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## Events

- Lectures for Young Researchers and Engineers : Introduction to Risk-based Inspection (September 5 – 7, 2023)
- International Symposium : Risk-based Management of Energy Infrastructure (November 9 – 10, 2023)
- International Workshop : Structural Integrity Challenges of Energy Infrastructure (March 11, 2024)

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September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Lecture Theater (3<sup>rd</sup> floor), House of Creativity, Katahira-Campus, Tohoku University

Lectures for Young Researchers and Engineers

Introduction to Risk-based Inspection

Advanced Mechanical Systems Maintenance Engineering

September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023

# Advanced Mechanical Systems Maintenance Engineering

( 機械システム保全学特論 )

## Introduction

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# Introduction to Risk-based Inspection

ELyTSchool 2023 , August 31<sup>st</sup> – September 9<sup>th</sup>



**ELyT School**

	September 5 (Tue)	6 (Wed)	7 (Thu)
8:50   10:20	<u>1. Introduction (1)</u> T. Uchimoto N. Mary	<u>6. Fundamentals of Electromagnetic Nondestructive Testing</u> G. Sebald	<u>11. Project Work</u>
10:30   12:00	<u>2. Introduction (2)</u> G. Feuillard	<u>7. Application of Nondestructive Testing</u> T. Uchimoto	<u>12. Application of ultrasounds to medicine and material characterization</u> G. Feuillard
13:00   14:30	<u>3. Degradation &amp; Damage</u> S. Dancette	<u>8. Fundamental of ultrasonic waves</u> G. Feuillard	<u>13. Degradation &amp; Damage</u> Nicolas Mary
14:40   16:10	<u>4. Degradation &amp; Damage</u> N. Mary <b>TFC-SSI</b>	<u>9. Generation and detection of ultrasonic waves: piezoelectric ultrasonic transducers</u> G. Feuillard	<u>13. Wrap-up Presentations by Students</u> All lecturers
16:20   17:50	<u>5. Project work</u>	<u>10. Project Work</u> <b>Doctoral Course Lecture</b>	

# Introduction

1. What is Maintenance ?
2. Guideline of this course

# Motivation of Maintenance



High-speed train derailment accident  
in Germany (1998.6.3)



