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To All Missions (Embassies, Consular posts and International Organizations in Japan)

Report on the discharge record and the seawater monitoring results at Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station during September

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs wishes to provide all international Missions in Japan with a report on the discharge record and seawater monitoring results with regard to groundwater pumped from the sub-drain and groundwater drain systems, as well as, bypassing groundwater pumped during the month of September at Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station (NPS).

1. Summary of decommissioning and contaminated water management

In September the summary of monthly progress on decommissioning and contaminated water management of Fukushima Daiichi NPS was issued shown in Appendix 1. For more information, please see the following URL: <https://www.meti.go.jp/english/earthquake/nuclear/decommissioning/pdf/mp202309.pdf>

2. Sub-drain and Groundwater Drain Systems

In September purified groundwater pumped from the sub-drain and groundwater drain systems was discharged on the dates shown in Appendix 2. Prior to every discharge, an analysis on the quality of the purified groundwater to be discharged was conducted by Tokyo Electric Power Company (TEPCO) and the results were announced.

All the test results during the month of September have confirmed that the radiation levels of sampled water were substantially below the operational targets set by TEPCO (these operational targets are well below the density limit specified by the Reactor Regulation). The results of these analyses were also confirmed by third-party organization (Tohoku Ryokka Kankyohozen Co.).

In addition, TEPCO and Japan Atomic Energy Agency (JAEA), at the request of the Government of Japan, regularly conduct more detailed analyses on the purified groundwater. The results of JAEA's latest analyses confirmed that TEPCO's analyses were accurate and verified that the radiation levels of sampled groundwater was substantially below the operational target (see Appendix 3).

Moreover, TEPCO publishes the results of analyses conducted on seawater sampled during the discharge operation at the nearest seawater sampling post from the discharge point (see Appendix 4). The results show that the radiation levels of seawater remain lower than the density limit specified by the Reactor Regulation and significant change in the radioactivity has not been observed.

3. Groundwater Bypassing

In September, the pumped bypassing groundwater was discharged on the dates shown in Appendix 5. Prior to every discharge, an analysis on the quality of the groundwater to be discharged was conducted by TEPCO and the results were announced.

All the test results during the month of September have confirmed that the radiation levels of sampled water were substantially below the operational targets set by TEPCO (these operational targets are well below the density limit specified by the Reactor Regulation). The results of these analyses were also confirmed by Japan Chemical Analysis Center.

In addition, TEPCO and JAEA, at the request of the Government of Japan, regularly conduct more detailed analyses on the groundwater. The results of JAEA's latest analyses confirmed that TEPCO's analyses were accurate and verified that the radiation levels of the sampled groundwater were substantially below the operational target (see Appendix 6).

Moreover, TEPCO publishes analysis results on seawater sampled during the discharge operation at the nearest seawater sampling post from the discharge point (see Appendix 7). The result shows that the radiation levels in seawater remain lower than the density limit specified by the Reactor Regulation and significant change in the radioactivity has not been observed. The analysis had been conducted once a month until March 2017. Since April 2017, it is conducted four times a year because there has been no significant fluctuation in the concentration of radioactive materials in the sea water, and no influence on the surrounding environment has been confirmed.

