
2018 R&D Strategy

Driving the evolution of Hitachi towards further globalization

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R&D 100th Anniversary

~ New challenges for the next 100 years ~

Mission

Contribute to society through the development of superior, original technology and products

Hitachi Founding Spirit

Harmony • Sincerity • Pioneering Spirit

For invention and discovery

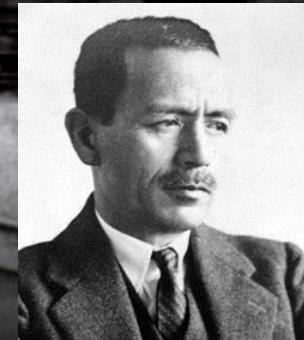
“We must have the ethos of those entering a deep untrodden mountain”

(Quote from article in Tokyo Asahi Shimbun, 1930)



Founder & First Director of the Research Unit

Namihei ODAIRA



First General Manager of
the Hitachi Research Laboratory &
the Central Research Laboratory

Kumeo BABA

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An Innovation Partner for the IoT Era

Accelerate collaborative creation with customers
through advanced Social Innovation Business

Four Focus Business Domains



Power · Energy



**Industry ·
Distribution · Water**



Urban



**Finance · Social
· Healthcare**

Growing need for Social Innovation Business



The United Nations has adopted "SDGs."
It is now the challenge for global enterprises to realize an "Inclusive Society" and their own business growth.

SDGs market: USD 12 trillion/year
(Forecast up to 2030)*

IoT: Internet of Things, SDGs: Sustainable Development Goals
* BSDC "Better Business, Better World"

Global R&D driving new growth in Social Innovation Business



Newly appointed Hitachi Fellow



Kazuo Yano
April 2018 ~
(Artificial intelligence)

Newly appointed Corporate Scientist



Shizu Takeda
April 2018 ~
(Regenerative medicine)

1.3 R&D for Social Innovation Business

Hitachi's Social Innovation Business

- For a sustainable society
- Co-create digital innovations with customers
- Global deployment of solutions

Step 1 (FY2015~)

Co-create with customers

Estab. global CSI structure

- Systematized NEXPERIENCE - a methodology for co-creation
- Co-creation activities

Step 2 (FY2016~FY2017)

Digital innovation

Co-creation using Lumada

- Utilize NEXPERIENCE
- Increase customer cases & solution cores
- Develop AI/IoT tool sets

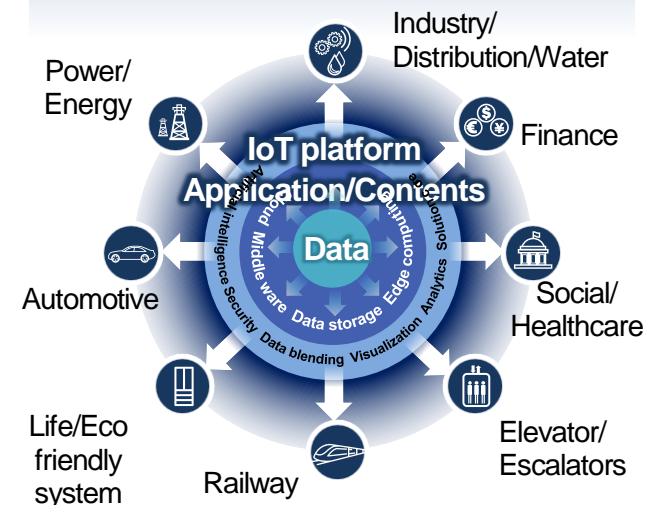
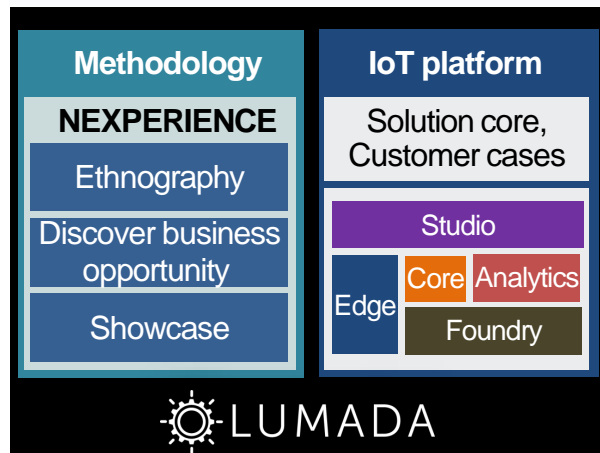
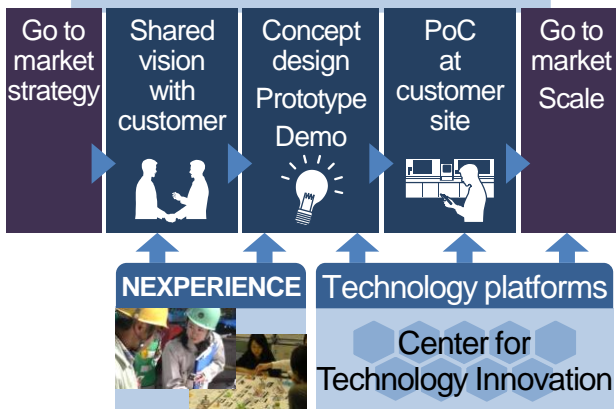
Step 3 (FY2018~)

Scale up globally

Accelerate with open innovation

- Expand co-creation centers
- Establish industry-government-academia eco-system

Activity of center for social innovation



1.4 Enhancing global co-creation

Utilize regional co-creation centers to contribute to Lumada business

The image features a world map with several regional co-creation centers highlighted. Each center is associated with a General Manager (GM) and a specific office or lab space. The centers are:

- CSI-Europe**: Mori GM (Portrait of a man in a suit)
- CSI-China**: Chen GM (Portrait of a woman in a grey jacket). This region is further divided into **Beijing** (New Beijing office & co-creation space) and **Guangzhou** (New Open Automation Lab in Guangzhou).
- CSI-Tokyo**: Kitagawa GM (Portrait of a man in a suit)
- CSI-North America**: Saikalis GM (Portrait of a man in a suit)
- CSI-APAC**: Harada GM (Portrait of a man in a suit)

Red stars and lines on the map indicate the locations of the Beijing and Guangzhou centers within the CSI-China region.