**Mississippi River Bridge Collapse in US**  
(2007.8.1)

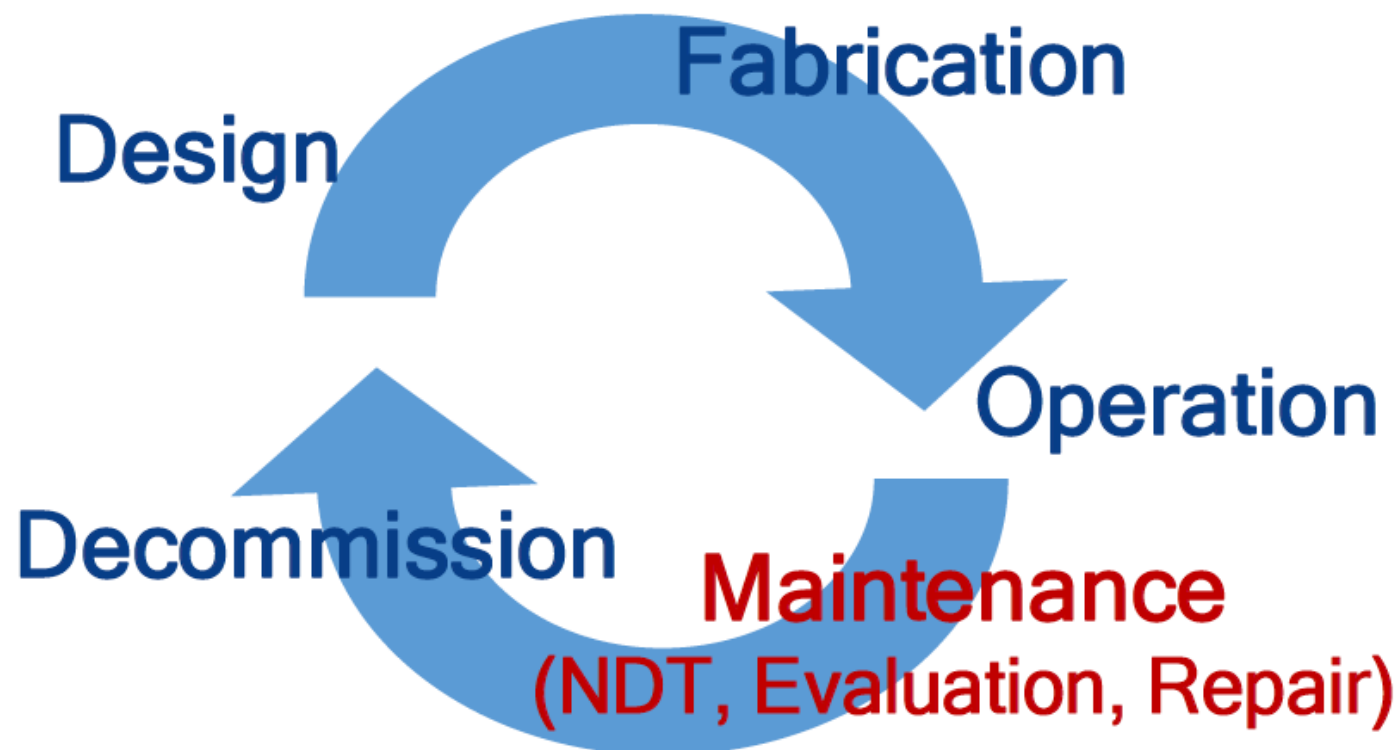


Pipe breakage accident in Mihama power  
plant in Japan (2004.8.9)

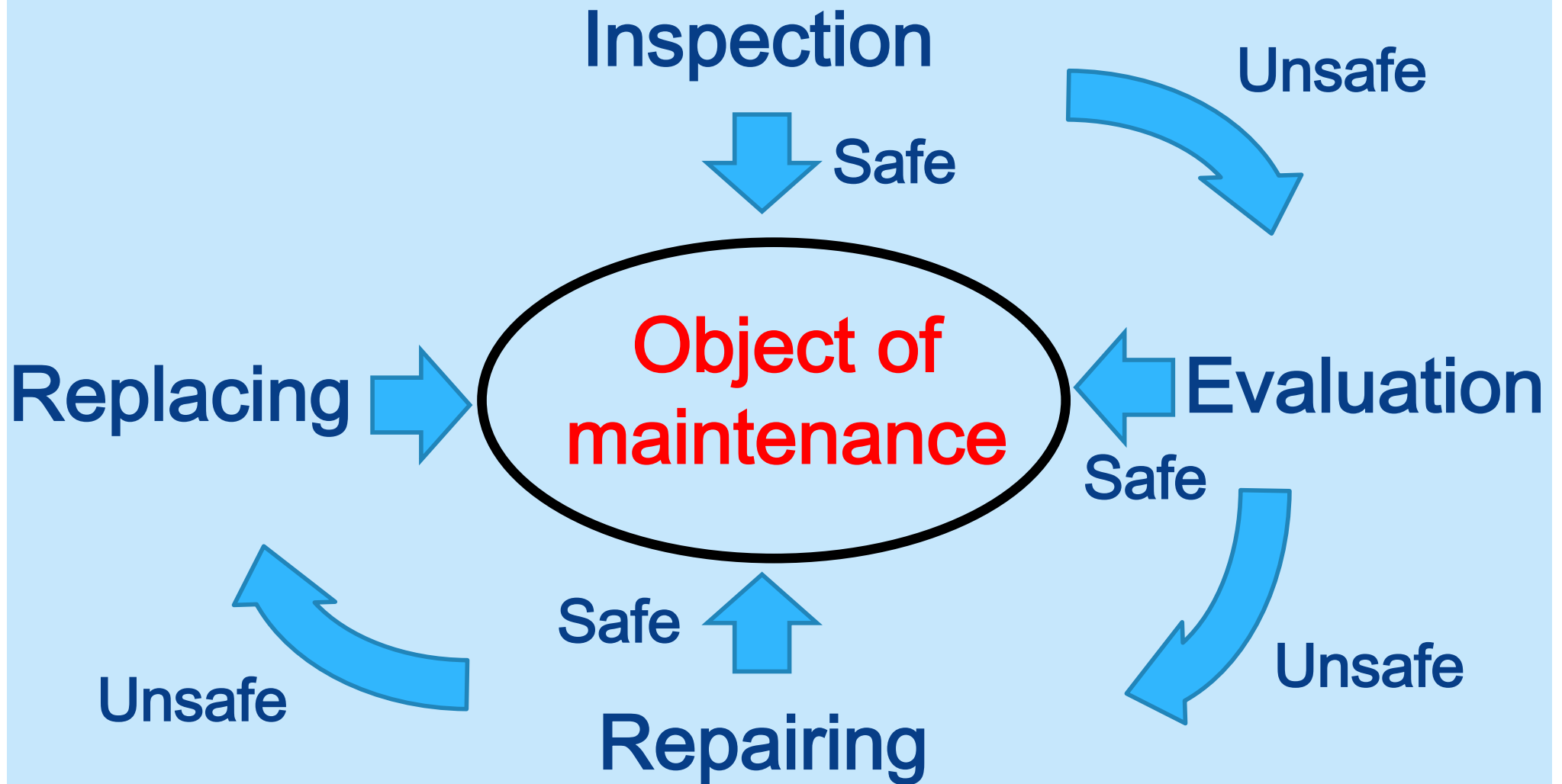
# When is the maintenance?