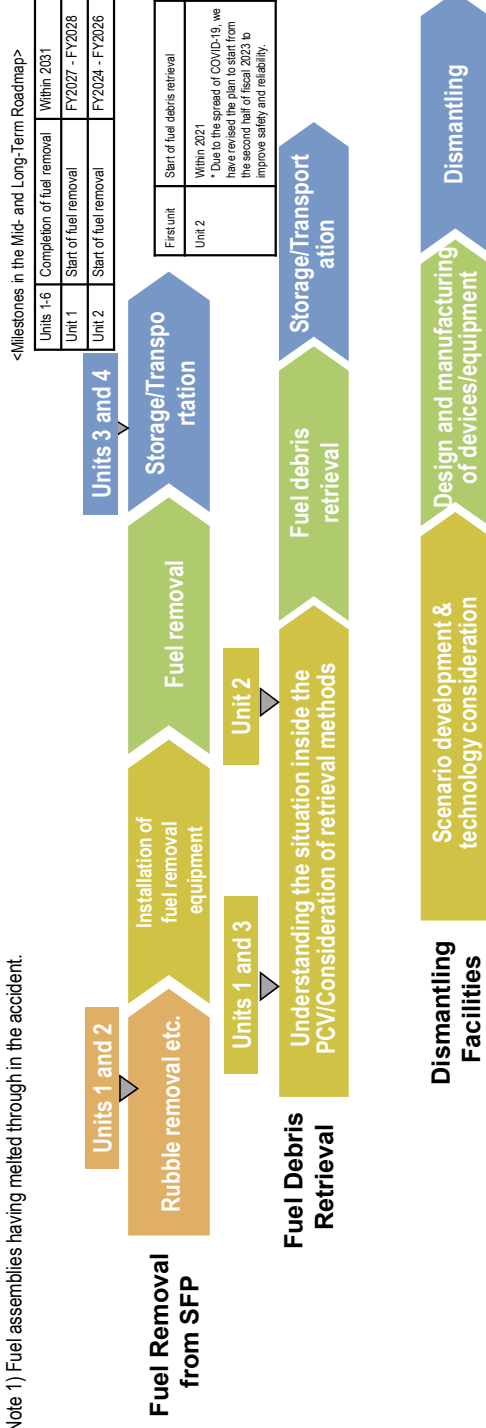
The sampling process for analyses conducted this month is the same as the one conducted in the information disseminated last month. Results of the analyses are shown in the attached appendices:

(For further information, please contact TEPCO at (Tel: 03-6373-1111) or refer to the TEPCO's website:<http://www.tepco.co.jp/en/nu/fukushima-np/handouts/index-e.html>
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Main decommissioning work and steps

Fuel removal from the spent fuel pool was completed in December 2014 at Unit 4 and on February 28, 2021 at Unit 3. Work continues sequentially toward the start of fuel removal from Units 1 and 2 and debris (Note 1) retrieval from Units 1-3.

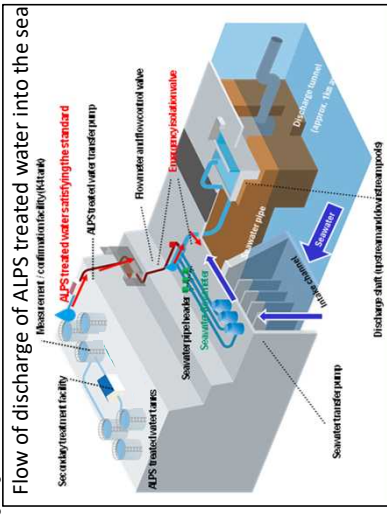
(Note 1) Fuel assemblies having melted through in the accident.



Measures for treated water

Handling of ALPS treated water

Regarding the discharge of ALPS treated water into the sea, TEPCO must comply with regulatory and other safety standards to safeguard the public, the surrounding environment and agricultural, forestry and fishery products. To minimize adverse impacts on reputation, monitoring will be further enhanced and objectivity and transparency ensured by engaging with third-party experts and having safety checked by the IAEA. Moreover, accurate information will be disseminated with full transparency on an ongoing basis.



Contaminated water management - triple-pronged efforts -

(1) Efforts to promote contaminated water management based on the three basic policies
 ① "Remove" the source of water contamination
 ② "Redirect" fresh water from contaminated areas
 ③ "Retain" contaminated water from leakage

