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Promoting Sustainable Industry: Green Technologies and Human Resource Development

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Japan's Effort for Sustainable Maritime Industry

1. Environment Protection

- (1) Framework and Technologies for Energy Efficiency
- (2) Technologies for Clean Energy

2. Human Resource Development and International Contributions

Environment Protection

Background

- Societal demand of environmental protection has been increasing.
 - For mitigating GHG / air pollution
 - For better energy efficiency
- Shipping sector accounts for about 2.2% of the global GHG emission. (Third IMO GHG Study, 2014)
- SOx/NOx emission is another big problem for sustainable development.



- Japan is keen and active on GHG/SOx/NOx emission reduction.
 - ✓ Contribution to the development of global framework
 - ✓ Promotion for technological innovation

Energy-saving ships



Clean energy



Wind turbines



Installation and maintenance

1. Environment Protection

(1) Framework and Technologies for Energy Efficiency

Ocean Environment Initiative (2008 – 2012)

Aimed to reduce 30% of CO₂ emissions from ships through R&D support

R&D in line with the development of international environmental framework

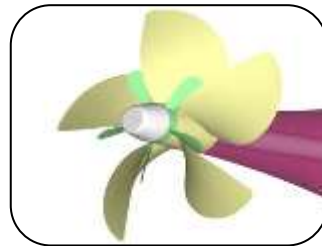
International Framework

Contributed to the development of IMO rules

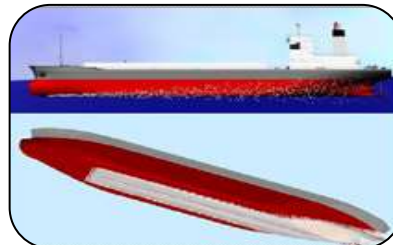
- ◆ Proposed Energy Efficiency Design Index (EEDI) for new ships and energy efficiency management plan (SEEMP) for all ships.
- ◆ Proposed market-based mechanism, which will encourage further R&D through incentive scheme.

R & D

Provided support for R&D for innovative energy efficiency technologies based on top-runner approach



Propulsion system



Friction reduction by air lubrication

Fuel Efficient Ships

- MALS (**Mitsubishi Air Lubrication System**) passes **main engine's scavenging air** (combustion air) from the turbocharger into the underwater from the vessel's bottom.
- MALS **reduces CO₂ emission by 27%**, by reducing friction between the vessel's bottom and the seawater.

General characteristics

- Capacity: 95,000 DWT
- Length: 237 m
- Builder: Oshima Shipbuilding



- MALS will be installed on a cruise ship, which is now being constructed by Mitsubishi Heavy Industries: **7% energy efficiency UP!**

General characteristics

- Tonnage: 125,000 GT
- Capacity: 3,250 people
- Builder: Mitsubishi Heavy Industries



Fuel Efficient Ships

MV KOZAN-MARU, Coastal cement carrier

- Equipped with **tandem hybrid propulsion system**.
- Combination of a controllable pitch propeller (CPP) and a azimuth fixed pitch propeller (FPP).
- CPP is driven by a diesel engine while FPP by a motor.
- **Fuel saving by 5-20%.**



FPP

CPP

General characteristics

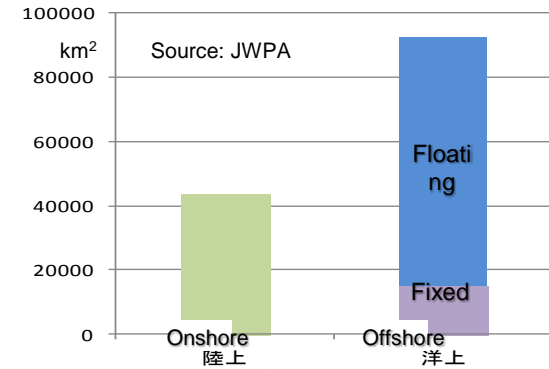
- Tonnage: 14,902 GT
- Capacity: 22,053 DWT
- Length: 161 m
- Builder: Kanda Shipbuiding

