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## **Seminar on Exploring Collaboration Opportunities toward Decarbonized and Sustainable Society in India**

# **Introduction of JCM feasibility study scheme by METI and Key points for application**

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# PACIFIC CONSULTANTS

No.1 General Construction Consulting firm



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**2,200** Employee



Annual Turn Over: **JY54Billion**



Number for projects: **4,000/year**



# Our business field

Transportation



Urban Planning



Facility Engineering



Architecture



Environment and Energy



Land Conservation



Waste Management



Park PFI



PFI for Airport





Tokaido  
Shinkansen



Tanegashima  
Space Center



The metropolitan area outer  
underground discharge channel



Kyoto Mechanism  
Project



Tomei  
Highway



Honshu-Shikoku  
bridge express way



Re-expansion of Tokyo  
international airport

# Our history 1951-2023

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Shibuya  
Redevelopment Project



2009

Tohoku  
Reconstruction Project



2011

Design of highway  
in Yokohama



2015

Toyama St. TOD Project  
+ LRT Network Project



2017

Projects in Japan

2013



Development of the urban  
railway in Jakarta

2016



infrastructures in Myanmar

2021



Recovery project from  
cyclone Idai in Mozambique

Overseas Projects

# METI's support for the JCM partner countries

- METI supports the introduction of **advanced decarbonizing technologies through Demonstration Projects** which contribute to the decarbonization of the JCM partner countries.
- The project cost burdened by Japanese side is **100% supported by Japanese government (METI/NEDO).**

## Examples of past projects



Optimization in petroleum refining plant, Yokogawa Electric Corp. Indonesia



Energy-saving of mobile communications base transceiver stations, KDDI Corp. Indonesia

Total: 11 projects in 6 countries (As of July 2023)

## JCM Feasibility Study by METI



### Scope:

- Consider basic elements of the demonstration (technology, project site, stakeholders, etc.)
- Establish the basis of JCM methodology for quantification of the GHG emission reduction
- Study the possibility of dissemination of the introduced technology
- Project cost: 15 million JPY (approx. 116 thousand USD) per study

**Project period:** Up to 1 year

Assumed technical areas: Energy efficiency with IoT, EMS, Renewable energy, CCS/CCUS, Hydrogen/Ammonia, etc.

## JCM Demonstration Program by NEDO (\*)



### Scope:

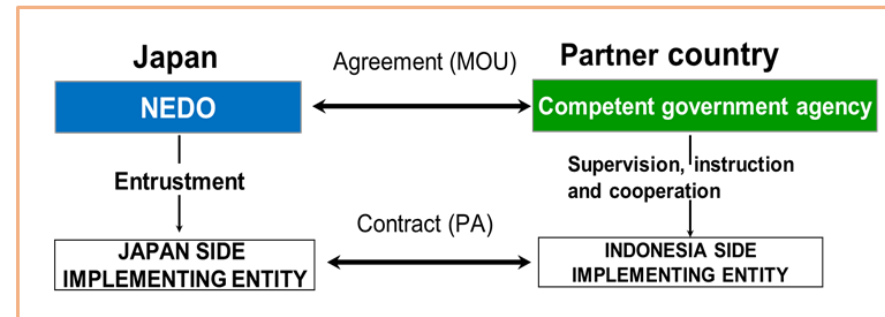
Demonstrate and verify the effectiveness of advanced decarbonizing technology:

- Introduction of relevant facilities and systems, and conduct demonstration
- Quantification of GHG emission reduction effectiveness
- JCM procedure toward issuance of JCM credits
- Budget for FY 2024: 0.7 billion JPY (approx. 4.7 million USD)

**Project period:** Pre-demonstration stage: up to 1 year

Demonstration stage: up to 3 year

Follow-Up Project stage: up to 2 year



\* NEDO = New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization

Source:  
Ministry of  
Economy, Trade  
and Industry



経済産業省 令和5年度  
二国間クレジット取得等のためのインフラ整備調査  
(JCM実現可能性調査)  
企画提案の公募説明会資料

Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, Japan  
Call for FY2024 JCM Feasibility Study  
Briefing for proposal

公募期間：令和5年4月24日（月）～5月26日（金）正午  
Open from 24 April 2024 to 12:00 PM 26 May 2024

**\*This presentation is based on  
the JCMFS application guideline for FY2024 (Only in Japanese).  
<https://jcmfs.meti.go.jp/>**

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# 1. Purpose of the JCM FS

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## □ Purpose

Examining the feasibility of a project to **commercialize** decarbonization technology(ies) and product(s) by Japanese and/or other entities, and to realize GHG emission reductions and **JCM credits issuance by utilizing the Joint Crediting Mechanism (JCM)**.