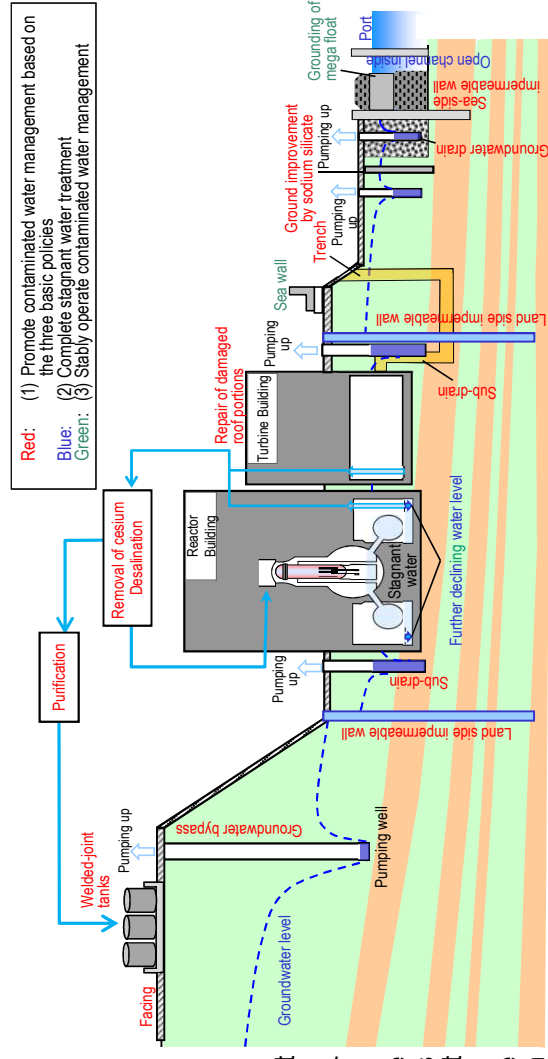
- Strontium-reduced water from other equipment is being re-treated in the Advanced Liquid Processing System (ALPS; multi-nuclide removal equipment) and stored in welded-joint tanks.
- Multi-layered contaminated water management measures, including land side impermeable walls and sub-drains, has stabilized the groundwater at a low level, and the increased contaminated water generated during rainfall is being suppressed by repairing damaged portions of building roofs facing onsite. Through these measures, the generation of contaminated water was reduced from approx. 540 m³/day (in May 2014) to approx. 130 m³/day (in FY2021).
- Measures continue to further suppress the generation of contaminated water to 100 m³/day or less within 2025.

(2) Efforts to complete stagnant water treatment

- To reduce the stagnant water levels in buildings as planned, work to install additional stagnant water transfer equipment is underway.
- In 2020, treatment of stagnant water in buildings was completed, except for the Unit 1-3 Reactor Buildings, Process Main Building and High-Temperature Incinerator Building.
- While conducting the dust impact assessment, measures to reduce the stagnant water level were implemented. In March 2023, the target water level in each building was achieved. For the Units 1-3 Reactor Buildings, "reducing stagnant water in the Reactor Buildings to about half the amount at the end of 2020 during the period FY2022-2024" was achieved.
- For zeolite sandbags on the basement floors of the Process Main Building and High-Temperature Incinerator Building, measures to reduce the radiation dose are being examined with stabilization in mind.

(3) Efforts to stably operate contaminated water management

- Various measures were carried out to prepare for tsunamis. As countermeasures for heavy rain, sandbags are being installed to suppress direct inflow into buildings while work to close openings in buildings and install sea walls to enhance drainage channels and other measures are being implemented as planned.



Progress Status and Future Challenges of the Mid-and-Long-Term Roadmap toward Decommissioning of TEPCO Holdings Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station (Outline)

Progress status

- The temperatures of the Reactor and the Primary Containment Vessel of Units 1-3 have been maintained stable. There was no significant change in the concentration of radioactive materials newly released from Reactor Buildings into the air. It was concluded that the comprehensive cold shutdown condition had been maintained.

Status of discharge of ALPS treated water into the sea

From August 24, 2023, discharge of ALPS treated water from Tank Group B of the measurement / confirmation facility into the sea commenced.

Regarding tritium in seawater, the results of the daily quick analysis conducted by TEPCO showed that the discharge satisfied the requirement and was conducted safely as planned. On September 11, the 1st discharge into the sea was completed. (Discharge amount 7,788 m³)

Subsequently, an external visual inspection of entire ALPS treated water dilution / discharge facility and other check was performed to confirm no abnormality.