1.5 Contributing to Lumada business

	FY2016		FY2017		FY2018	
R&D Group	Number of NEXPERIENCE customer cases	175	»»	502	»»	1,000
	Number of Lumada customer cases (R&D Gr/ Hitachi Gr)	9 /200	»»	98 /500+	»»	150
Hitachi Group	Lumada core business revenue (JPY 100 billion)	1.2	»»	2.3	»»	3.1
	Lumada business revenue (JPY 100 billion)	9.0	»»	10.1	»»	10.7

1.6 World's No.1 technology through co-creation

World-leading products & services through No.1 technology for societal needs

Railway systems

Traffic Management System



Rail car

Autonomous decentralized system/
Analysis lead design

High-speed elevators

World's fastest elevator*1

1,260m/min.
2 June 2017
News release



Streamlined car structure

Particle beam therapy*2

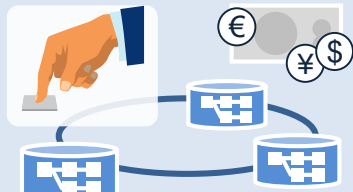


4D tumor tracking

Tumor tracking /
Spot scanning irradiation

Focus area

Block chain



Service for supply chains

Autonomous driving

V2V communication



EU : AutoNet 2030

Connected car

Smart Manufacturing

Material Machine



Man Method


Digital solutions for manufacturing sites

AI



Maintenance & Repair

Robotics



Service-support robot

Develop world No. 1 technology through open innovation

*1 June 2018 Hitachi internal survey

V2V: Vehicle-to-vehicle

*2 A part of this technology was developed with the Hokkaido University Graduate School of Medicine under the Funding Program for World-Leading Innovative R&D on Science and Technology (FIRST Program) initiated by Council for Science and Technology Policy (CSTP) of the Cabinet Office, Japan.

Strengthen R&D investment in digital solutions and open innovation

Step 1 (FY2015~)

Co-create with customers

Increase co-creation funds
 → Improve product/service success rate

New organization from FY2015

CSI: Co-creation	500 HC*1
CTI: Technology	2,000 HC
CER: Exploration	100 HC

Step 2 (FY2016~FY2017)

Digital innovation

Expand investment in Lumada
 → **Leverage digital for increased efficiency**

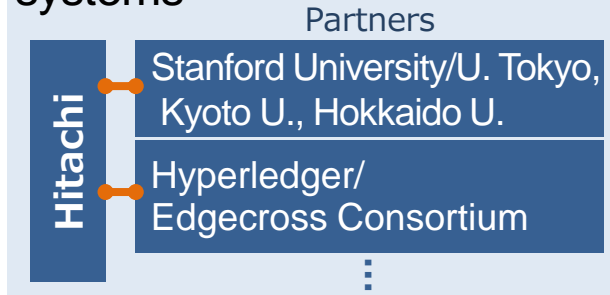
Accelerate global deployment



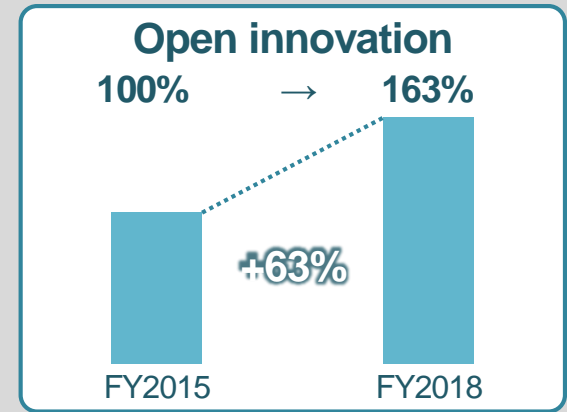
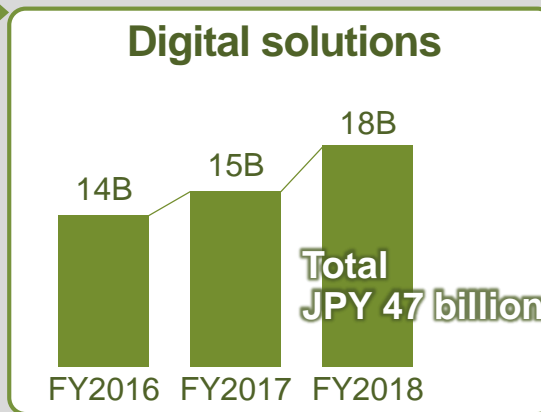
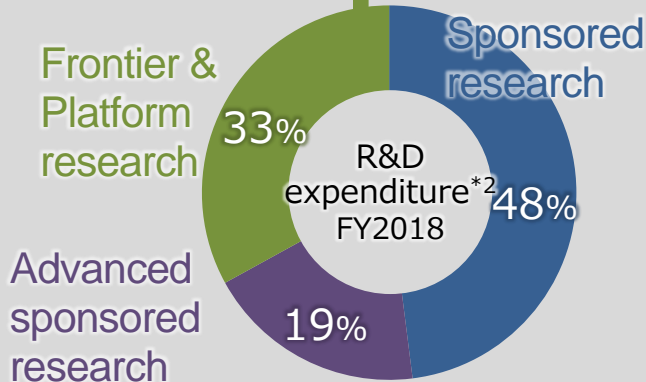
Step 3 (FY2018~)

Scale up globally

Expand investment in open innovation to build eco-systems



Portfolio



*1 Outside of Japan included

*2 Roughly 20% of total Hitachi Gr. R&D expenditure

Drastically reduce product development time with Lumada & AI

Improved productivity in storage

Optimize test process by analyzing vast inspection item data using AT/H

Drive testing time

75% improved
Conv. Method 196hrs → 49hrs

Storage production site



Test item
Integrate, Replace

Quality testing log data

Test drive



HDD



Flash

Improved development efficiency in innovative materials

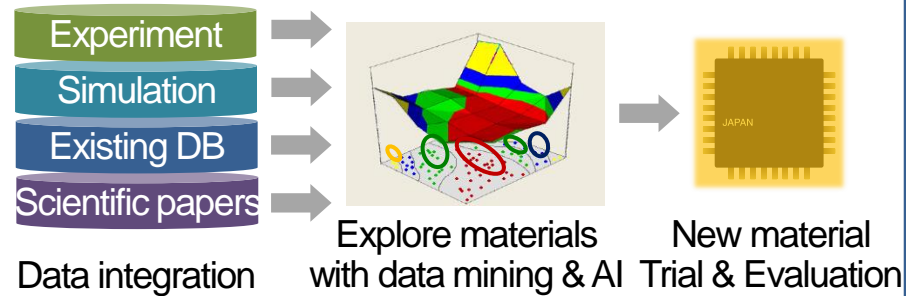
Highly efficient design & devt. of innovative materials with material informatics (MI)

Materials design time

80% improved
Conv. method 24 mos. → 4 mos.

Materials informatics

Design period

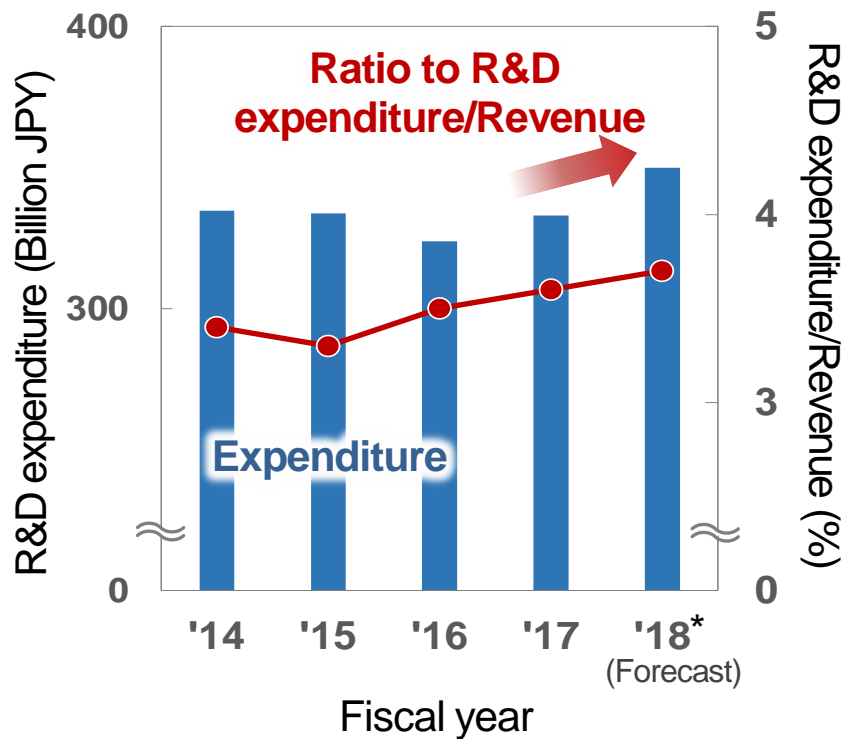


Examples of innovative materials

- Semiconductor sealing material
- Lead-free solder, etc.

