

Report of diagnosis project Diagnosis of energy saving at Chulalongkorn University

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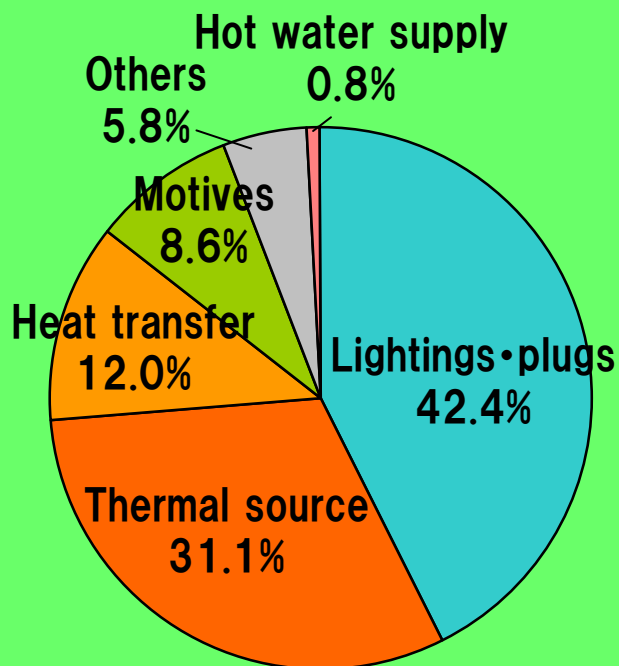
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Back ground & Objectives of diagnosis

Key elements of energy saving in buildings are lightings and air conditioners with large electricity use.

Electricity consumption rate of buildings in Japan



- ✓ Lightings share 21.3% among plugs•lightings, office machines share 21.1% of plug usage
- ✓ Heat source equipments share 26% of thermal source
- ✓ Electricity consumption of lightings and air conditioners share more than half of total consumption of the building

Source: The Agency for Natural Resources and Energy in the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, Energy Conservation Center, Japan「Guide for implementing energy saving at commercial building 2009」



Introduction of candidate

Our candidate is building of faculty of engineering at Chulalongkorn University.



Imperial couple receiving wreath from students when arriving Chulalongkorn University.
(from Imperial Household Agency HP)





Introduction of company

New Panasonic Group

Sales: ¥ 8.7 trillion

Number of Employees: 380,000

*Simply combined the figures
Sales (Forecast for FY2009)
Number of Employees (at end of Sept.)

Panasonic

- Wide Range of Products / Advanced Technology
- Management Infrastructure including Sales Platform

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- Solar Cells / Rechargeable Batteries
- Strong Businesses in Fields Such as Industrial Equipment and Devices

Unparalleled in Offering Products for Better Living

Panasonic ideas for life



Introduction of company

Vision Looking to the 100th Anniversary of Our Founding

**No.1 Green Innovation Company
in the Electronics Industry**

Make the 'environment' central to all of
our business activities and bring forth innovation

**Green Life
Innovation**

**Green Business
Innovation**

Panasonic ideas for life



Introduction of company

Green Business Innovation

Implementing & Proposing an Optimum
Green Business-style

Pursue Ideal Manufacturing Operations

**Zero Cost, Zero Time, Zero Inventory
+ Zero Emissions**

**Minimizing CO2 throughout
The Entire Business Process**

**Realizing Recycling-oriented
Manufacturing**

Pursue a Green Work-style

**Providing Environmental Solutions
Which Make the Most of Our Expertise**



Introduction of company

Green Life Innovation

Realizing Green Lifestyles to Enrich People's Lives

Offer Better Living which Provides
People around the World
with a Sense of Security, Comfort and Joy,
in a Sustainable Way

Living with Virtually Zero CO2 Emissions
for the Entire Home and Building

Evolution and Spread of Eco Cars

Living Surrounded
by Recycling-oriented Products

Wider Use of Eco Products
In Emerging Countries



Concept of Smart House “CO₂±0”



Lifestyle with ‘CO₂±0’, in 3 to 5 years with the synergy of technology & natural blessing.