## The lifetime of artifacts

Artifacts (人工物) are made by human beings and for human beings



# What is maintenance?

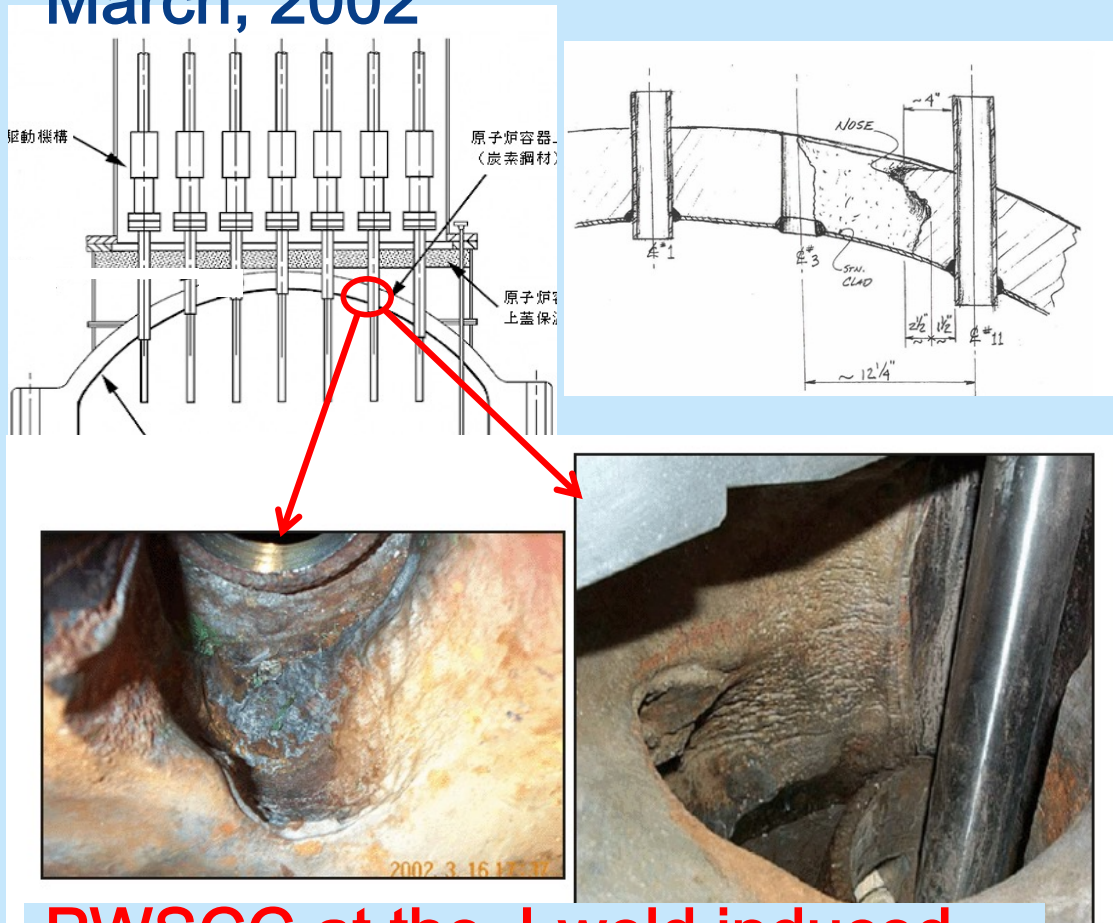




# Why is maintenance needed?

Significant degradation was found at the reactor