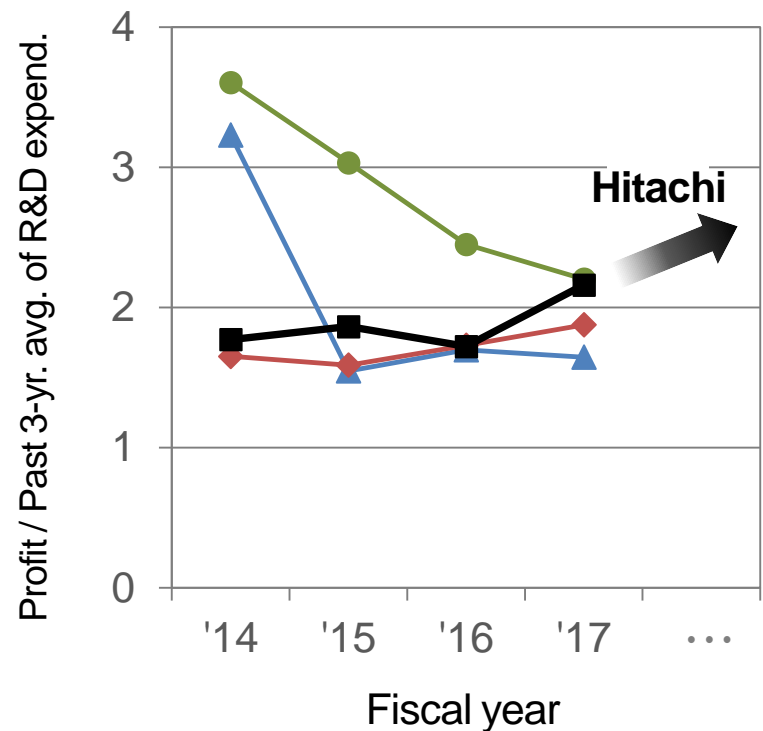
Raising R&D efficiency to contribute to Hitachi's profitability

Investment in R&D



Adjusted operating income ratio to revenue (%)	'14	'15	'16	'17	'18*
	6.6	6.3	6.4	7.6	8.0*

R&D efficiency



*Forecast figure for FY2018

1.10 Major awards and recognitions

Major products & services awarded external recognitions especially in the Four Focus Business Domains

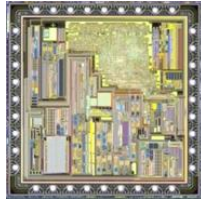
Four Focus Business Domains

**Oil-free scroll compressor*¹
w/ integrated amorphous
core motor**



Japan Industrial
Technology Award:
Grand Prix, Prime
Minister's Prize

IoT sensor



Monodzukuri Nippon Grand
Award: Prime Minister's Prize

**Particle beam therapy
equipment*²**



National Commendation
for Invention:
Imperial Invention Prize

**iPS cell
mass culture equipment*³**



Nikkan Kogyo Shimbun
Best Ten New Products
Award

Platform

IoT platform



2018 IoT Breakthrough Award
Enterprise IoT
MMRI award 2017

Products/Materials

**Immunodiagnostic
Analyzer e801**



Okochi Memorial
Technology Prize

**Image processing module
for home air-conditioner**



Image processing module
Infrared LED, image/temperature camera

"Cho" Monodzukuri Innovative
Parts and Components Award:
Joint Chairs' Prize

**Dedicated battery
for "idling-stop"**



JACI GSC Award:
Minister of METI Prize

Design

Vision Design PJ



iF Design Award 2018:
"Professional Concept" discipline

Yokohama Open Lab.



30th Nikkei New Office Awards:
New Office Promotion Prize

*1 A part of this work was supported by The New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization (NEDO), Japan, program for the development of practical technology to substitute or reduce rare metals. In the practical implementation phase, technology was developed to respond to the need for further reduction in power consumption.

*2 A part of this technology was developed with the Hokkaido University Graduate School of Medicine under the FIRST Program initiated by CSTP of the Cabinet Office of Japan.

*3 A part of this research is supported by the "Project focused on developing key evaluation technology: Evaluation for industrialization in the field of regenerative medicine" from Japan Agency for Medical Research and development (AMED).

Become a global innovation leader to drive the evolution towards a global company

Hitachi challenge

Monetizing capability
aimed at creating SIB



Directives

Enhancing co-creation of global solutions

- From individual solution to connected industries
- Focus on growth domains & regions

Increasing
world-leading
products and services



Creating and focusing on world-leading technology

- Create top technology to support SIB
- Accelerate open innovation

Participating and
engaging with
global communities



Promoting basic research to resolve societal issues

- Create disruptive technology
- Create visions to lead Society 5.0

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Expand co-creation in Social Innovation Business and strengthen global deployment

