



Innovation by Chemistry

Business Strategies through The Establishment of the A & A Center in Nagoya Plant

Chiaki Tanaka

**Executive Vice President and
Representative Director
Toray Industries, Inc.**

- **Midterm Business Strategies “IT-2010”
and the Creation of Advanced Materials**
- The Era of Protecting the Global
Environment and Toray’s EcoChallenge
- The Automobile Industry Entering a Great
Revolutionary Era
- Concept for A & A Center and Restructuring
of Nagoya Plant
- Expansion Plan for Automotive Business

Midterm Business Strategies, IT-2010

April 2002

April 2006

Long-term vision

AP-New TORAY 21

AP-Innovation TORAY 21

Mid-term Business Strategies

NT21

「Corporate Structure Reinforcement・defensive management postures」

-Breakaway from Crisis -

NT- II

「Offensive management postures」

-Establish foundation for further growth -

IT-2010

「Management based on Innovation and Creation」

-Challenges for further growth -

Toward a Global Top Company of Advanced Materials

Goals in and around 2010

Net sales
¥1,800 billion

Operating income
¥150 billion

Operating income to net sales ratio
8.3%

ROA : 8%

ROE : 11%

2002
April

2004
April

2006
October

Around
2010

Basic Strategies (Transformation to a highly profitable business group)

1. Transforming to a highly profitable business group

Transform to a highly profitable business group while continuing business expansion

- ① 5% annual growth in net sales
 - ② 10% annual growth in operating income
- Improving capital efficiency
- ① ROA : over 8% ROE : over 11% around 2010



“5-10 Growth Plan”

2. Expanding Strategically Expanding Businesses (profit growth driver)

Increase profit by expanding Strategically Expanding Businesses (IT-related products and Carbon Fiber Composite Materials) while securing stable profit by Foundation Businesses

3. Expanding Strategically Developing Businesses (next profit growth driver)

Develop strategically next generation profit growth driver businesses after 2010 (Life Science, Water Treatment, Environmental friendly businesses)

4. Advancing business structure reform

Advance business structure reform by expanding Strategically Expanding Businesses and Strategically Developing Businesses

- ① Double net sales in Strategically Expanding Businesses and Strategically Developing Businesses around 2010
- ② Expand their ratio of net sales from the current 25% to 40% around 2010

5. Expanding advanced materials

Expand advanced materials sales in every segment and increase their ratio of net sales

- ① Double net sales in advanced materials around 2010
- ② Expand their ratio of net sales from the current 30% to 50% around 2010

Basic Strategies (Expansion of advanced materials in 4 major growing business fields)

Aim for business expansion mainly in advanced materials by providing cross-organizational solutions to the 4 major growing business fields.

Information / Telecommunications / Electronics

- Business expansion in the growing market of digital network-related products including flat panel display televisions, cellular phones, and personal computers
- Development and sales expansion of innovative products through vertical business integration with key customers
- Strengthen competitiveness through integrated operations from plastic/films materials to components

Automobiles / Aircraft

- Development of products to meet expanding markets in hybrid cars and car electronics
- Expansion of application parts by widening advanced functional availability of carbon fiber composite materials and engineering plastics
- Aggressive capacity expansion to meet the growing demand for carbon fiber composite materials

Life Science

- Conclusive launch of new drugs which is under development and further expansion of new drug pipelines
- Development and commercialization of high value-added medical devices
- Creation of innovative bio-tools through bio/nano-technological integration

Environment / Water-related / Energy

- Development of new applications for fibers & textiles, plastics and films using such non-petrochemical raw materials as polylactic acids
- Global expansion of water treatment businesses with a core of high-performance separation membranes
- Development of new materials for next generation energy systems including solar cells, fuel cells, and wind power generation

Toward a Global Top Company of Advanced Materials

TORAY

Innovation by Chemistry

*products in blue :examples of nano-tech products

“Create advanced materials that change the future”
That is **Toray's Nano-technology**

Toray Core Technologies

Organic synthetic chemistry
Polymer chemistry
Biotechnology

Nano-technology

New Properties
Emerge
New Value
“Nano-effect”
Dramatic improvement
in properties

Nano-material

Nano-structure
design control

Nano-surface-treatment

Nano-process
(nano-processing)

Nano-analysis

CNT

Nano-particles (nano-dispersion)

Nano-alloy*

Nano-composite

Chemical modification

Nano-coating

Nano-imprint

Nano-laminates

Nano-shape observation

Nano-structure analysis/
composition analysis

Innovation of key materials

Fibers & Textiles

Nano-fiber

Resins

High-toughness
nano-alloy*

Films

Nano-laminated film

Chemicals

(Zeolite)

Expansion of four growing business fields

Information /
Telecommunications / Electrics

Film for data storage, LCF, PDP

Automobiles / Aircraft

Carbon fiber, impact-absorbing nano-alloy*

Life Science

Artificial kidney, DNA chip

Environment / Water-related /
Energy

PLA products, water-treatment membrane,
fuel cell

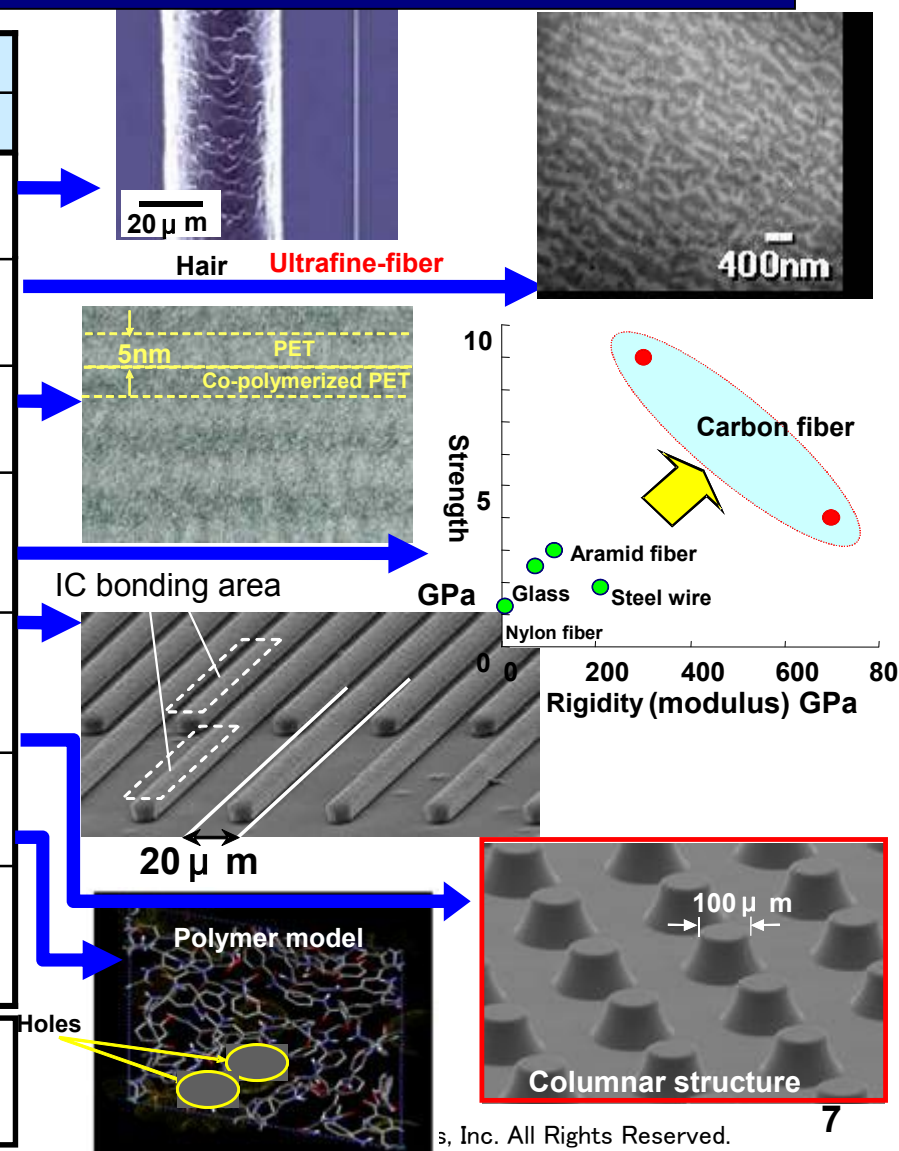
* nano-alloy* is one of Toray's trademark

Copyright 2008 Toray Industries, Inc. All Rights Reserved.

Business Culture of Toray Technology Development

A business culture that pursues the ultimate, challenge in “Innovation of technologies,” and create innovative technologies

Area	Ultimate Themes	
	Objectives	Contents
Fibers & Textiles	Nano-fiber	Fineness of fiber diameter
Resins	Polymer-alloy	Polymer dispersion size
Films	Multi-layer film	Thinness of film layers
Carbon Fiber Composite Materials	Carbon fiber	Strength and rigidity
Electronic & Information Materials	High-density mounting board	Processing accuracy of wiring pitch
Health care	DNA chip	Structure design control of nano-columnar
Water Treatment	High boron-rejection membrane	Pore size control of RO membranes
Engineering Development Center	Realization of innovative technologies through creation of new processing and establishment of process for mass-production	



- Midterm Business Strategies “IT-2010” and the Creation of Advanced Materials
- **The Era of Protecting the Global Environment and Toray’s EcoChallenge**
- The Automobile Industry Entering a Great Revolutionary Era
- Concept for A & A Center and Restructuring of Nagoya Plant
- Expansion Plan for Automotive Business

Various Global Environmental Issues

Urgent response to various global environment issues is required

Global warming / Extreme weather



Acid rain



Air pollution



Desertification



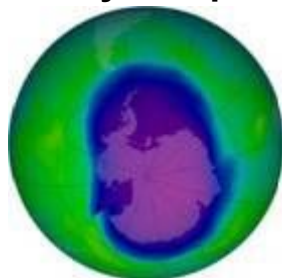
Sea pollution



Oil exhaustion



Ozone layer depletion



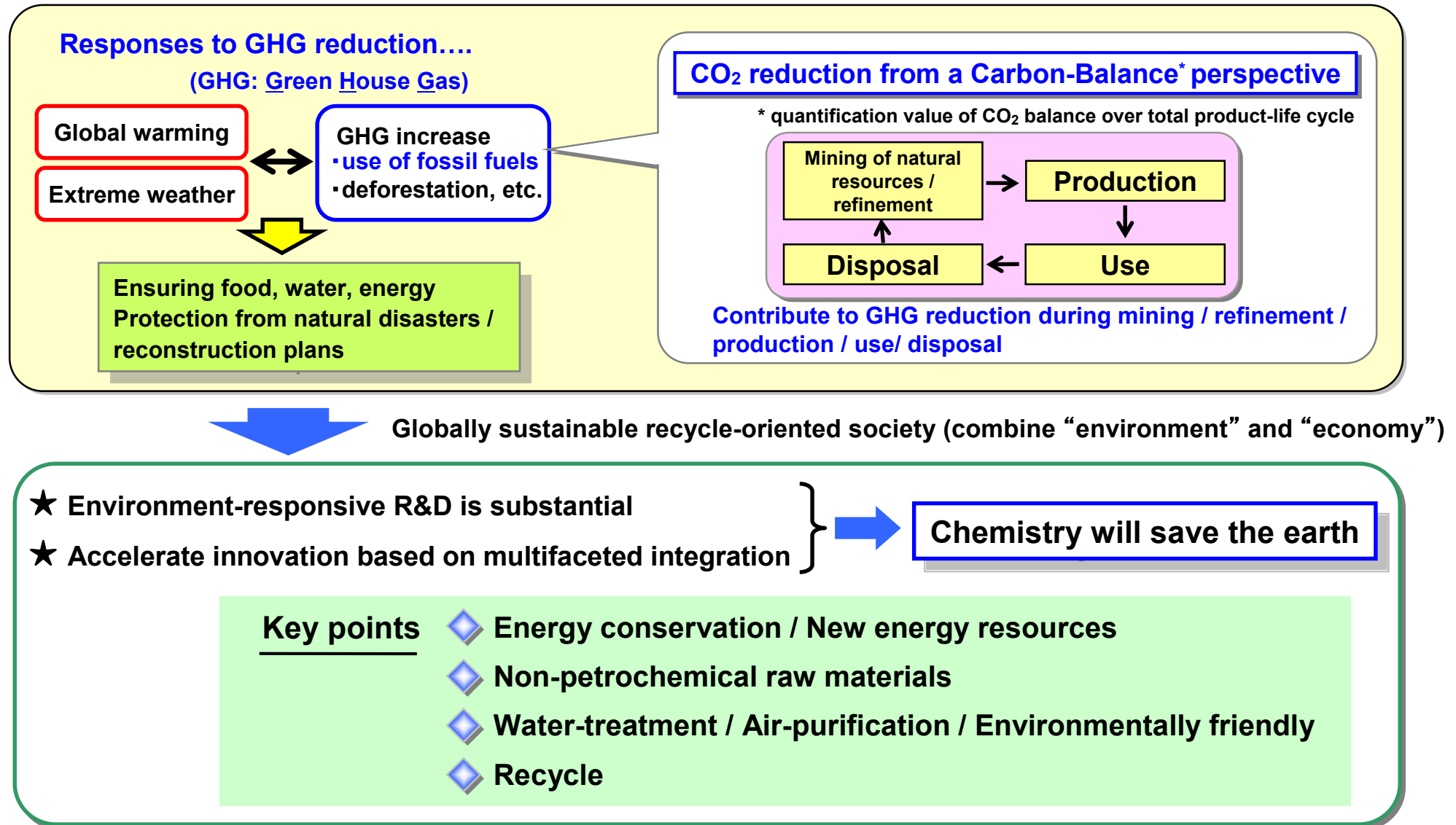
Biodiversity loss



Forest loss



Global Environmental Issue Initiatives by the Industrial World



Toray Project EcoChallenge



Dow Jones
Sustainability Index
Member 2008/09



TORAY



モーニングスター社会的責任投資格付け
Morningstar Socially Responsible Investment Index

Innovation by Chemistry

Generic name of Toray Group activities (projects) for the initiatives to progressively save resources and protect the global environment, with comprehensive perspectives concerning ecology, toward the development of a sustainable recycle-oriented society.

	Fibers & Textiles	Films	Resins Chemicals	Carbon Fiber Composite Materials	IT-related Products	Water Treatment / Environment
Energy conservation	Highly-efficient manufacturing process, energy-saving forming technology/energy-saving process of membranes, modernizing of in-house power generation					
	Energy-saving building materials (insulation/heat shield/heat exchange material)	Weight-saving of automobiles/aircraft Resins for automobiles Advanced composite materials for automobiles/aircraft		Advanced EL materials	Membrane treatment method Water treatment	
New energy resources	Battery materials		Wind-power generation			
	Materials for lithium-ion battery / fuel cell					
	Materials for solar cell					
Non-petrochemical raw materials (bio-chemicals)	Nonfood biomass-origin polymer products				Membrane Bioreactor	
	Cellulose fiber (solvent-free)	Chemical process with membranes				
Water treatment/ Air-purification/ Environmentally friendly	Heat resistant bag filter			CNG/H ₂ tank	Waterless printing plate	Water treatment/ Modules/ Systems
	Eco-process of man-made suede	Film for coating alternatives		BM resin		
Recycle	Halogen-free flame retardant materials					Air filter
	PET, N6, PBT, ABS, PPS		DMSO	CFRP		

Three-Year Environmental Plan

served.



<Cooperation> Tokyo University, Pro. Takahashi / Rinoie
Kobe Yamate University, Pro. Feuerherd
ANA, Boeing

<Precondition>

Aircraft : Midsize passenger aircraft (Boeing 767)

Domestic line specification

Flight : Domestic line (Haneda ⇄ Chitose ; 500 miles)

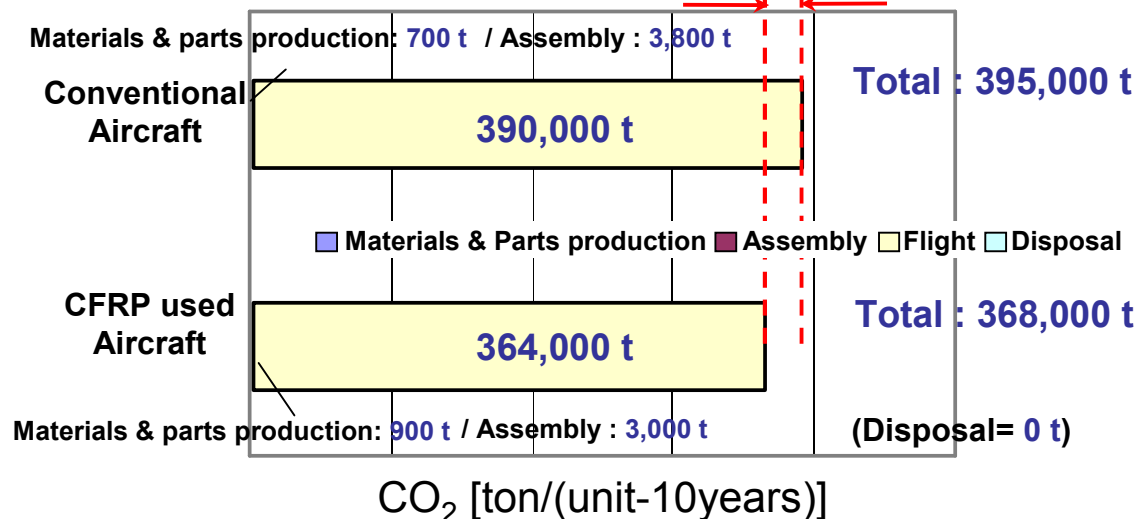
Lifetime operational track : 2,000 flights/yr, 10years

(Source : ANA)

CFRP in use : **CFRP50% applied** (composition of Boeing 787)
20% lighter in weight (over conventional aircraft)

Per one aircraft

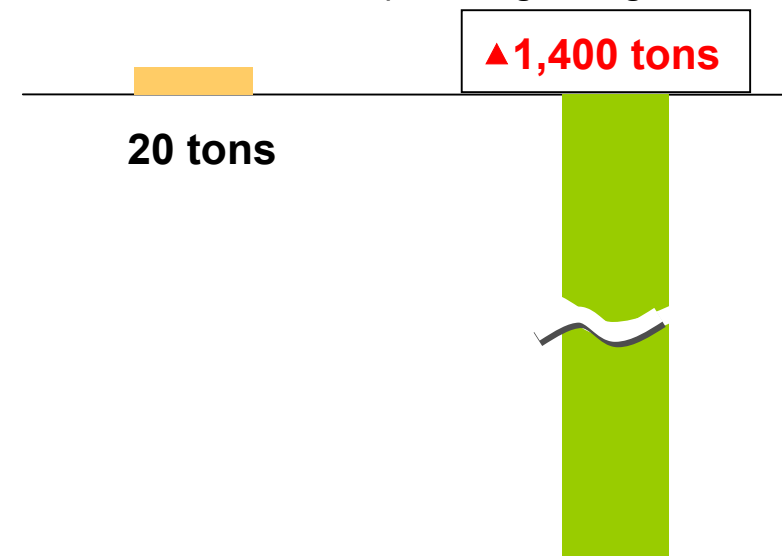
Reduction effect : ▲27,000 tons (7%)



▲2,700 tons CO₂ reduction (unit-year)

Per ton of carbon fiber

(including during manufacture)



▲140 tons CO₂ reduction/(CF1ton-year)

[Energy conservation] CO₂ Reduction with Carbon Fibers : Automobiles



<Cooperation> Tokyo University, Pro. Takahashi
Kobe Yamate University, Pro. Feuerherd
Toyota Motor Corp.