vessel head of Davis-Besse NPP(US) in March, 2002

Pipe rupture occurred at the condensate system of Mihama 3 NPP (Japan) in August, 2004

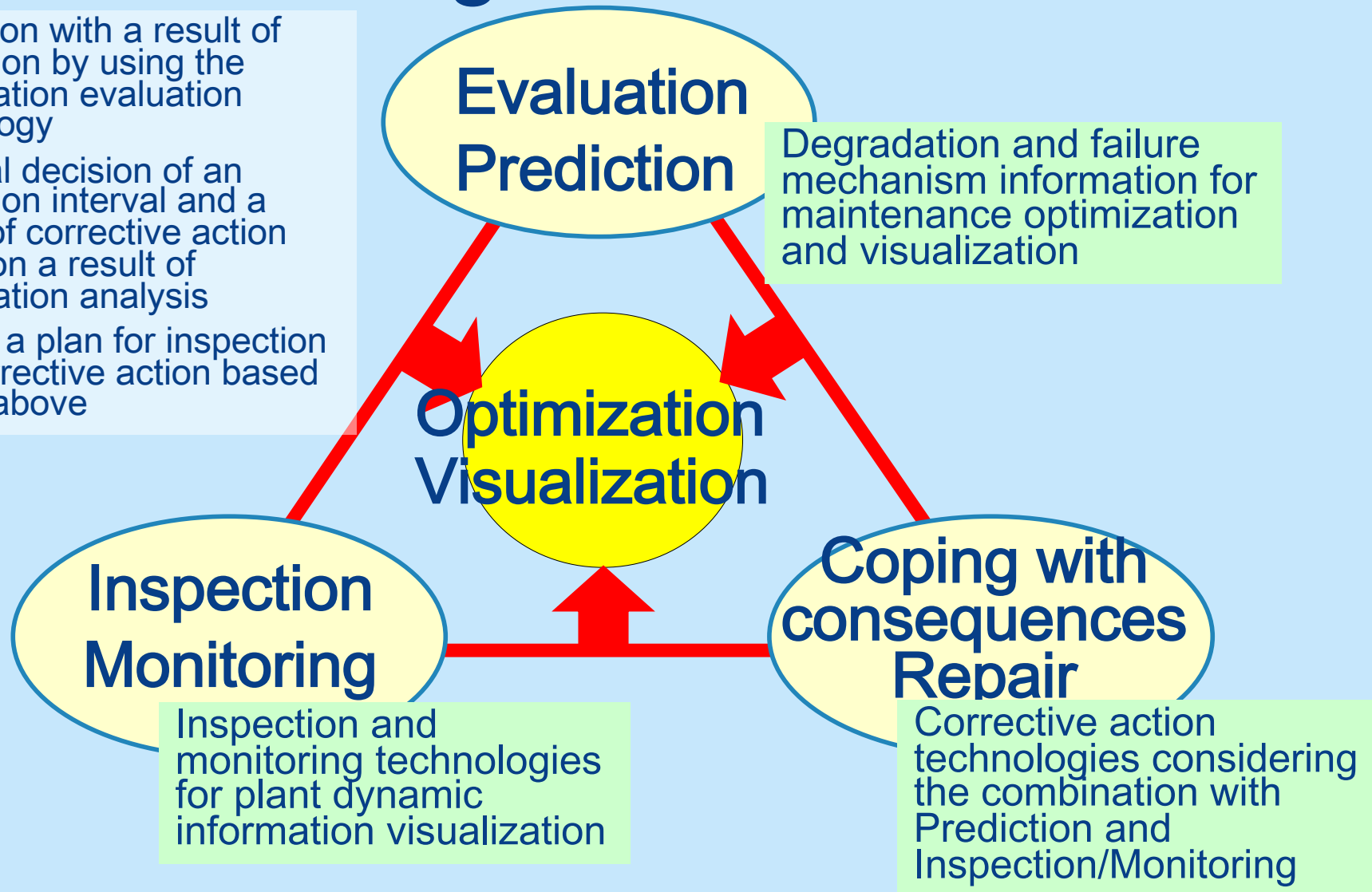


Wall thinning phenomena induced this unstable fracture.

