http://2050.nies.go.jp/interimreport/20070215_report_e.pdf

Japan: Clear Visions Make It Possible to Reduce of 70% CO₂ Emissions by 2050

 If we cannot go to LCS,...
LCS offers higher QOL with less energy demand and lower-carbon energy supply
LCS needs good design,

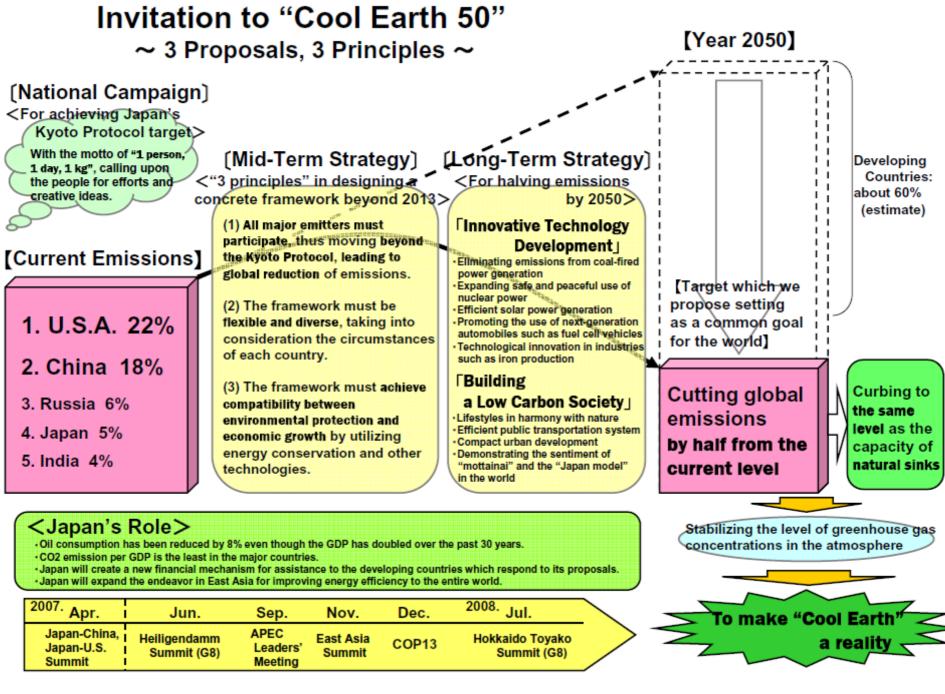
early action, and innovations



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http://www.kantei.go.jp/foreign/abespeech/2007/05/24speech_e.html



Research project on Japan Low-Carbon Society (LCS) scenarios development FY2004-2008 sponsored by Ministry of the Environment, Japan

As for LCS visions, we prepared two different <u>but likely future societies</u>

Vision A "Doraemon"	Vision B "Satsuki and Mei"		
Vivid, Technology-driven	Slow, Nature-oriented Decentralized/Community		
Urban/Individual			
Technology breakthrough, Centralized production /recycle	Self-sufficient, Produce locally, consume locally		
Individual Comfort and Convenience	Social and Cultural Values		
2%/yr GDP per capita growth	1%/yr GDP per capita growth		





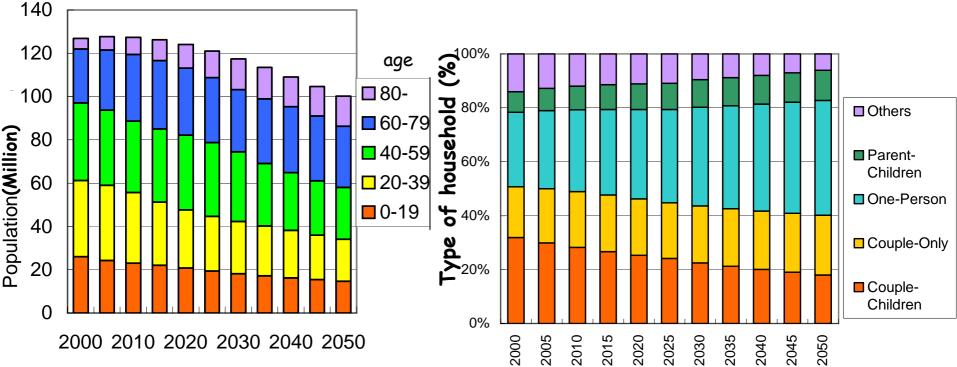


<u>Doraemon</u> is a Japanese comic series created by Fujiko F. Fujio. The series is about a robotic cat named Doraemon, who travels back in time from the 22nd century. He has a pocket, which connects to the fourth dimension and acts like a wormhole.

