

**Efforts for Human resource development
and safety
: Strengthening safety operation by
using a training plant**

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1. Introduction of Idemitsu group, Manufacturing and Technology Division
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 - (1) Training of foreman
(Video footage)
 - (2) Training of panel operator
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1-(1).Outline of Idemitsu Group

Head office: Tokyo, Japan
Founded: 1911
CEO: Takashi Tsukioka
Employees: 9,139 (As of March 31, 2017)
(Consolidated, Not including Temporary Employees)
Annual Sales: US\$ 29 billion (FY2016)
Refineries: 3 (500KBSD)
Petrochemical Plant: 2 (1MM t/yr-ethylene)
Number of Service Station: around 4,000



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Idemitsu Group

**Petroleum
& Lube oil**

Chemicals

Resources

**Electronic
Materials**

Agri-bio

Others

Refining
Delivery
Sales

Olefin, Xylene
AO, BPA
Engineering Plastic

Crude Oil
Coal
Uranium

OEL
Organic Electro-
Luminescence

Agricultural
Chemicals
Battery

Renewable energy
Engineering
Tanker



1-(2) Manufacturing & Technology Division

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Representative Director & Chief Executive Officer
T. Tsukioka



Executive Vice President & Director
S. Kito



Manufacturing & Technology Division,
Senior Executive Officer
I. Matsuhira

IDEMITSU
ENGINEERING CO., LTD.,
Chief Executive Officer
Y. Kawano



Technology &
Engineering Center,
General Manager
M. Sawa



Manufacturing &
Technology Dept.,
General Manager
I. Matsuhira



Hokkaido Refinery



Chiba Complex



Aichi Refinery



Tokuyama Complex



2. Training using the training plant

(1) Training of foreman

In order to perform technology transfer from veteran to young foreman efficiently and effectively, the training of initial countermeasure in the case of accident of the plant

(2) Training of panel operator

The training of new panel operators to perform start-up operation

Refineries, Petrochemical Plant and Idemitsu Technical Training Center

ITTC

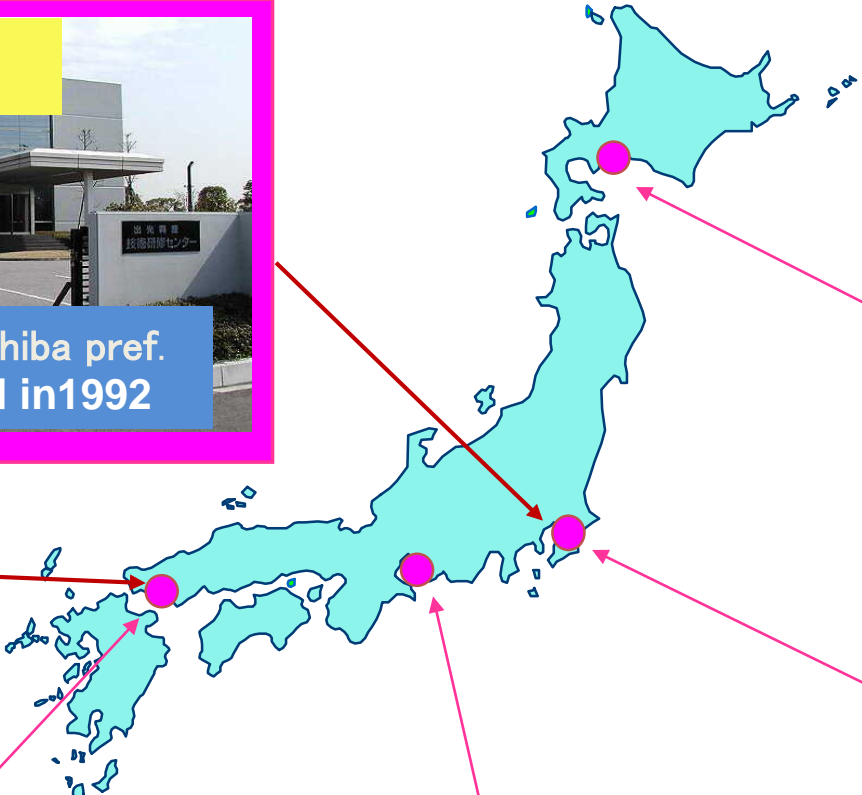


Ichihara city, Chiba pref.
Established in 1992


Training Plant



Shunan city




Hokkaido Refinery



Tomakomai city, Hokkaido
Started in 1973

Chiba Refinery • Plant




Refinery (Started in 1963)
Petrochemical Plant (Started in 1975)