PWSCC at the J-weld induced this significant corrosion

# Optimization by Three Major Technologies of Maintenance

- ✓ Prediction with a result of inspection by using the degradation evaluation technology
- ✓ Rational decision of an inspection interval and a timing of corrective action based on a result of degradation analysis
- ✓ Making a plan for inspection and corrective action based on the above



Effectively making good use of the three technologies is required for maintenance optimization.

# Lecture Plans

Tuesday, September 5, 2023

8:45 – 08:50 Opening remarks

Tetsuya Uchimoto (Tohoku University), Nicolas Mary (INSA Lyon)

08:50 – 09:30 Introduction of risk-based Inspection

Tetsuya Uchimoto (Tohoku University)

09:30 – 10:20

Nicolas Mary (INSA-Lyon)

Introduction of damage and degradation to be evaluated in maintenance

10:20 – 10:30 Break

10:30 – 12:00

Guy Feuillard (INSA Centre Val de Loire)

Introduction of ultrasonic characterization of materials: Principles and applications

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch

# Lecture Plans

## Tuesday, September 5, 2023

13:00 – 14:30 Introduction to Fracture and Fatigue Behavior of Materials  
Sylvain Dancette (ELyTMaX, Tohoku University / CNRS)

14:30 – 14:40 Break

14:40 – 16:10 The Study of Corrosion. Basic Knowledges  
Nicolas Mary (INSA–Lyon)

16:10 – 16:20 Break

16:20 – 17:50 Project Work 1 (Onsite participants only)

# Lecture Plans

## Wednesday, September 6, 2023

08:50 – 10:20 Fundamentals of Electromagnetic Nondestructive Testing

Gael Sebald (ELyTMaX, Tohoku University / CNRS)

10:20 – 10:30 Break

10:30 – 12:00 Application of Nondestructive Testing

Tetsuya Uchimoto (Tohoku University)

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch

13:00 – 14:30 Fundamental of ultrasonic waves

Guy Feuillard (INSA Centre Val de Loire)

14:30 – 14:40 Break

14:40 – 16:10 Generation and detection of ultrasonic waves: piezoelectric ultrasonic transducers

Guy Feuillard (INSA Centre Val de Loire)

16:10 – 16:20 Break

16:20 – 17:50 Project Work 2 (Onsite participants only)

# Lecture Plans

Thursday, September 7, 2023

08:50 – 10:20 Project Work 3 (Onsite participants only)

10:20 – 10:30 Break

10:30 – 12:00 Application of ultrasounds to medicine and material characterization

Guy Feuillard (INSA Centre Val de Loire)

12:00 – 13:00 Lunch

13:00 – 14:30 Material Degradation. Mitigation Strategies

Nicolas Mary (INSA–Lyon)

14:30 – 14:40 Break

14:40 – 16:10 All Lecturers

Wrap–up and presentations by onsite participants

16:10 – 16:15 Closing remarks

Tetsuya Uchimoto (Tohoku University), Nicolas Mary (INSA Lyon)

# Risk Based Maintenance

安全とは何か

What is safety ?



# 安全とは (Safety)

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**safety** (Concise Oxford Dictionary, 9<sup>th</sup> edition)

- 1 The condition of being safe; freedom from danger or risk.
- 2 Designating any of various devices for preventing injury from machinery. Designating items of protective clothing.

**Safety** (ISO/IEC Guide 51)

freedom from risk which is not tolerable

# 安全とは (Safety)

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## **Safety** (ISO/IEC Guide 51\*)

freedom from risk which is not tolerable

## **Reliability**

Degree to which a system, product or component performs specified functions under specified conditions for a specified period of time.