Directive

1. Expand from point solutions to “Connected Industries”
2. Focus globally on growth areas & societal issue

FY2017 results and next steps

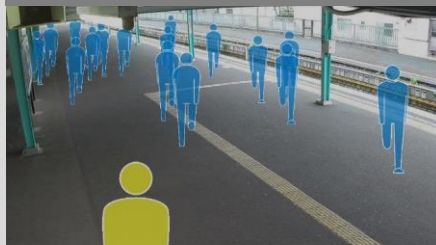
■ FY2017 results

Video analytics solution



Daikin, Daicel, et al

People flow visualization



Tokyu, et al

Fleet management



Penske

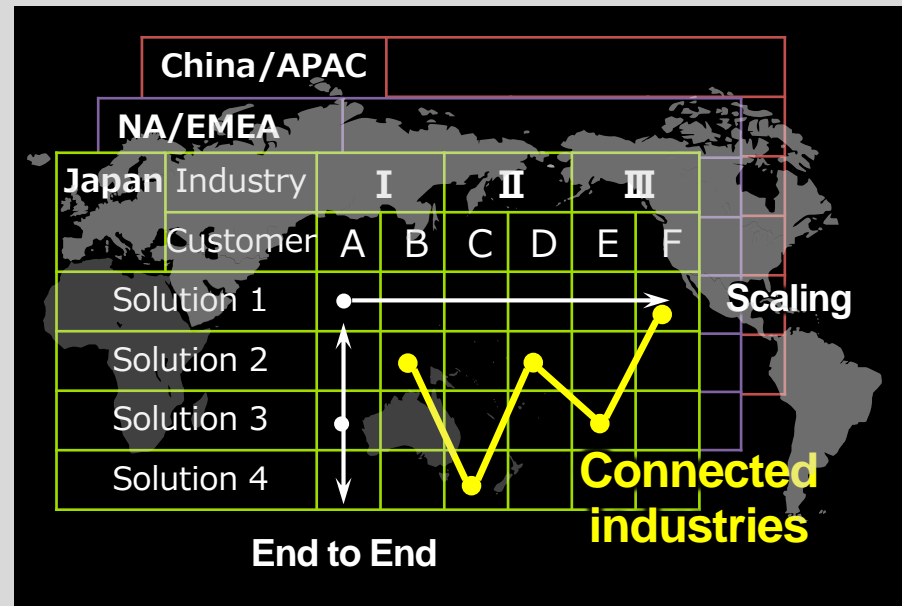
Logistics solution



MonotaRO, et al

■ Global CSI's next initiative

Lead business model development for “Connected industries” solutions



2.2 “Connected Industries” solution examples

Finance × Healthcare (Dai-ichi Life Insurance)

Accurately estimate risk of hospitalization from lifestyle-disease assessment models to expand insurance subscription

Establish appropriate insurance underwriting standards

Increase in new subscribers
300+ subscribers/ month

Dai-ichi Life



10 million people

- Contract/payment data
- Know-how in insurance services

Hitachi



- Analytics for medical cost estimation
- Know-how in diabetes prevention services

Medical big data AI

Assessment model

Industry × Finance (Mizuho Financial Group)

Manage & share global supply chain data, to agilely respond to financing needs

SMEs

Mgmt. efficiency,
Financial services

Mizuho × Hitachi

Supply chain
Finance

Order/Purchase
information

Hitachi

Reflect order/
purchase info.
in operations

Weekly/Monthly

Real-time

Operation
Past record,
know-how

Blockchain PF

Design & mfg.
site A

Design & mfg.
site B

- Improve efficiency in procurement and inventory management
- Rapid decision-making in ordering /purchasing

2.3 Focus on growth area & regions (1)

NA

Industry: Industrial equip.,
Mnfg./Mobility solutions
Finance: Financial system integration

- Expand from maintenance to mobility services
- Blockchain validation & business deployment

Blockchain

Verification by customer using advanced analytics technology

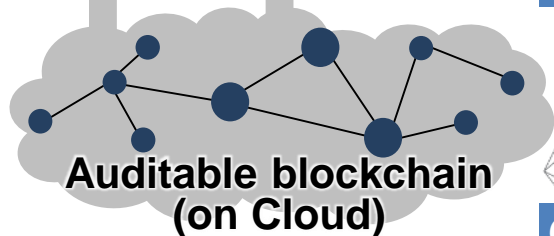
Financial Innovation Lab.

Case example: Public notary service

- Workflow mgmt.
- Agreement record mgmt.
- Credit analysis ...

Advanced analytics tech

Collaboration with
Stanford Univ.
Academia



HYPERLEDGER
OSS community

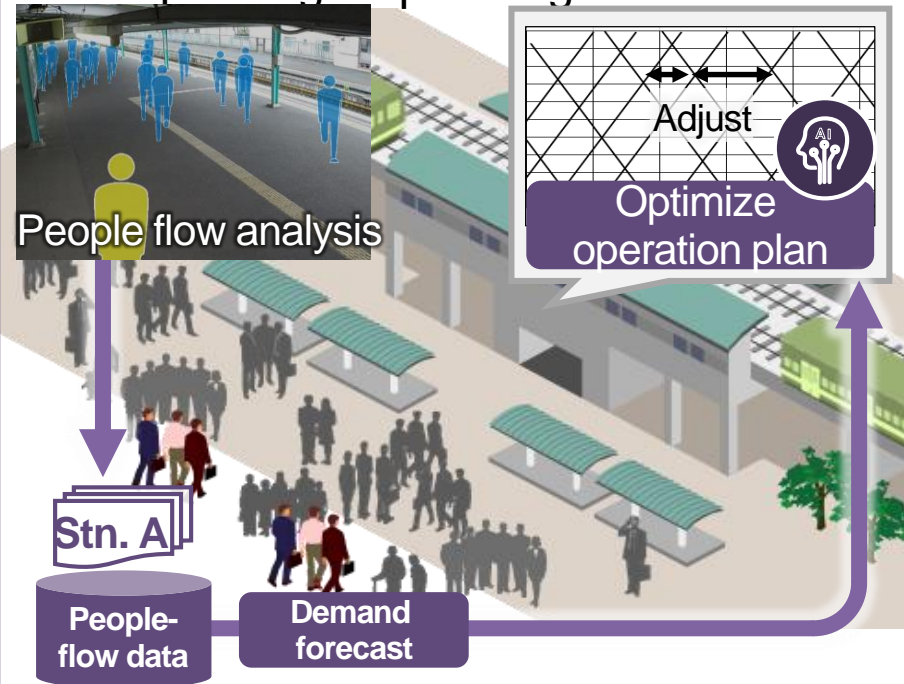
EMEA

Urban: Railway systems,
Railway digital solutions

- Expand from railway carriages & signals to service business

Dynamic Headway Solution

Optimization of train operations depending on passenger demand



2.4 Focus on growth area & regions (2)

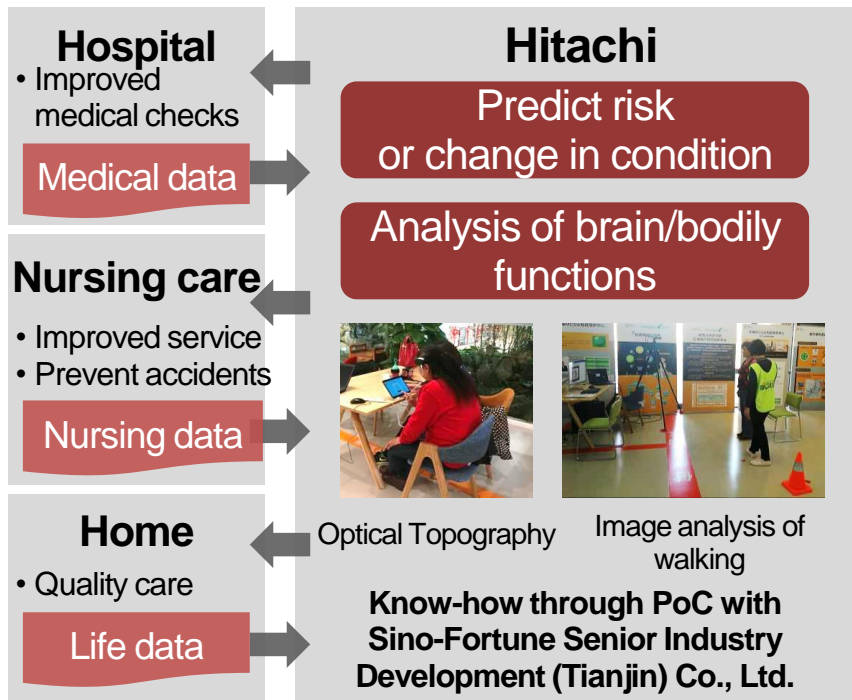
China

Healthcare: Elderly nursing
Urban: Digital solution for buildings

- Expand digital business for Healthy China 2030
- New elevator/escalators, maintenance and digital solutions

