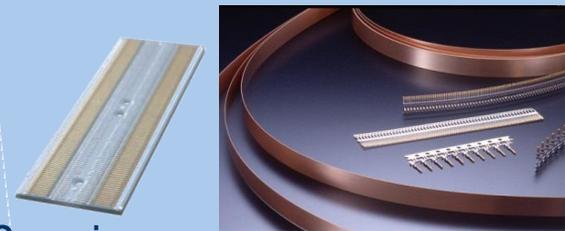


Heating System

## Electronics Business



Ceramic Components for Semiconductor Manufacturing

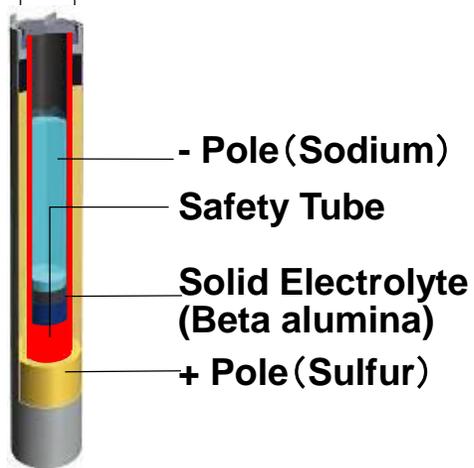


Ceramics Micro-Actuators

Beryllium Copper

# Structure of NAS<sup>®</sup> Containerized Battery System

+ terminal - terminal



**Battery Cell**

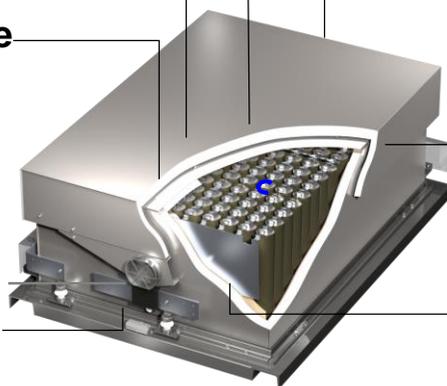
Battery Cells Sand Thermal Insulated Lid

Fuse

Thermal Insulated Enclosure

Radiant Heat Duct Main Pole

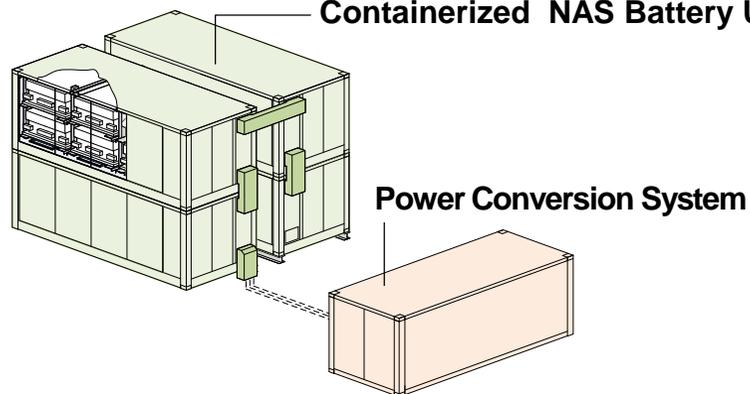
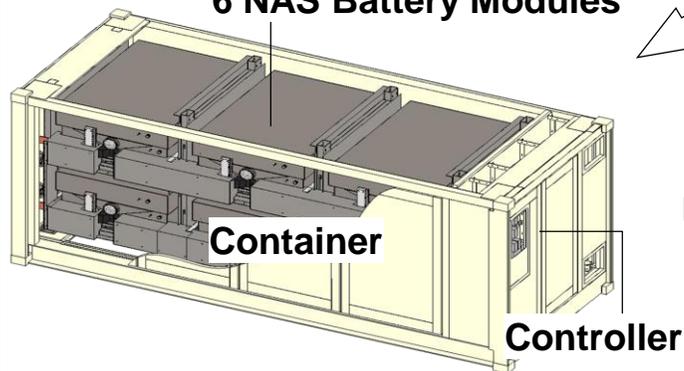
Heater



**Battery Module**

6 NAS Battery Modules

Containerized NAS Battery Units



**Containerized Battery**  
200kW(1200kWh)

**Battery System**  
800kW(6400kWh)



# Features of NAS<sup>®</sup> Battery Energy Storage

- Proven energy storage technology for high power, large energy capacity.
- Fully commercially available technology (large manufacturing capacity)
- Uses only common materials (Sodium and Sulfur). No rare materials used