\* Guidelines for the inclusion of safety concept in **standards**.

# ハザード (Hazard) とリスク (Risk)

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Hazard : Potential source of harm (危害)

fire, heat, water(flood), pressure, animals, electricity, etc.

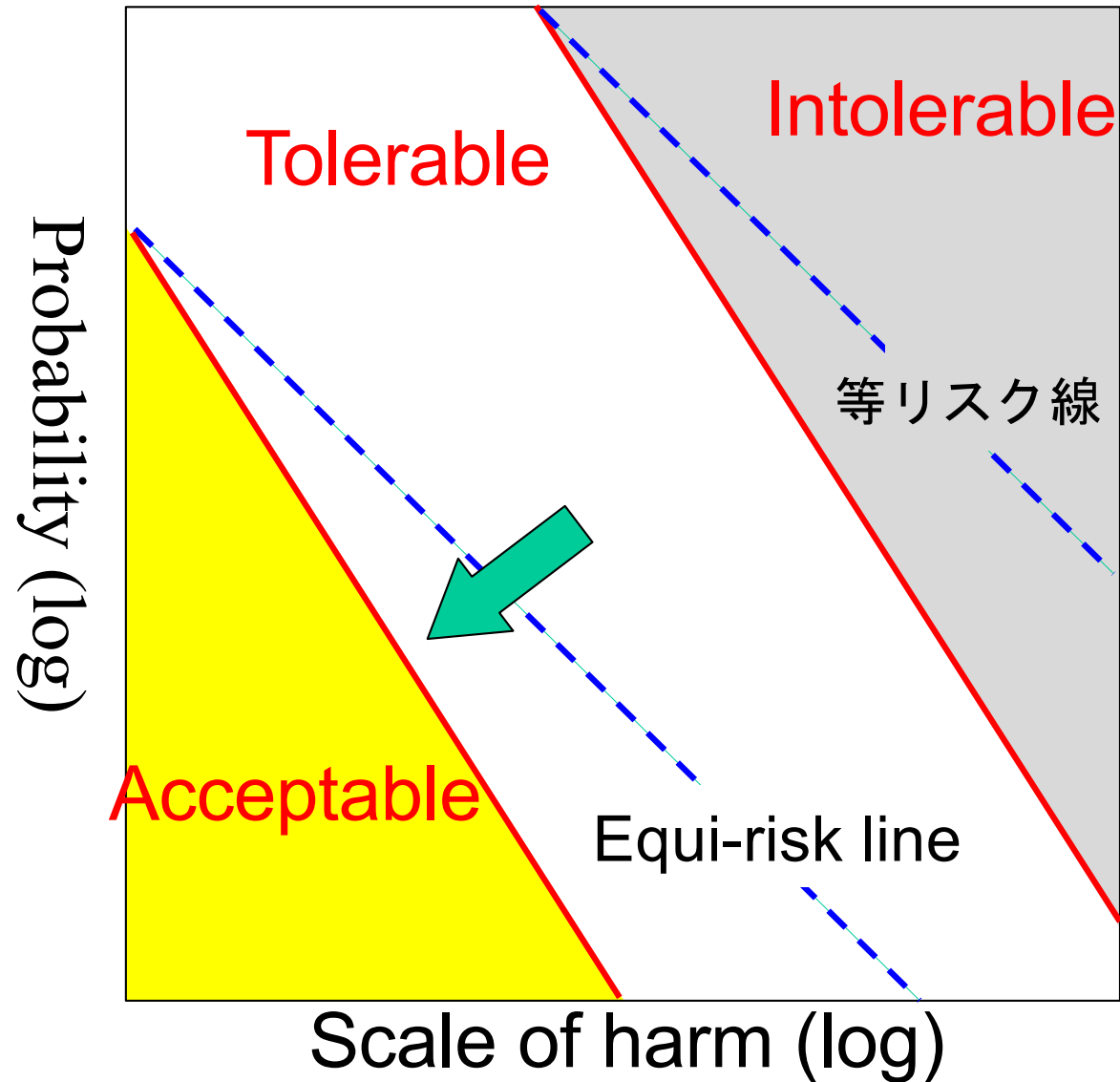
Risk is decided by the balance between hazard and protection.