In addition, based on the analytical results of Tank Group C of the measurement / confirmation facility, for which the 2nd discharge was scheduled, it was confirmed by TEPCO and external organization that the discharge requirement had been satisfied. Toward the 2nd discharge, preparation proceeds with safety as the top priority.

Unit 1 Status of measures to strengthen the PCV confinement function

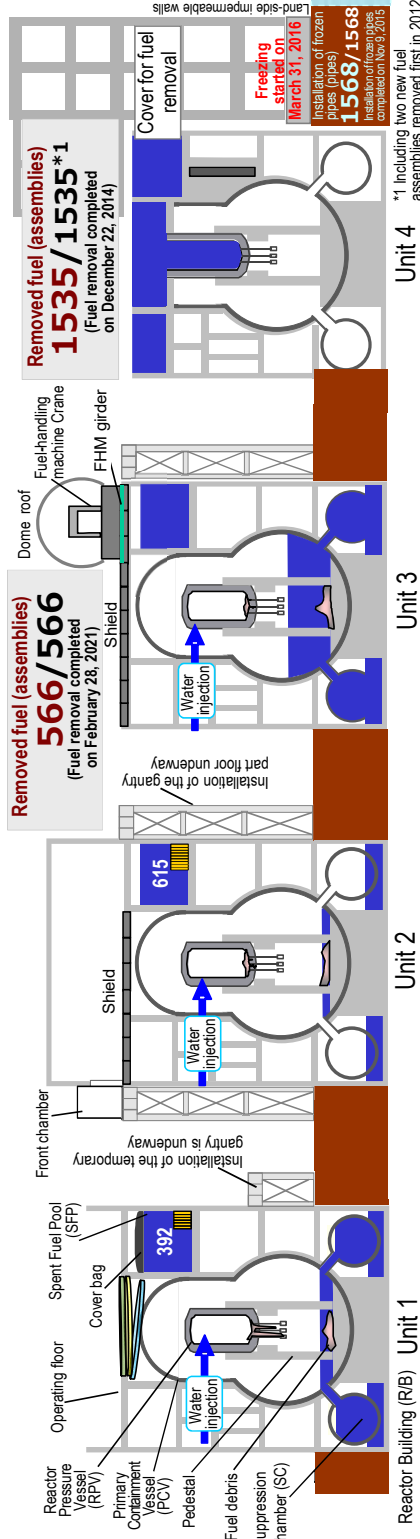
During past internal investigations of the Unit 1 Primary Containment Vessel (PCV), damage to the pedestal was confirmed. TEPCO considers it unlikely to lead to significant damage and believes that even if the Reactor Pressure Vessel (RPV) were to lean or sink, there would be no significant risk of radiation exposure from radioactive dust generated in the PCV due to the leaning or sinking of the RPV.

On the other hand, in response to the assumption that dust in the PCV may increase due to abnormal occurrences attributable to earthquakes, measures to strengthen the confinement function are being examined.

For this examination, tests to change the rates of nitrogen injection into the PCV and exhaust and terminate nitrogen injection will be conducted. Moreover, an operation to terminate the nitrogen injection at the time of earthquakes with a seismic intensity of lower 6 or higher (AL earthquake) will commence.

Attributes of the treated water from Tank Group B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Concentration of the 29 types of radionuclides within the measurement / evaluation scope and regulatory requirements (sum of the ratios of concentration: 0.28) Concentration of tritium: 140,000 Bq/L
Downstream of discharge shaft and seawater pipe header	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Below 1,500 Bq/L, the value stipulated by the national government in the "Basic Policy on handling of ALPS treated water", and therefore there was no problem.
Seawater monitoring results conducted at ten points within 3km of the power station (TEPCO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It was confirmed that the analytical value was below the discharge suspension level (700 Bq/L) and investigation level (350 Bq/L) and therefore there was no problem.
Results of quick measurement by each organization (as of September 26)	<p>Ministry of the Environment: The analytical results of seawater, sampled at 11 sampling points off the coast of Fukushima Prefecture showed that it would have no adverse impact on human health and the environment.</p> <p>Fisheries Agency: A quick analysis of tritium in flounder showed that they were below the lower detection limit.</p> <p>Fukushima Prefecture: The tritium concentrations in seawater measured at nine sampling points off the coast of Fukushima Prefecture were verified as having no adverse impact on human health and the environment.</p>