Digital care management

Increase sophistication by monitoring brain/bodily functions, and future prediction



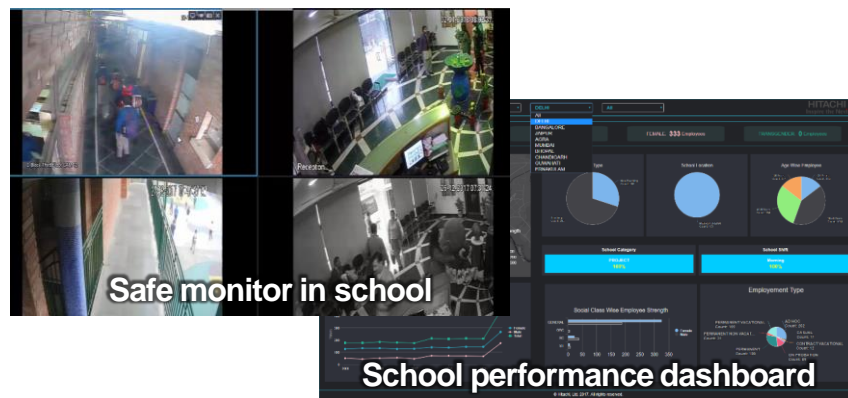
APAC

Industry: Manufacturing solution
Financial/Social: Digital infrastructure

- Digital infrastructure business w/ govts.
- Digital business focusing on Thai mnfg.

Digital India

Digitalization of govt. services through co-creation with MGRM



2.5 Global deployment of Social Innovation Business

Power • Energy



Industry • Distribution • Water



Urban



Finance • Social • Healthcare



EUR

- Railway systems/
Railway digital solutions

CHN

- Elevators & Escalators
/Building-related digital solutions
- Healthcare solutions

Asia

- Financial & Societal solutions
- Industrial equipment & Mnfg. Solutions
- Elevator & Escalators
/Building-related digital solutions

NA

- Financial SI
- Industrial equip.
& Mnfg. solutions
- Mobility solutions

Accelerate global deployment with Hitachi Global Digital Holdings

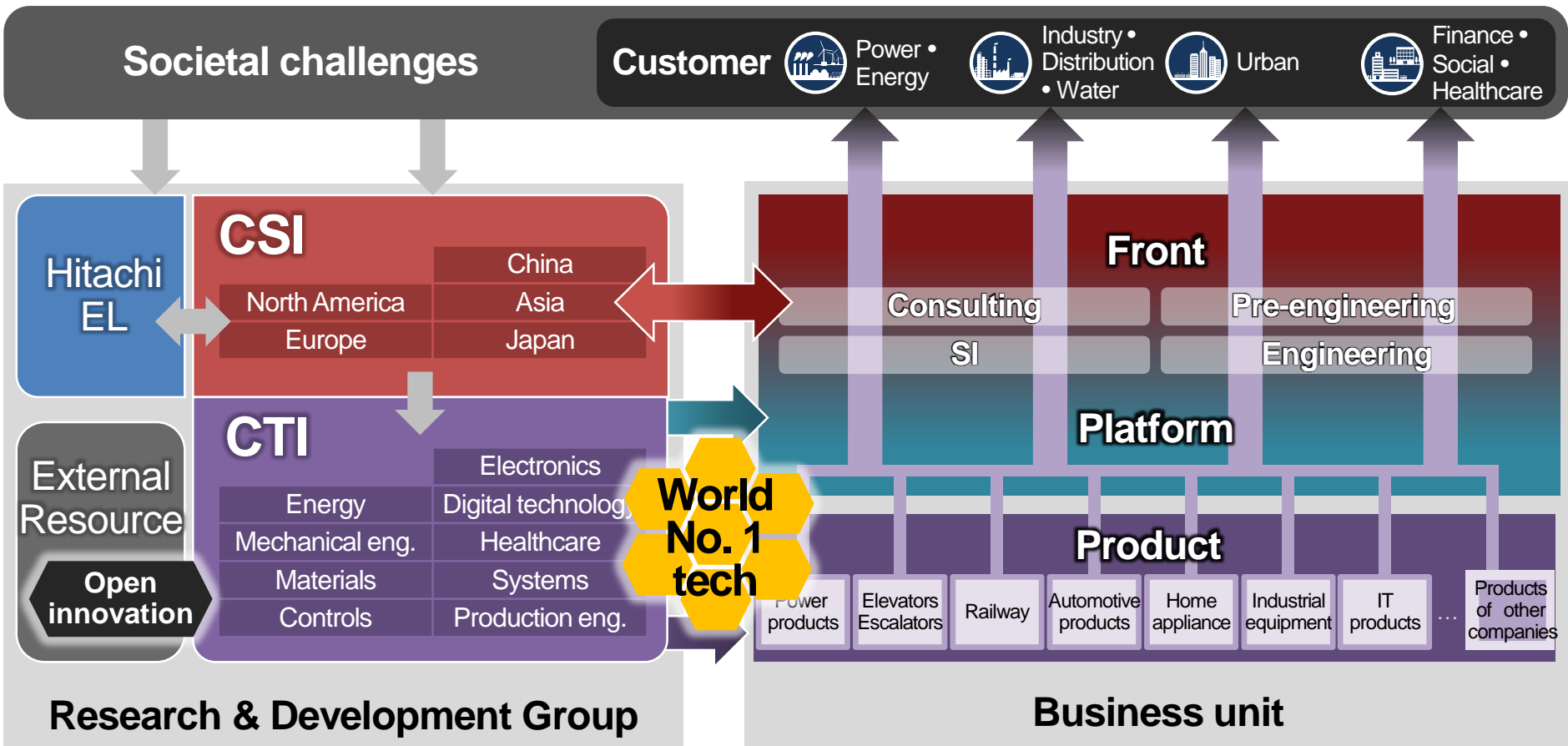
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3.1 Technology for world No. 1 Products & Services

Create world No.1 technology platforms based on societal challenges faced by customers

- Policy**
1. Create world No.1 technology to lead Social Innovation Business
 2. Further accelerate open innovation