## Feature

### ■ Long Duration

- Can store energy up to 7 hours

### ■ Compact Layout

- 3 times energy density compared to lead acid battery

### ■ Fast Response

- Prompt response – full power charge to discharge in 2 milliseconds

### ■ Reliability

- Uses ceramic for electrolyte. No self discharge, superior long term durability

### ■ Safety

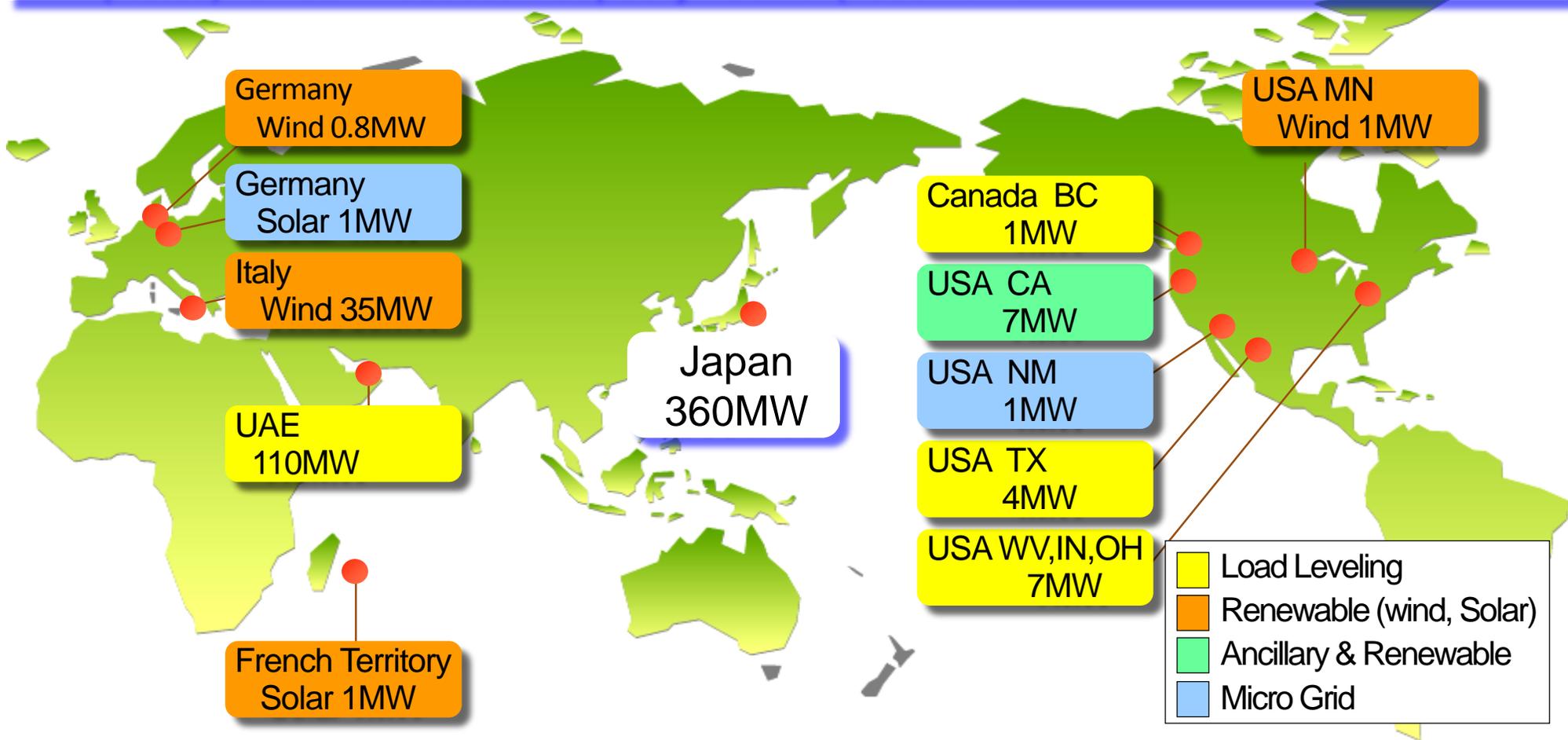
- Multiple safety features and quality control incorporated to ensure safety