< Measurement status for the first discharge of ALPS treated water >
(* Detailed information described on the right on Page.5 >



Unit 2 Work to reduce the radiation dose of reactor instrumentation pipes toward PCV internal investigation

To reduce the radiation dose in work areas of the internal investigation of the Reactor Pressure Vessel (RPV) using existing Unit 2 instrumentation pipes of Unit 2, pipes of RPV penetrations were cleaned from August 30 to September 26.

Consequently, the air dose rate near the penetrations declined. Moreover, no clogging in pipes that may affect the RPV internal investigation was detected.

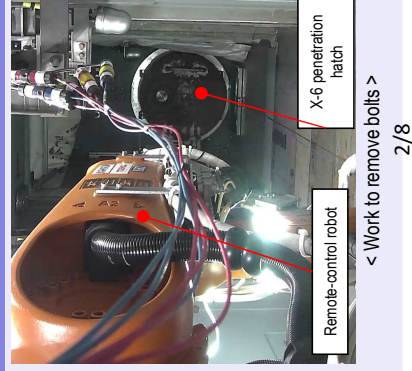
The next step will involve examining further dose reduction by shielding and other measures.

Unit 2 Progress status toward PCV internal investigation and trial retrieval

Toward trial debris retrieval, a mockup test using the robot arm and simulating the site is underway at the Naraha Town mockup facility. To reduce the risk of contact while retrieving fuel debris, work to correct the control program and other improvements are currently underway.

On site, to open the PCV X-6 penetration hatch of PCV, work to remove 24 hatch bolts is underway. As of September 27, 21 bolts had been removed.

After work to open the hatch, deposits inside the X-6 penetration will be removed. However, the exact status of the debris is not determined at present. Accordingly, based on the fixation status of hatch bolts and other factors, methods capable of retrieving the debris must be considered in readiness for cases where deposits cannot be fully removed. At the same time, methods to complement the internal investigation and trial retrieval by the robot arm are also being examined.



Amount of contaminated water generated during heavy rainfall in September, 2023

During the week of September 4-9, 2023, heavy rainfall of approx. 234 mm (max. 99 mm/day) was recorded. Compared with similar heavy rainfall in the past, effects to suppress the amount generated were confirmed.

Comparisons were made with the amount of contaminated water generated during heavy rainfall:
Typhoon of October 19-25, 2017 (rainfall amount 278 mm/week), approx. 1,220 m³/day
Typhoon of October 10-16, 2019 (rainfall amount 272 mm/week), approx. 590 m³/day
Heavy rainfall of September 4-9, 2023 (rainfall amount 234 mm/week), approx. 250 m³/day, which is less than half of the amount in 2019 and approx. 1/5 of the amount in 2017.

Measures to suppress rainfall flowing into buildings, such as the pavement of areas inside the landside impermeable walls and repair damage to building roofs will continue to be implemented.

Results of analyses on the quality of the purified groundwater pumped from the sub-drain and groundwater drain systems at Fukushima Daiichi NPS (made available by TEPCO prior to discharge)

(Unit: Bq/L)