Tokuyama Complex



Shunan city, Yamaguchi pref.
Refinery (Started in 1957)
Petrochemical Plant (Started in 1964)

Aichi Refinery



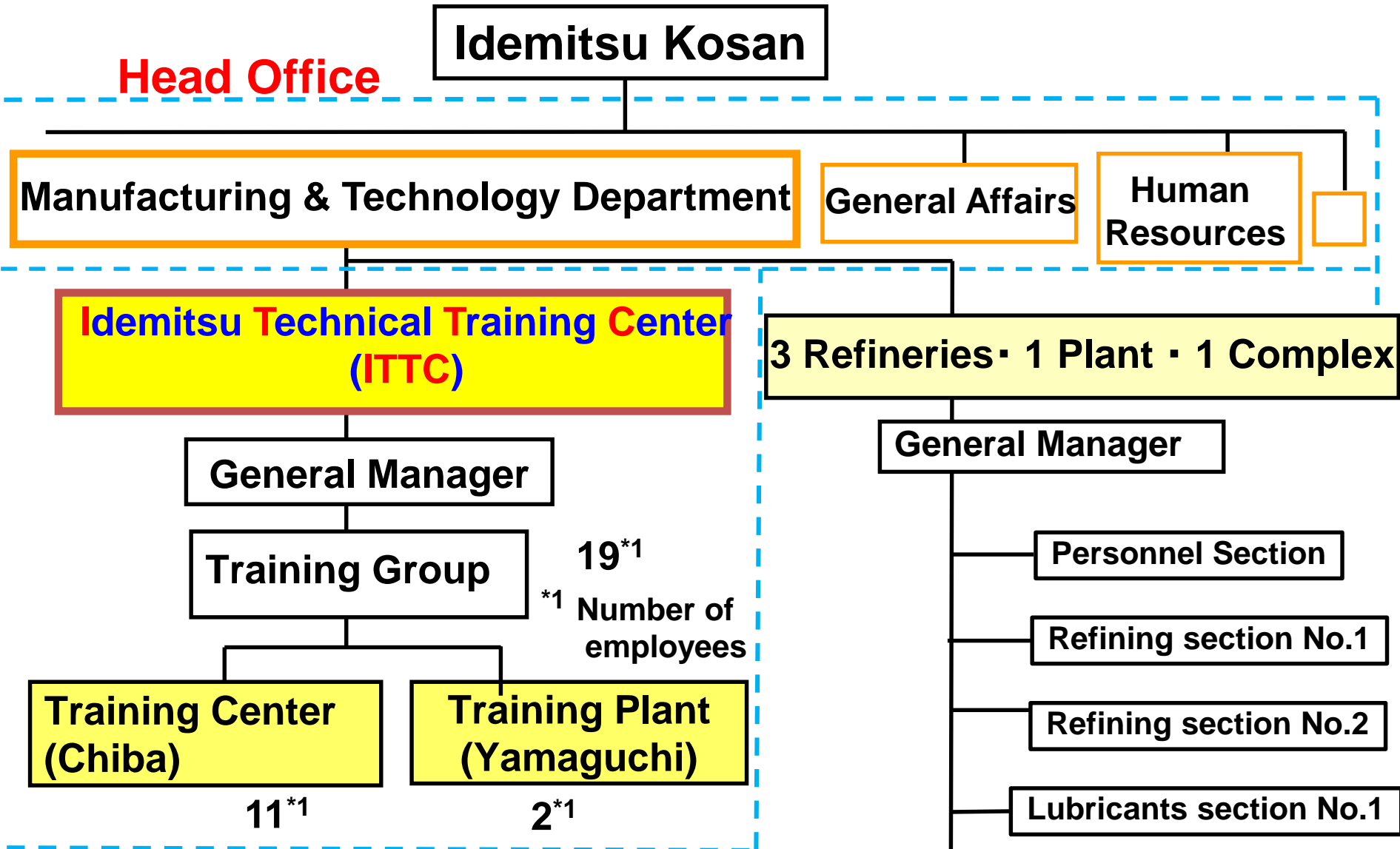
Chita city, Aichi pref.
Started in 1975

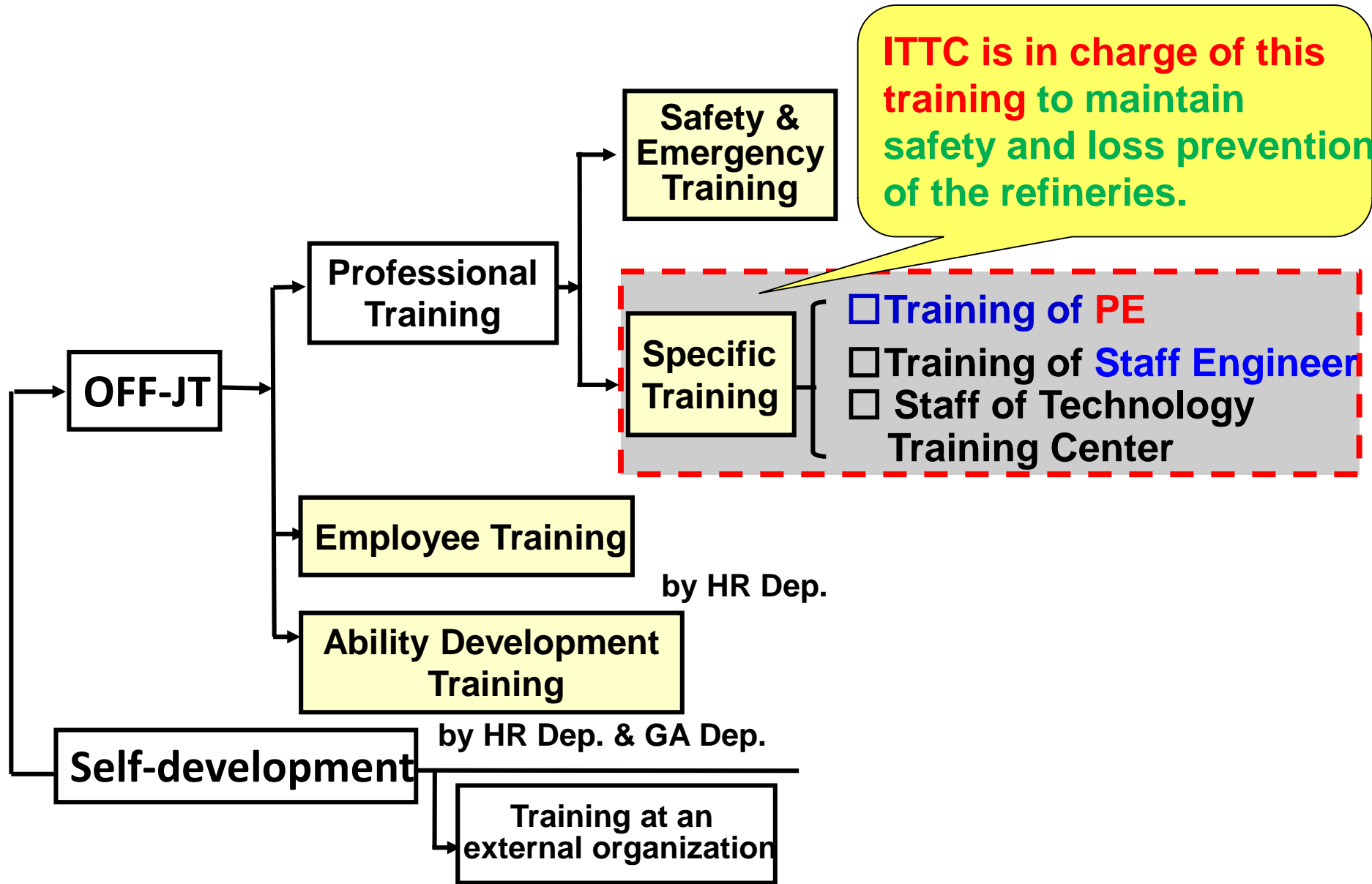