<Precondition>

Vehicle weight : 1,380kg^{*1} (gasoline-car, 4 doors, FF)

Actual mileage : 9.8km/l ^{*1}

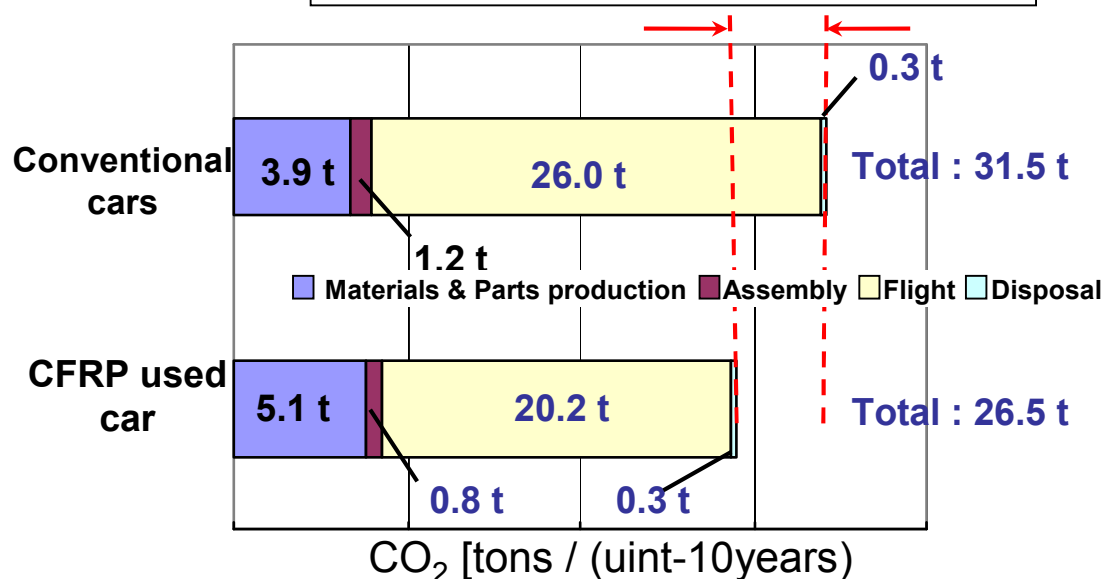
Lifetime mileage : 94,000km^{*2} (average age 10 years)

(Source : ^{*1} JAMA, ^{*2} MLIT)

CFRP in use : **CFRP17% applied, 30% light in weight**
(over conventional automobile)

Per one vehicle

Reduction effect : 5 tons (16%)



▲0.5 tons CO₂ reduction /(unit-year)

Per ton of carbon fiber

Volume of
CO₂ emitted during
carbon fiber
manufacture

Total
CO₂ emission
reduction over life
of vehicle

(including during manufacture)

▲50 tons

20 tons

▲ 5 tons CO₂ reduction/(CF 1 ton-year)

[Energy conservation] Effects in the Automotive Field with the **'TORAY'** Innovation by Chemistry

CO₂ reduction by vehicle weight

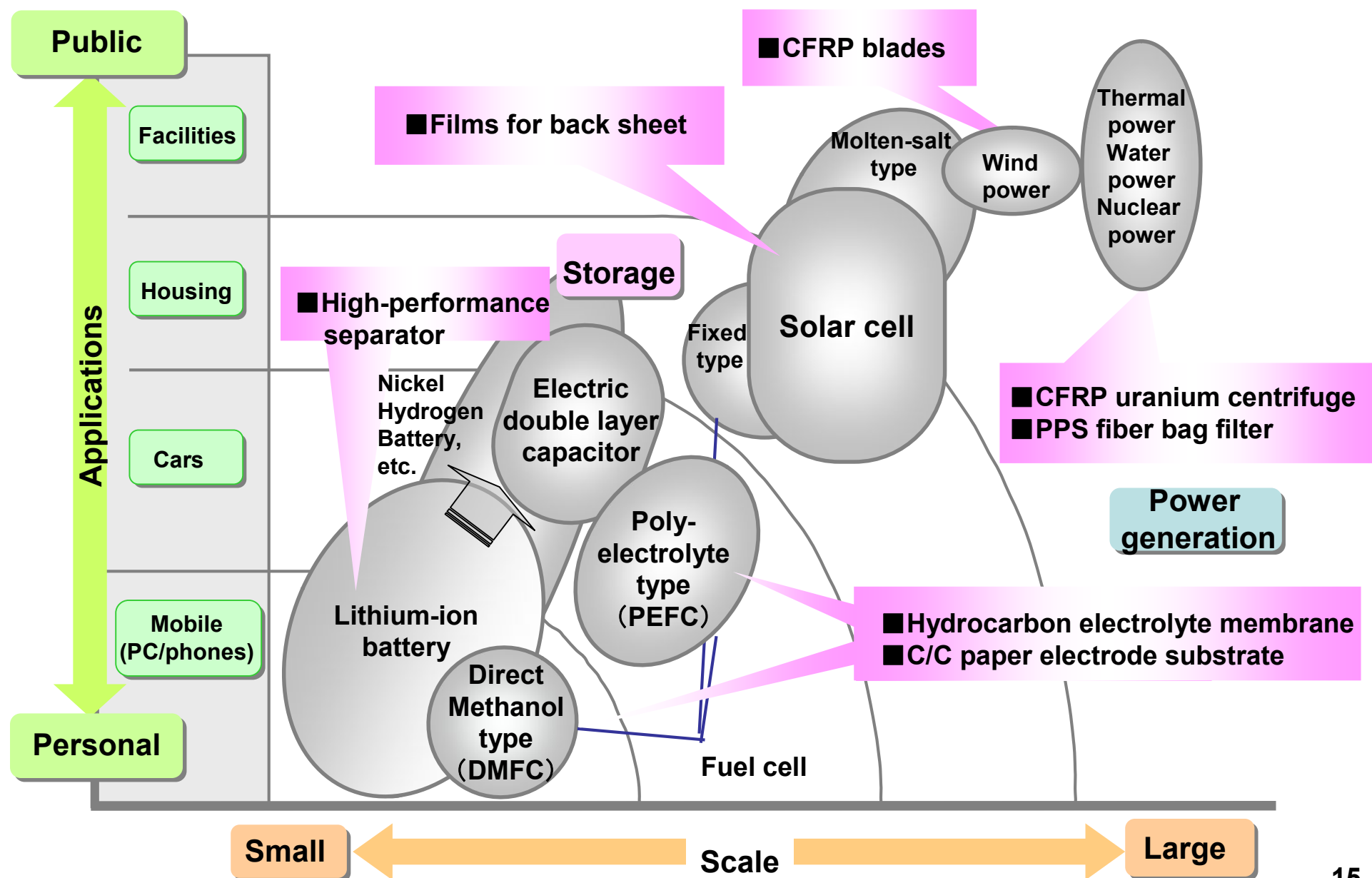
Weight (Kg)	Automobile Rank	Number of Cars (Japan)	CO ₂ reduction volume (ton/(unit-yr))
1750~	Luxury sedan, Minivan	approx. 4 million units	0.86
1500~1750	Middle class sedan	approx. 8 million units	0.69
1000~1500	Popular car	approx. 24 million units	0.42
~1000	Compact car	approx. 6 million units	0.35

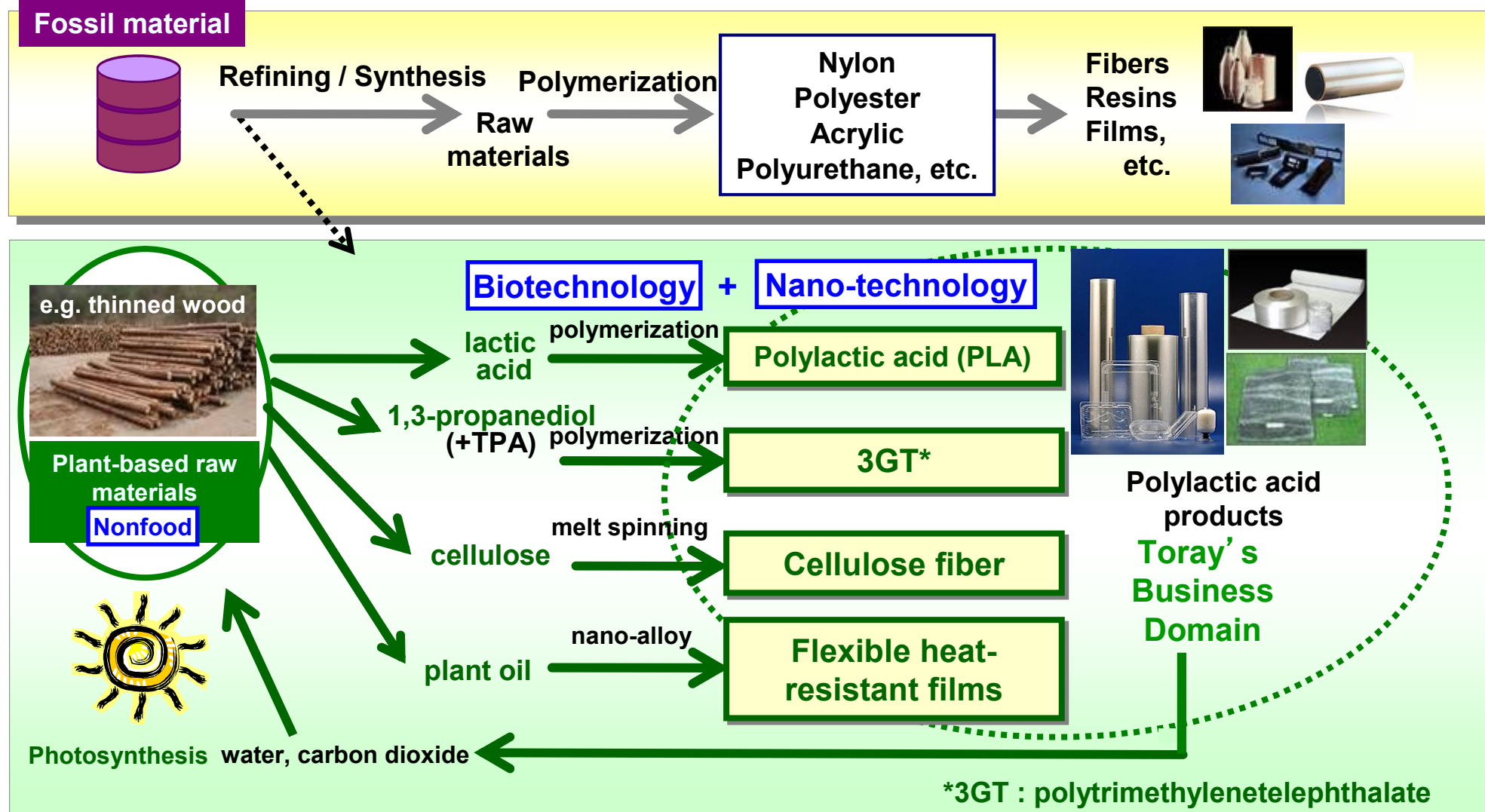


CFRP in use by 17% to cars weighing over 1,500 kg with large CO₂ reduction effect
(30% light in weight)



9 million tons of CO₂ per year can be reduced
(equivalent to about 3.5% of total CO₂ emissions derived from Japanese transportation sector)



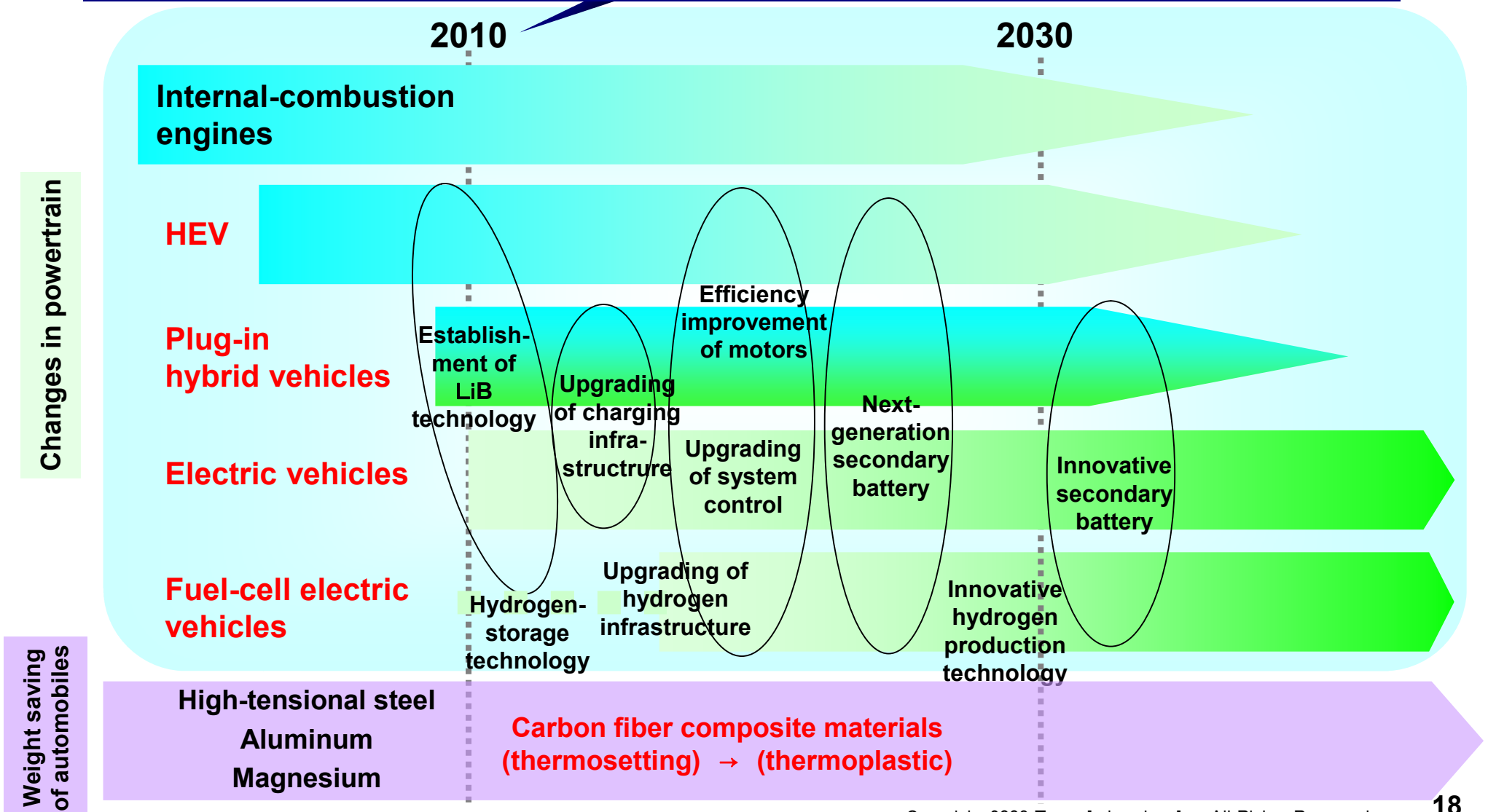


Toray promotes developments and commercialization of nonfood biomass-origin materials through the integration of biotechnology and nano-technology.

- Midterm Business Strategies “IT-2010” and the Creation of Advanced Materials
- The Era of Protecting the Global Environment and Toray’s EcoChallenge
- **The Automobile Industry Entering a Great Revolutionary Era**
- Concept for A & A Center and Restructuring of Nagoya Plant
- Expansion Plan for Automotive Business

The Automobile Industry in a Great Revolutionary Era

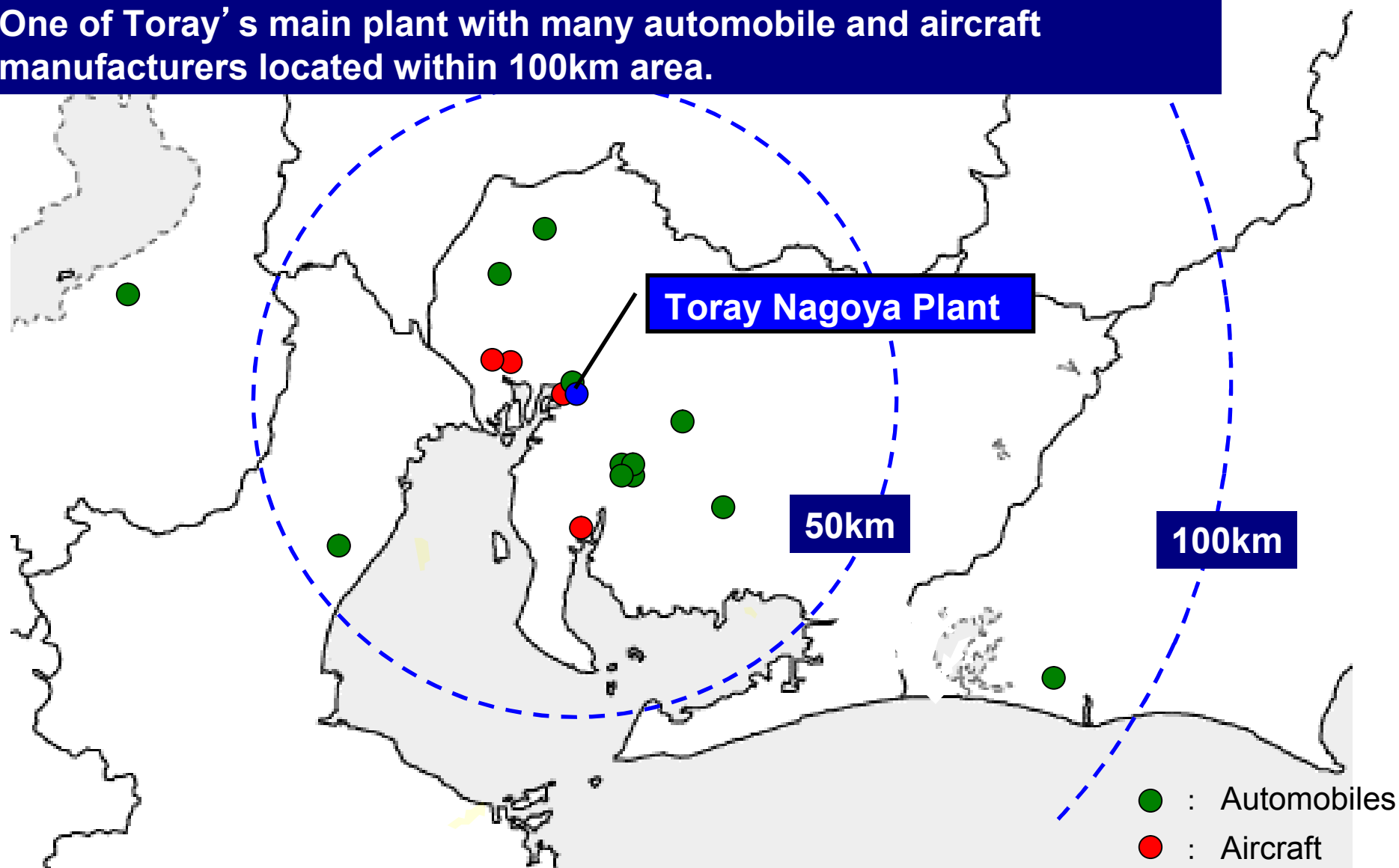
2010 and onward : gasoline internal-combustion engines will shift to electrical systems which will urge "weight-saving" issues



- Midterm Business Strategies “IT-2010”
and the Creation of Advanced Materials
- The Era of Protecting the Global
Environment and Toray’s EcoChallenge
- The Automobile Industry Entering a Great
Revolutionary Era
- **Concept for A & A Center and Restructuring
of Nagoya Plant**
- Expansion Plan for Automotive Business

Geographical Advantage of Nagoya Plant

One of Toray's main plant with many automobile and aircraft manufacturers located within 100km area.