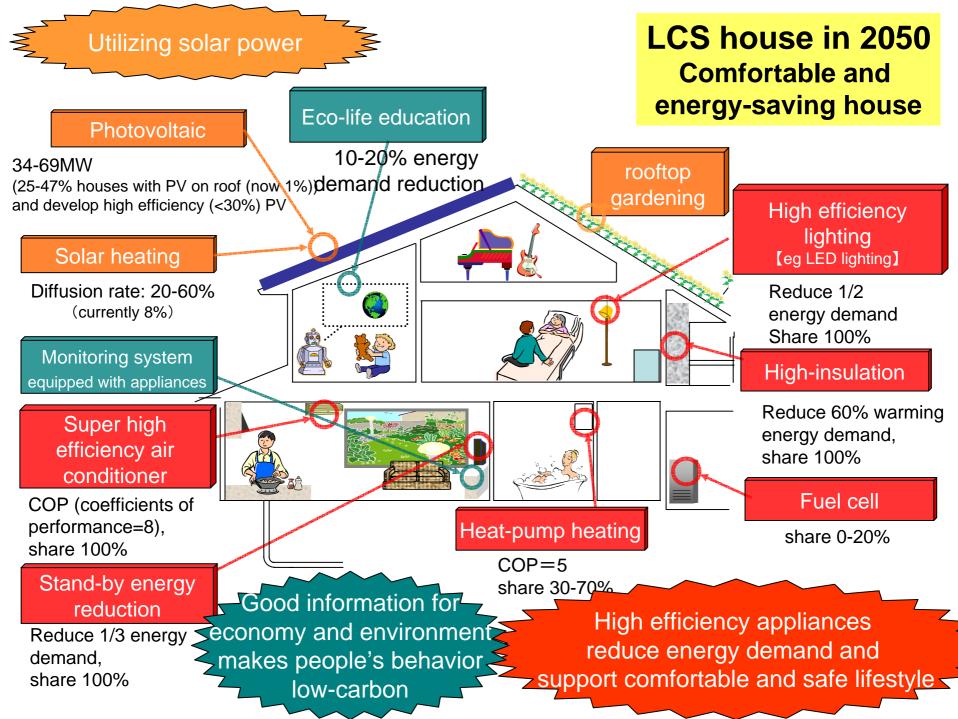


Satsuki and Mei's House reproduced in the 2005 World Expo. Satsuki and Mei are daughters in the film "My Neighbor Totoro". They lived an old house in rural Japan, near which many curious and magical creatures inhabited.

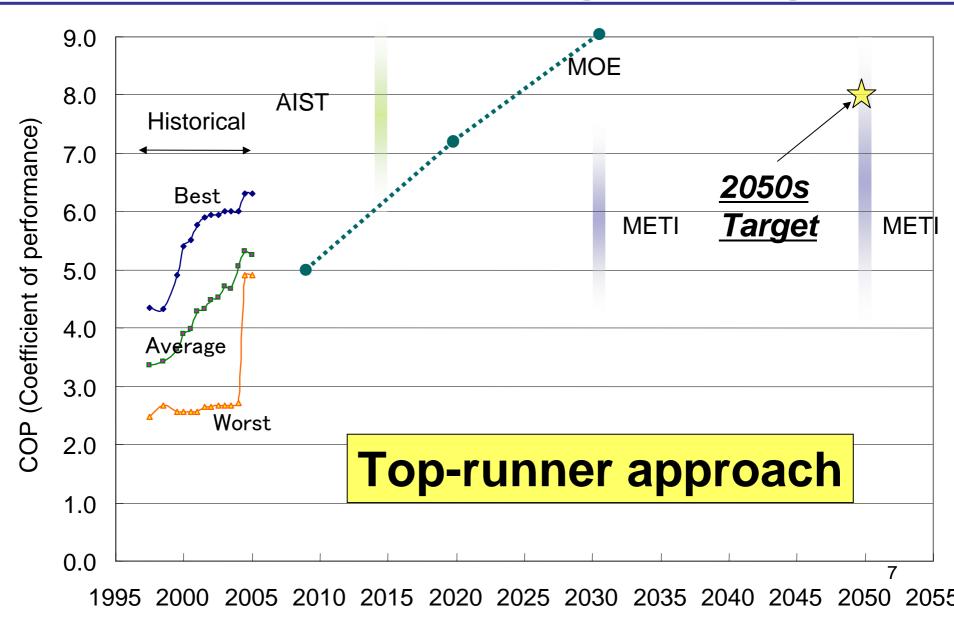
Projected Japan population and households in scenario A