Technology & Engineering Center

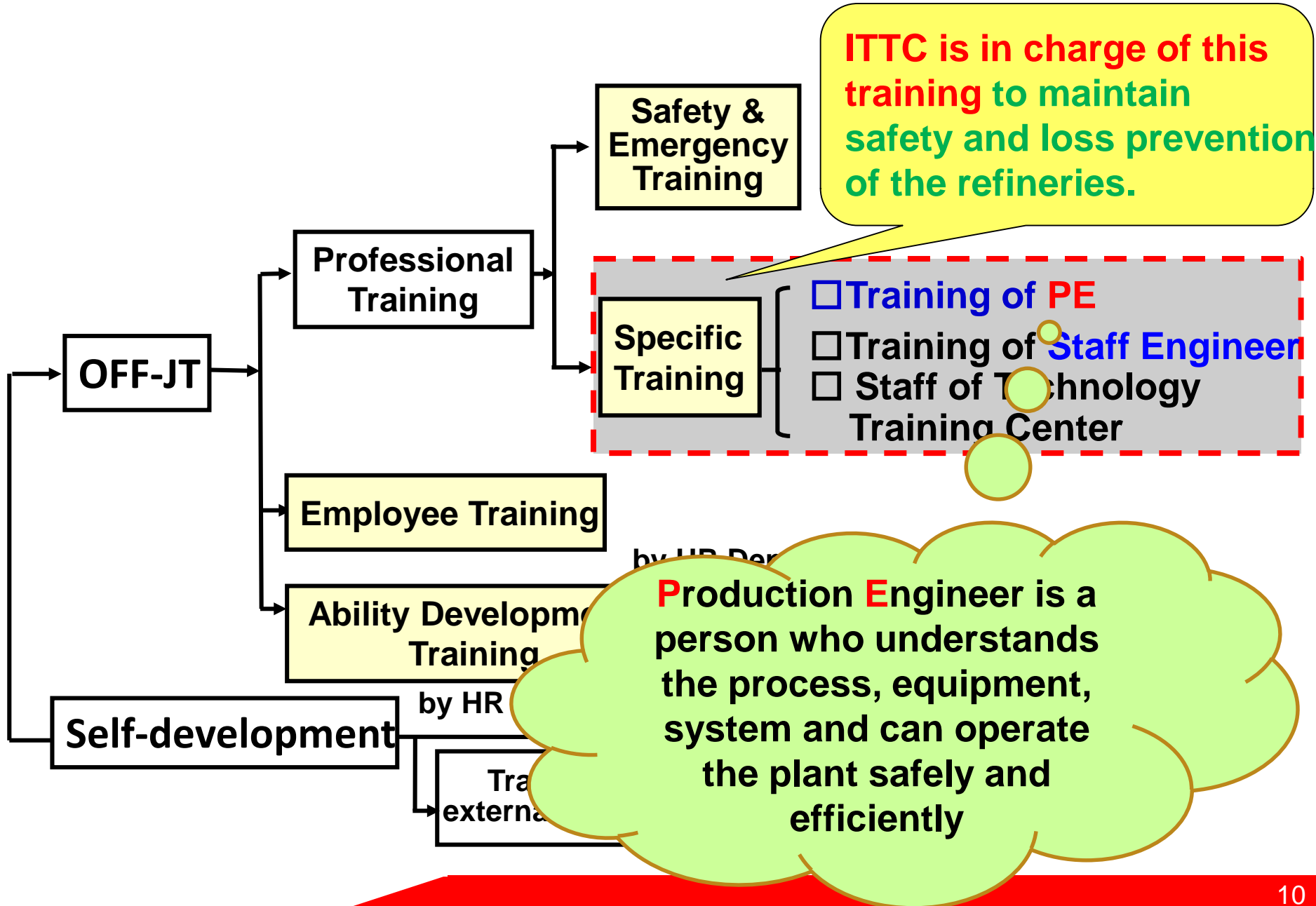


Chiba city, Chiba pref.
Established in 2011

Introduction of Idemitsu Technical Training Center







Education and Training system in Idemitsu group