As an exit strategy of JCM FS, it is expected to **apply for either the NEDO JCM Demonstration scheme** or **Private JCM scheme** after completion of your proposed JCMFS.

\*Note:

NEDO JCM Demonstration is financed by NEDO.

Private JCM is “JCM project that is financed by private sector”.

## 2. Target countries, technologies and products

### □ Target countries

Current JCM partner countries  
and prospective partner countries.

### □ Target technologies/products



Current JCM partner countries

Source: JCM Introduction of the Joint Crediting Mechanism (JCM) & Financing Programme for JCM Model Projects

### **Energy-derived CO2 emission reduction is necessary:**

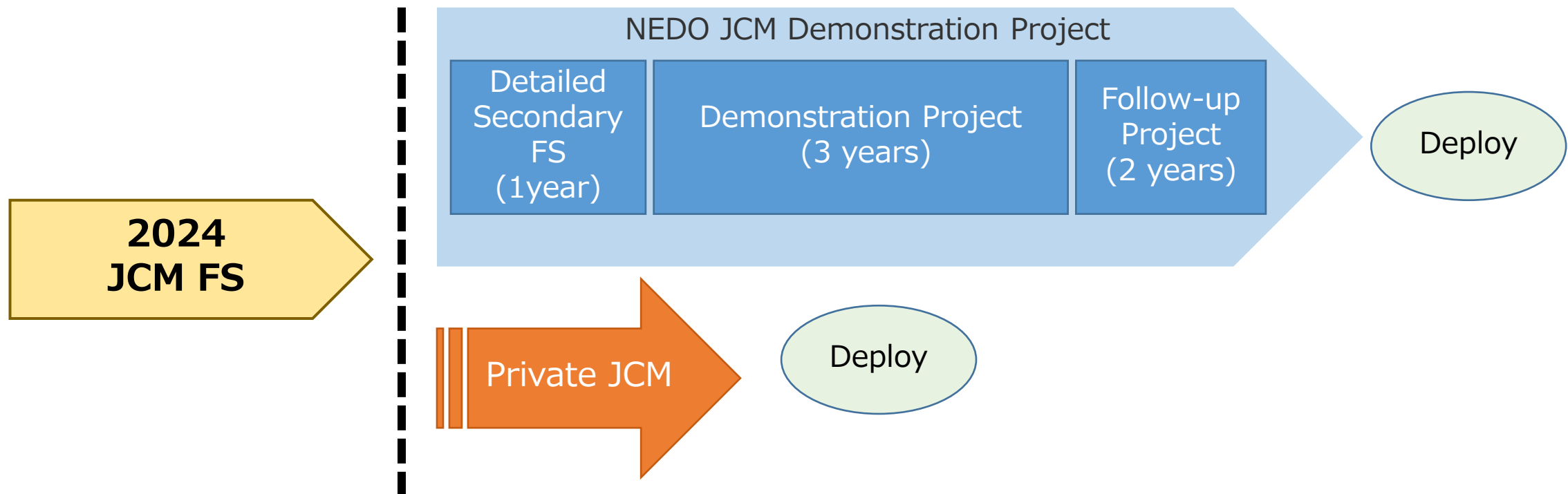
- ✓ Reduction of energy-derived CO2 emissions through the use of superior decarbonization technologies is necessary, and contribution to issue JCM credits in partner countries that have signed or perspective partner countries.

### **GHG Emission reduction should be calculated in a quantitative manner:**

- ✓ GHG emission reductions shall be calculated in a quantitative manner. Applicant have to consider existing JCM methodology or propose a new JCM methodology. While no clear threshold for amount of GHG emission reductions will be set, priority may be given to proposals that are expected to achieve larger GHG emission reductions.