Date of sampling *Date of discharge	Detected nuclides	Analytical body	
		TEPCO	Third-party organization
September 26 th , 2023 *Discharged on October 1 st	Cs-134	ND (0.73)	ND (0.62)
	Cs-137	ND (0.70)	ND (0.62)
	Gross β	ND (2.0)	ND (0.42)
	H-3	910	960
September 25 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 30 th	Cs-134	ND (0.65)	ND (0.62)
	Cs-137	ND (0.60)	ND (0.57)
	Gross β	ND (2.0)	ND (0.34)
	H-3	940	970
September 24 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 29 th	Cs-134	ND (0.65)	ND (0.62)
	Cs-137	ND (0.59)	ND (0.51)
	Gross β	ND (2.1)	ND (0.38)
	H-3	890	940
September 23 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 28 th	Cs-134	ND (0.55)	ND (0.67)
	Cs-137	ND (0.64)	ND (0.72)
	Gross β	ND (0.18)	ND (0.34)
	H-3	840	910
September 22 nd , 2023 *Discharged on September 27 th	Cs-134	ND (0.94)	ND (0.63)
	Cs-137	ND (0.52)	ND (0.58)
	Gross β	ND (0.67)	ND (0.35)
	H-3	820	870
September 21 st , 2023 *Discharged on September 26 th	Cs-134	ND (0.71)	ND (0.61)
	Cs-137	ND (0.77)	ND (0.50)
	Gross β	ND (1.8)	ND (0.33)
	H-3	790	860
September 20 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 25 th	Cs-134	ND (0.55)	ND (0.60)
	Cs-137	ND (0.69)	ND (0.64)
	Gross β	ND (2.1)	ND (0.35)
	H-3	740	810
September 19 th , 2023 *Discharged on	Cs-134	ND (0.66)	ND (0.64)
	Cs-137	ND (0.67)	ND (0.62)

September 24 th	Gross β	ND (2.0)	ND (0.36)
	H-3	780	820
September 18 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 23 th	Cs-134	ND (0.64)	ND (0.63)
	Cs-137	ND (0.70)	ND (0.54)
	Gross β	ND (1.7)	ND (0.28)
	H-3	830	870
September 17 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 22 nd	Cs-134	ND (0.64)	ND (0.58)
	Cs-137	ND (0.74)	ND (0.59)
	Gross β	ND (1.9)	ND(0.34)
	H-3	780	830
September 16 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 21 st	Cs-134	ND (0.75)	ND (0.62)
	Cs-137	ND (0.61)	ND (0.57)
	Gross β	ND (2.0)	ND (0.33)
	H-3	760	820
September 15 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 20 th	Cs-134	ND (0.69)	ND (0.63)
	Cs-137	ND (0.78)	ND (0.54)
	Gross β	ND (0.67)	ND (0.33)
	H-3	630	640
September 15 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 20 th	Cs-134	ND (0.80)	ND (0.48)
	Cs-137	ND (0.53)	ND (0.61)
	Gross β	ND (1.7)	ND (0.34)
	H-3	590	630
September 14 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 19 th	Cs-134	ND (0.73)	ND (0.64)
	Cs-137	ND (0.70)	ND (0.66)
	Gross β	ND (2.0)	ND (0.33)
	H-3	570	610
September 14 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 19 th	Cs-134	ND (0.65)	ND (0.75)
	Cs-137	ND (0.88)	ND (0.64)
	Gross β	ND (1.8)	ND (0.33)
	H-3	500	530
September 13 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 18 th	Cs-134	ND (0.75)	ND (0.57)
	Cs-137	ND (0.69)	ND (0.54)
	Gross β	ND (1.9)	ND(0.32)
	H-3	540	580
September 12 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 17 th	Cs-134	ND (0.78)	ND (0.64)
	Cs-137	ND (0.69)	ND (0.51)
	Gross β	ND (1.7)	ND (0.31)
	H-3	560	590
September 11 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 16 th	Cs-134	ND (0.63)	ND (0.56)
	Cs-137	ND (0.63)	ND (0.57)
	Gross β	ND (1.8)	ND (0.29)

