# 筑波研究学園都市と筑波大学 Tsukuba Science City and University of Tsukuba

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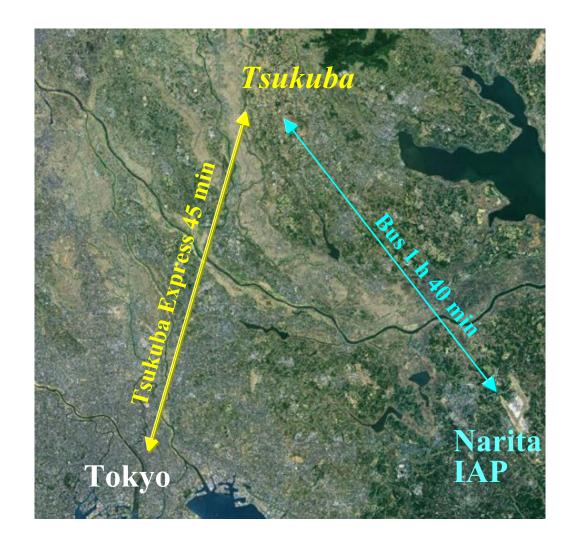
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# Tsukuba Science City

Research Institutes: 172
Public Inst. and Univ. 24
Private Company 148
(No Factory!)

**Venture Companies: 146** 

Researchers: 13,000
Public Inst. and Univ. 8,500
Private Company 4,500
(Permanent employee only)



# History

- 1963 Government Decided to Build Science City in Tsukuba
- 1969 Construction began
- 1979 Construction almost finished
- 1985 Tsukuba Science Exposition held

# Statistics of Tsukuba Science City

• Population ≒200.000

Number of Institutes
 172

- Number of Registered Foreigners ≒7,000
  - Best 5 nations: China, Korea, Brazil, Philippine, Thailand
- Number of Dr. =5,500

# 筑波大学 University of Tsukuba

- Founded in 1973
- Students 16,590 (as of May, 2008)
  - Incl. Postgraduate Students 6,379
- Faculty Members 1,651
- Administrative Staff 1,857
- Characteristics:
  - Overall university which covers a wide range of academic domains
  - Located in the center of Tsukuba
     Science City
  - Large number of students and researchers from other countries









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## **Technology Transfer**

- By licensing of patents and know-how to private companies,
- By assigning the Intellectual Properties to private ones,
- By creation of spin-off companies,
- Through conducting cooperative researches with companies or other institutes, and/or giving it away by publishing in papers and presentations at conferences.

## Statistics of University-Industry Cooperation in FY 2008

- University Spin-off: 5 New Spin-offs (76 Accumulated Total)
- University-Industry Cooperation Research: 295 (746 million yen)
- Inventions: Application for Patent 118, Licensed 14

# National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology



Hokkaido National Industrial Research Institute Agency of Industrial Science Tohoku National Industrial Research Institute National Institute for Advanced Interdisciplinary Research National Research Laboratory of Metrology and Technology, MIT Mechanical Engineering Laboratory National Institute of Materials and Chemical Research National Institute of Bioscience and Human-Technology Electrotechnical Laboratory Geological Survey of Japan National Institute for Resources and Environment National Industrial Research Institute of Nagoya Osaka National Research Institute Chugoku National Industrial Research Institute Shikoku National Industrial Research Institute Kyushu National Industrial Research Institute

Weights and Measures Training Institute

MITI

National Institute

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Advanced Industrial

Science and Technology

Missions of AIST: Contribution to a sustainable society.

industrial competitiveness.

local industrial development.

industrial technology policies.

Revenue	99 billion Yen			
Number of Staffs				
Researchers		2,348		
Tenured researchers 2,036				
Fixed-term resear	rchers 312			
Administrative s	taff	690		
Total number of employee		3,038		



Number of Visiting Researchers		
Postdoctoral researchers	500	
From private companies	1,100	
From universities	2,000	
From corporation etc	850	
From overseas	750	

# Research Field: Composition of Research Staff



# Life Science and Biotechnology: 18 %

For the Realization of a Safe and High-quality Life

## Information Technology and Electronics: 17 %

**R&D** Targeted Toward the Human Life Pervasive Network

# Nanotechnology, Materials and Manufacturing: 16 %

**Innovative and Cross-disciplinary Basic Technology** 

## Environment and Energy: 23 %

For the Realization of a Sustainable Recycling-oriented Society

# Geological Survey and Applied Geosciences: 10 %

Geoscientific Data Infrastructure, Disaster Prevention, Geo- and Marine Resources and Environment

# Metrology and Measurement Science: 16 %

Development and Dissemination of the National Measurement Standards 9



# National Institute for Materials Science

Revenue 22 billion Yen

#### Number of Staffs

Researcher	420		
Engineer	56		
Administration	92		
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Subtotal 568 Fixed-term employee 821