### 3. Expected exit strategies after the JCM FS

- Exit strategy
  - NEDO JCM Demonstration Project, or
  - Private JCM project



### 3. Expected exit strategies after the JCM FS

Differences in target technologies and assumed GHG emission reductions by each exit strategy.

Exit strategy	NEDO JCM Demonstration Project	Private JCM
Target Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>① The technology <b><u>to be demonstrated must be a Japanese low-carbon technology or system owned by the proposer</u></b>, and there <b><u>must be technical issues to be overcome</u></b> in order to promote the technology or system in the partner country. The demonstration is necessary to overcome such technical issues.</li> <li>② The demonstration project is expected to have <b><u>fossil energy-derived CO2 emission reductions</u></b>.</li> <li>③ The demonstration project is expected to have <b><u>quantifiable GHG emission reductions</u></b>.</li> <li>④ The dissemination strategy for proposed technology/system must be concrete and highly feasible.</li> <li>⑤ The demonstration plan must be appropriately prepared as an effective means of overcoming the technical issues identified in ①.</li> </ul>	<p>There are no restrictions on the target technologies if the introduction of superior decarbonization technologies that contribute to GHG emission reductions and absorption by private enterprises in Japan is financed by the private enterprises themselves.</p> <p>*Note that the target of JCM FS is the introduction of technologies that contribute to the reduction of energy-based CO2 emissions.</p>
Assumed GHG emission reductions	<p>JCM credits of <b><u>1,000 t-CO2 or more are expected during the monitoring period of the demonstration project</u></b>, and emission reductions of <b><u>10,000 t-CO2 or more per year during the period of diffusion and deployment</u></b> after the demonstration project is completed.</p>	<p>No specific criteria are set.</p>

※ Both JCM Demonstration Project and Private JCM are only applicable for JCM Partner countries.

## 4. Research items on the the JCM FS

	Items	Example of Survey Details
1	<b>Research related policy and institutional trends in a proposed country</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Research trends of policies related to FS in a partner country.</li> </ul>
2	<b>Research socio-economic situation and market trends in a proposed country</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Understand socio-economic situation, market trends and local needs for proposed systems/technologies in a partner country.</li> </ul>
3	<b>Analyse issues and countermeasures against JCM project formation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Identify and analyze issues against project commercialization utilizing JCM (business risks, bottlenecks for dissemination, etc.) as well as countermeasures to be taken for JCM project formation .</li> </ul>
4	<b>Draft a GHG emission reduction methodology and calculate GHG emission reductions by introducing proposed technology(ies)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Draft a GHG emission reduction methodology utilizing JCM methodology format and calculate GHG emission reduction potential for a proposed JCM project idea.</li> </ul>
5	<b>Share a proposed JCM project idea with stakeholders</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Discuss with government officials and business partners and related stakeholders on a proposed JCM project.</li> </ul>
6	<b>Identify remaining issues and analyze solution for JCM project formation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Based on the results of JCM FS, identify remaining issues to be solved for JCM project formation from political, economical, social and technical perspectives, and consider their solutions.</li> </ul>
7	<b>Draft a Project Idea Note (PIN) for JCM project registration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Based on the results of JCM FS, draft a PIN.</li> </ul>



## 5. JCM FS budget and eligibilities for application

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❑ **Type** : Entrustment from JCMFS secretariat

❑ **Schedule : from Contract date to 7 February 2024**

Schedule of open call for proposal in 2024:

1st call from 22 April to 24 May 2024 (7 projects approved). Contract date: middle July.

2nd call from 22 July to 23 August 2024 (7 projects approved). Contract date: late September.