- Idemitsu has three kinds of technical training

- 1) Technical Training Center(ITTC)
- 2) Refineries & Petrochemical plant
- 3) Production section

- **ITTC** is in charge of following trainings

Participants: New employee to manager

Manager, Assistant Manager

- Newly assigned assistant manager
- Safety Management System

Foreman, Assistant Foreman

- Training of foreman

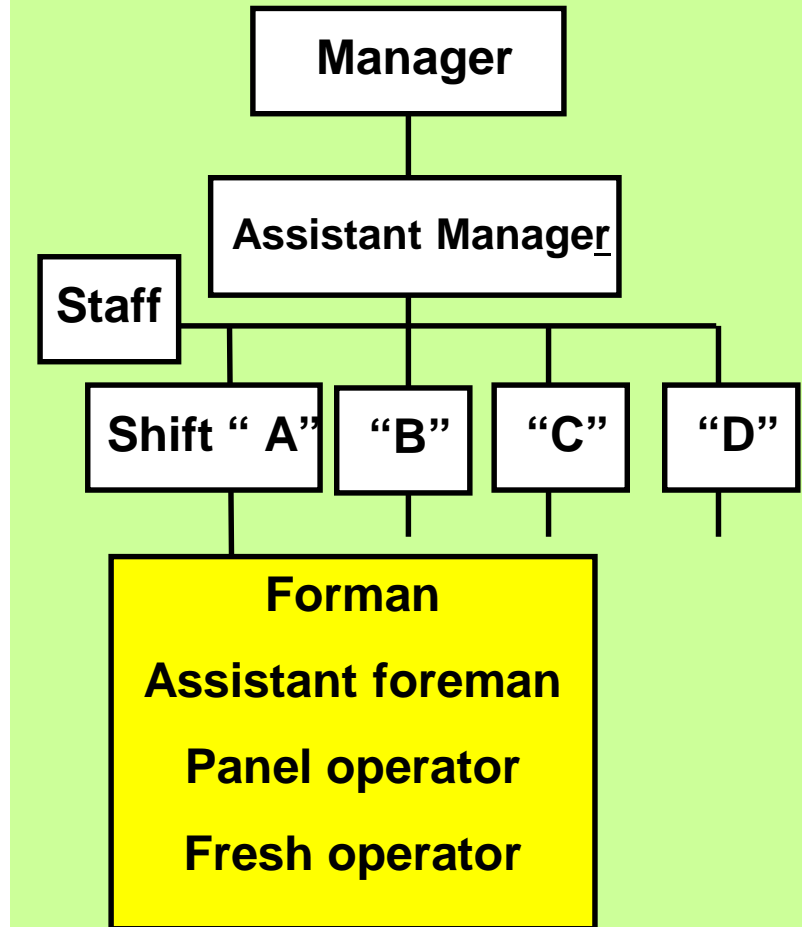
Panel operator

- Training to improve basic behavior
- Training to improve abnormality responding ability