Concept for Nagoya Plant A&A Center

Concentrate Toray's comprehensive ability in the Nagoya area and establish a new development base for technological development through close ties with the automobile and aircraft industries.

A&A Center (Development center for Automobiles & Aircraft)

**Plastics Application
Technology Development
Center**
[Opened in 1989]

[Automobile and E&E Application]

- Development of engineering plastics
- Development of molding technologies for engineering plastics

Automotive Center
[Opened in 2008]

[Automobile Application]

- Offering solutions, project management (collaboration with outside companies and inside department, integration of advanced materials technologies of Toray Group)
- Development of automobile-related elemental technologies (evaluation and analysis)

Advanced Composite Center
[Scheduled to open in 2009]

[Automobile and Aircraft Application]

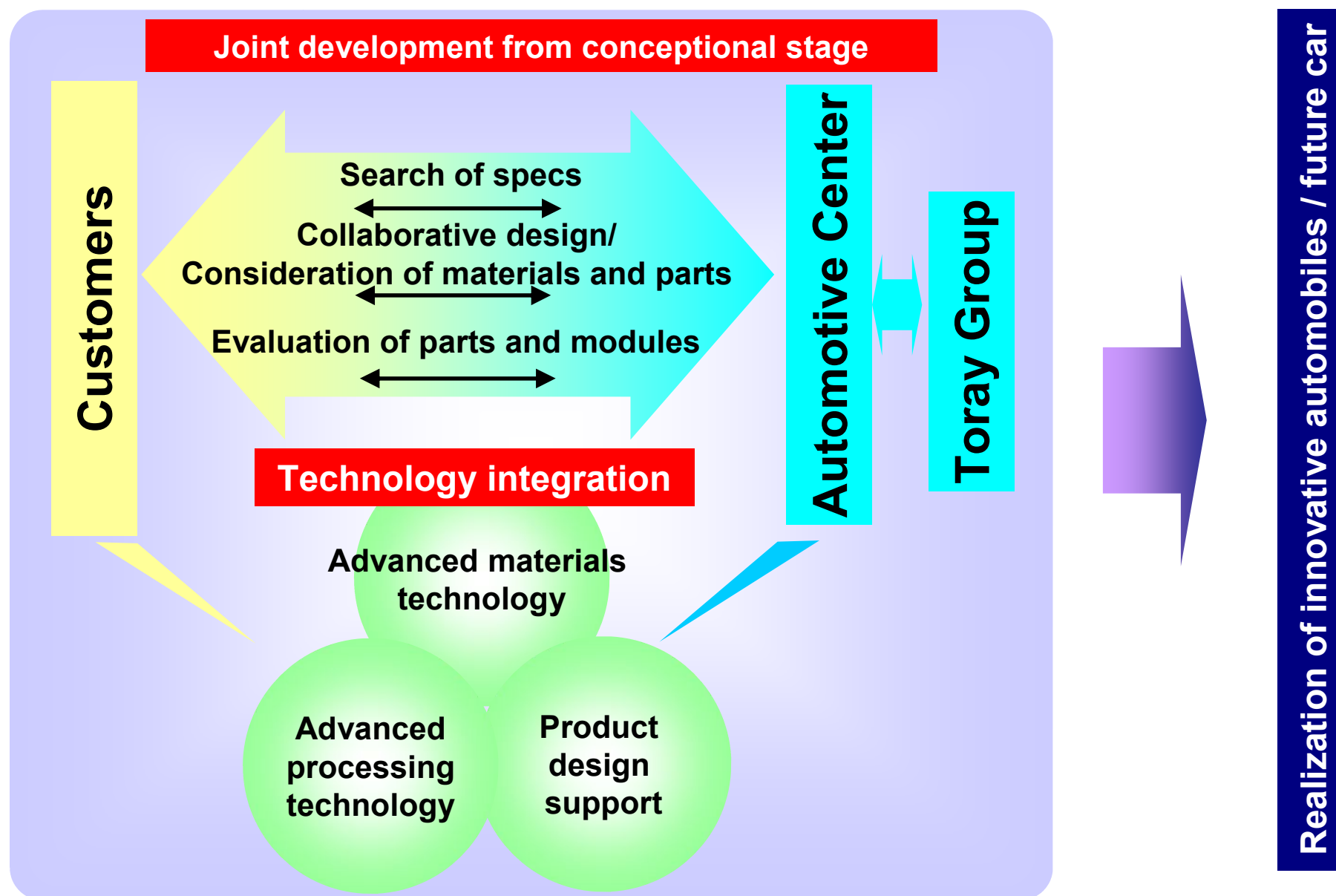
- Development of composite materials
- Development of composite molding technology

The 3 Centers cooperate and supplement each other to conduct technology development

Collaboration

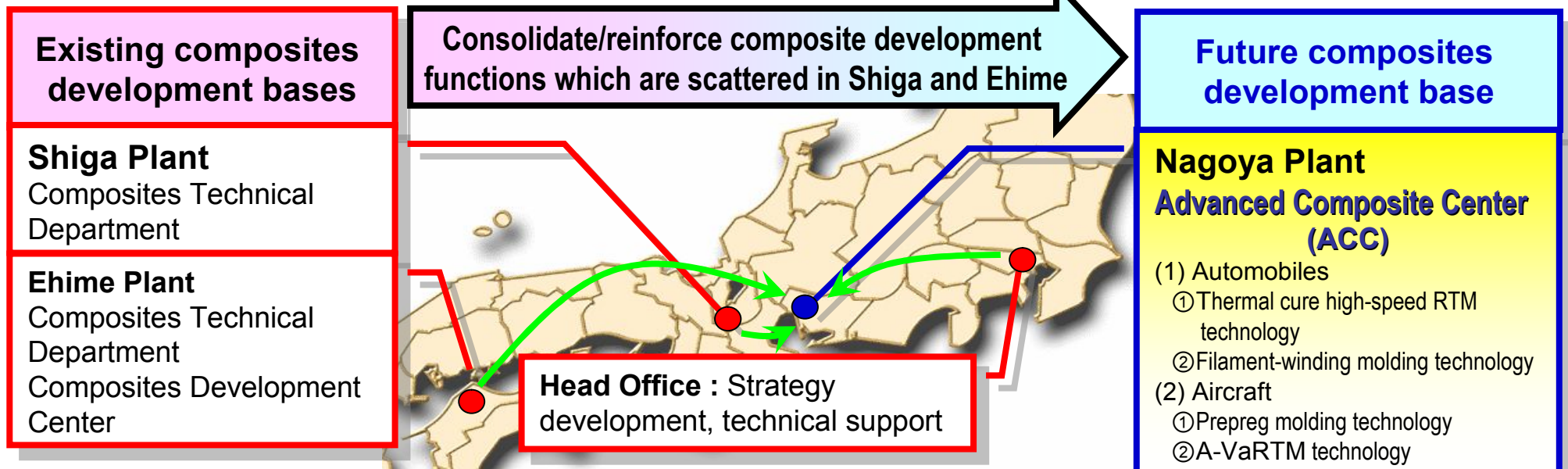
Research laboratory, Development center, each technical department
(resins, chemicals, films, electronic & information materials, affiliated companies, etc.)

Targets for the Establishment of Automotive Center Innovation by Chemistry



Outline of Transfer of Composite Development Functions

Synergy effect and speed-up of development attributable to the consolidation/reinforcement of composite development functions.



- Concentrate comprehensive capability of development
- Strengthen development functions through the improvement of experimental/evaluation facilities
- Integration of Toray Group resins and chemicals technologies
- Strengthen collaboration with vital customers in the Chukyo district

Outline of Transfer of Composite Development Functions

In the automobiles and aircraft area, Toray will add advanced design/process technologies of the Advanced Composite Center to the innovative technologies created through co-development with customers or national projects, and apply them to production.

Automobiles



Aircraft



Technology
establishment /
Production
application

Advanced technologies of Advanced Composite Center

Materials/Evaluation
technology

Design/Analysis
technology

Molding technology

Process technology

Co-development / National project
(High-speed RTM, A-VaRTM materials, etc.)

Structural Reform of Nagoya Plant

Production/development base of chemicals/resins

Production/development base of high-performance products for automobiles/aircraft

Production

Early years

- Started production of caprolactam as Japan's first plant of raw materials for the production of Nylon (1951)
- Started production of nylon resins (1956)
- Started production of fine chemicals (1980)

Engineering plastics Compounds

Nylon Staple Fibers

Caprolactam and related products

High-performance Chemicals

Engineering plastics Compounds

Nylon Staple Fibers

Consolidate to Tokai Plant High-value creation

High-performance Chemicals

Transfer from Ehime Plant Business expansion

Consolidate to Ehime Plant High-value creation

Shift to high-performance products

Promote development of integrated technologies

Composites

Engineering plastics Compounds

High-performance Chemicals

R&D

Chemicals Research Laboratories

Plastics Application Technology Development Center

Composites Development Center
Composites Technical Department

Transfer from Shiga/Ehime Plants

A&A Center

Plastics Application Technology Development Center
Automotive Center (2008~)
Advanced Composite Center (2009~)

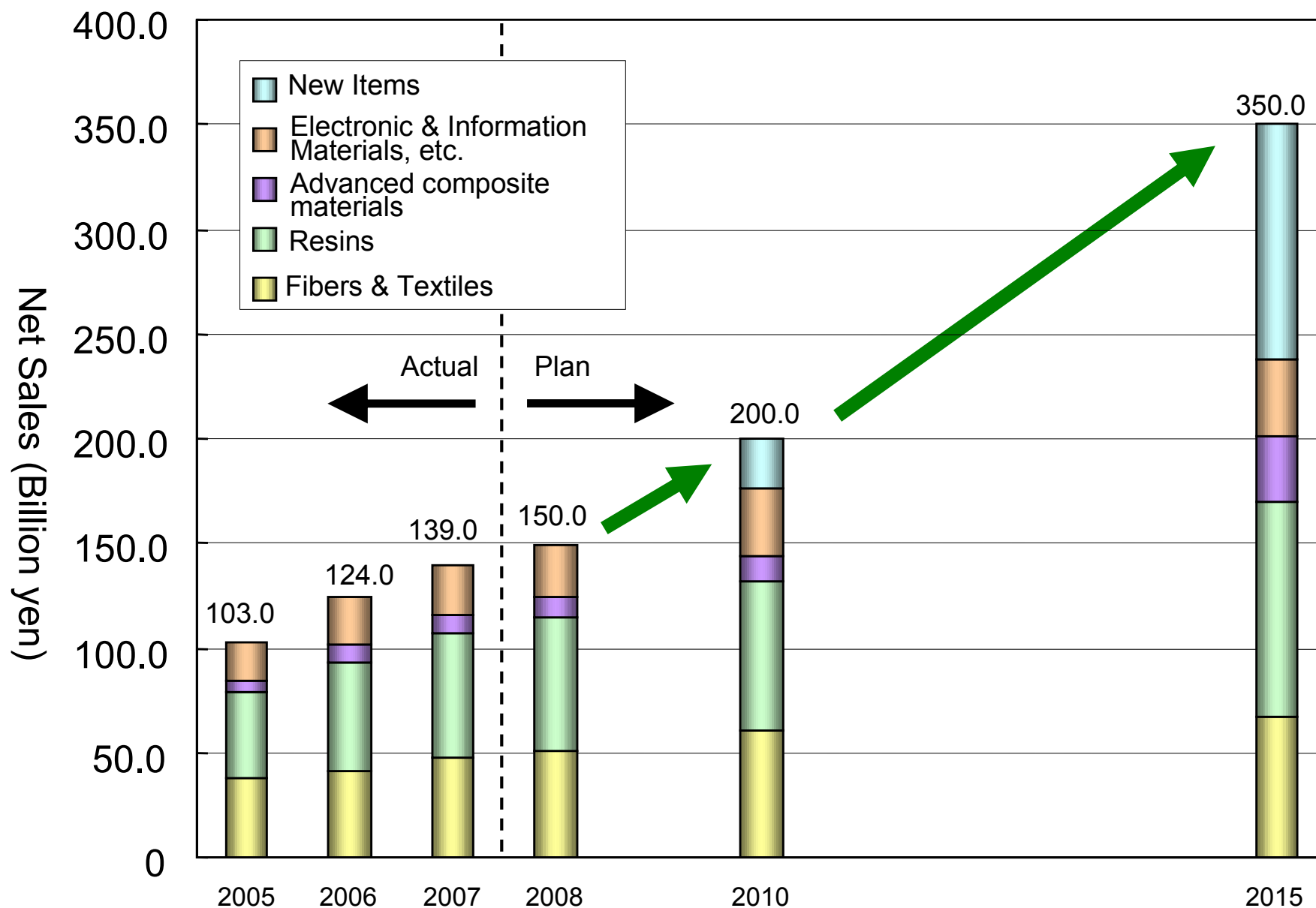
2003

2007

2015

- Midterm Business Strategies “IT-2010” and the Creation of Advanced Materials
- The Era of Protecting the Global Environment and Toray’s EcoChallenge
- The Automobile Industry Entering a Great Revolutionary Era
- Concept for A & A Center and Restructuring of Nagoya Plant
- **Expansion Plan for Automotive Business**

Expansion Plan for Toray Automotive Business



The background of the slide is a light blue gradient with a complex, overlapping pattern of white chemical structures. These structures include various rings, chains, and functional groups such as hydroxyl groups (OH), carboxylic acid groups (COOH), aldehyde groups (CHO), and amide groups (CONH). There are also some spheres, possibly representing atoms, interspersed within the molecular frameworks. The overall aesthetic is scientific and modern.

TORAY

Innovation by Chemistry

The Automotive Center

**Toray Industries, Inc.
General Manager
Automotive Center
Yasuo Suga**

Function of Each Organization of A&A Center

A&A Center — Development site for automobile and aircraft application — **Nagoya Plant**

**Plastics Application
Technology
Development Center**
(Automobile and E&E application)
Development of engineering
plastics
Development of molding
technologies for
engineering plastics

Automotive Center
(Automobile Application)
• **Offering solutions**
• **Project management**
(collaboration with outside
companies and inside departments,
integration of advanced materials
technologies of Toray Group)
• Elemental technologies
(evaluation and analysis)

Advanced Composite Center
(Automobile and
Aircraft application)
• Development of composite materials
and composite products
• Development of composite
processing technologies

Name	Plastics Application Technology Development Center	Automotive Center	Advanced Composite Center
Main equipments and facilities	(Materials) Molding equipments Material evaluation facilities	(Parts ~ Modules) Large molding/processing equipments Facilities for dynamic evaluation of parts	(Materials ~ Parts) CF base materials processing equipments Large press/ RTM molding equipments
Open	October, 1989	October, 2008	April, 2009 (scheduled)

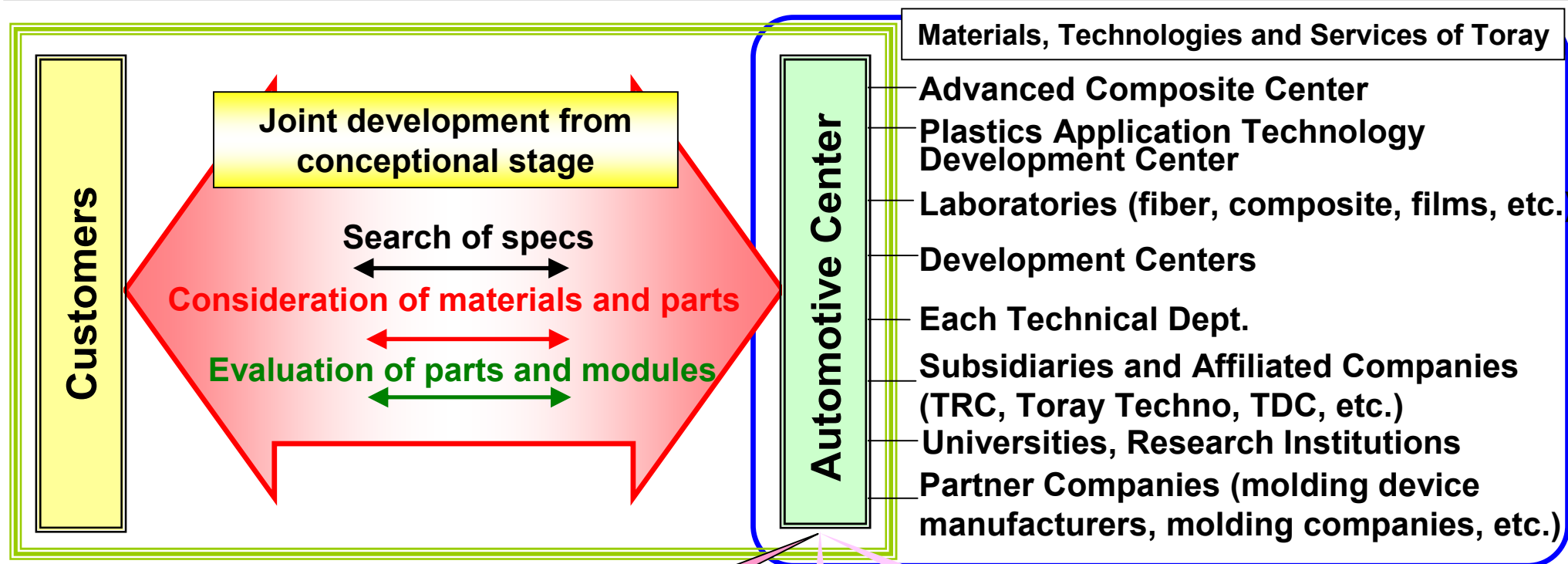
**The 3 Centers cooperate and supplement each other to conduct technology development
(Numbers of staff (plan): Total 250 members at 3 centers)**

Collaboration

Research laboratories, Development centers, Each technical depts., Affiliated companies

Operation Concept and Function of Automotive Center

- Participation from the customer's planning and conceptional stages for joint development toward shared targets.
- Offering solutions that fuse together Toray's materials, technologies and services.