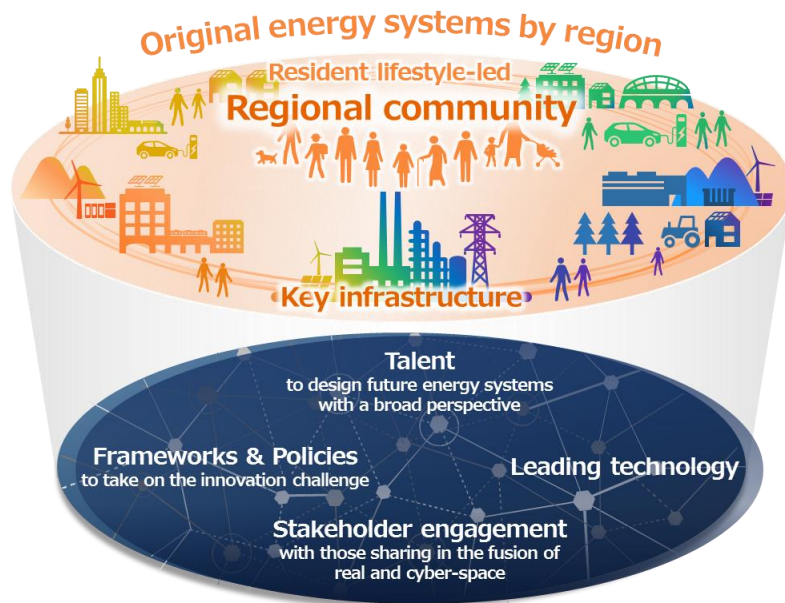
Proposing an energy system to support Society 5.0

Future energy system

Cooperative mechanisms integrating diverse distributed resources with the core systems in regional communities

Hitachi U.Tokyo Lab. Energy Forum*

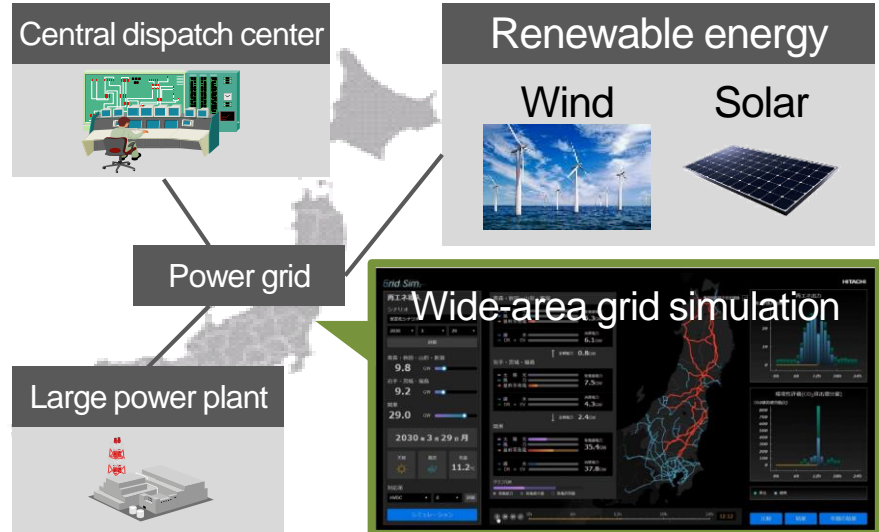
“Towards the realization of a energy system supporting Society 5.0”



No. 1 Tech: Power grid control

An analytical tool assessing grid stability taking into account supply-demand balance and grid failure

Wide-area energy grid simulator



Asses renewable energy power output necessary to maintain stable power grid

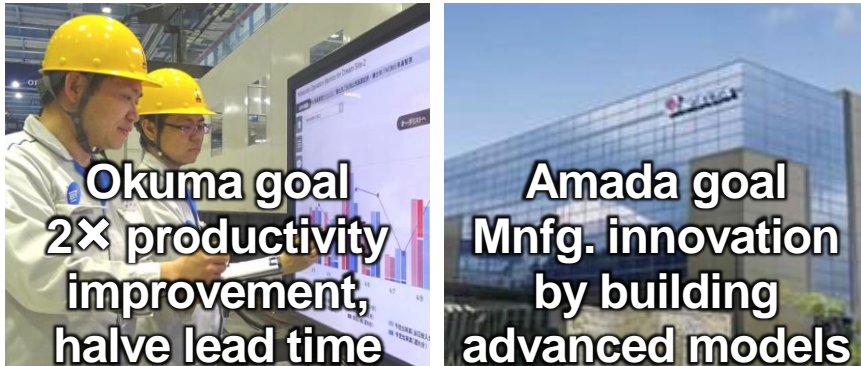
*Held on 18 April 2018

Optimize the total value chain from production to logistics sites

Smart production / distribution

- Accumulate successful in-house smart manufacturing solutions & deploy externally
- Visualization & increased efficiency of the total supply chain

Examples of external deployment



No.1 Tech: Robot autonomous cooperation

Realize both flexibility and increased productivity by cooperation between operators and different types of robots

Autonomous cooperation between robots

Group control based on autonomous cooperation



Free layout



Improve productivity

Deployed in manufacturing & logistics sites

Autonomous cooperation between AGV & picking robot



Free routing



38% ↑ processing speed

Collaboration with Hitachi Transport and U.Edinburgh

Design and control technology for mobility systems and solutions

Railway carriage

Delivery of bi-modal (electric/diesel) high-speed railway carriages for GWR (UK); operation commenced

No.1 Tech: Analysis-led design

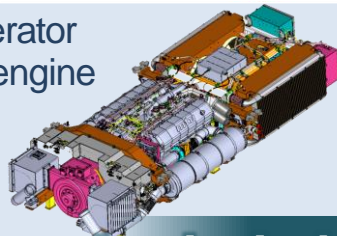
Elemental development

Carriage development

Experiment & certification

Operation

Generator with engine

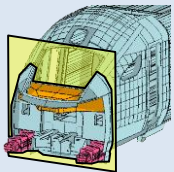


Running test



Analysis-led design

Shock absorbing structure



Train bogie



Operations commence for high-speed IEP [17/10]

Autonomous driving

V2X cooperative control for autonomous driving tested in Europe, USA and Japan

No.1 Tech. : Cooperative control

Demonstrate autonomous driving through OI

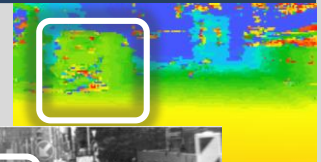


Europe: AutoNet 2030



USA: U. Michigan MTC

Stereo camera



Surround view camera



New services utilizing digital technology to improve safety and convenience

Cyber-security

Collaborate with Keio U. et al to promote cybersecurity for social infrastructure

No.1 Tech: Distributed security operations

Realizing prompt response by sharing data necessary to cope with incidents, and task allocation in case of attack



Attack simulation to increase protection

Hitachi core tech

Incident origin

Other entities



Replication analysis based on IT×OT



90% prevention

Ultrasound diagnostic equipment

Reduce physical burden on patient and improve hospital examination throughput

No.1 Tech: High definition imaging probe

Skill-independent operation based on imaging probe, auto image adjuster and auto measurement technology