	H-3	560	590
September 10 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 15 th	Cs-134	ND (0.62)	ND (0.60)
	Cs-137	ND (0.57)	ND (0.64)
	Gross β	ND (1.8)	ND (0.33)
	H-3	590	640
September 9 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 14 th	Cs-134	ND (0.69)	ND (0.63)
	Cs-137	ND (0.65)	ND (0.58)
	Gross β	ND (2.0)	ND (0.33)
	H-3	690	730
September 8 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 13 th	Cs-134	ND (0.89)	ND (0.57)
	Cs-137	ND (0.58)	ND (0.61)
	Gross β	ND (0.56)	ND (0.32)
	H-3	640	690
September 7 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 12 th	Cs-134	ND (0.69)	ND (0.73)
	Cs-137	ND (0.59)	ND (0.72)
	Gross β	ND (2.0)	ND (0.32)
	H-3	660	720
September 6 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 11 th	Cs-134	ND (0.79)	ND (0.68)
	Cs-137	ND (0.77)	ND (0.64)
	Gross β	ND (2.1)	ND (0.31)
	H-3	740	800
September 5 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 10 th	Cs-134	ND(0.67)	ND(0.47)
	Cs-137	ND(0.84)	ND(0.51)
	Gross β	ND(2.1)	ND(0.35)
	H-3	880	890
September 4 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 9 th	Cs-134	ND (0.72)	ND (0.60)
	Cs-137	ND (0.69)	ND (0.54)
	Gross β	ND (1.8)	ND (0.28)
	H-3	860	940
September 3 rd , 2023 *Discharged on September 8 th	Cs-134	ND (0.69)	ND (0.72)
	Cs-137	ND (0.61)	ND (0.54)
	Gross β	ND (2.2)	ND(0.33)
	H-3	800	880
September 2 nd , 2023 *Discharged on September 7 ^h	Cs-134	ND (0.80)	ND (0.68)
	Cs-137	ND (0.76)	ND (0.59)
	Gross β	ND (1.8)	ND (0.34)
	H-3	830	880
September 1 st , 2023 *Discharged on September 6 ^h	Cs-134	ND (0.75)	ND (0.58)
	Cs-137	ND (0.56)	ND (0.48)
	Gross β	ND (0.72)	ND (0.36)
	H-3	850	900

August 31 st , 2023 *Discharged on September 5 th	Cs-134	ND (0.61)	ND (0.60)
	Cs-137	ND (0.79)	ND (0.58)
	Gross β	ND (2.0)	ND (0.32)
	H-3	910	960
August 30 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 4 ^h	Cs-134	ND (0.71)	ND (0.71)
	Cs-137	ND (0.54)	ND (0.67)
	Gross β	ND (1.5)	ND (0.33)
	H-3	880	940
August 29 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 3 rd	Cs-134	ND (0.66)	ND (0.55)
	Cs-137	ND (0.67)	ND (0.59)
	Gross β	ND (2.0)	ND (0.33)
	H-3	830	910
August 28 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 2 nd	Cs-134	ND (0.80)	ND (0.48)
	Cs-137	ND (0.67)	ND (0.64)
	Gross β	ND (1.9)	ND (0.36)
	H-3	910	940

- * * ND: represents a value below the detection limit; values in () represent the detection limit.
- * In order to ensure the results, third-party organizations have also conducted an analysis and verified the radiation level of the sampled water.
- * Third-party organization : Tohoku Ryokka Kankyohozen Co., Ltd

Result of detailed analyses conducted by TEPCO, JAEA, and Japan Chemical Analysis Center (In order to confirm the validity of analysis, the Government of Japan also requests JAEA; and TEPCO requests Japan Chemical Analysis Center to conduct independent analyses)

(Unit: Bq/L)

Date of sampling	Detected nuclides	Analytical body		
		JAEA	TEPCO	Japan Chemical Analysis Center
July 1 st ,2023	Cs-134	ND (0.0033)	ND (0.0051)	ND (0.0065)
	Cs-137	0.0035	ND(0.0066)	ND (0.0047)
	Gross α	ND (0.28)	ND (2.2)	ND (2.1)
	Gross β	ND (0.45)	ND (0.65)	ND (0.59)
	H-3	860	820	870
	Sr-90	0.0035	ND (0.0037)	ND(0.0078)

* ND: represents a value below the detection limit; values in () represent the detection limit.

(Reference)

(Unit: Bq/L)

Radionuclides	Operational Targets	Density Limit specified by the Reactor Regulation	World Health Organization (WHO) Guidelines for Drinking Water Quality
Cs-134	1	60	10
Cs-137	1	90	10
Gross α	—	—	—
Gross β	3 (1) ※	—	—
H-3	1,500	60,000	10,000
Sr-90	—	30	10

※ The operational target of Gross β is 1 Bq/L in the survey which is conducted once every ten days.