1. Environment Protection

(2) Technologies for Clean Energy

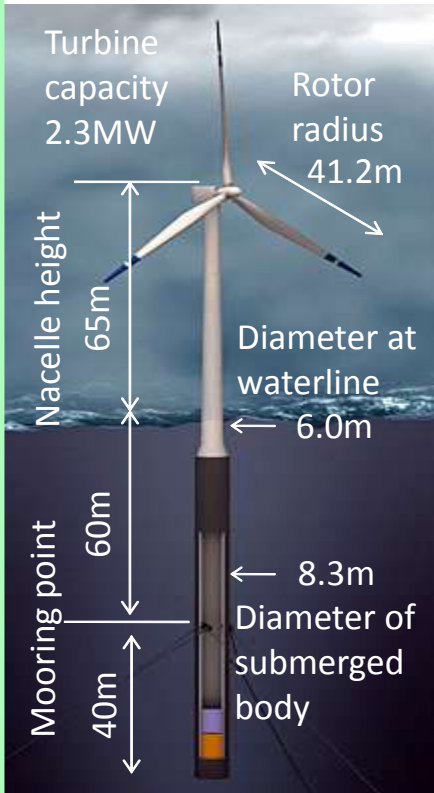
Floating Offshore Wind Turbine

- Japan is promoting wind turbines based on New Growth Strategy, etc.
- Because of limited land and shallow sea area, **Japan needs Floating Offshore Wind Turbine (FOWT).**
- After the Great East Japan Earthquake, renewable energy is expected to grow further.



Potential area for wind turbine

FOWT



Technical research on floating structures and anchorage

- ✓ Weather conditions taken into account (typhoon, earthquake, etc.)
- ✓ Structural integrity and stability
- ✓ Evaluation of interaction among many FOWTs (mooring movement, etc)
- ✓ Emergency preparedness and response (ship collision, cut of mooring lines, drifting, etc)

Established “Standards for Safety of FOWT” (2012)

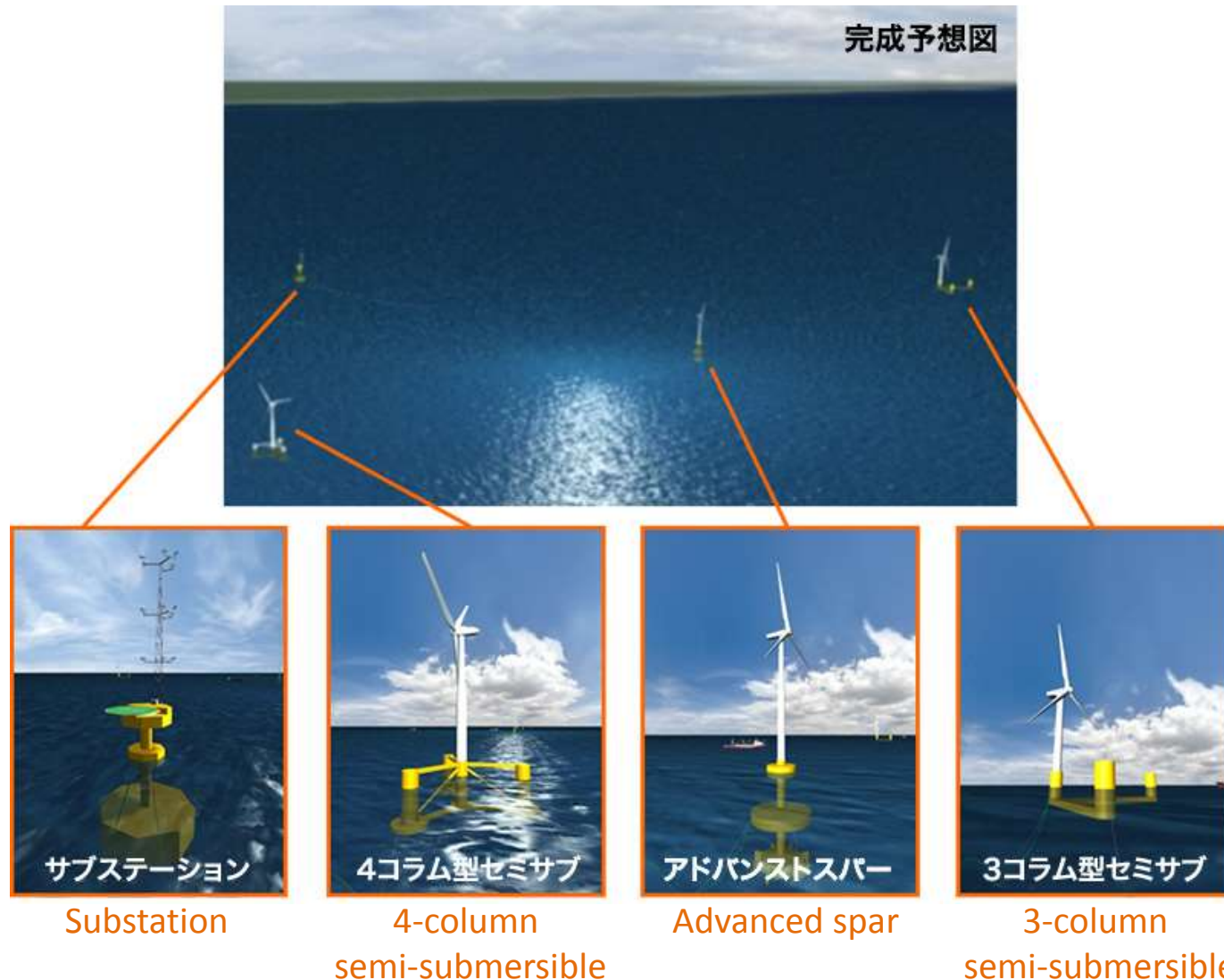
Develop “Guideline for Safety of FOWT”