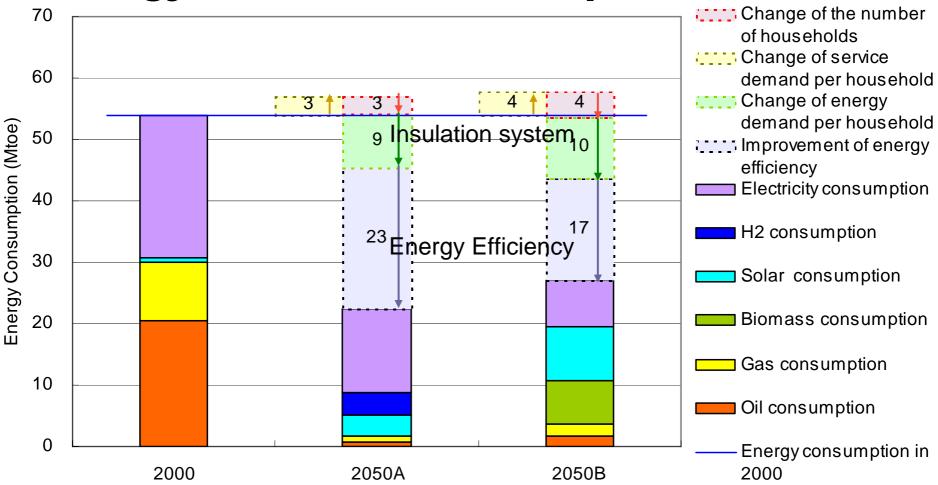
year	2000	2050	
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Population (million)	126.9	94.5	100.3
Aged population ratio (%)	17.4	38.0	35.8
Average number of household	2.71	2.19	2.38
Single-person households (%)	27.6	42.6	35.1



Projected energy efficiency improvement: Air-conditioners for cooling and heating