# リスクとは (Risk)

Risk is the combination of the probability of an event and its consequence

(危害の発生確率及びその危害の程度の組合せ) (ISO/IEC Guide 51 )



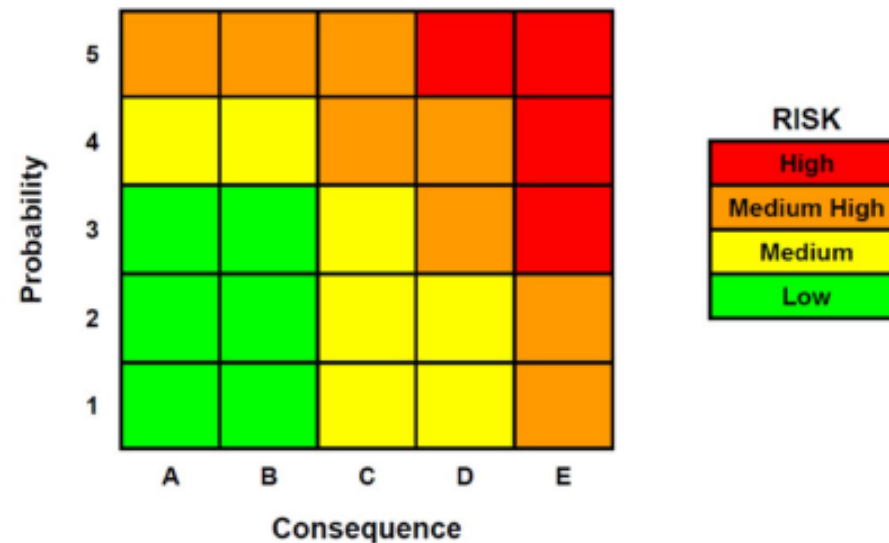
# Risk-based Maintenance

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## Risk Based Maintenance in CPI

- i. Definition of risk
- ii. Trend of RBM and remaining problems for applying RBM
- iii. Cases of Risk Based Inspection

Risk=Consequence of Failure x Likelihood of Failure



# Related Technical Standards

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- American Petroleum Institute (API)
  - API 580, Risk Based Inspection, Recommended Practice, First Edition(2002)
  - API 581, Risk-Based Inspection Methodology, Recommended Practice, Third Edition (2016)
  - API 571, Damage Mechanisms Affecting Fixed Equipment in the Refining Industry, Recommended Practice, First Edition (2003)

# Example of rank of Consequence of Failure

Level (point)	Safety/ Human Health	Fire or Explosion (direct cost )	Potential Chemical Impact	Environment Impact	Community
1 (27)	Some fatalities	More than 1000M¥	Some fatalities	More than 250M¥	National media coverage
2 (9)	One fatality	100~1000M¥	One fatality at off-site	100~250M¥	
3 (3)	Time off from work	10~100M¥	Emission at on-site	Less than 250M¥	Local media coverage
4 (1)	Emergency response	2.5~10M¥	Emission within the limit	Short range measurement	No coverage
5 (0.3)	Less than level 4	Less than 2.5M¥	Less than level 4	Less than level 4	

# Rank of Likelihood of Failure

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	Maximum	Large	Medium	Small
Probability (per Year)	$> 10^{-1}$	$10^{-1} \sim 10^{-2}$	$10^{-2} \sim 10^{-4}$	$< 10^{-4}$
MTBF or Remaining life	$< 2$ Years	2~10 Years	10~50 Years	$> 50$ Years
Qualitative	Very high possible	High possible	Medium possible	Low possible



# Quantitative Image of Risk

Likelihood of Failure (per Year)	Maximum (1~0.1)	10~100M¥/Year	>100M¥/Year			
	High (0.1~10 <sup>-2</sup> )					
	Medium (10 <sup>-2</sup> ~10 <sup>-3</sup> )	2.5~10M¥/Year				
	Low (<10 <sup>-3</sup> )	<2.5M¥/Year				
		Minimum, (<2.5M¥)	Low (2.5~10M¥)	Medium (10~100M¥)	High (100~1000M¥)	Maximum (>1000M¥)
		Consequence of Failure				

# Risk Countermeasures

(risk avoidance, reduction, transfer, and retention)