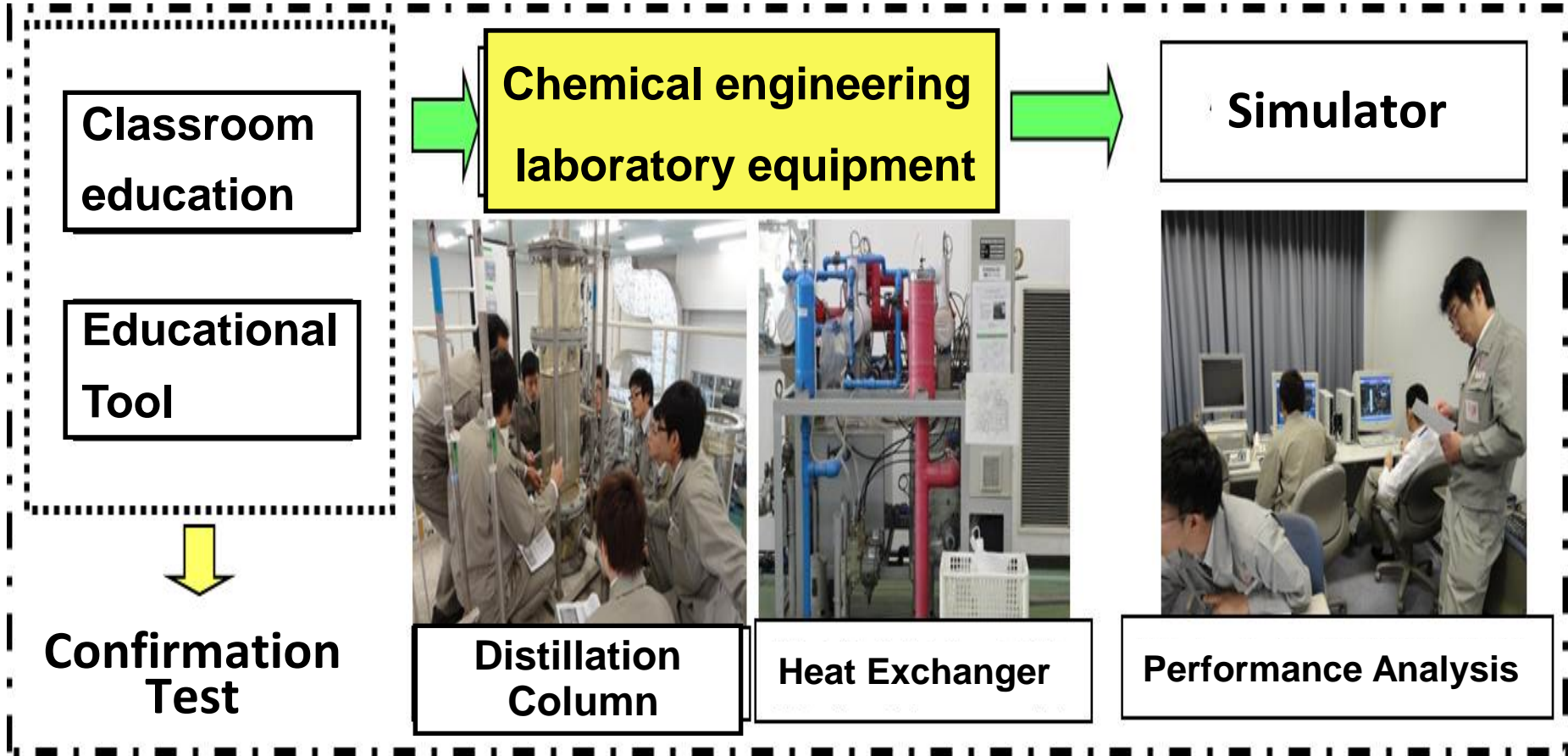
Fresh operator

- Introduction education,
- Second education of PE

Organization of production section



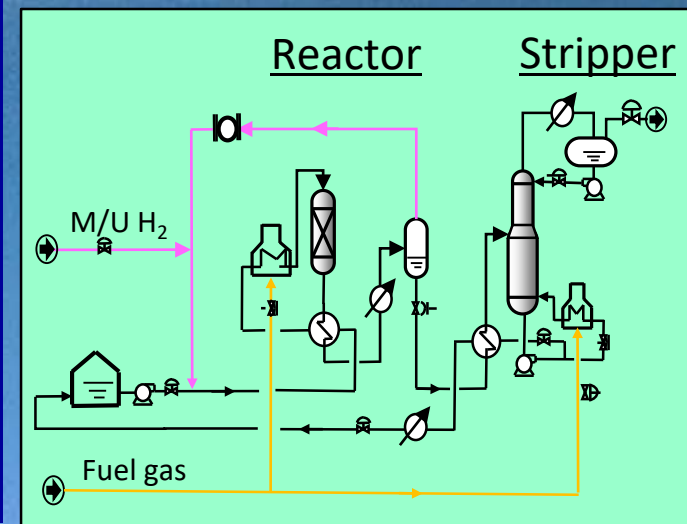
(Required Knowledge and Training as a foreman)