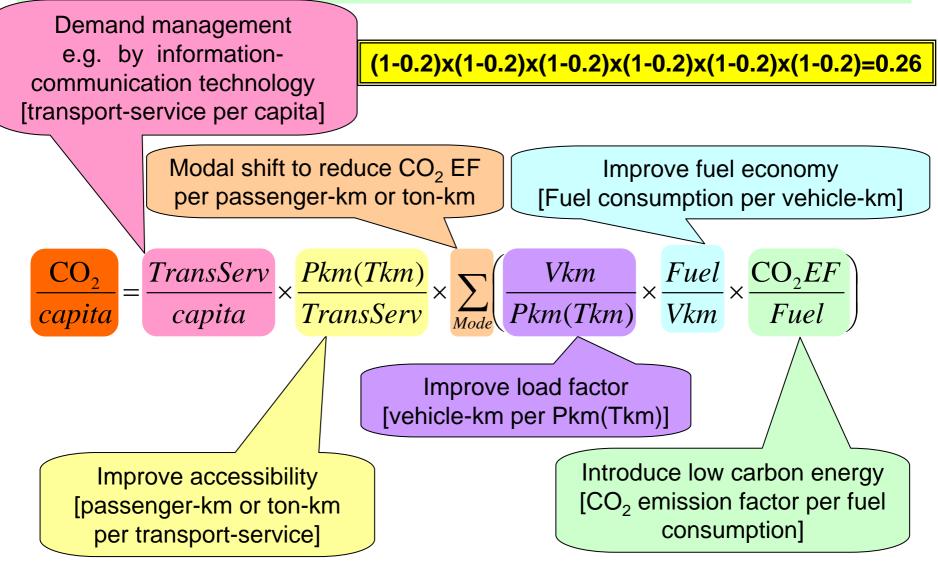


Residential sector Energy demand reduction potential: 50%



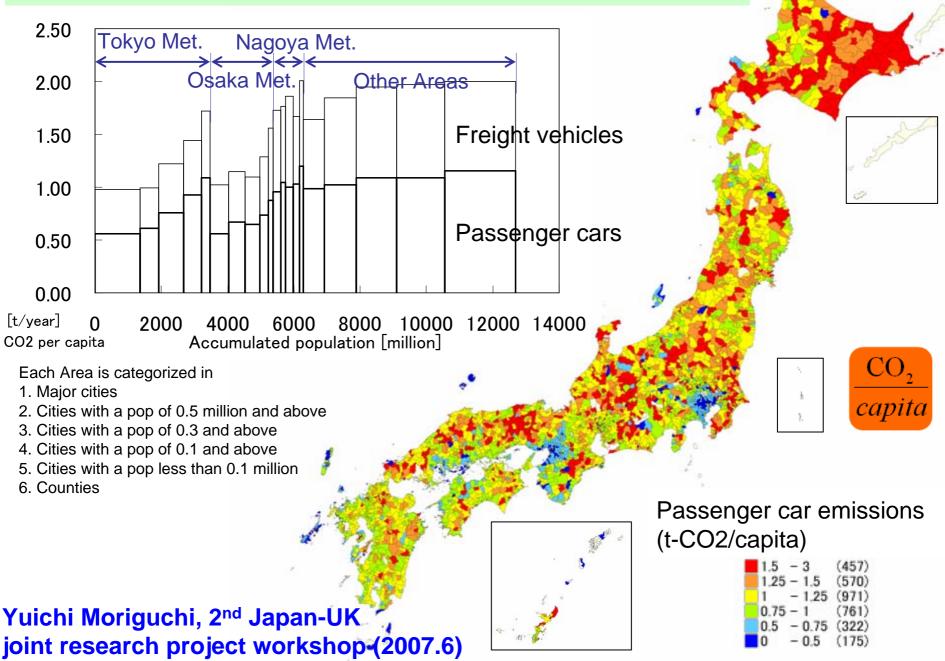
Change in the number of households: the number of households decrease both in scenario A and B Change in service demand per household: convenient lifestyle increases service demand per household Change in energy demand per household: high insulated dwellings, Home Energy Management System (HEMS) Improvement of energy efficiency: air conditioner, water heater, cooking stove, lighting and standby power http://www.ukerc.ac.uk/TheMeetingPlace/Activities/Activities2007/0706AchievingSustainableLCS.aspx

How to reduce CO2 emissions from passenger transportation sector



Yuichi Moriguchi, 2nd Japan-UK joint research project workshop (2007.6)

Estimated regional automotive CO₂ emissions



TOD (Transit Oriented Development) in local city





Toyama Light Rail(2006.4.26-)

- Lack of public transport for cities of less population than one millions.
- It has been difficult to manage LRT because "selfsupporting accounting system" was required.
- Upgrading from traditional tram has started.

Yuichi Moriguchi, 2nd Japan-UK joint research project workshop (2007.6)