Dramatically shortened time from examination to reporting

High quality 3-D imaging probe



High quality 3D imaging

Auto-adjustment

Auto-measurement

Automatic reporting

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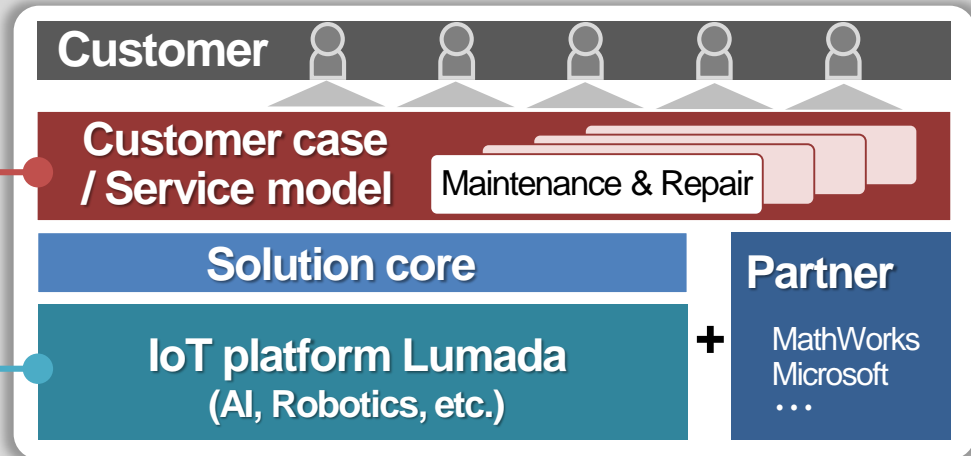
Accelerate global scaling by increasing customer cases & solution cores

Enhancing Lumada through open innovation

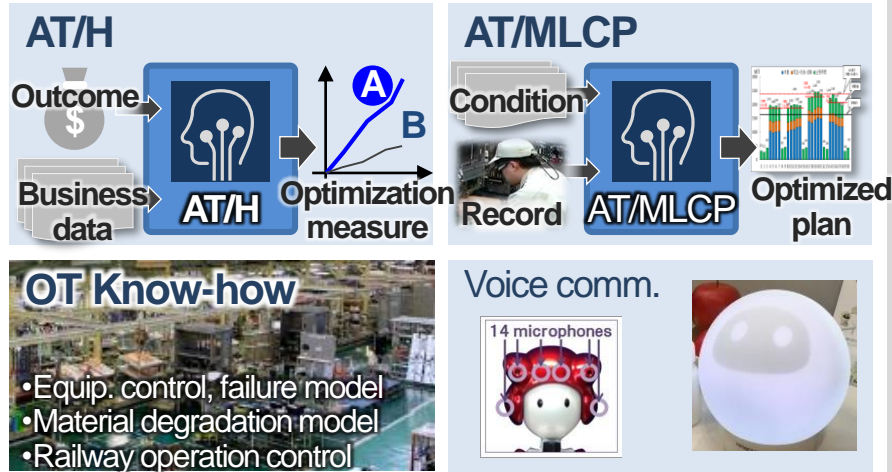
Apply Hitachi OT know-how, AI & robotics technology for global collaboration

Partnering & HR training

- Collab. w/ MATLAB and Microsoft Dynamics
- 3,000 data scientists initiative [FY'21]

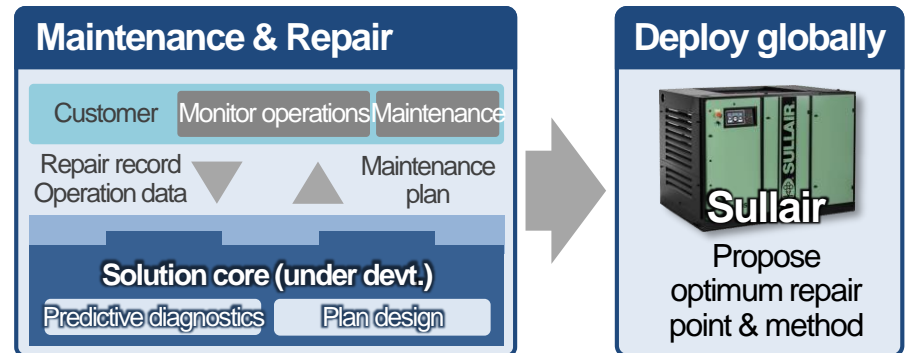


AI, Robotics, No. 1 technology

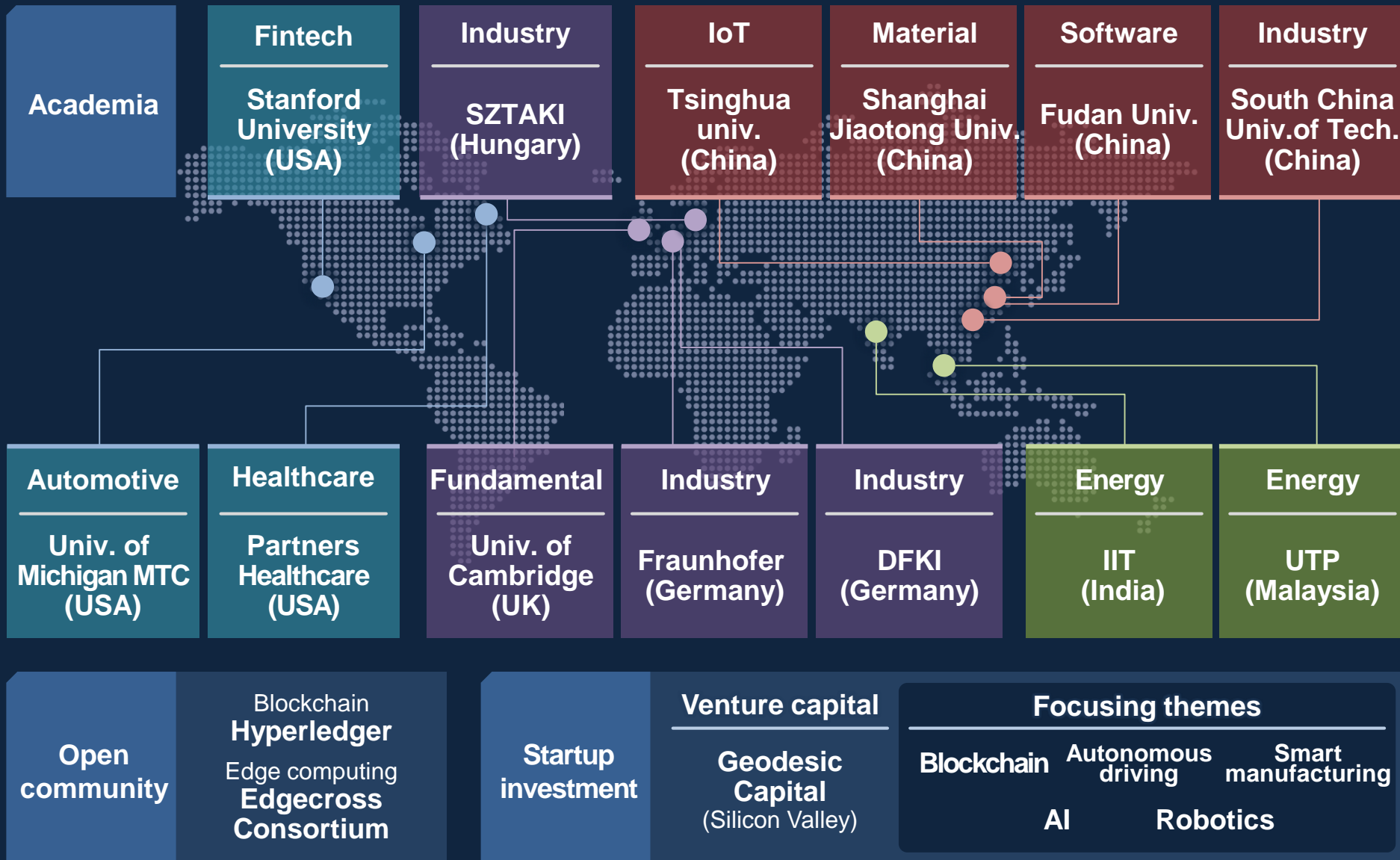


Case example: Maintenance & Repair

Capture signs of defect for early maintenance using AI founded on OT



3.7 Collaboration with academia & startups to enhance disruptive technology development



DFKI: Das Deutsche Forschungszentrum für Künstliche Intelligenz, IIT: Indian Institutes of Technology; MTC: Metropolitan Transportation Center, SZTAKI: Számítástechnikai és Automatizálási Kutatóintézet , UTP: Universiti Teknologi PETRONAS