#### **Mission of NIMS**

Fundamental research and generic / infrastructural technology research and development

Dissemination of research results and promotion of their applications

Shared use of NIMS facilities and equipment

Training of researchers and engineers

#### **Centers:**

**Advanced Nano Characterization Computational Materials Science Quantum Dot Research Quantum Beam Nanotechnology Innovation Organic Nanomaterials Nano Ceramics Advanced Electric Materials Optronic Materials Magnetic Materials Biomaterials Fuel Cell Materials Superconducting Materials Photocatalytic Materials High Temperature Materials Structural Materials Advanced Photovoltaics Materials Reliability Hybrid Materials Sensor Materials** 



**Exploratory Nanotechnology R.L.** 

Exploratory Materials R.L. for Information Tech.
Biotechnology
Energy and Environment
Reliability and Safety

#### **Station**

High Electron Microscopy
High Magnetic Field
Beam Line
Materials Database
Materials Manufacturing and
Engineering

**Materials Analysis** 

# Inter-Institute Collaborations in Tsukuba Science City

- 研究所・組織間の協力協定
  - 産総研・物材機構・筑波大学の協力協定
  - 連携大学院(筑波大学)など
- 研究者間の共同プロジェクト
  - 多数
- 協力に基づく組織(with local governments)
  - 筑波学園都市協議会
  - つくば研究支援センター
  - つくば医療産業懇談会
  - つくばWAN
  - つくばサイエンスアカデミー



# Biomass-Asia Initiative Inter-Institute Collaboration in Tsukuba

- 1. Environmentally-friendly development of bio-energy and biomaterial industry
- 2. Reducing CO<sub>2</sub> emission by biomass utilization

3. Encouraging sustainable primary industry, and creating new biomass-based

industry

#### **ASIA**

- Abundant biomass resources (40% in the world)
- Current technology in Asian nations
- Cost advantage in collection & transport

**Asian Nations ASEAN Research Institutes** 

**Biomass-Asian Workshop** 

Thailand: NSTDA, TISTR

Vietnam: VAST

Malaysia: SIRIM etc.

## **AIST**

Biomass-Asia Project Team

**JAPAN** 

Partnership with Asian nations is the key in environment and energy technology

Biomass-Asia Initiative Collaboration in Tsukuba

**Universities** 

**Industries** 

Agriculture & Forestry Research Institutes (JIRCAS, NARO, FFPRI)

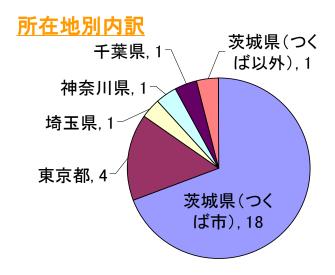
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# Collaborative Activity in University of Tsukuba

- 連携大学院:
  - CooperativeGraduate School

多種の機関と連携した大学院 教育

現在、26の機関と連携



国	気象研究所
国	国立感染症研究所
国	国立国際医療センター研究所
特	日本原子力研究所東海、那珂事業所
(独)	建築研究所
(独)	国立環境研究所
(独)	産業技術総合研究所
(独)	食品総合研究所
(独)	森林総合研究所
(独)	土木研究所
(独)	農業・生物系特定産業技術研究機構
(独)	農業環境技術研究所
(独)	農業工学研究所
(独)	農業生物資源研究所
(独)	物質・材料研究機構
(独)	防災科学技術研究所
(独)	メディア教育開発センター
(独)	理化学研究所
(財)	東京都医学研究機構
民	アステラス製薬(株)御幸が丘、東光台センター
民	エーザイ(株)筑波研究所
民	(株)電通 電通総研
民	東陶機器(株)総合研究所
民	凸版印刷(株)
民	日本電気(株)筑波研究所
民	日本電信電話(株)アクセスサービスシステム研究所

#### Tsukuba Center Inc. was

established by investment of the Ibaraki Prefectural Government, the Development Bank of Japan, and seventy six private companies in Tsukuba Science City in 1988.

*TCI* is promoting the establishment of new business based on the cooperation of R&D organizations in Tsukuba Science City.

TCI is providing services that benefit regional development by supporting exchanges and cooperation of researchers from R&D organizations.

*TCI* is acting as a base for supporting the establishment of venture businesses and is promoting the cooperation between R&D organizations.

*TCI* also provides information on R&D in Tsukuba. See,

http://www.tsukuba-tci.co.jp/index.html

# Current Issues on Tsukuba Science City in Japan

### 1. Increasing of inter-institute collaborations

but, still not enough number

### 2. No Factories in private company area:

- Many research institutes but no factories,
  - Because of the environmental regulation in Tsukuba area.

## 3. Promotion of Venture Companies,

- but, Shortage of venture funds, Engels for marketing, management and funding
- Tsukuba Venture Fund (0.5 billion yen) alone.