New concepts for personal mobility





Yamaha EC-02

the Segway Human Transporter



 $\frac{Vkm}{Pkm(Tkm)} \frac{Fuel}{Vkm} \frac{CO_2EF}{Fuel}$

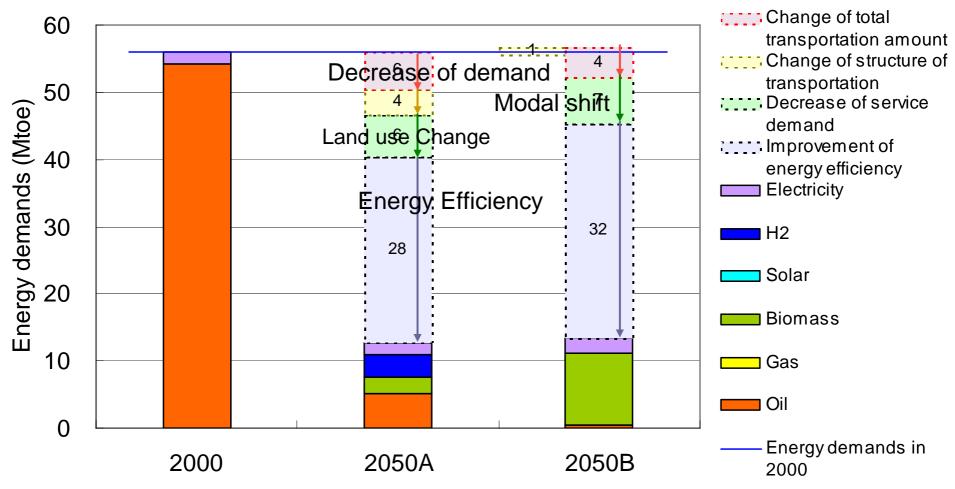


Toyota i-Swing

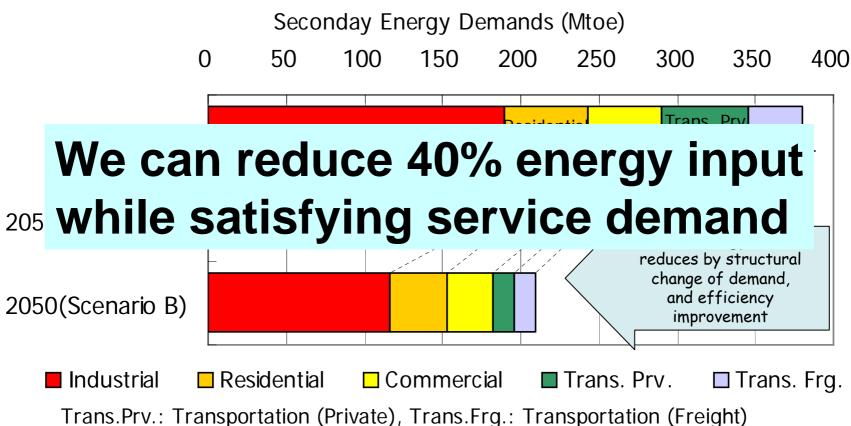
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Kawamura cycle KE Yuichi Moriguchi, 2nd Japan-UK joint research project workshop (2007.6)

Passenger transportation Energy demand reduction potential: 80%



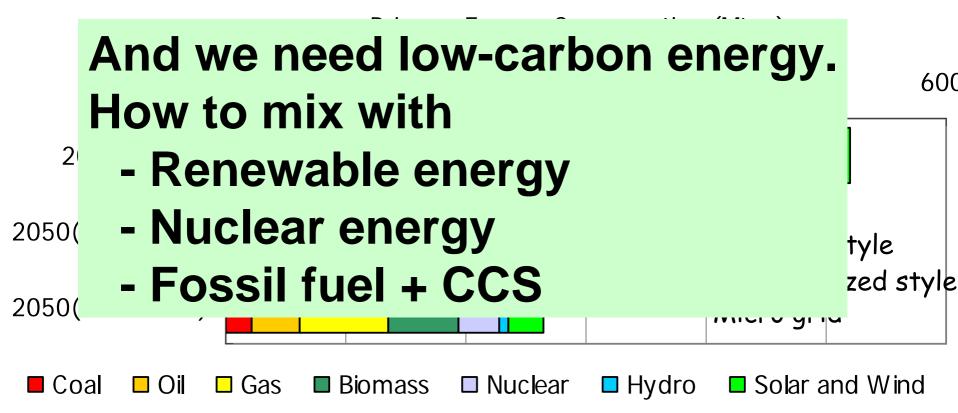
Energy demands for achieving 70% reduction of CO_2 emissions



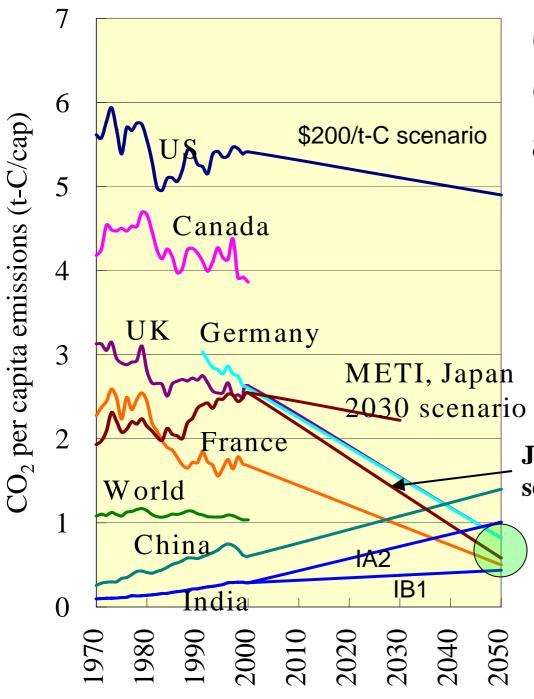
Possible energy demands reductions for each sector:

Industry: structural change and introduction of saving energy tech. 20~40% Passenger Transport :land use, saving energy, carbon-intensity change 80% Freight Transport :efficient transportation system, energy efficient 60~70% Residential: high-insulated and energy-saving houses 50% Commercial: high-insulated building and energy saving devices 40%

Energy supply for achieving 70% reduction of CO₂ emissions



1% of GDP is necessary to diffuse LCS technologies for Scenario A and B



Current per capita CO₂ emissions and Target

US: delay for tech development, global warming business

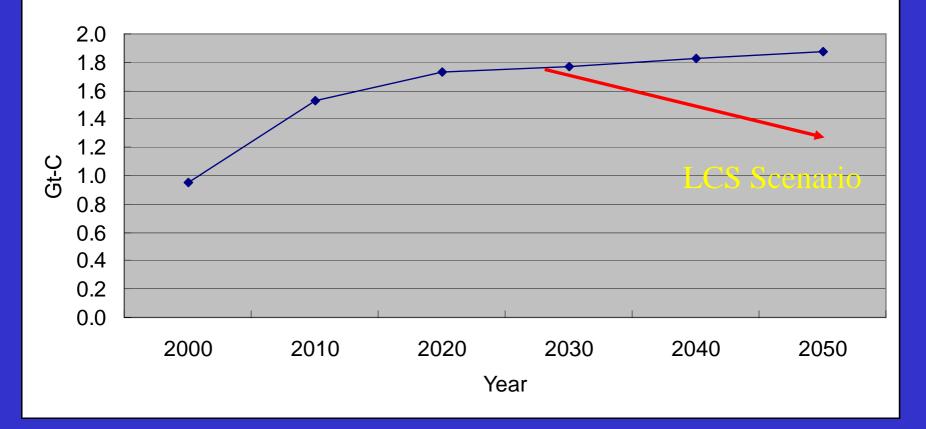
EU: Initiatives toward LCS Japan: Need long-term vision

Developing countries: early guidance toward LCS is key Japan 2050 scenario

Target for Low Carbon Society

Shuzo Nishioka, Junichi Fujino; NIES COP11 and COP/MOP1 side event Global Challenges Toward Low-Carbon Economy (LCE), Dec.3, 2005

CO2 Emission from Energy Activities in China



Jiang Kejun, Low-Carbon Options in China EMF 22, Tsukuba, Dec 12-14, 2006

VOICES FROM COMMUNITIES AFFECTED BY CLIMATE CHANGE Friends of the Earth International, November 22, 2007







slow path to forest conservation: Forests have an important role in reducing climate change impacts.⁷ For example, mangrove forests provide a crucial shield for vulnerable coastal development and agriculture, by buffering the effects of strong winds and heavy wave action. Forests' important role as carbon sinks was recognised by both the Forest Research Institute of Malaysia⁸ and the Stern Review, which advocate incentives to halt deforestation in developing countries as a way to reduce emissions. However, such measures are not provided for under the Kyoto Protocol.

"What scientists are saying about climate change and deforestation is nothing new to us. We just wish the government would take our plight into consideration, as the people who are directly affected by their inaction in enforcing the law; particularly since climate change is becoming an important agenda for them now."

Juk Eng Jau, community development programme manager, Uma Bawang/Sungai Keluan communities, Baram River region, Sarawak state.

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Oct 16-20, 2006 at NIES Oct 22-26, 2007 at NIES



Japan-UK Joint Research Project LCS through Sustainable Development for Global Participation

The First workshop was held in Tokyo, June14-16, 2006.

Participants from 19 countries; Asia: Japan, China, India, Thailand, Taiwan (China) Africa: South Africa, Nigeria Europe: UK, France, Germany, Denmark, Spain, Netherlands, Russia Latin America: Brazil, Mexico, Chile North America: US, Canada



G8 Gleneagles 2005



G20 March 13-15, Chiba G8 Env. May 25-27, Kobe **G8 Japan July 2008**

The Second workshop was held in London, June13-15, 2007.

The Third workshop will be held in Japan, Feb13-15, 2008.

Developing and Diffusing Innovations for our good life and LCS through SD



LCS is not only to avoid dangerous climate change, but to...

- Avoid energy resource battles by using resources in efficient ways
- Develop many innovations to support global sustainable development
- Build safe and sound society considering appropriate land-use and city planning

We need good systems to pledge people's activity for LCS

What do you want to do now for our future?

Christmas Concert of Yoko Fujino's Piano Class on Dec 23, 2005