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4.1 Strategy to resolve societal issues

Create disruptive technology & future vision to solve social issues

Policy

- 1) Create disruptive technology through open innovation
- 2) Create visions to lead Society 5.0

SDGs
Sustainable Development Goals

Society 5.0
Human-centric Super Smart Society

CER's research fields

Information science	Life science
Materials science	Frontier

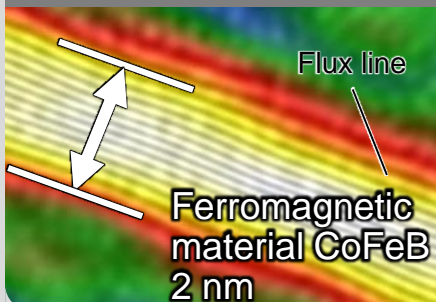


Joint research center

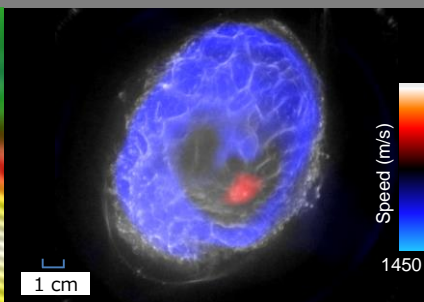
Hitachi U. Tokyo Lab.	Hitachi Cambridge Lab.
Hitachi Kyoto U. Lab.	Hitachi Hokkaido U. Lab.
	Hitachi Kobe U. Lab.

FY2017 achievements

Ultra-electron microscope^{*1}
Top resolution of 0.67nm



Ultrasound CT
Imaging of human breast cancer^{*2}



Happiness Planet
Announce happiness vision



Society 5.0 vision
Energy Forum



^{*1} A part of this research was supported by the FIRST Program initiated by CSTP of the Cabinet Office of Japan, and the CREST Program (Start of Core Research for Evolutional Science and Technology) of the Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST).

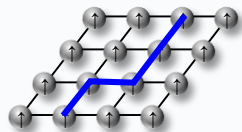
^{*2} Joint research with Hokkaido University CT: Computed tomography

Accelerating efforts to realize quantum computing, simple cancer screening

CMOS annealing machine

- Scalable based on size of societal challenge to be solved
- 100K bit processing achieved with FPGA

Convert to Ising model



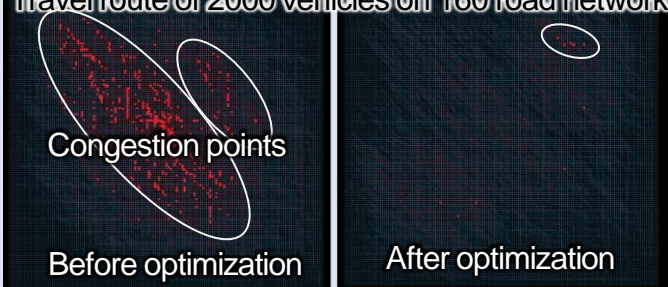
Explore shortest route in real-time

Implement in hardware



Alleviating traffic congestion

Travel route of 2000 vehicles on 160 road network



Partner Hokkaido U., NEDO

Simple cancer screening

- Verified low-burden cancer screening
- Successful detection in adult & pediatric cancer

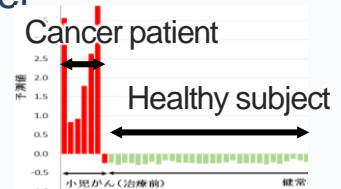
Cancer-screening using urine-based tumor-marker



Urine sample



Component analysis (LC/MS)



Data analysis e.g. Pediatric cancer

Nematode-based cancer screening

Attracted to elements in cancer patient urine



Nematode



Automated analysis system



Partner Nagoya U., Aflac, HIROTSU Bio Science

4.3 Initiatives to create future visions

Create visions through industry-academia-govt. collaboration to resolve societal challenges, and share with the world

Society 5.0 Vision to resolve societal challenges

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[Energy systems]
Energy Forum



[City planning]
Habitat Innovation Project

Hitachi Kyoto U. Lab



[AI policy proposal]
Scenarios for the future

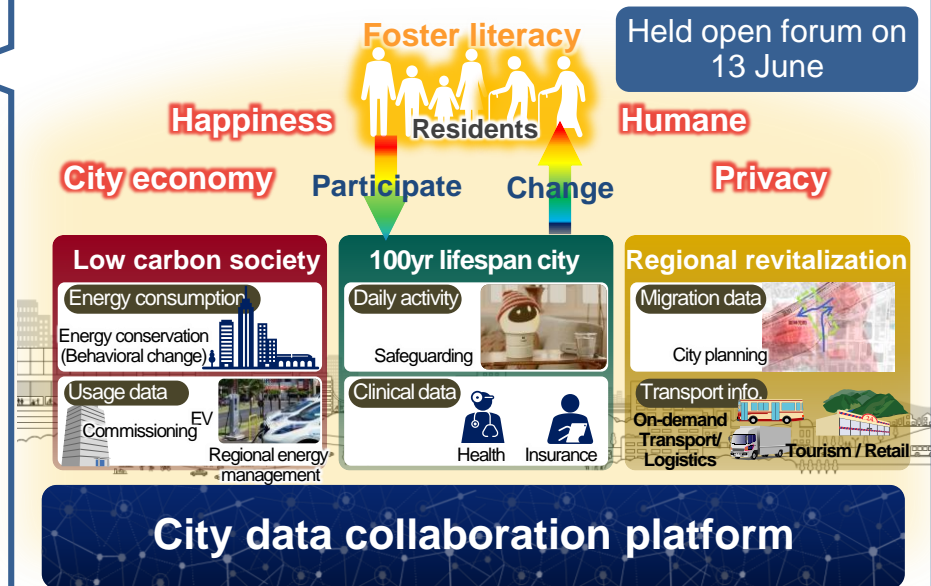
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[Food & Health]
Hokkaido U. COI Symposium

[City planning] Habitat Innovation

1. Vision of future city with goal of "Human Security & Well-being"
2. Challenge-resolving model to actualize "Society 5.0"
3. Business model based on synergy of strengths between Hitachi and U.Tokyo



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