

# Energy Security and Regional Cooperation in the Asia Pacific - Japanese Electric Power Companies' Perspective

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### Future Energy Situation in the Asia-Pacific Region

- Risk of Vulnerability in Self-Sufficiency in This Region
- Oil's Characteristics of Strategic Goods ←Depending on the Geographical Factor

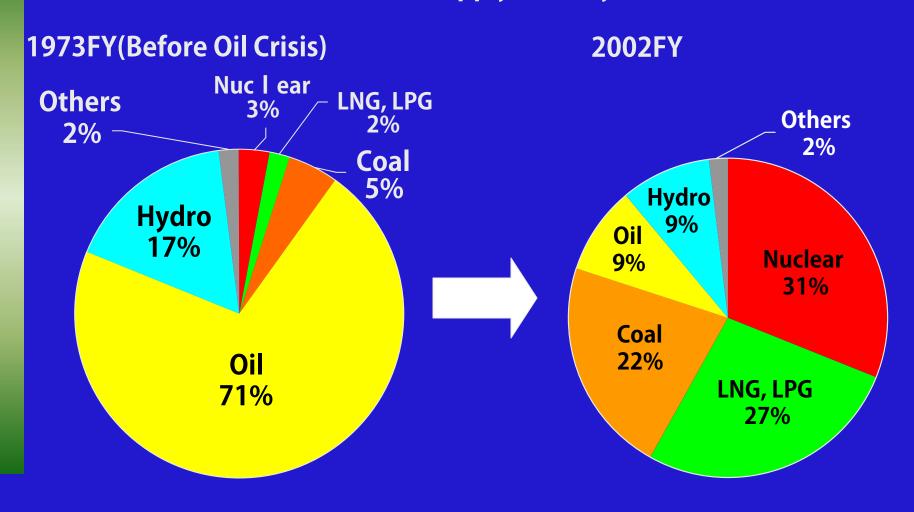


Growing Importance for Asian-Pacific Economies to Work to Achieve the Security of Supply, by Actively Developing New Energy Resources



#### Oil Crisis and Diversification of Energy

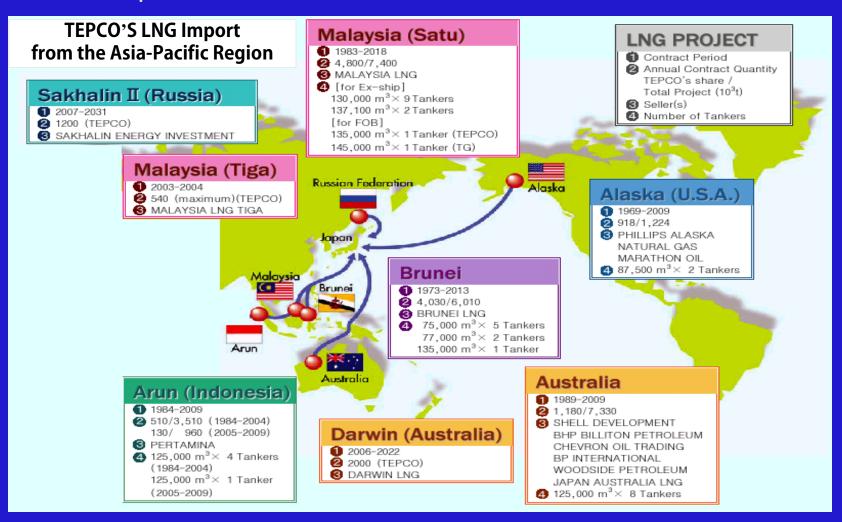
 Japanese Power Companies have structured a Best-Mix in order to reduce fuel risk and enhance supply security since the oil crisis.





#### **Best Mix and Fuel Procurement**

 Diversification of energy has made our sources of fuel become more ubiquitous over various areas in the Asia-Pacific.







#### Fuel Procurement and Resource Development

Cooperation Between Buyers and Suppliers in LNG Projects

**Buyers' Long-Term Commitment of Offtaking LNG** 

⇒Suppliers' Side : Mitigate Marketing Risk

**Improve Funding Conditions** 

⇒Buyers' Side: The Stable Fuel Procurement



Cooperation in Resource Development Is a Complementary, Win-win Relationship.



## The Development of Liberalization and Changes in Business Models

- Deregulation of Utility Sector in the Asia-Pacific
  - ⇒ Uncertainty in Long-Term Power and Gas Demand



- Uncertainty in Long-Term LNG Demand
- Reluctance on Long-term Commitment of Rigid Contract



Introduction of New Ideas for Resource Development ⇒Change of Risk Allocation Investment in Upstream and LNG Tankers by Buyer



## Partnership with Asia-Pacific Region as an Electric Power Company

- From Cooperative Relationships in the Resource Development to a Higher Stage of Cooperation in the Energy Industry
  - ⇒Risk-Sharing in Resource Development Projects
  - ⇒Providing Consultancy Services for Improving Management
    - : Reliability for Power Supply, Power System Efficiency, etc.
  - ⇒Participating in Large-scale Power Supply Projects