3rd call from 21 October to 1 November 2024 (1 projects approved). Contract date: middle November

❑ **Budget** : **Maximum 15 million JPY (tax excluded)/proposal**

= approx. 100,000 USD/proposal (1USD=150JPY)

= approx. 8.5 million INR/proposal (1INR=1.75JPY)

❑ **One of eligibilities for applicants :**

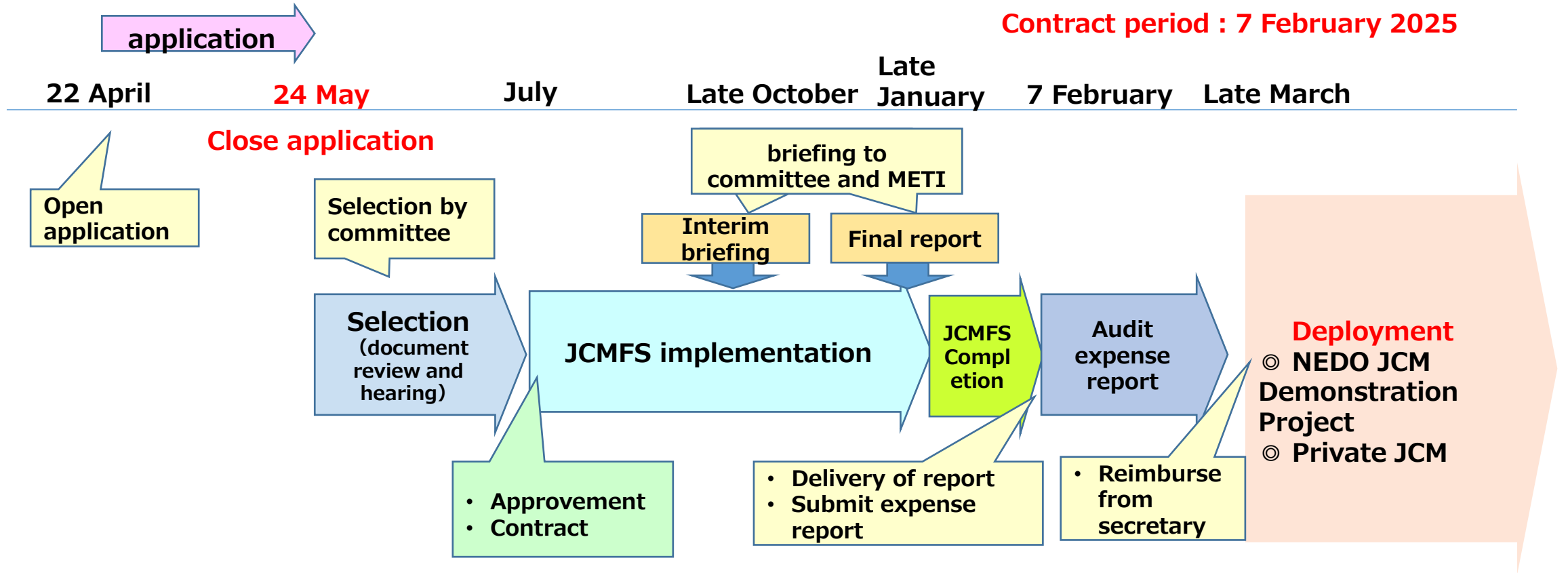
✓ Having a parent company in Japan.

✓ Japanese parent company's overseas subsidiary is also able to apply.

\*Note: All documents for application must be in Japanese.

# 6. Schedule (in case of 1<sup>st</sup> call application in FY2024)

Contract period : 7 February 2025





# Feasibility Studies and Detailed/Secondary Feasibility Study: (FY 2023)

## Moldova:

- Bio-gasification using ethanol distillation residues in the Republic of Moldova (SDG Impact Japan Inc.)

## Uzbekistan:

- Introduction of solar power generation and storage batteries, and boiler fuel conversion in public hospitals in Uzbekistan (Hanwa Co., Ltd.)

