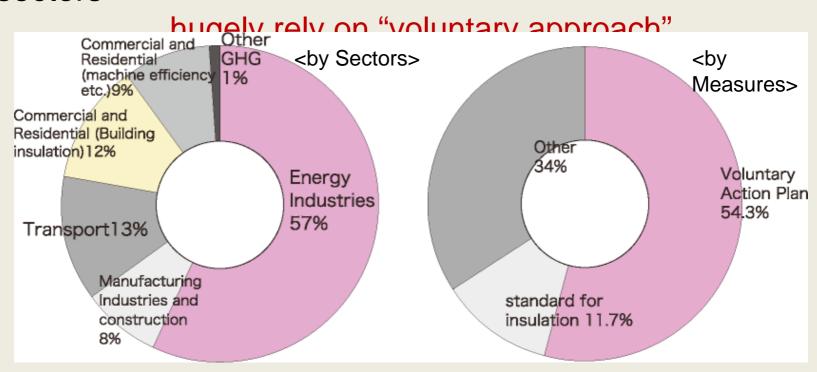
# Approaches to sensitive LCS sectors and NGO role

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## Japan's problem

Japan's policy doesn't approach to sensitive LCS sectors



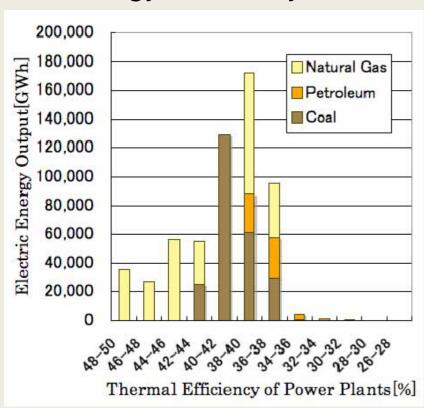


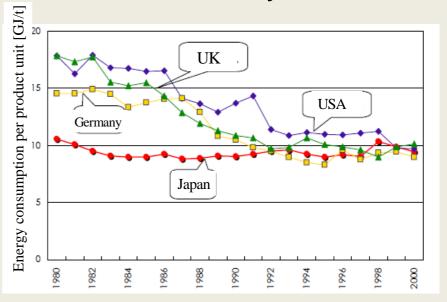
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### Large Reduction Potentials in energy/industry sectors

- Energy efficiency varies facilities to facilities
- Energy efficiency is not "NO1 in the world" anymore





International Comparison of Energy Consumption per unit in the Steel Industry

Source: Ministry of the Environment "Trends and Background of Greenhouse Gas Emissions in Japan"

Distribution of Energy Efficiency of Each Power Plant Source: Kiko Network

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# Barriers and opportunities

- "Industrial structure change(ISC)" is inevitable toward LCS
- ISC makes heavy industry (steel, cement) and energy conversion (power, oil) sectors difficult to continue current business
- encourage these sectors to make the best effort to improve energy efficiency, as well as diversification of business
- "Pricing carbon" is important signal to realize these shift
  - environmental tax and fiscal reform/carbon tax
  - auctions under ETS



### Role of NGO

- NGO role is significant
  - Function being "WATCHDOG"
    - Watch and analyze government's policy
    - Propose better alternatives
    - Pressure to override vested interests
  - Serious condition of Japanese NGOs
    - Lack of funding, support, and human resources
    - Empowering NGO is key to Japanese society