■ Three major functions of Automotive Center

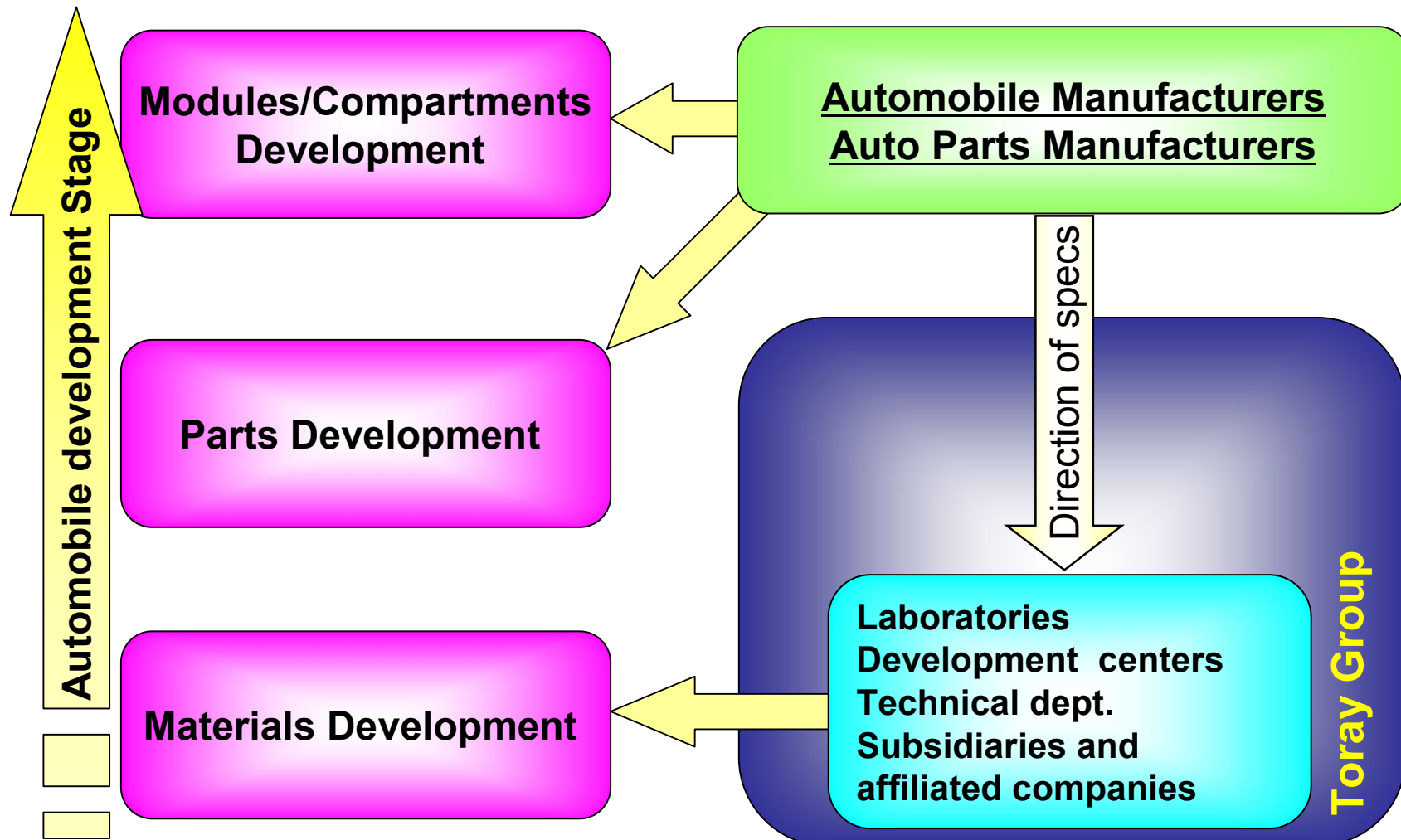
Joint development
Management of joint projects with customers.

Technology Development
Development of automotive polymer material evaluation, analysis, molding and processing technologies

Information transmission
Acquisition and transmission of fresh automotive technology news, organization of technical seminars

Characteristics of the Automotive Center

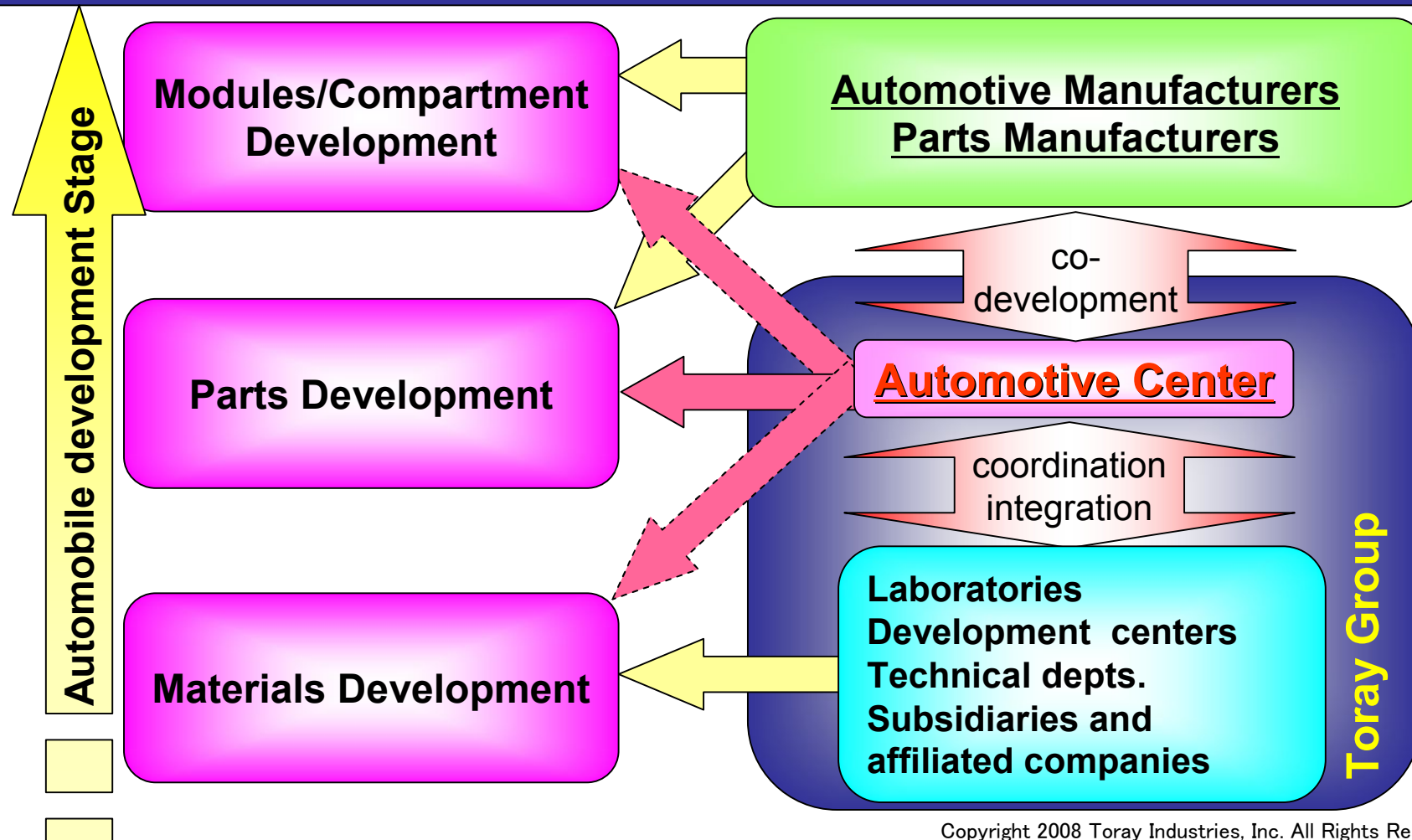
- Conventional development style
Materials manufacturers specialize in material developments (spec-in business)



Characteristics of Automotive Center

■ Development style in Automotive Center

Coordination and integration of various technology resources of Toray Group
Joint developments of parts and units with customers through evaluation and analysis technologies as Parts.



Main Issues (Four Major Themes) of Automotive Center and Toray's Strength

Theme 1. Weight Saving

Target parts: Panels, Main structural parts (chassis), etc.

Toray's strength : CFR thermoplastic, Film decorating, CAE technology.



Theme 2. Materials for Next Generation Power Train

Target parts: Motor, Secondary battery, etc.

Toray's Strength: High thermal stability films, Functional nano particles.



Theme 3. Non-petrochemical materials

Targets parts: Fibers and textiles for interior and exterior parts

Toray's strength : Bio-based plastics, its fibers and films, etc.



Theme 4. Car Electronics

Target parts: Display, Sensor parts, etc.

Toray's strength : PDP, Polyimide resins, etc.



Application of Carbon Fiber Reinforced Plastics (CFRP) to Automobiles

CFRP = Carbon Fiber Reinforced Plastic

CFRP Applications and its effect on weight saving

Improvements
using CFRP parts

Weight Saving

Improvement of fuel efficiency
Global warming countermeasure

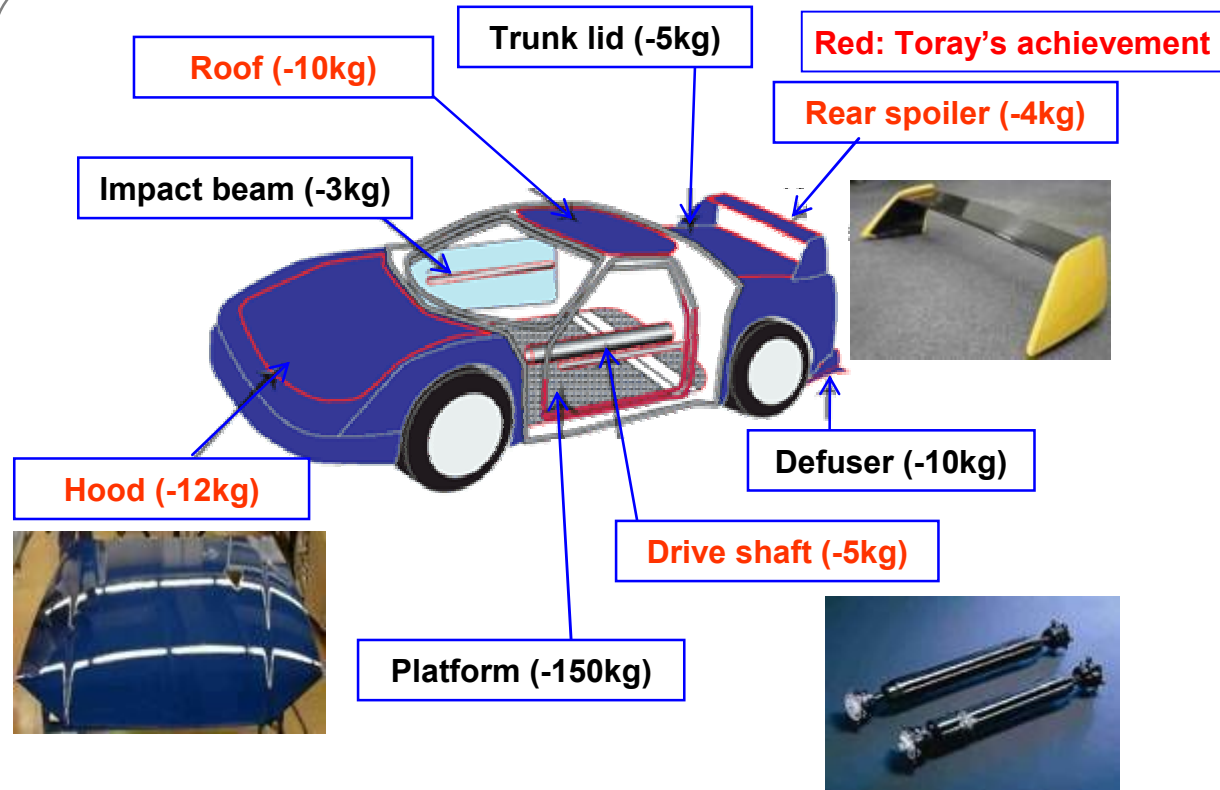
Improvement of crash safety
(High Impact energy absorption)

Improvement of
driving performance

Improvement of vibration damping /
natural frequency UP

Reduction of Assembly
processes and cost

Modular Construction

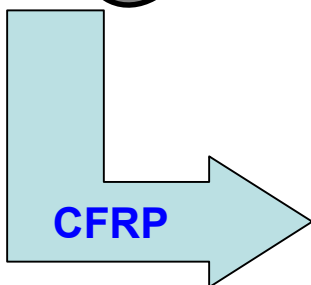
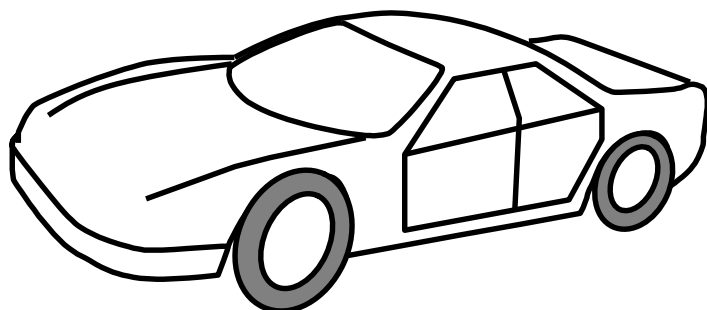


**Possible to reduce 400kg using
CFRP parts (30% of car body weight
when the car weighs 1,380 kg)**

Others (-200kg)
Door panel
Front end module
Seat back
Fender ,etc.

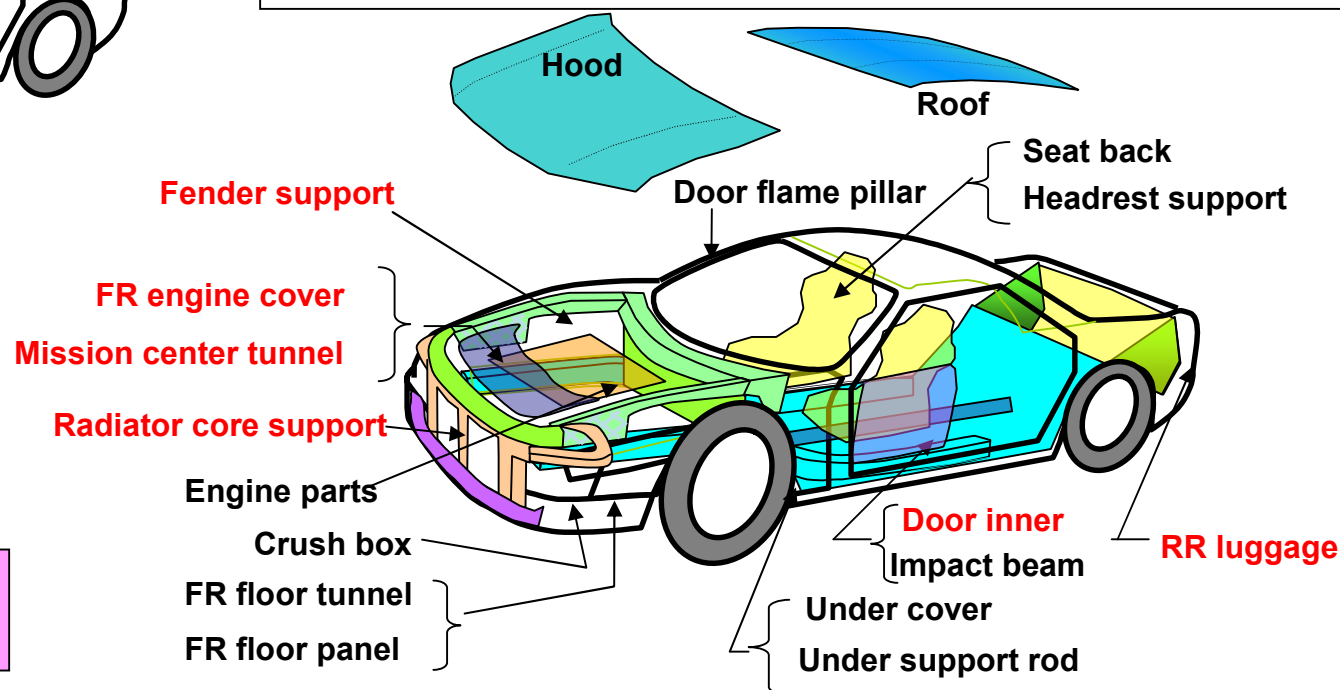
Examination of applicable parts of CFRP (Thermoset resin base and thermoplastic base)

Average weight of
conventional car : 1,380kg



Weight of car with CFRP :
970kg (▲30%)

CFRP (Thermoset resin) (RTM molding)
Panels, Structural parts (30% the weight of steel)
CFRP (Thermoplastic) (Injection / Press molding)
Interiors, 2nd structural parts, Electronic parts
(50% the weight of steel)

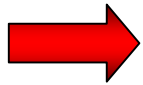


■ New CFRP (thermoplastic) for high performance parts (complicated shapes), common parts (mass productivity) will be performed

Facilities to Solve Technical Issues of CFRP (Thermoplastic)

1. Improvement of material reliability (Dynamic properties and Durability)

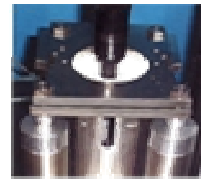
① Impact resistance - scattering stone, car crash, pedestrian protection



Charpy impactor

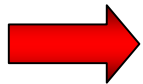


Weight-drop impactor



Head impact facilities

② Durability, weather resistance- hygrothermal resistance, long-term outdoor exposure, thermal shock, etc.



Large constant temperature and humidity chamber



Xenon weather meter



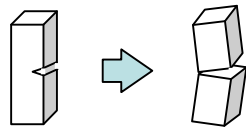
Large thermal shock chamber

Evaluation of Impact Resistance

① Impact resistance

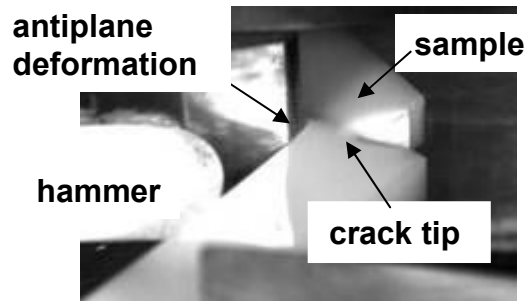
- Various impact evaluation facilities for testing specimens and automotive parts (To construct databases for impact resistance and failure behavior of plastic materials)
- Estimation of impact strength and failure behavior as car parts with combination of CAE technologies to reduce time and labor.

