

# International contributions of "FutureCity"Yokohama

City of YOKOHAMA



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### Location of Yokohama

Located in the Tokyo Metropolitan Region, the largest metropolis in the world





Population: 3,7 million (Apr. 2012) Households:1.6 million Japan's second largest city

	(tens of thousand people)2011 IMF			
1	China	1,348.12		
10	Japan	127.82		
123	Liberia	3.88		
124	Kuwait	3.68		

GDP \$150.0 billion USD(2009)

(Billion USD)2009 IMF

49	New Zealand	161.8	
50	Hungary	138.0	

Area 434.98 km2



## DVD "Yokohama Smart Innovation" (3 minutes)

## Future complex problems in Yokohama

### Increase of GHG emission

- Rapid population growth(3.5 times that of 60 years ago)
- Population in Yokohama expected to increase until 2020

#### **Estimated GHG emission in Yokohama**



### Super aging at rapid pace Yokohama to face super aging society around 2012 with a rate of more than 21%

Population over 65
in Yokohama exceeds
1 million in 2025





### "FutureCity" Yokohama





- City-wide implementation of a "Smart City" initiative for drastic CO<sub>2</sub> reduction
- Provision of service packages that offer what buyers need

Establishment of a community energy management system (CEMS) accenture MEIDEN NISSAN Panasonic

 Establishing a large-scale energy network to balance demand and supply and facilitate mutual support

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Leading Innovation >>>

 Supporting a large-scale introduction of renewable energy sources to ensure the continuity of urban activity following a disaster



Note) HEMS: Home Energy Management System BEMS: Building and Energy Management System CEMS: Community Energy Management System

#### Water issue

Supporting the launch of overseas water Introducing the advanced urban businesses through collaboration between infrastructure technology overse the public and private sectors

Yokohama Water Business Conference 133 companies and organization + Yokohama

Use of various technologies and knowhow of Yokohama to support the launch of businesses overseas



Yokohama establishes its own brand of water and wastewater treatment service. Yokohama takes an initiative in launching an overseas water business.

- infrastructure technology overseas
  In Vietnam, collaborate with JICA to establish a framework for supporting human resource
  - development and practical training for water supply companies in 17 provinces and cities.
- A company founded by the municipal water department offers consultation to business enterprises about conducting business overseas, and accept

trainees.





### Super-aging

 Friendly hometown community where people of all generations -from children to elderly- feel connected and live in security.

Supporting people spending most of their time at home by strengthening the connection between a community network of all people living in the community and public services.

#### Sustainable residential area model project

Provide excellent livelihood support by improving access to train stations from large housing complexes and residential quarters located along the railroad line, providing easy access to schools, healthcare and welfare services.



Grant various privileges to elderly people for participating in lessons and events. Provide elderly people with enjoyable opportunities for maintenance of health and activities in the communities.



The Emperor, Empress and Mayor of Yokohama encouraged senior citizens that support the elderly in volunteer activity.

### "Creativity"

- Launch a Yokohama brand that is built on high quality culture and arts
- -Establishing Yokohama's international status as the location for MICE.
- Taking advantage of the resources of Yokohama (sea, ports, cultural assets, urban spaces) to revitalize the local economy, encourage creativity, and achieve an urban renaissance



energy conservation technology + art = Smart illumination

Demonstration run of F1 car in Motomachi street, Yokohama





Exchange between the residents of Yokohama and the Brazil supporters at 2002 FIFA World Cup Korea/Japan

#### APEC JAPAN 2010 Yokohama is the venue of the meeting



### "Challenges"

 Special zone for integrated international strategy for life innovation in Keihin waterfront areas (selected by Government) Creating an internationally competitive life science center.
 ORIKEN Yokohama Institute OYokohama City University Tsurumi Campus OYokohama Bio Industry Center, OYokohama Biopharmaceutical Research & Development Center

Special urban renaissance districts requiring urgent upgrades

(selected by Government)



Encourage global companies to establish Asian headquarters in Yokohama and implement urban renaissance to attract more companies, thereby becoming an economic leader in Japan and creating new business opportunities.





Provisions of Reconstruction Assistance to Devastated Area

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### The Evaluation of the City of Yokohama



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<u>The first 6 " Eco 2 Cities"</u> <u>Yokohama(Japan)</u>,Brisbane(Australia) Curitiba(Brazil), Stockholm(Sweden), Singapore, Auckland(New Zealand)

C40: Member of the international Group for environmental issue



First winner of the World Smart City Awards in Barcelona, Spain (2011)



Exchanging memorandums with the City of Cebu, the Philippines(2012)