Converted an idled Hydrotreating unit to conduct practical training under safe circumstances.

Fluids of the training plant

Oil ⇒ Water
Fuel Gas ⇒ Air
Hydrogen ⇒ Nitrogen



- One of mission of the foreman is to **minimize disasters in case of emergencies and abnormal situation** of the plant.
- Almost all of new foreman have enough knowledge and the mission.
- However **they feel anxiety due to lack of experience** for the trouble of the plant.



- **ITTC developed a new program to improve their capabilities against the emergency and abnormal conditions of the plant**
- Through practical training, make confidence by wiping out uneasiness of emergency response capability

◆ Corresponding training situation of emergency and unsteady operation for the foreman

Instructions to panel operator



Correspondence at the command place



Confirm the situation of the equipment



(1) The training duration

30 to 40 minutes is assumed that the foreman takes an initial activity in the night and holidays.

(until the manager arrived at the plant and delegated the command.)

(2) Examples of training assumptions

- Assumption-①: Expand a gas leak, Trouble of ESD Sequence
- Assumption-②: Assumption-① + a fire broke out + injury

(3) Evaluation of the training

① Check the performance of trainees

The instructors check whether the foreman responded appropriately or not.

② Review of the training

A review meeting of the training is performed using video recording equipment and the check results written above.

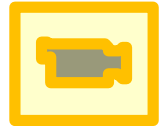
- ◆ Following abilities are improved in the case of emergency and abnormal operation of the plant

① Measure judgment ability

- Recognize the current situation of the plant and judge the emergency shutdown of the plant as trouble expands and progresses

② Ability to command

- Appropriate instructions to shift members to perform an emergency shutdown of the plant
- Report to relevant departments according to law



- Actual training takes 40 minutes, but I will introduce the video footage edited in 5 minutes
- Troubles that occurred at night are assumed for the foreman's training

- ① The trainees grasped their behavioral characteristics at an emergency.
- ② As they felt that the training was performed using an actual plant, they improved their confidence for safe operation.
- ③ This training has been reflected to the disaster prevention drills at each section of the refineries.

2-(2). Introduction of the training using the training plant for panel operator

- 5 – 6 years is required to become a panel operator after joining Idemitsu.
- The PE who have 3 - 4 years experience as field operator are trained in this course.

Before implementation of this course	After implementation of this course
On the Job Training(OJT)	⇒
Learning basic operating skills of the plant (Chemical engineering)	⇒
Off JT (Training of countermeasure at abnormal operation of the facilities) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dynamic simulators are used	⇒
	Started a new training course to learn basic operating procedure using the training plant

Training contents through startup and shutdown of the training plant

- 1) Basic action of communication between field operator and panel operator (Instruction, contact, repetition restoration)
- 2) Improvement of basic countermeasure ability when malfunction of the facilities happen
- 3) Review meeting of the training is held

Startup training



Finger point and calling



Review meeting of startup



3. Training of experiencing the dangers and utilize the previous example

◆ Enrichment of sensitivity and physical education

Conventional training was a simulated experience of prohibited items (22)



Remove the sediment of the clogged drain valve using a wire



Experience the deflection of a small size pipeline



Steam explosion

3. Training of experiencing the dangers and utilize the previous example

◆ Enrichment of sensitivity and physical education

The following new trainings are added to conventional training in order to perceive danger.