Observation of failure mechanism



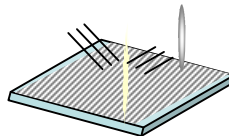
10 × 60 mm

Charpy impactor



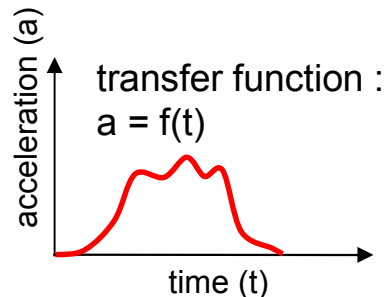
Charpy test (shot by high speed camera)

Nondestructive evaluation



80 × 80 mm

Weight-drop impactor



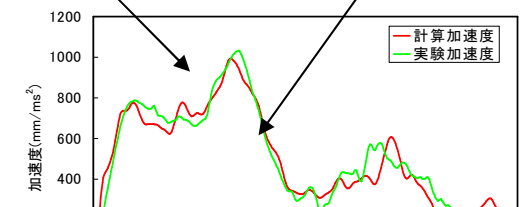
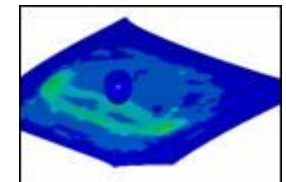
CAE

Large parts



2,000 × 2,000 mm

Test facilities for pedestrian protection



To confirm compatibility of analysis with examination

Evaluation of Durability

② Weather resistance / Long-term durability

■ Confirms material reliability of new polymer materials for car parts

Evaluation facilities for test specimens

Long-term weather
resistance
(ultraviolet
degradation)

Long-term light
resistance



Xenon weather meter

Long-term heat
stability

Absolute dry
properties



Perfect oven

Evaluation facilities for large scale parts



Large constant temperature
and humidity chamber



Thermal shock chamber

Long-term
hygrothermal
stability

Water absorbed
properties

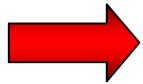
Thermal shock
properties

High / low
temperature
aging properties

Improvement of Surface Quality (painting and film decorating)

2 . Improvement of surface quality

① Painting performance – coated properties, coating strength, improvement of surface quality



Robotic painting equipment

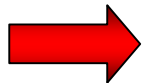


Digital gonio photometer



Surface roughness meter

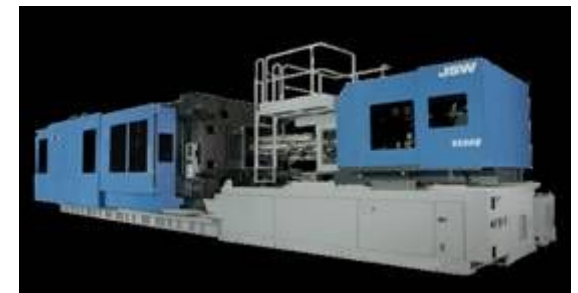
② Film decorating technology – development of new plastics / films materials



Film laminating machine



Vacuum molding machine

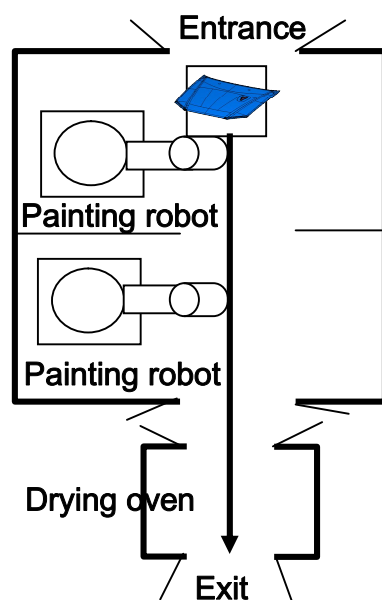


1000t injection molding machine

Improvement of Surface Quality (painting)

① Painting performance – coated properties, coating strength, surface quality

■ Development of suitable materials for various paints and painting processes and optimization of painting conditions



Paint booth (outline)

- Main specification :
maximum painting area : 1700×1700 mm
maximum drying temperature : 140 °C



Painting robots

Painting durability evaluation



Larger thermal shock chamber



Large constant temperature and humidity chamber

Painting quality evaluation



Variable Gloss Meter
(Plastics Application Technology Development Center)

Digital Gonio photometer (AMC)



Surface roughness meter
(Plastics Application Technology Development Center.)

Improvement of Surface Quality (film decorating)

② Film decorating technology (high quality / designing surface) , paint-less)

■ Offering new surface appearance and design which is suitable for polymer materials

Film processing

Trimming

Trimmer



Maximum process
width : 600 mm

Printing

Semiautomated serigraph



Maximum printing
area : 600×600 mm

Laminating

Film laminating machine



Maximum process
width : 600 mm

Film insert molding

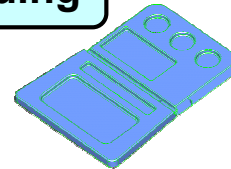
Preforming



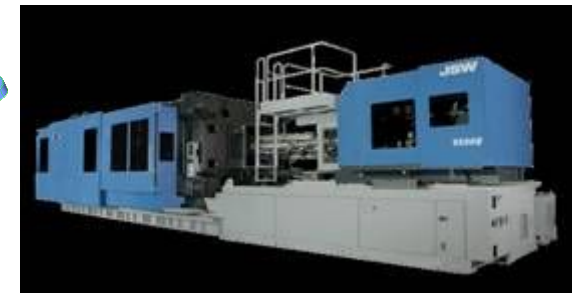
Vacuum molding machine



Insert molding



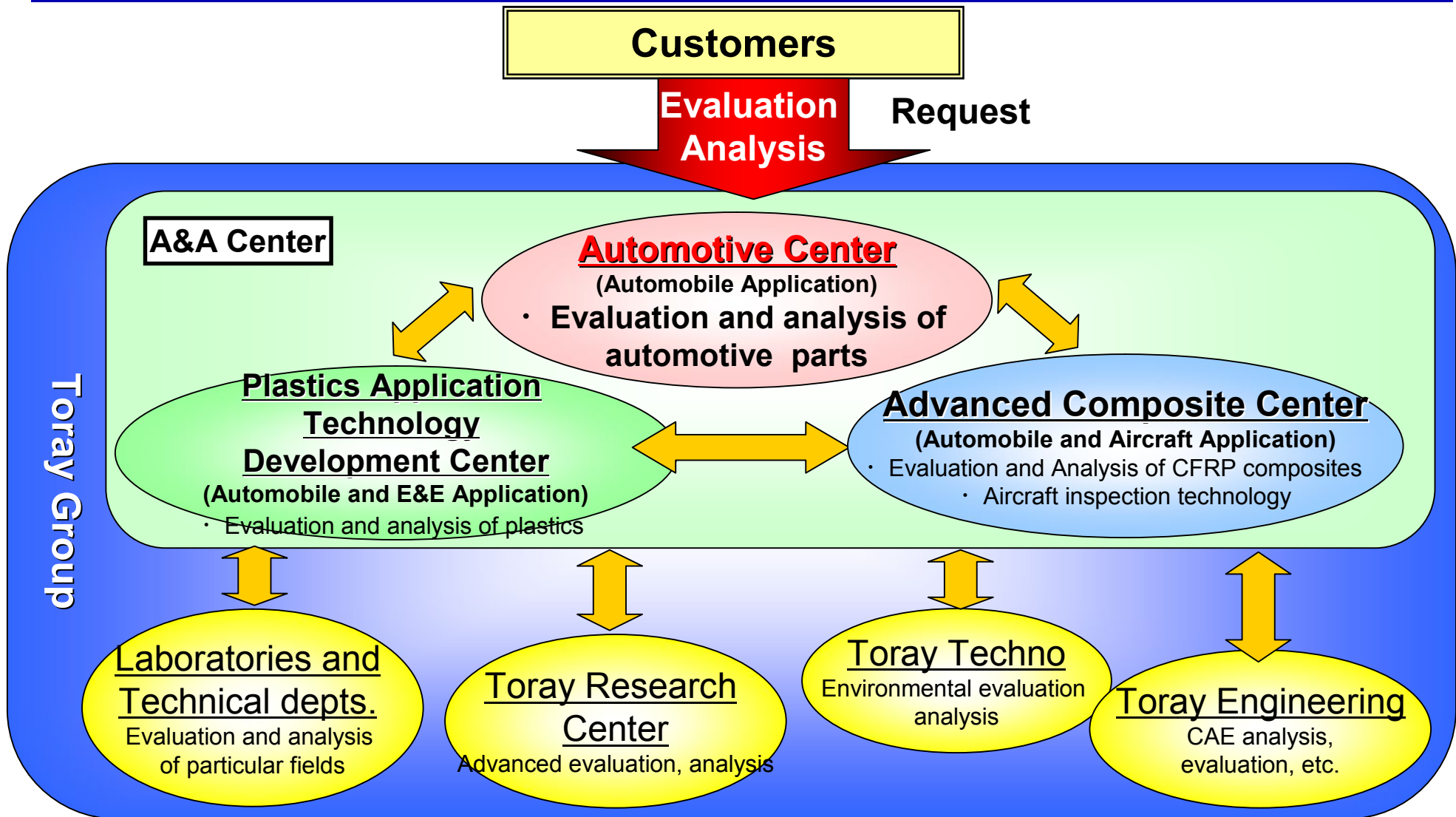
1000 ton injection
molding machine



Evaluation

- Film adhesive strength
- Surface roughness, brilliance
- Heat stability, durability
(long-term /short-term)

Evaluation and Analysis System of Automotive Center and Toray Group



■ Realization of various supports through utilization of technological resources in Toray Group

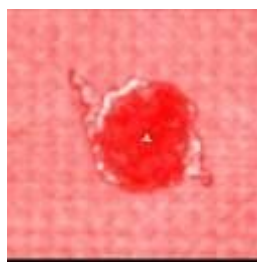
Application of Aircraft Inspection Technologies

- Application of inspection technologies for aircraft materials
- Estimation of strength and lifetime of parts by Nondestructive.



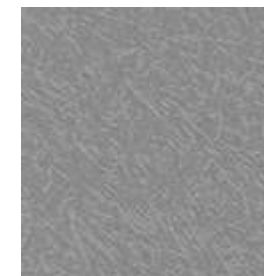
Ultrasonic C-scan

Observation of defects within the material and measurement of damage level

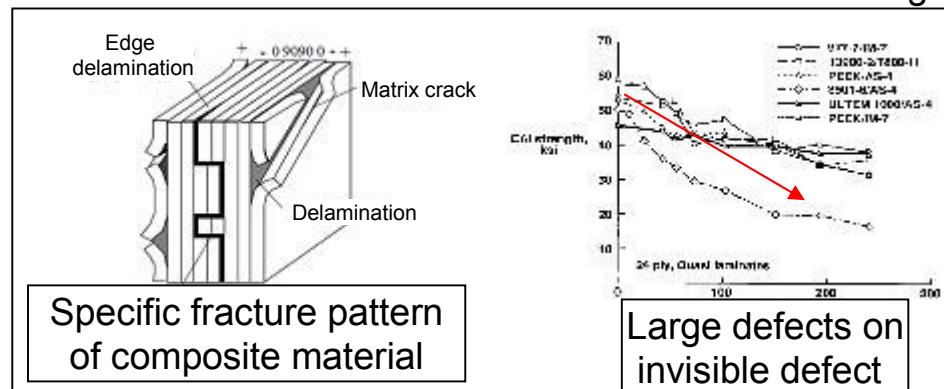


3D X-ray scanner

Observation and measurement of orientation angle and distribution of fibers



Ex. Relation between CFRP internal defect and strength



◆The other inspection and analysis facilities in Toray group◆

- Hydraulic fatigue machine (AMC)
- Creep machine (AMC)
- High speed impact machine (Plastics Application Technology Development Center)
- DSC/DMA (Plastics Application Technology Development Center)
- 3D shape measurement equipment (ACC)

Application of aircraft development technologies in automobile fields

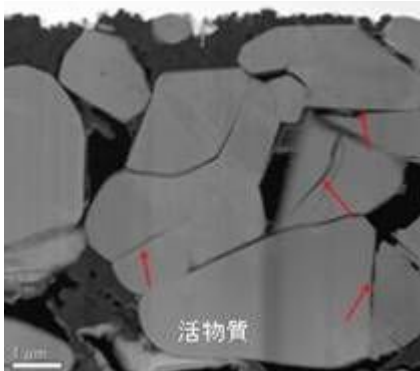
Battery and Electrode Evaluation and Analysis Technology (Toray Research Center)

■ Estimation and Improvement of performance of battery and electrode by shape observation, composition and structural analysis

Lithium-ion battery

Morphological analysis, composition and structural analysis of positive/negative-electrode materials
Thickness and composition analysis of electrode membranes (SEI membranes)
Composition analysis and additives and trace impurities analysis of battery electrolytes, etc.

TEM observation of LiCoO_2 positive electrode after repeated charge and discharge cycles



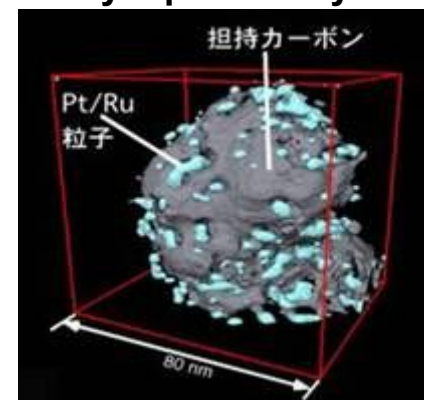
Cracks occurred on the positive electrode materials by deterioration of long-term usage. On the surface of positive electrode particles, Co changed to the conditions like metal

Realization of high capacity, Improvement of cycle properties, and Improvement of safety

Fuel cell

Structural analysis and property evaluation of electrolyte membranes
Structural and composition analysis of catalyst particles
Composition analysis and trace impurities analysis of battery electrolyte, etc.

Observation of supported condition of a catalyst particle by 3D TEM

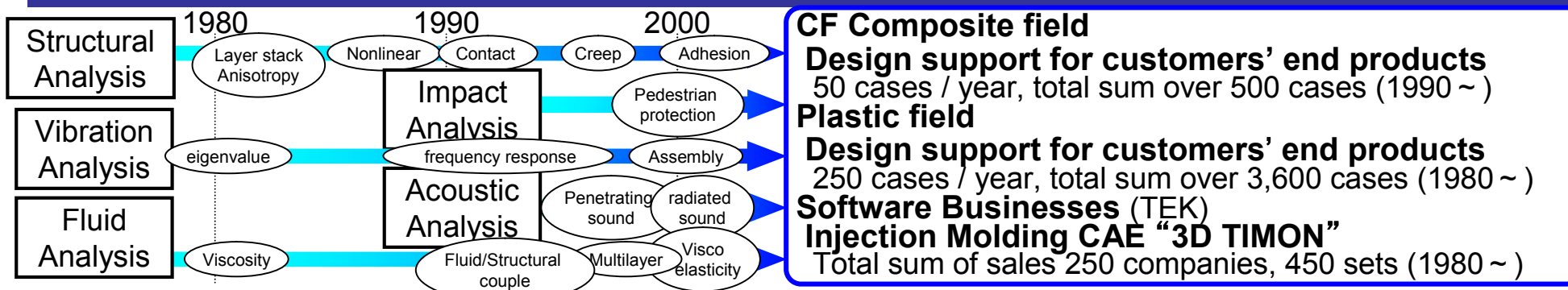


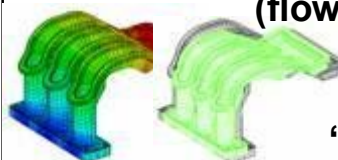
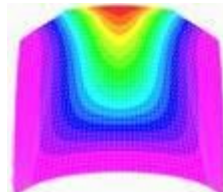

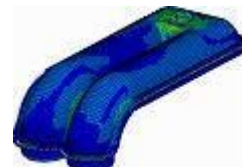
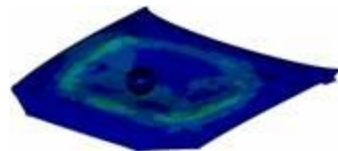
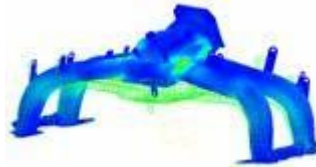
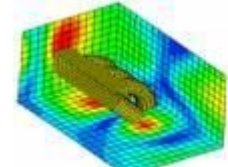
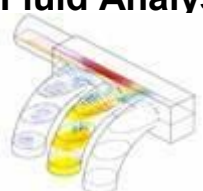
Particle size and supported condition of nm size catalyst particles can be observed in three dimensions.

**Solution of deterioration mechanism (Improvement of durability)
Reduction of Pt usage (Cost reduction)**

CAE Technology for Automobile Application

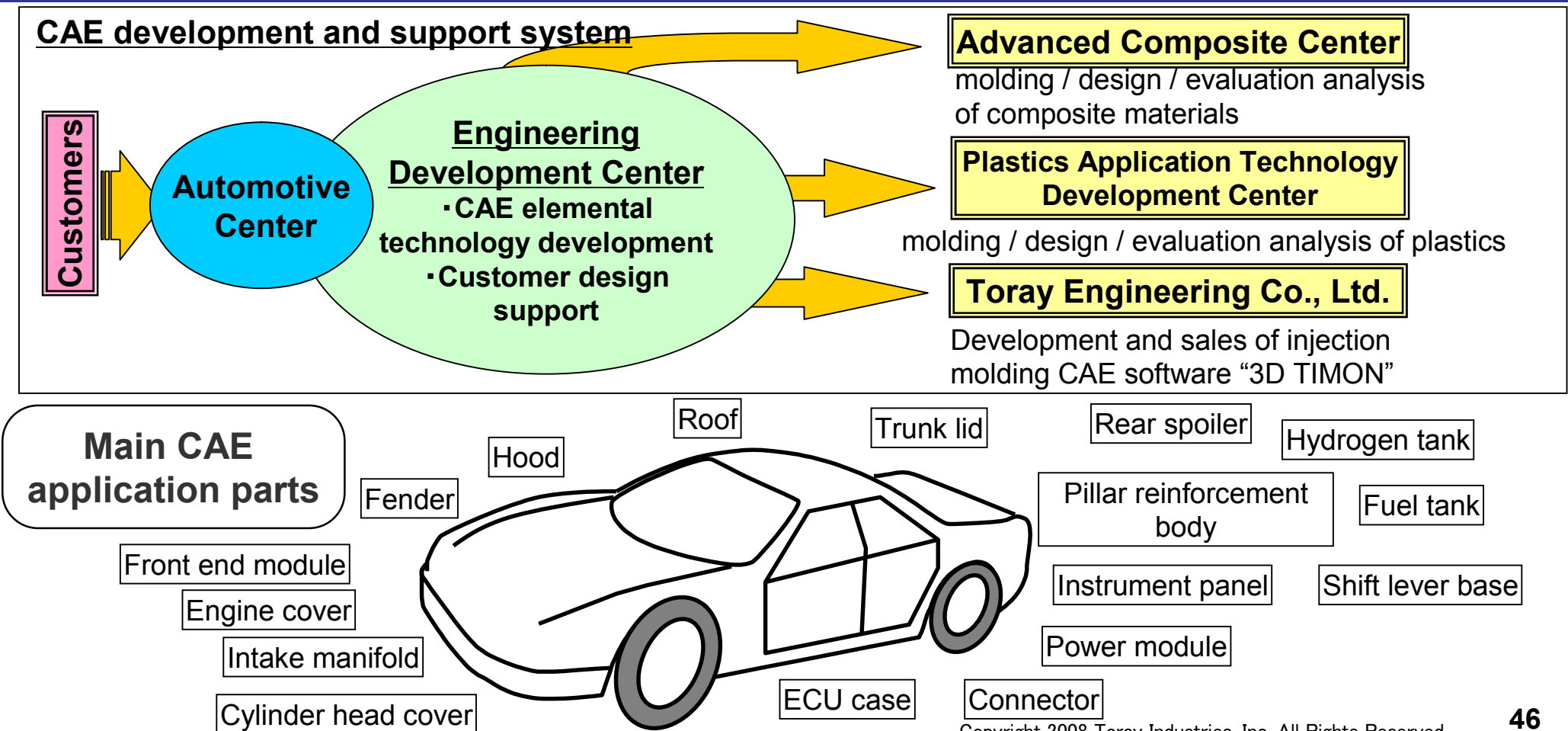
- Toray has started R&D of CAE technology since 1970s and has developed several fields of CAE technologies for polymer materials
- Toray has started design support for customers using CAE analysis since 1980s. (total 4,000 cases)
- Based on combination of CAE analysis and various test evaluation technologies and databases, performance and quality of end products can be estimated.