### ■ Easy Maintenance

- Minimal planned maintenance required. Remote operation possible

# NAS<sup>®</sup> Battery Installations around the World

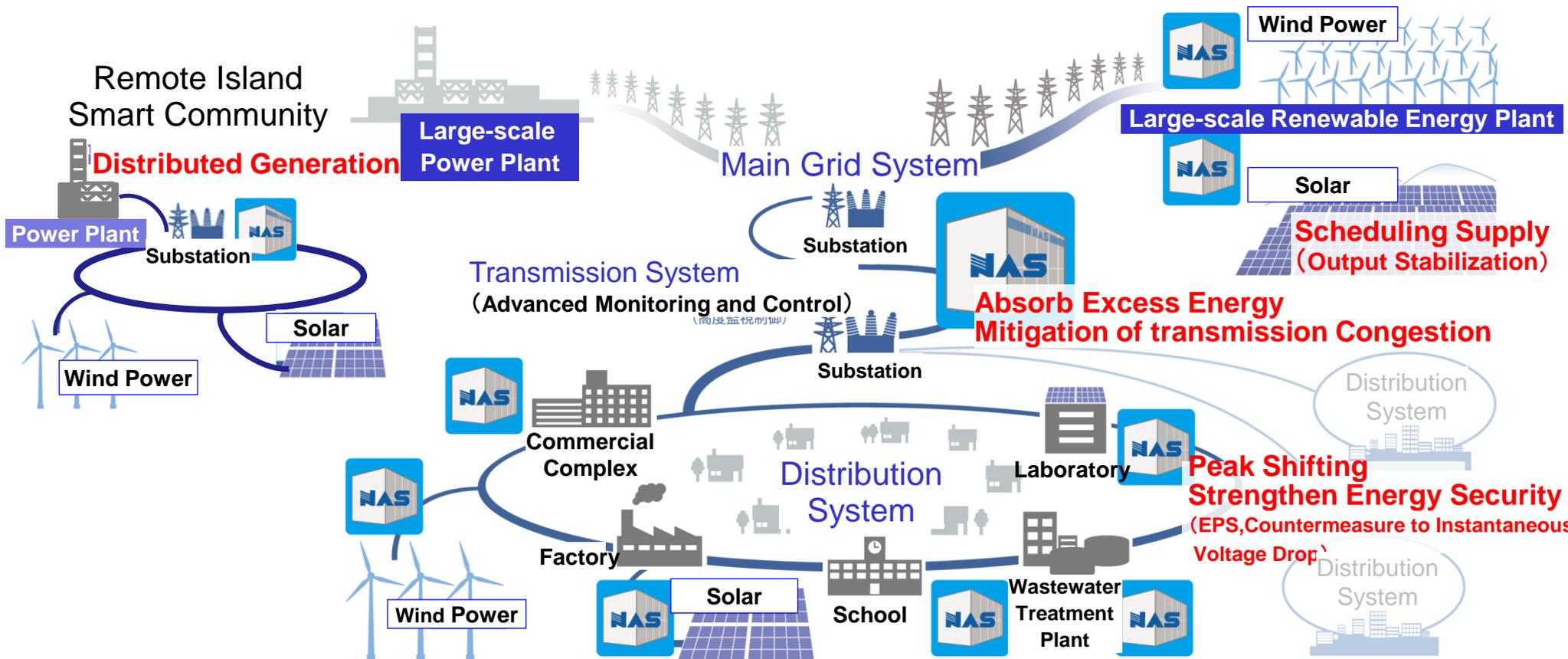
■ Commercialized in Year 2002  
 ■ Total Installation Record of 530MW (3700MWh)  
 Domestic 360MW, Overseas 170MW (as of May 2015, including projects under construction)  
 (Notes) Annual Production Capacity 150MW(1000MWh)