## United Arab Emirates:

- Project to reduce GHG emissions in the United Arab Emirates (Emirate of Abu Dhabi) by introducing electric, hydrogen, and other low-carbon emission vehicles for public transportation mobility and by introducing a system for monitoring and improving the efficiency of operations (SMOC) (Zenmov Inc)

## Thailand:

- Utilization of highly efficient dyeing technology in textile dyeing process (Asahi Kasei Corp.)
- Feasibility study for JCM project implementation of biomass boiler utilization with private sector funding (Tepia Corporation Japan)
- ★ Feasibility Study for Demonstration of Fuel Cell (FC) Truck Technology for Low-Carbon Medium- and Long-Distance Overland Freight Transport (Toyota Tsusho Corporation)

## Indonesia:

- Improvement of biodiesel yield from palm oil by utilizing AI (Kanematsu Corporation)
- The study of stock-based peatland water management technology for a stable supply of woody biomass (Sumitomo Forestry Co., Ltd.)
- ★ Low carbon technology project by introducing plasma heating equipment in Indonesia (NIPPON STEEL ENGINEERING CO., LTD.)

## Mongolia:

- Switching fuel for heating boilers to biochar in Ulaanbaatar (PEAR Carbon Offset Initiative, Ltd.)

## Lao PDR:

- Decarbonization of steam by systemization of hydrogen generators and hydrogen boilers in Lao PDR (Hitachi Zosen Corporation)

## Vietnam:

- Integrated energy management and data platform in industrial parks (Sojitz Corporation)
- Feasibility Study on JCM Credit Creation Through Fuel Conversion in Vietnam (erex Co., Ltd.)
- ★ Demonstration Project on Wastewater Heat Recovery and Geothermal Heat Utilization Technology (Asano Taiseikiso Engineering Co., Ltd.)

## Brazil:

- Conversion of production process of caustic soda and chlorine in Federative Republic of Brazil (AGC Inc.)

## Chile:

- Chemical goods/synthetic fuel production using CO2 emitted from pulp mill as a raw material (Toyo Engineering Corporation)

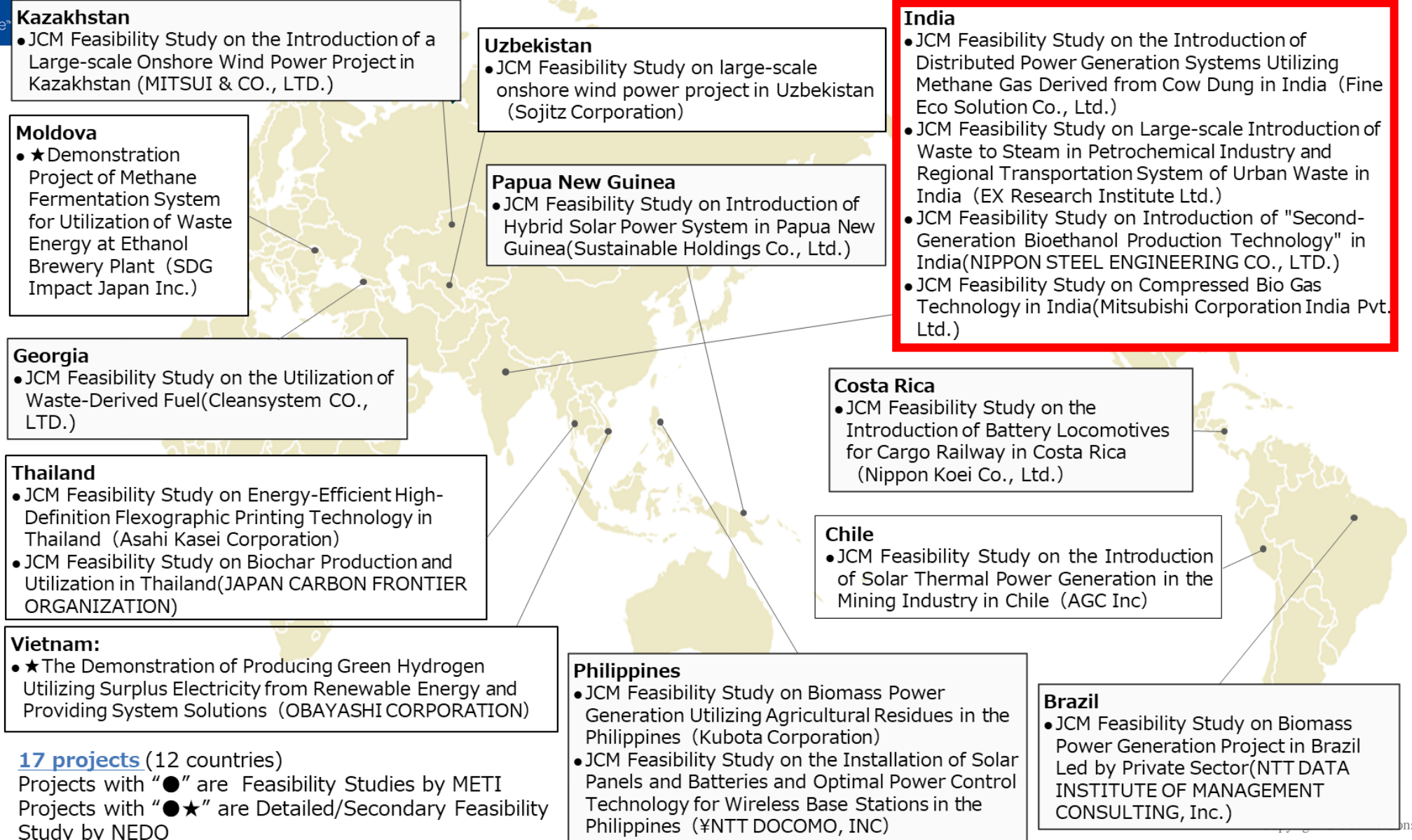
## Philippines:

- Study on GHG emission reduction and economic feasibility by the introduction of combined distributed renewable energy resources into poultry cooperatives in the Philippines (J-POWER)

Total as of 2023: **17 projects** (11 countries)  
 Projects with "●" are Feasibility Studies by METI  
 Projects with "●★" are Detailed/Secondary Feasibility Study by NEDO

Source: Ministry of Economy,  
Trade and Industry 17

# Feasibility Studies and Detailed/Secondary Feasibility Study: (FY 2024)



Distributed Biogas

Waste to Steam

2<sup>nd</sup>-G Bioethanol

CBG

Source: Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry

**17 projects** (12 countries)

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## Feasibility Studies in India: (FY 2024)

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- JCM Feasibility Study on the Introduction of Distributed Power Generation Systems Utilizing Methane Gas Derived from Cow Dung in India (Fine Eco Solution Co., Ltd.)
- JCM Feasibility Study on Large-scale Introduction of Waste to Steam in Petrochemical Industry and Regional Transportation System of Urban Waste in India (EX Research Institute Ltd.)
- JCM Feasibility Study on Introduction of "Second-Generation Bioethanol Production Technology" in India (NIPPON STEEL ENGINEERING CO., LTD.)
- JCM Feasibility Study on Compressed Bio Gas Technology in India (Mitsubishi Corporation India Pvt. Ltd.)

# If you have any JCM FS project idea, please contact to the secretariat!

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■If you have a project idea that may be applicable to JCM FS, Please download the information sheet and send it to us → [jcmfs-sec@tk.pacific.co.jp](mailto:jcmfs-sec@tk.pacific.co.jp)

➤Information sheet

➤<https://pckk.box.com/s/qz97pm7688496v3v7pt2y1p5pqag7y1p>

File : 【記入用】 将来的なJCMFSに繋がる可能性のある案件候補情報, or  
[Please fill in] Project information sheet for JCMFS

# Useful Links

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- JCM Official Website (incl. Rules and Guidelines, Methodologies for each partner country)
  - <https://www.jcm.go.jp/>
  
- About JCM
  - <http://carbon-markets.env.go.jp/index.html>
  - <http://carbon-markets.env.go.jp/eng/>
  
- Guidance for the Development of Private-Sector JCM Projects
  - (Japanese) [https://www.meti.go.jp/policy/energy\\_environment/global\\_warming/jcm/pdf/private\\_secor\\_JCM\\_guidance\\_all\\_202403.pdf](https://www.meti.go.jp/policy/energy_environment/global_warming/jcm/pdf/private_secor_JCM_guidance_all_202403.pdf)
  - (English) [https://www.meti.go.jp/english/press/2023/0328\\_002.html](https://www.meti.go.jp/english/press/2023/0328_002.html)
  
- 2024 JCM-FS website for application (No English website)
  - <https://jcmfs.meti.go.jp/>

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