Item	Materials			
	Plastics	Composites	Films	
Injection field	Injection Molding Analysis (flow, warpage)  "3D TIMON"	RTM Molding Analysis (Resin flow) "VAR-TIMON" 	Vacuum Molding Analysis (film setup) 	
	Structural Analysis	Impact Analysis	Vibration Analysis	Acoustic Analysis
Analysis field				
	Fluid Analysis 			

CAE Technology for Automobile Application **TORAY** Innovation by Chemistry

- Support of design for customers' product from an early development stage, cooperation of each dept., utilization of CAE technology
 - Design and Development time / Experimental evaluation cost can be reduced
- Many achievements of co-development and design support for automobile manufactures and auto parts manufactures



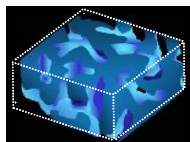
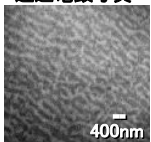
Automotive Center's Function of Collection and Transmission of Information

- Introduction of timely Toray Group's advanced materials and technologies (molding, processing, evaluation, analysis, etc.)
- Collection of new information from customers, universities, companies.

Toray Group's Advanced Materials and Technologies

New material

no-alloy



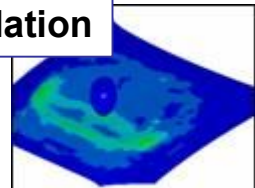
Nano controlled new materials

Analysis



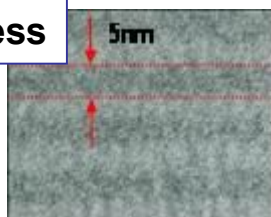
Property evaluation and analysis technology

Simulation



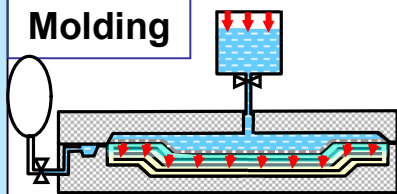
Proposal of analysis method of new materials

Process



New materials by nano processing technology

Molding



New molding technologies of new materials

Information Transmission

Technology seminar
New technology display
Library display

Information Collection

Academic information
Market information
Innovative technology

Customers



Partner Companies

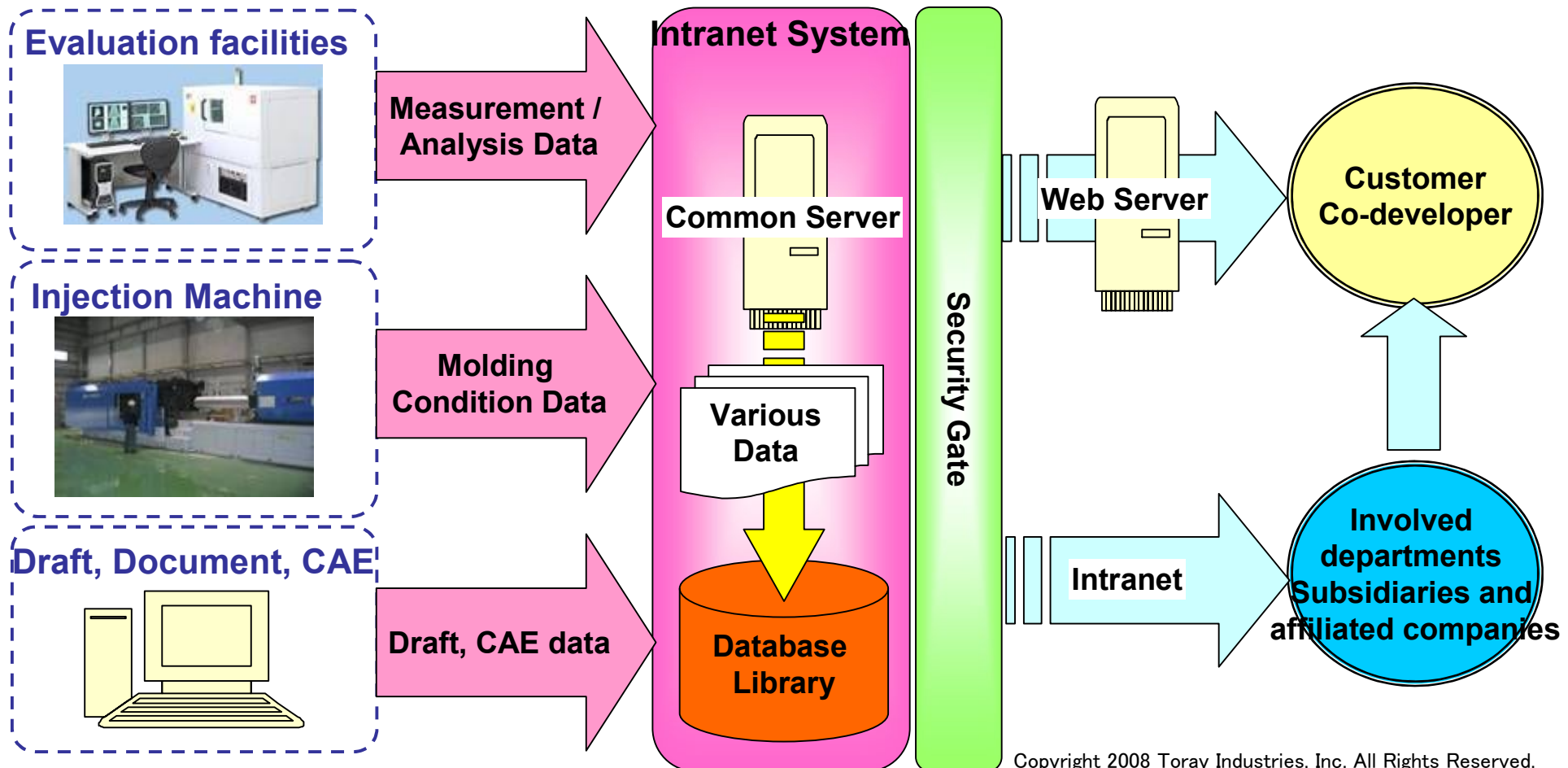


Universities, National laboratories



Automotive Center's Function of Collection and Transmission of Information ~ DB Library, IT ~

- Collection of measurements of evaluation / molding machines online and Construction of databases
- Establishment of the library which selected / combined / integrated multiple data
→ Promptly search and offer materials data which meet customers' and internal relevant departments.



Outline of Automotive Center's Facilities

<Gallery, Conference Room>

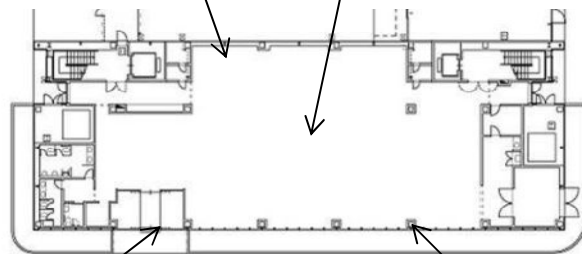
◆Main Building 1F (Display Lobby)



Themes Display Area



Materials Display Area



Entrance



New Technology Display Area

◆Main Building 2F (Conference Room, Seminar Room)



TV Conference Room (30 people capacity)



Seminar Room
(80 people capacity)



CAE room

Others

2 small
conference rooms
with 15 people capacity
1 medium
conference room
with 30 people capacity
1 reception and
conference room
with 10 people capacity

The background of the slide is a light blue gradient with faint, overlapping white chemical structures. These structures include various rings, bonds, and functional groups such as hydroxyl groups (OH), carboxylic acid groups (COOH), aldehyde groups (CHO), and carbonyl groups (C=O). Some structures also show methyl groups (CH3) and amine groups (NH). The overall theme is chemistry and materials science.

TORAY

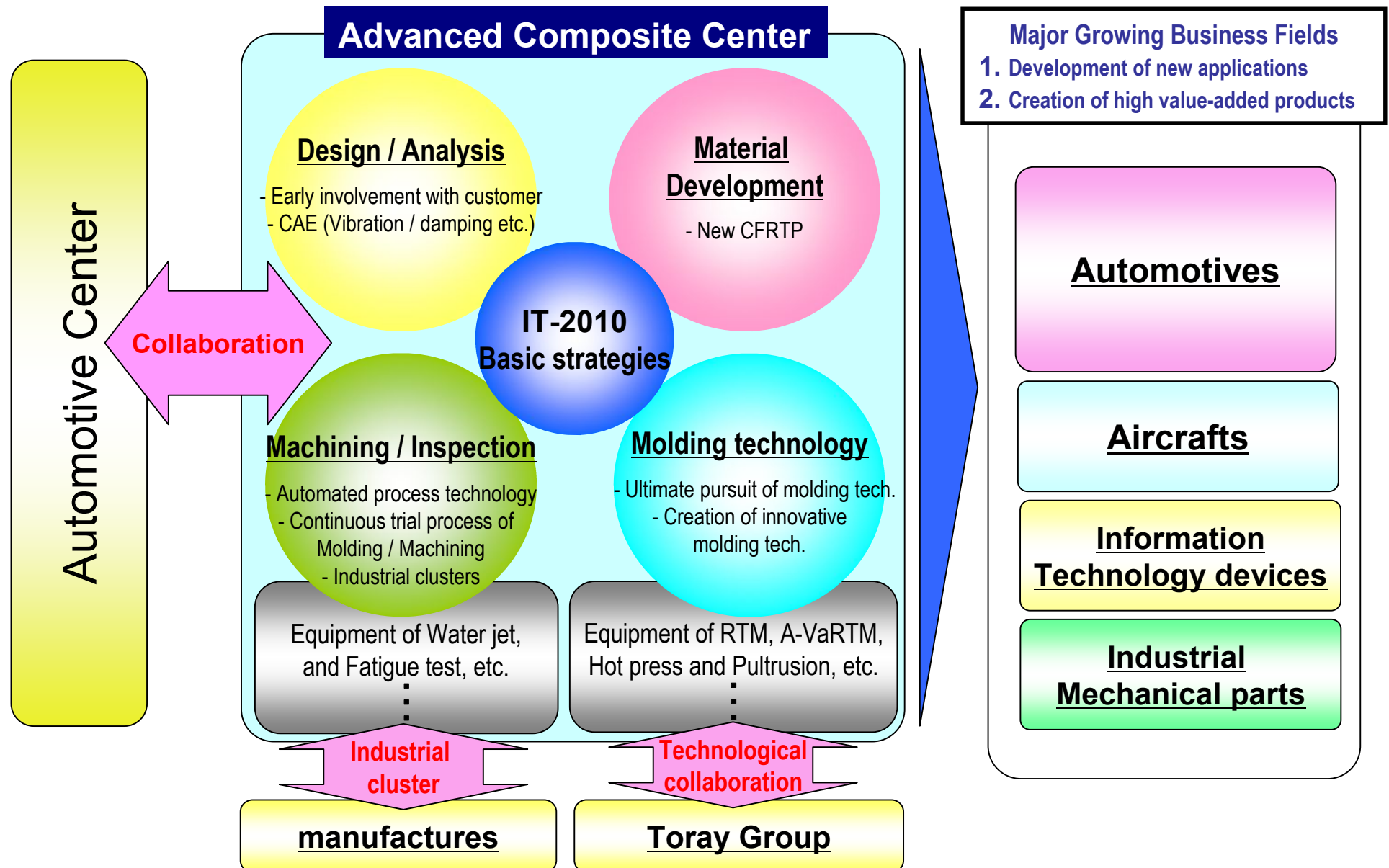
Innovation by Chemistry

Advanced Composite Center

Development Functions of Advanced Composite Center

TORAY

Innovation by Chemistry



Major Development Functions of Advanced Composite Center





- Acceleration of innovative technologies creation and mass-production technologies establishment by reinforcing molding / evaluation equipments.

Technologies	Major equipments
1. Material development / Evaluation	Mechanical property test, Fatigue test DMA
2. Design technology	CAD CAE
3. Molding technology	RTM, Autoclave Injection molding
4. Machining / Inspection technology	Water jet 3-dimension measurement

Automotives : Establishment of continuous development / trial-production system for materials, design, molding and machining

1. Creation of design/molding/machining technologies : To develop new applications and expand composite materials business
2. Creation of new materials and deepen molding technologies : To expand materials business and enhance technical support functions

Strategies for Composites Business

Area		Major applications (Now going)	Expansion and New Plans
Energy-related	 <p>Fuel cell stack</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fuel cell (electrode gas diffusion layer) ▪ Wind turbine (small wind-turbine blades) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fuel cell (electrode gas diffusion layer) ▪ High-pressure vessel
Transport machinery		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Automotive propeller shaft ▪ Exterior panels (sports car) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Automobile propeller shaft/ Exterior panels ▪ Automotive structures ▪ Aircraft structures
Civil engineering and Construction		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Bridge railings ▪ Seismic retrofitting (bridge pier, deck slabs, buildings (beams, columns)) ▪ lightweight building structures (truss, roof structures) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Bridge railings
Industrial equipments		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Medical equipments (X-ray equipment) ▪ Information technology devices (Laptop PC case, etc.) ▪ Mechanical parts (Robot arms for LCD panel, etc.) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Information technology device (Laptop PC case) ▪ industrial robot



Innovation by Chemistry

Expansion Strategy of Automotive Materials Business

Toray Industries, Inc.

Senior Director

**Automotive Material Strategic
Planning Dept.**

Kazumichi Ebisutani

Contents

- **Toray Group's Involvement in the Automobile Industry**
- **Environment and Issues surrounding the Automobile Industry**
- **Expansion Strategy of Automotive Business**

- **Toray Group's Involvement in the Automobile Industry**
- Environment and Issues surrounding the Automobile Industry
- Expansion Strategy of Automotive Business

【Fibers and Textiles】

Fiber and fabric for airbags, tire cord, fabric and man-made suede for car seats, cabin filter, etc.



【Resins & Chemicals】

Resins for automotive parts
(ABS, Nylon, PBT, PPS, LCP)
Polyolefin foam for interior and exterior



【Films】

Films for capacitor, motor insulation and
decorating and process films



【Carbon Fiber Composite Materials】

Hood, Roof, Propeller shaft, Spoiler,
Impact beam, etc.



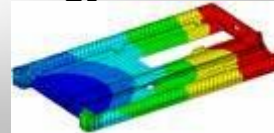
【Electronic & Information】

LCD color filter, Optical fiber,
Polyimide film for FPC



**【Technical Support for Customers' Design,
Processing Technologies/Facilities】**

Toray Research Center Inc. (analytical evaluation technologies),
Toray Engineering Co., Ltd. (process technology and CAE analysis), etc.



~ Toray Group's Involvement in the Automobile Industry ~ Adoption Examples of Toray Group's Materials for Automobiles