# Various applications of NAS<sup>®</sup> Battery System

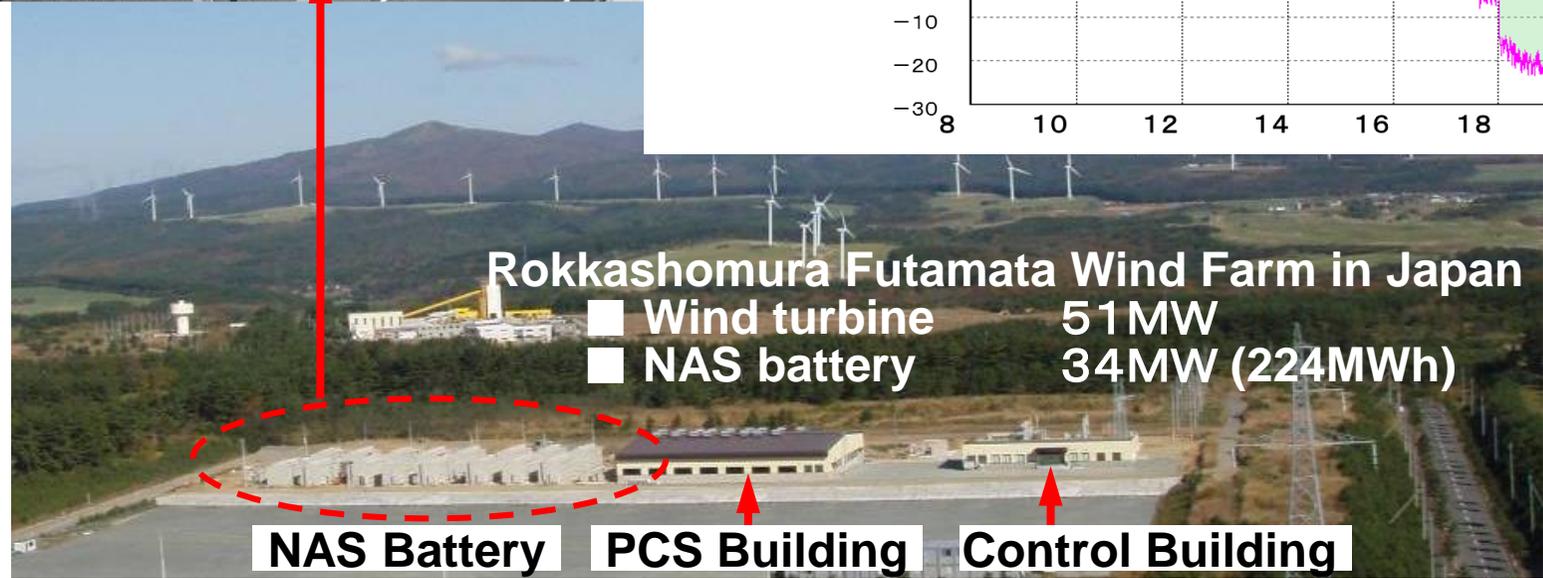
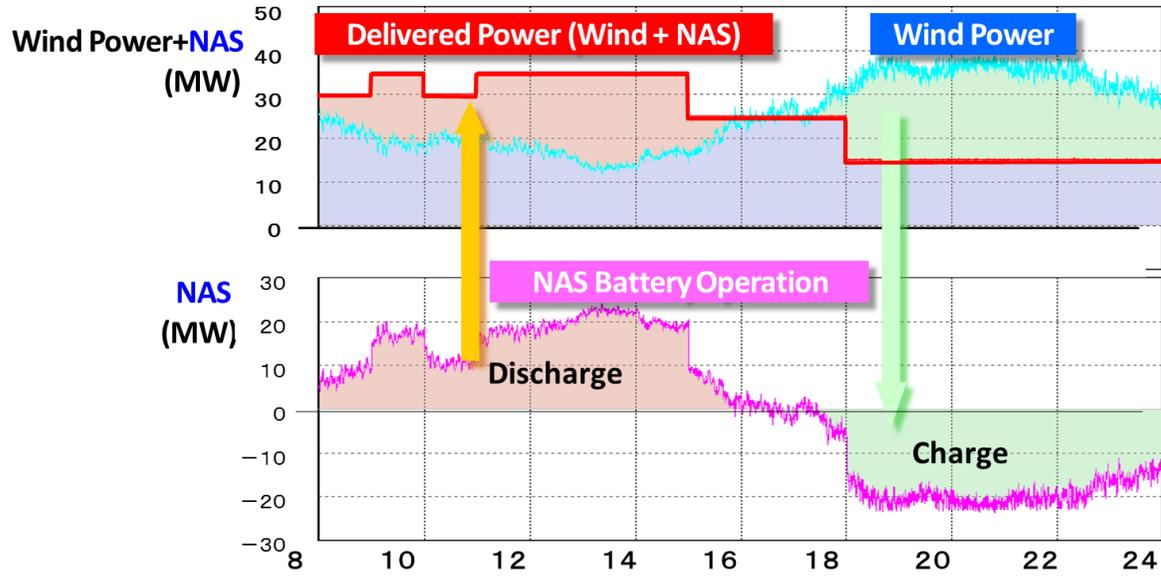
Energy Storage will enable..