Lead international standardization

Support practical use of FOWT with METI and MOE

Promote FOWT & Strengthen international competitiveness of relevant industries

Project : Fukushima Floating Offshore Wind Farm



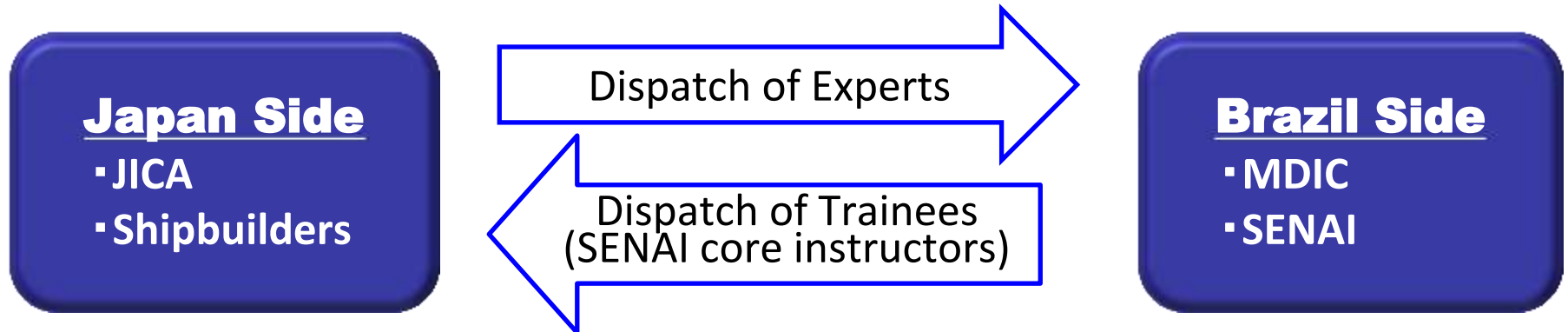
METI (Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry) is conducting a practical operation test during 2013-2015, by setting afloat three offshore wind turbines (2 MW * 1, 7MW * 2) and a transformer station off Fukushima, Japan. JMU, MES and MHI are the constructors of the floating structures.

3. Human Resource Development and International Cooperation

Human Resource Development in Shipbuilding

<Case Studies>

- **JICA project on technical cooperation in shipbuilding human resource development started in September 2014**, in cooperation with JICA, Japanese shipbuilders, MDIC and SENAI.
- The implementation period is 2014 – 2018 (4 years).
- MLIT dispatched an expert on shipbuilding policy to MDIC and the project started in September.



JICA: Japan International Cooperation Agency

MDIC: Ministry of Development, Industry and Foreign Trade (Brazil)

SENAI: Serviço Nacional de Aprendizagem Industrial (Brazil)

(professional schools for providing training for specialized workers)