- ① Experience of near-miss
- ② Training to experience the fear of fire



valve seat leakage



Water hammer experiment



Experience of oil fires and extinguish



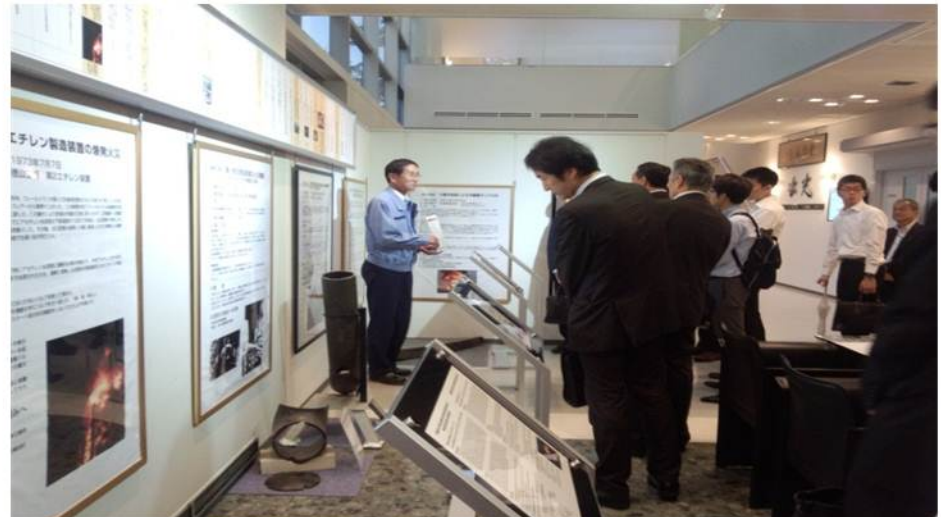
Utilize previous accidents in Idemitsu

ITTC opened an exhibition corner showing serious accidents that occurred in Idemitsu's **past 60 years operation**

出光重大事故展示コーナー



- ◆ Prevent forgettable of serious accidents in Idemitsu
- ◆ Improve the training effect by seeing the exhibits.



4. Future action plan

1) Review of OFF JT

① Expanding experienced and practical training

⇒ PE was sent temporarily to another refineries during their turnaround

② Training by using IT

⇒ Adoption of distance learning, two-way communication

2) Train young PE who can work actively in overseas

3) Contribute to strengthening the safety capability of the entire manufacturing industry

① Accept the request for public training from government agencies, universities and other companies

② Cooperation with human resource development organizations in each region

JCCP training name using training plant in 2017

Training name	Days	Training content
Improvement of Operation Instructor's Skill	10	<p>Place: Tokuyama Training Plant</p> <p>Trainee: Operation Instructors and Educational Lectures under PVN</p> <p>Contents: To make skill up for Instruction by having experience of basic and unit operations</p>
Fresh Operators Training	15	<p>Place: Tokuyama Training Plant</p> <p>Trainee: Young Operators</p> <p>Contents: To make skill up for plant operation by drilling basic operation, unit operation, plant start-up & shut-down operation as well as studying chemical engineering basics.</p>
Improvement of Safety Management Activities	9	<p>Place: Technical Training Center</p> <p>Trainee: Staffs in charge of Safety Management in Refinery or Petrochemical factory</p> <p>Contents: To raise up safety conscious by experience of safety awareness & lecture, and to make actual plan to solve the safety issue(s) through discussion after having lecture on problem solving method like as 4M analysis.</p>
Shift Supervisor Training	22	<p>Place: Tokuyama Training Plant</p> <p>Trainee: Shift Supervisors, Assistant Shift Supervisors</p> <p>Contents: To raise up the ability of direction and order under emergencies, & of operational management by experience of various kinds of operation phenomena.</p>
Safety Training for Plant Operators	10	<p>Place: Idemitsu Technical Training Center</p> <p>Trainee: Staffs in charge of safety management in refinery</p> <p>Contents: To raise up safety conscious by experience of safety awareness & lecture, and to make actual plan to solve the safety issue(s) through discussion after having lecture on problem solving method like as 4M analysis.</p>

Thank you for your attention !