- storage of electricity which was not feasible up till now
- balancing demand and supply instantaneously (location and time not restricted)
- efficient and reliable supply of electricity throughout system



# Wind Turbine Application in Japan

■ JAPAN WIND DEVELOPMENT CO., LTD.(JWD) started the first commercial “Wind and NAS Battery Hybrid System” operation since August 1st, 2008.



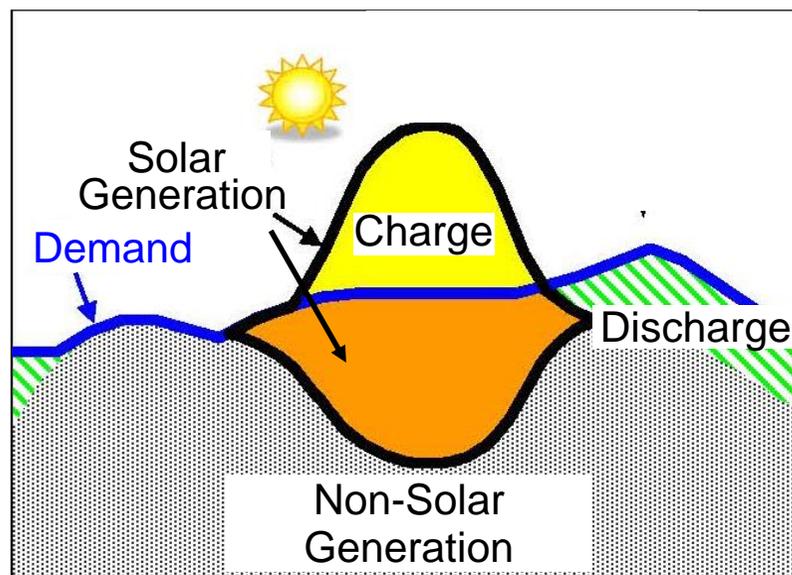
# Absorb excess energy by renewable power

Purpose of Kyushu Electric project

- To enable smooth introduction of renewable power source into the grid system by balancing supply and demand.
- To verify grid voltage control

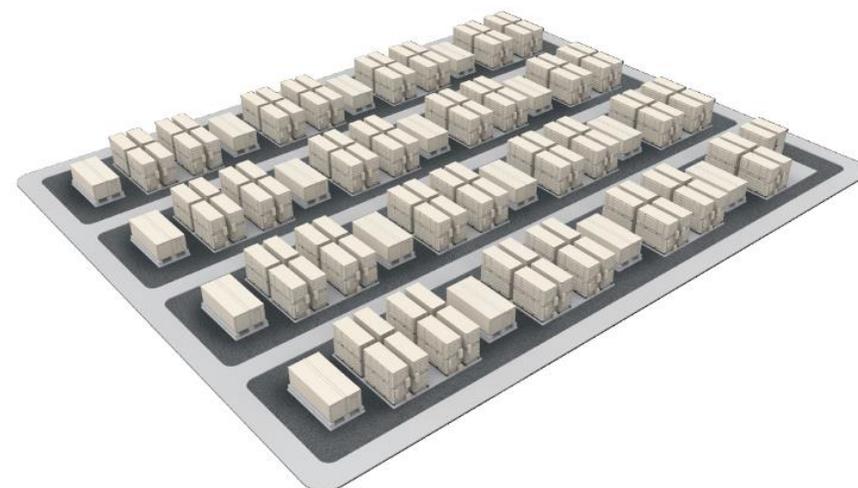
## ■ Kyushu Electric

Large-capacity storage system  
supply / demand improvement demonstration



## ■ Planned Equipment

Output Power	5 0 MW
Energy Capacity	3 0 0 MW h
Location	Kyushu Electric Power Buzen Power Station (Fukuoka Prefecture Buzen)
Start of Operation	2015 Fiscal Plan



Excerpt from April 22, 2015, Kyushu Electric Power Press Release

# Thank you for your time !

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