※ The reference table shows the values of operational targets before discharge. Since the values after discharge contain natural radioactive materials in seawater, there will be differences between the values and the operational targets values.

Results of analysis on the seawater sampled near the discharge point (North side of Units 5 and 6 discharge channel)

(Unit: Bq/L)

Date of sampling	Detected nuclides	Sampling point (South discharge channel)
September 12 th , 2023 *Sampled before discharge of purified groundwater.	Cs-134	ND (0.71)
	Cs-137	ND (0.72)
	Gross β	9.4
	H-3	ND (0.33)

Results of analyses on the water quality of the groundwater pumped up for bypassing at Fukushima Daiichi NPS (made available by TEPCO prior to discharge)

(Unit: Bq/L)

Date of sampling *Date of discharge	Detected nuclides	Analytical body	
		TEPCO	Third-party organization
September 21 st , 2023 *Discharged on September 26 th	Cs-134	ND (0.69)	ND (0.65)
	Cs-137	ND (0.55)	ND (0.61)
	Gross β	ND (0.59)	ND (0.34)
	H-3	47	51
September 14 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 21 st	Cs-134	ND (0.66)	ND (0.67)
	Cs-137	ND (0.72)	ND (0.51)
	Gross β	ND (0.62)	ND (0.34)
	H-3	47	54
September 7 th , 2023 *Discharged on September 12 th	Cs-134	ND (0.98)	ND (0.58)
	Cs-137	ND (0.72)	ND (0.59)
	Gross β	ND (0.70)	ND (0.32)
	H-3	53	54
August 31 st , 2023 *Discharged on September 5 th	Cs-134	ND (0.65)	ND (0.70)
	Cs-137	ND (0.64)	ND (0.72)
	Gross β	ND (0.65)	ND (0.31)
	H-3	56	55

- * * ND: represents a value below the detection limit; values in () represent the detection limit
- * In order to ensure the results, third-party organizations have also conducted an analysis and verified the radiation level of the sampled water.
- * Third-party organization: Tohoku Ryokka Kankyohozen Co., Ltd

Result of detailed analyses conducted by TEPCO, JAEA, and Japan Chemical Analysis Center (In order to confirm the validity of analysis, the Government of Japan also requests JAEA; and TEPCO requests Japan Chemical Analysis Center to conduct independent analyses)

(Unit: Bq/L)

Date of sampling	Detected nuclides	Analytical body		
		JAEA	TEPCO	Japan Chemical Analysis Center
July 5 th , 2023	Cs-134	ND (0.0038)	ND (0.0053)	ND (0.0063)
	Cs-137	ND (0.0029)	ND (0.0040)	ND (0.0047)
	Gross α	ND (0.37)	ND (2.2)	ND (2.1)
	Gross β	ND (0.38)	ND (0.65)	ND (0.57)
	H-3	47	480	480
	Sr-90	ND(0.0011)	ND (0.0013)	ND (0.0066)

* ND: represents a value below the detection limit; values in () represent the detection limit.

(Reference)

(Unit: Bq/L)

Radionuclides	Operational Targets	Density Limit specified by the Reactor Regulation	World Health Organization (WHO) Guidelines for Drinking Water Quality
Cs-134	1	60	10
Cs-137	1	90	10
Gross α	—	—	—
Gross β	5 (1) ※	—	—
H-3	1,500	60,000	10,000
Sr-90	—	30	10

※ The operational target of Gross β is 1 Bq/L in the survey which is conducted once every ten days.

※ The reference table shows the values of operational targets before discharge. Since the values after discharge contain natural radioactive materials in seawater, there will be differences between the values and the operational targets values.

Results of analyses on the seawater sampled near the discharge point (Around South Discharge Channel)

(Unit: Bq/L)

Date of sampling ※conducted four times a year	Detected nuclides	Sampling point (South discharge channel)
September 12 th , 2023	Cs-134	ND (0.85)
	Cs-137	ND (0.68)
	Gross β	12
	H-3	ND (0.33)