Under Food Parts



Mechanical and Functional Parts



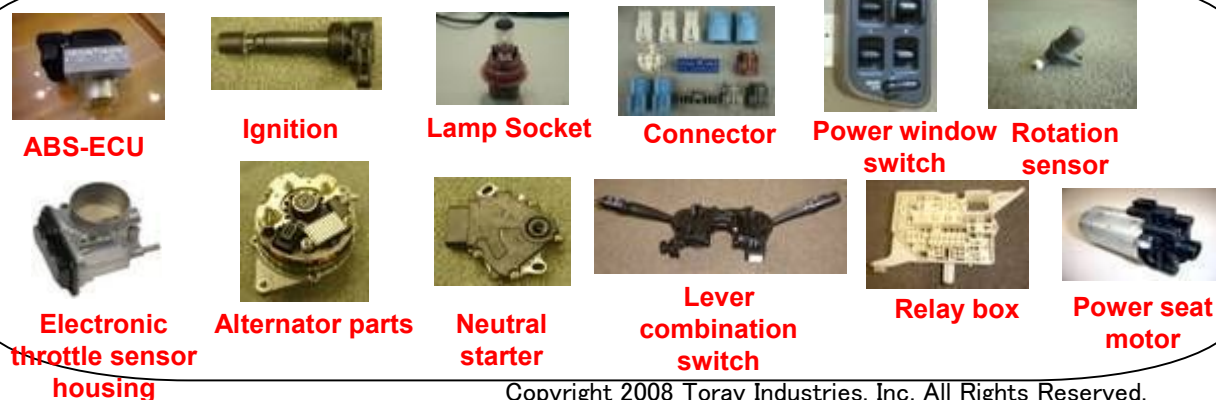
Exterior and Interior Decorating Parts



Cooling and Fuel System



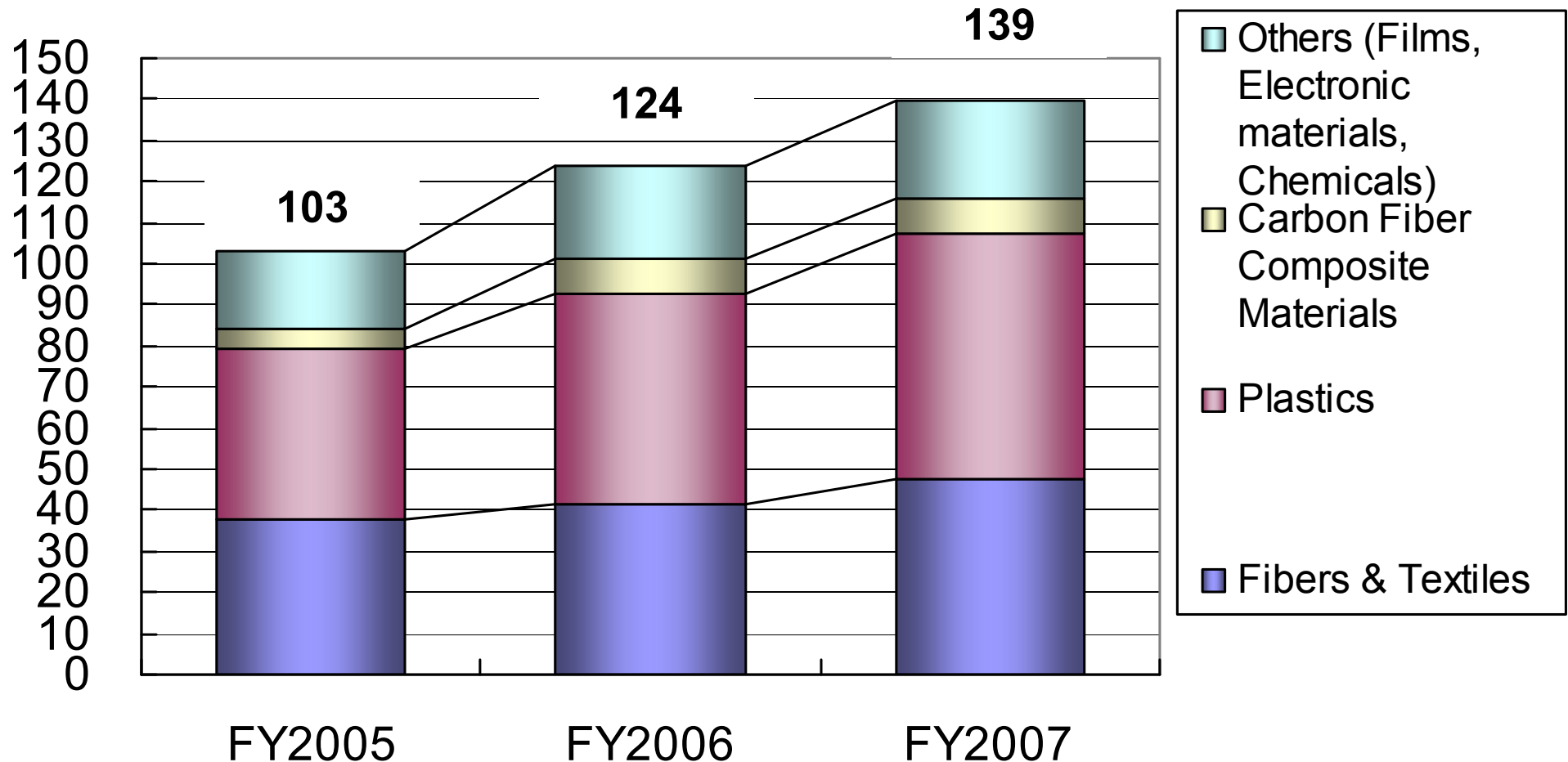
Electric component



~ Toray Group's Involvement in the Automobile Industry ~

Toray Group's Sales for Automobiles

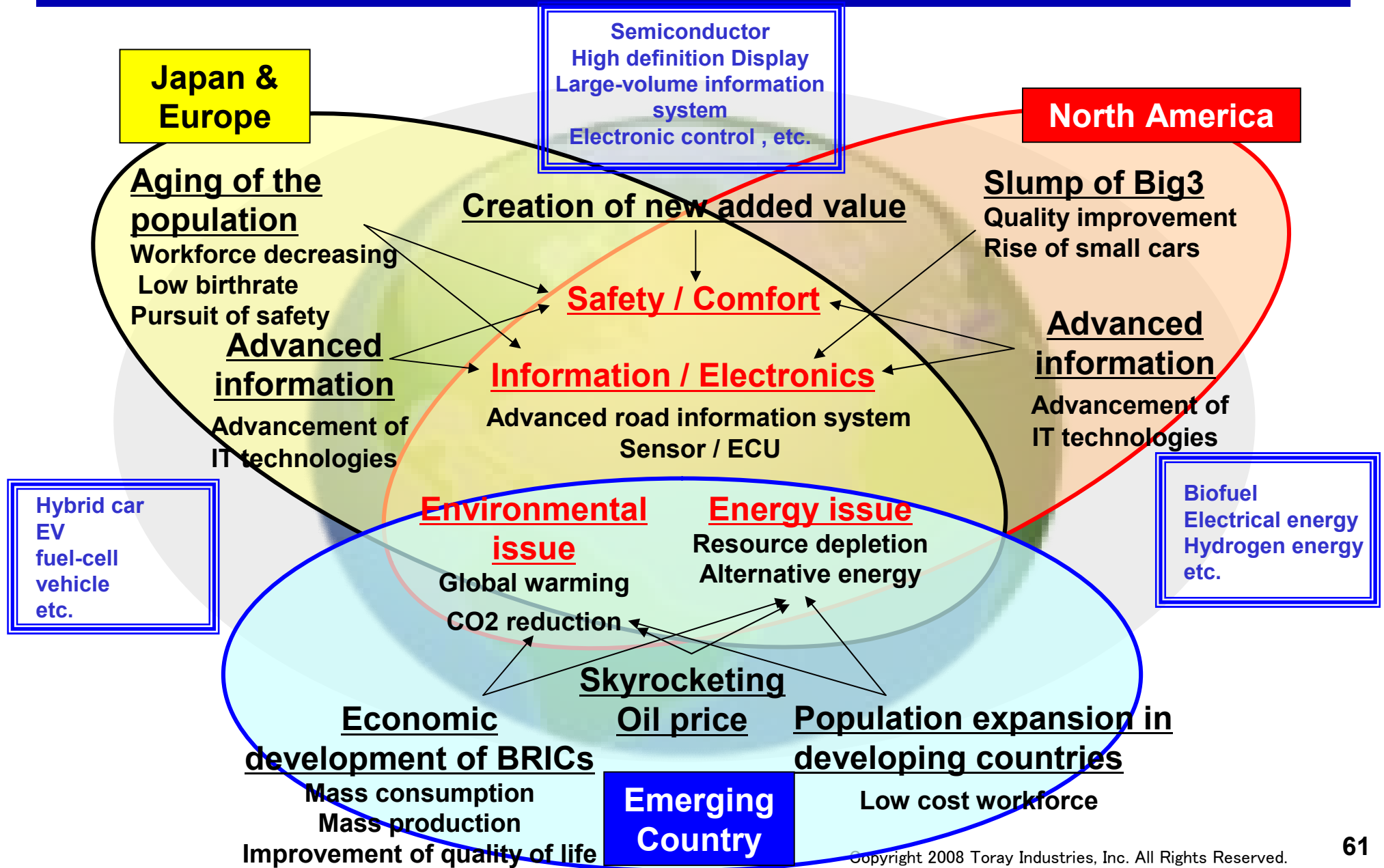
(Billion Yen)



Contents

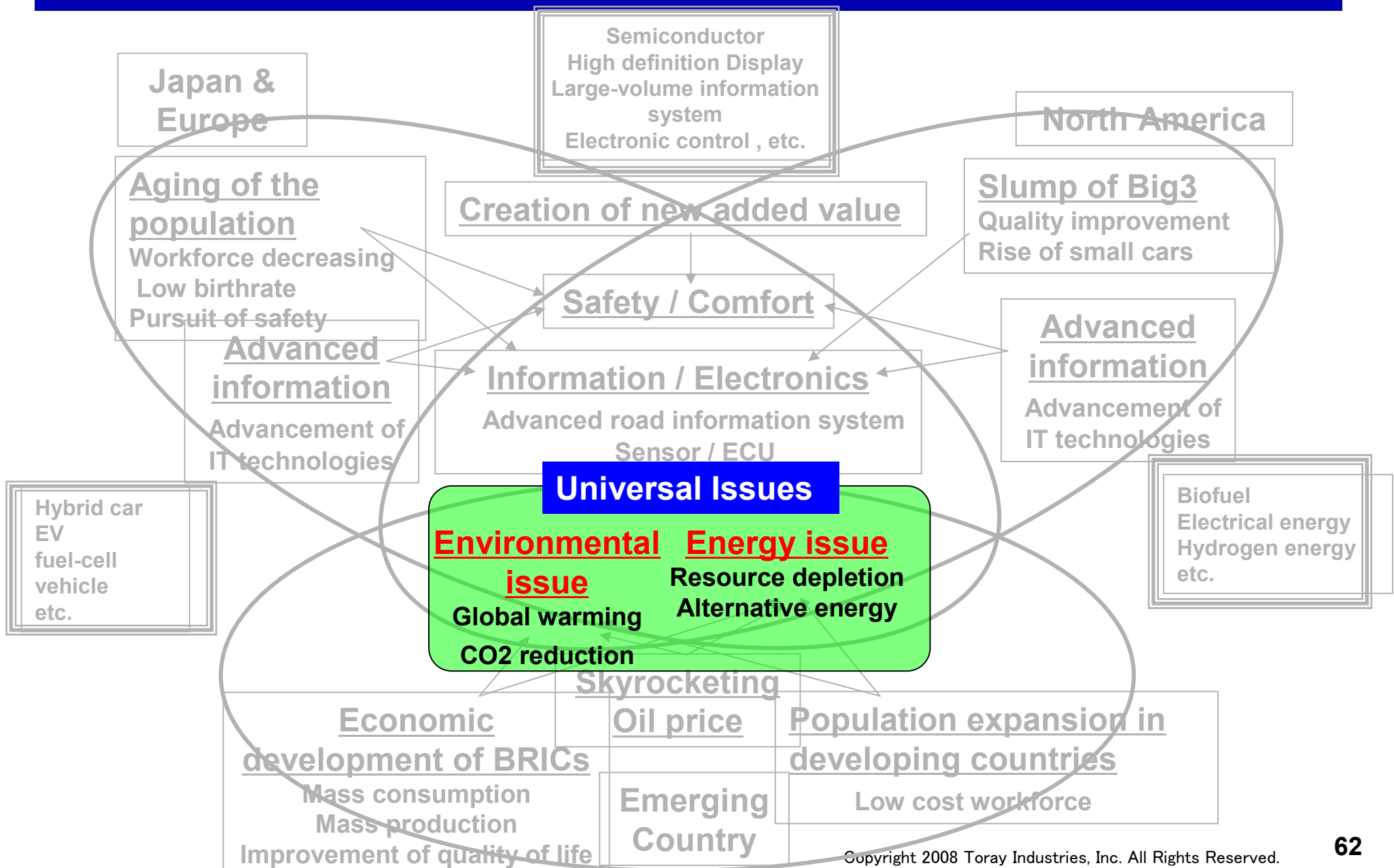
- Toray Group's Involvement in the Automobile Industry
- **Environment and Issues surrounding the Automobile Industry**
- Expansion Strategy of Automotive Business

~ Environment and Issues surrounding the Automobile Industry ~ Market Changes in the Automobile Industry



~ Environment and Issues surrounding the Automobile Industry ~

Market Changes in the Automobile Industry



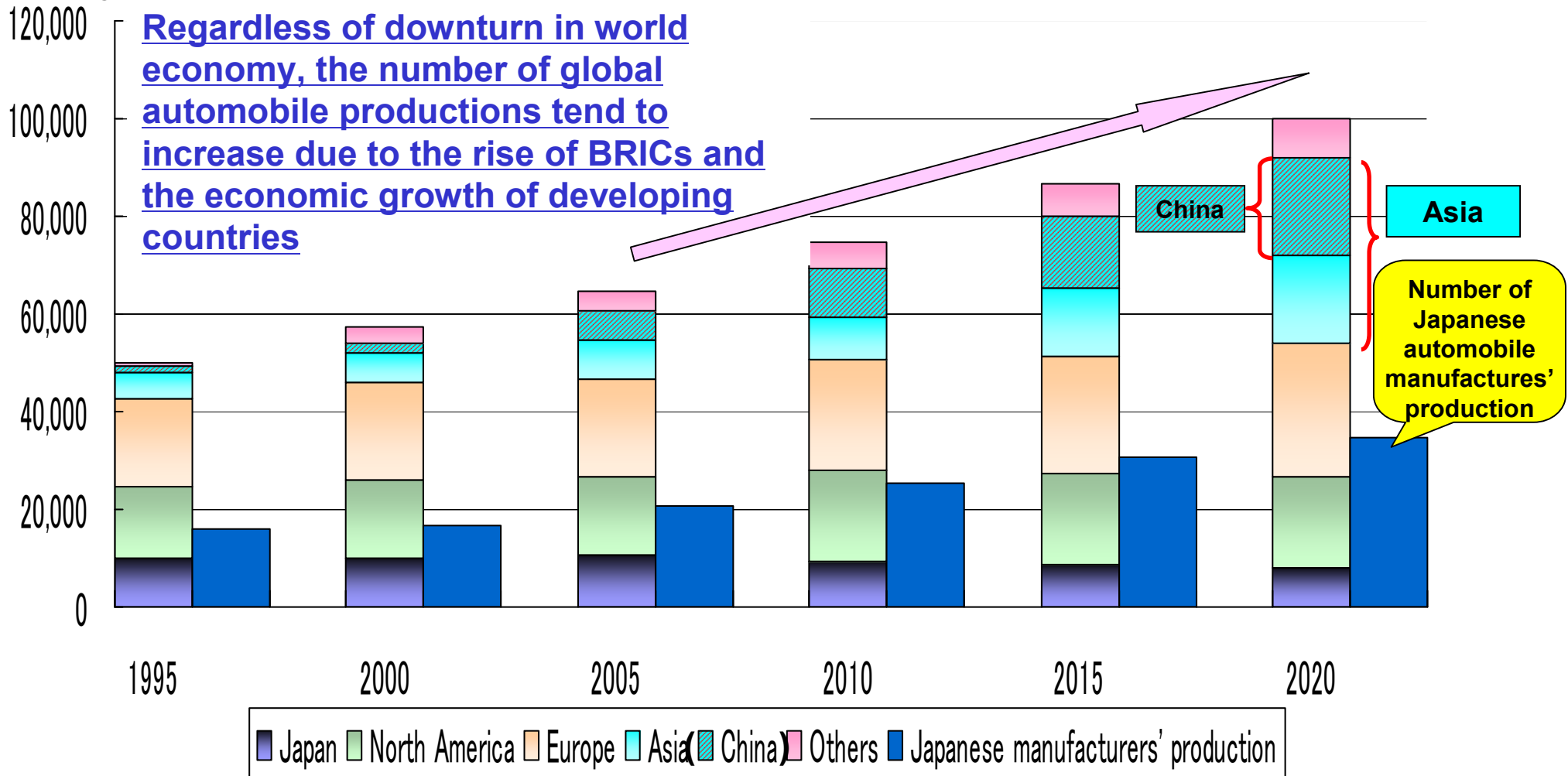
~ Environment and Issues surrounding the Automobile Industry ~

Number of Automobile Production

(thousands of cars / year)

Number of Global Automobile Production

Regardless of downturn in world economy, the number of global automobile productions tend to increase due to the rise of BRICs and the economic growth of developing countries



(Estimated by Toray based on the data of Japan Automobile Manufacturers Association, Inc. and FOURIN, Inc.)

~ Environment and Issues surrounding the Automobile Industry ~
Revolutionary Era of the Automobile Industry

Environment / Energy

CO2 reduction
Alternative energy , etc.

Safety / Comfort

Pre-crash safety system
relax / comfort, etc.

Information / Electronics

Advanced road information system
Electronic control / sensor, etc.

Weight
saving

Next
generation
power train

Non-
petrochemical-
based
materials

Car
electronics

**Revolutionary era
for materials**

Carbon fiber / Plastics , etc.

**Revolutionary era
for systems**

HEV/PHV/EV/FCV , etc.

**Increase of
electronic devices**

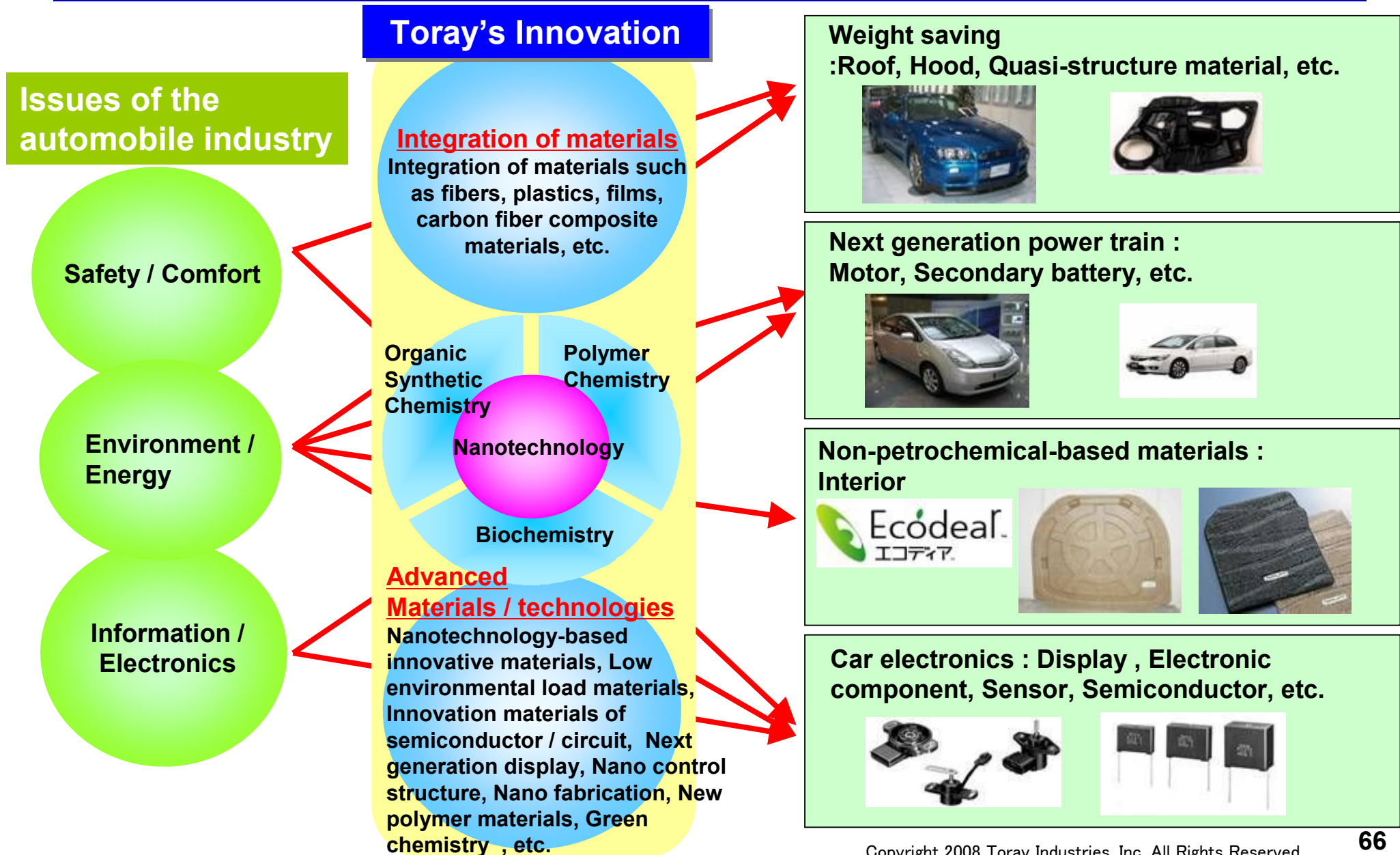
Semiconductor / ECU , etc.

Toray contributes to the automobile industry by advanced materials and technologies

Contents

- Toray Group's Involvement in the Automobile Industry
- Environment and Issues surrounding the Automobile Industry
- **Expansion Strategy of Automotive Business**

Main Items for Expansion of Automotive Business



Revolution of the Automobile Industry and Toray's Response

◆ Advancement of Weight Saving

◆ Diversification of power trains

◆ Expansion of application of Nonpetroleum-based materials

◆ Car electronics

Trend of the automobile industry

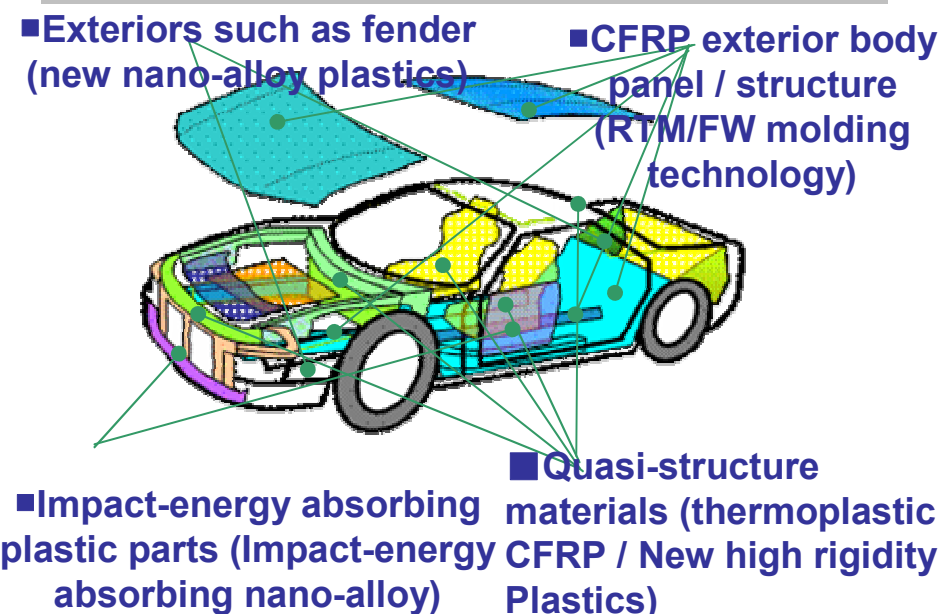
Automobile manufactures established weight saving projects and consider expansion of application of light weight materials such as high-tension steel, aluminum, plastics, carbon fiber composite materials, etc.

Weight Saving Project of Automobile Manufacturers

	Project	Goal
Toyota	Mass Innovation	Weight▲10% by 2011 (Midsize sedan)
Honda	Set by each car type	Weight saving goals are not explicitly shown (CO2▲10% by 2010)
Nissan	Vision 2015	Weight▲15% by 2015 (Average weight)
Mitsubishi	CLW30	Weight▲30% by 2010

Toray's strategy and corresponding materials and technologies

- Advances development of high performance plastics with nano-alloy
- Expands application of carbon fiber composite materials
- Integrates plastics and carbon fiber composite materials



Revolution of the Automotive Industry and Toray's Response

Innovation by Chemistry

◆ Advancement of Weight Saving

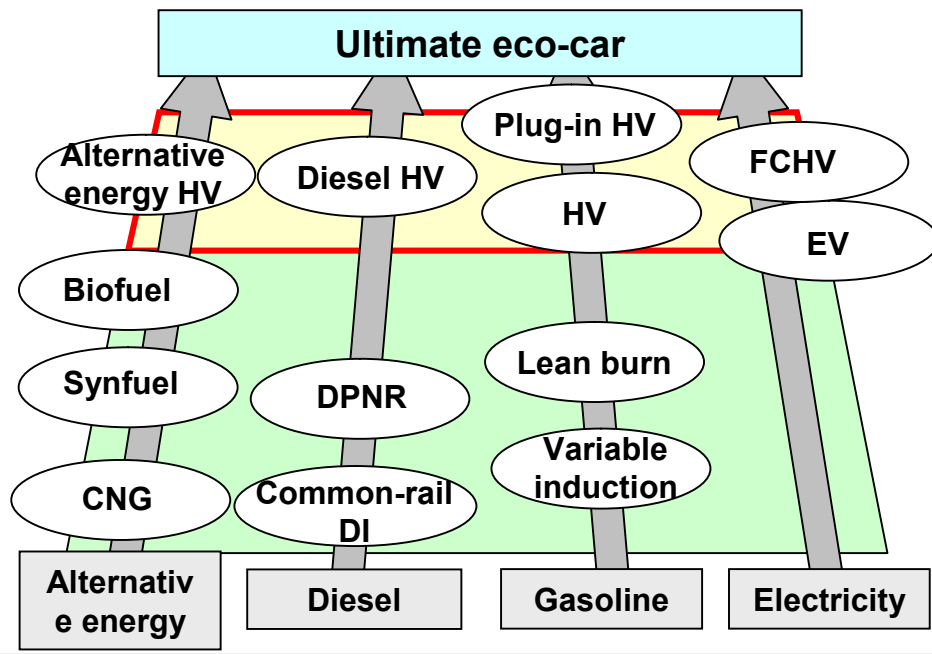
◆ Diversification of power trains

◆ Expansion of application of Nonpetroleum-based materials

◆ Car electronics

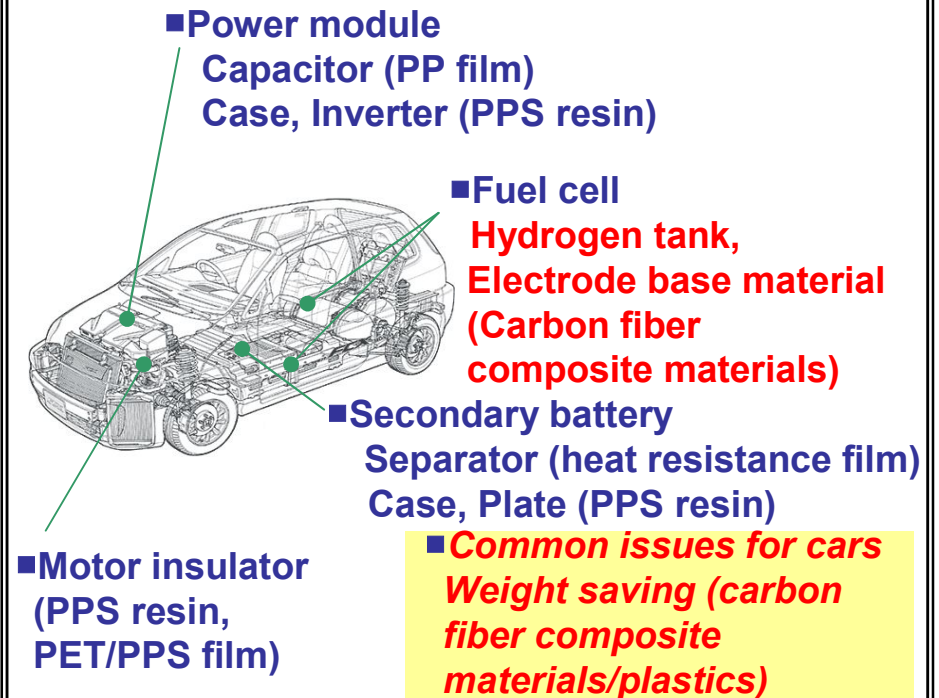
Trend of the automobile industry

- Automobile manufactures advance developments of several approaches such as clean diesel, alternative energy, HV, plug-in HV, electricity, fuel cell, etc.
- HV core technologies such as power module, motor, secondary battery, etc. are applicable to all approaches.



Toray's strategy and corresponding materials and technologies

- Advances materials for HV/EV core parts such as motor, secondary battery, etc.
- Expands materials for fuel cells



Revolution of the Automotive Industry and Toray's Response

◆ Advancement of Weight Saving

◆ Diversification of power trains

◆ Expansion of application of Nonpetroleum-based materials

◆ Car electronics

Trend of the automobile industry

- Toyota already adopted non-petrochemical-based materials for several parts.
- Other manufactures are also advancing the development of parts with non-petrochemical-based materials.

Toyota's applications



option mat

spare tire cover



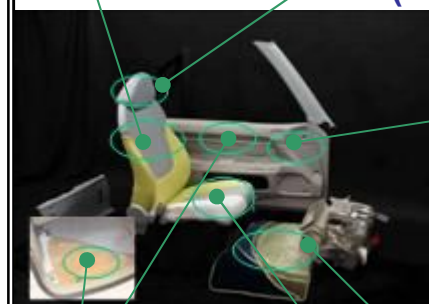
Toray's strategy and corresponding materials and technologies

- Expand applications of interior and exterior parts with non-petrochemical-based fibers, plastics and films
- Utilize advanced technologies such as nanotechnologies and new processing methods and advance improvement of properties, which is an issue to adopt non-petrochemical-based materials

car seat surface (FY textured yarn)

head rest materials (SF lamination)

plastics for exterior/interior, decorating films (nano-alloy, plant fiber reinforced)



Seat cushion material (SF lamination)

Spare tire cover /trim (kenaf/PLA-SF board)



option mat (BCF+PLA nonwoven fabric)

Revolution of the Automotive Industry and Toray's Response

◆ Advancement of Weight Saving

◆ Diversification of power trains

◆ Expansion of application of Nonpetroleum-based materials

◆ Car electronics

Trend of the automobile industry

- Car electronics become diversified to advance comfort with car navigation, large-volume information system, etc. and to improve safety with ABS, brake assist, millimeter-wave radar, etc.
- Car electronics corresponding to throttle control, engine control, HEV, EV, FCV advance.

Toray's strategy and corresponding materials and technologies

Expand applications of advanced materials and technologies such as display, semiconductor materials, electronic circuit materials, high performance films, which have been cultivated in IT fields, into automobiles.

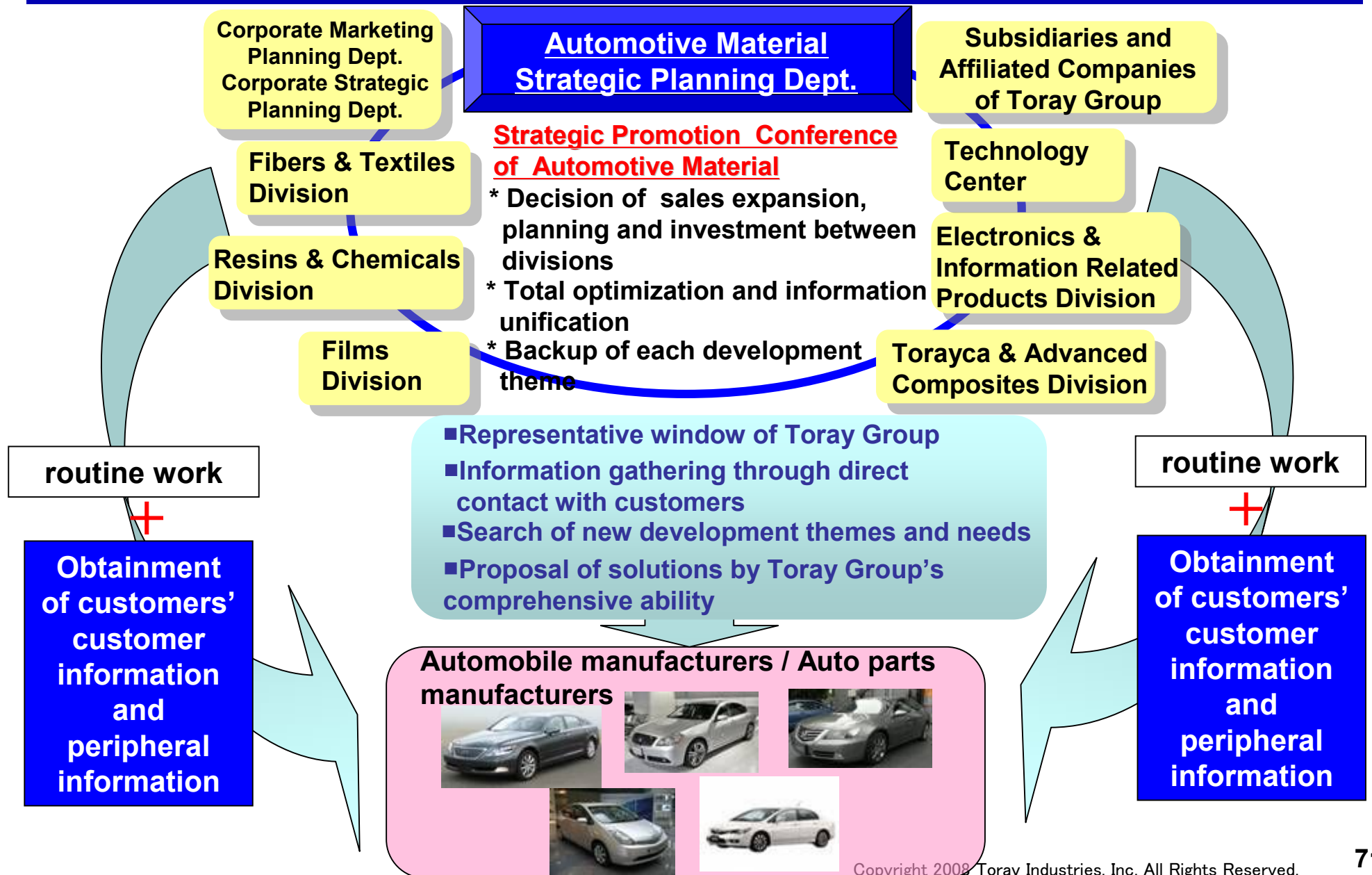
■ LCD meter, In-car display such as car navigation, etc. (Color filter, Organic EL-related materials, etc.)

■ Large-volume information system (Plastic optical fiber)



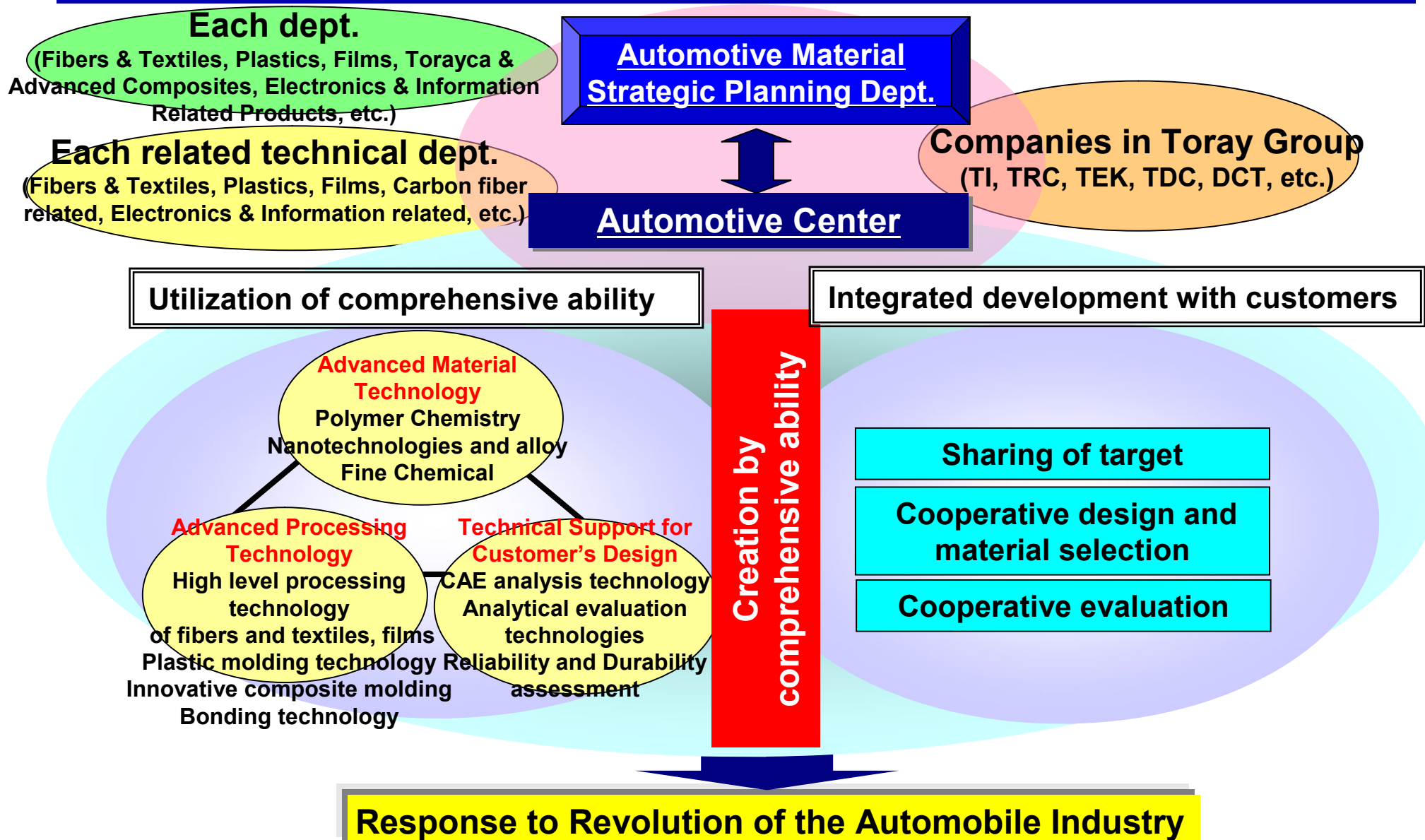
■ Sensors, Semiconductors (High performance resin, Next generation resist, Semiconductor packaging circuit board, etc.)





~ Expansion Strategy of Automotive Business ~

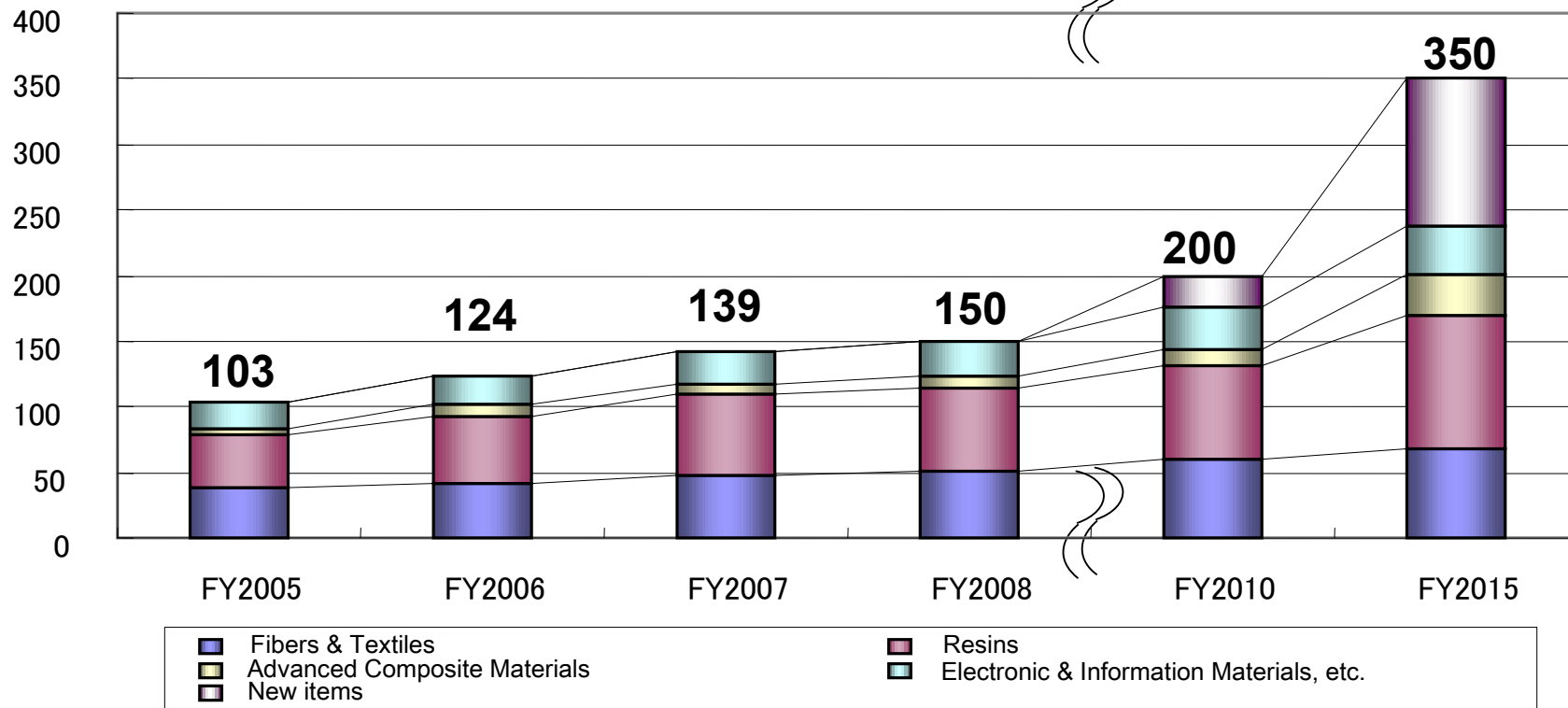
Automotive Material Strategic Planning Dept. and Automotive Center Innovation by Chemistry



Expansion Target of Automotive Materials Business Innovation by Chemistry

- ◆Expand sales of materials which Toray currently holds by making them high performance and high added-value.
- ◆Create new items which response to environment / energy, safety, comfort, car electronics with materials used in other applications, material integrations, advanced materials and technologies.
- ◆Help the automobile industry contribute to global environment with advanced materials and technologies

(Billion Yen)



Descriptions of predicted business results, projections and business plans contained in this material are based on assumptions and forecasts regarding the future business environment, made at the present time. The material in this presentation is not a guarantee of the Company's future business performance.