Panasonic Center Tokyo



Concept of Smart House "CO₂±0"

Saving, Generating & Storing

■ Saving by Products

- TV
- Air-conditioner
- Lighting
- DVD Recorder
- Heated Toilet Seat
- Washer-dryer
- Insulation Sheet



Fuel Cell



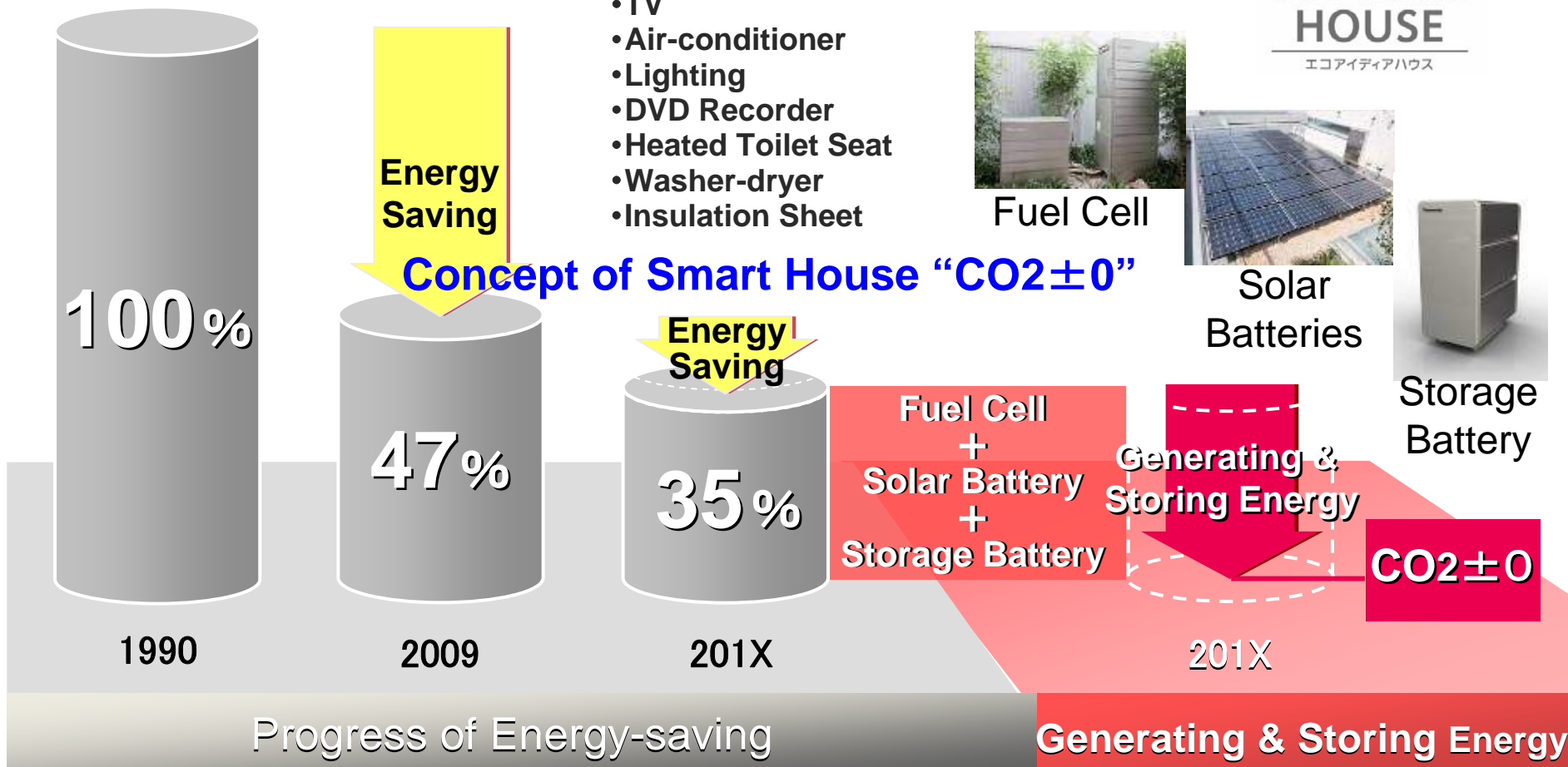
Solar Batteries



Storage Battery

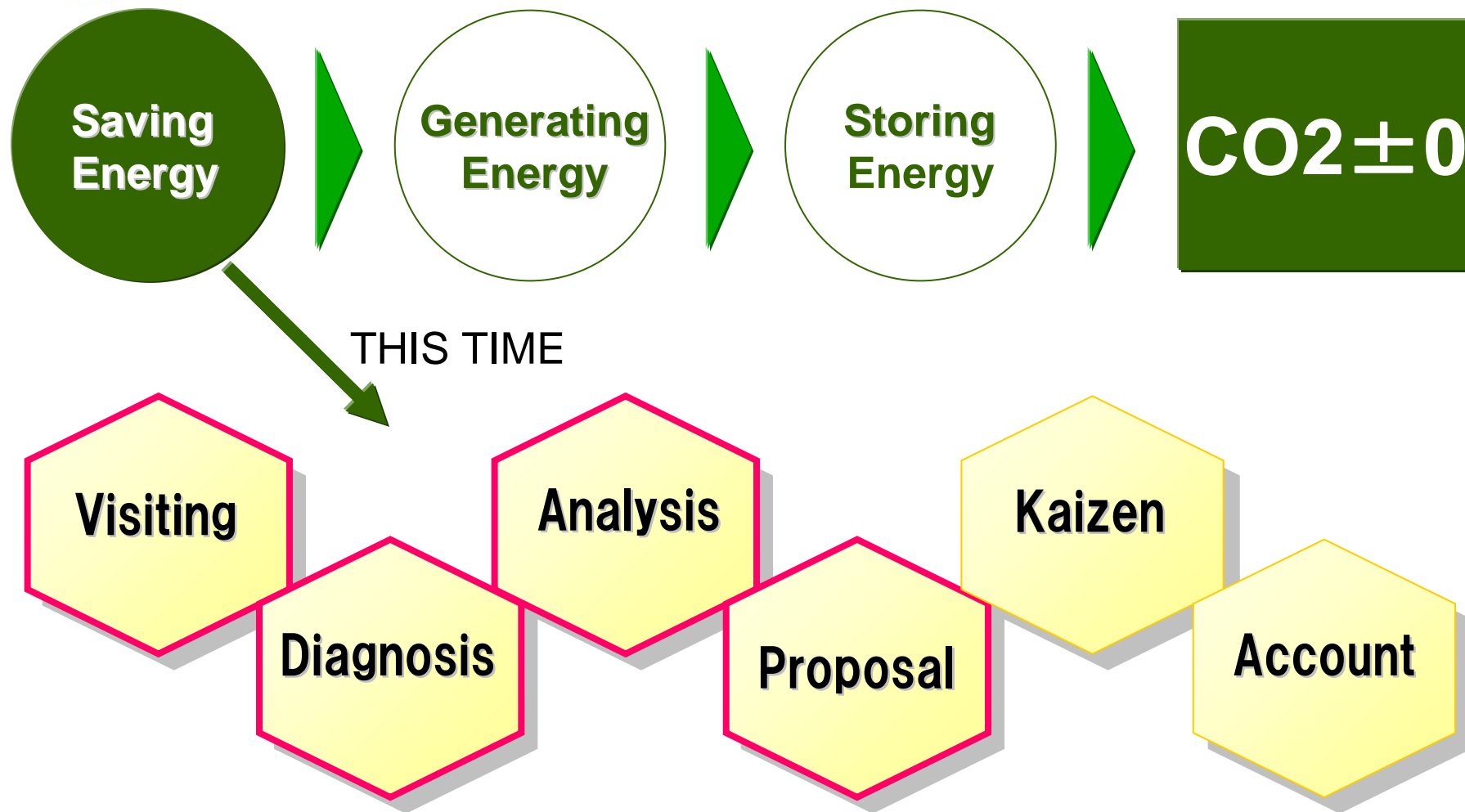


Concept of Smart House "CO₂±0"





Overall picture of diagnosis project





Overall picture of diagnosis project

Proposed mainly to replace lightings and air conditioners

Contents diagnosis

Diagnosis took place at Chulalongkorn university on Nov.25~27, 2009.

It took place at 21st story high building of Chulalongkorn University faculty of Engineering

- Identified using patterns and conditions of air conditioners and lighting equipments

Results

Current

Following results has been revealed.

- Not only degradation of air conditioner has been significant but usage area has been modified from initial condition.
- Stabilizer of fluorescents were old type.

Proposals/expected effects

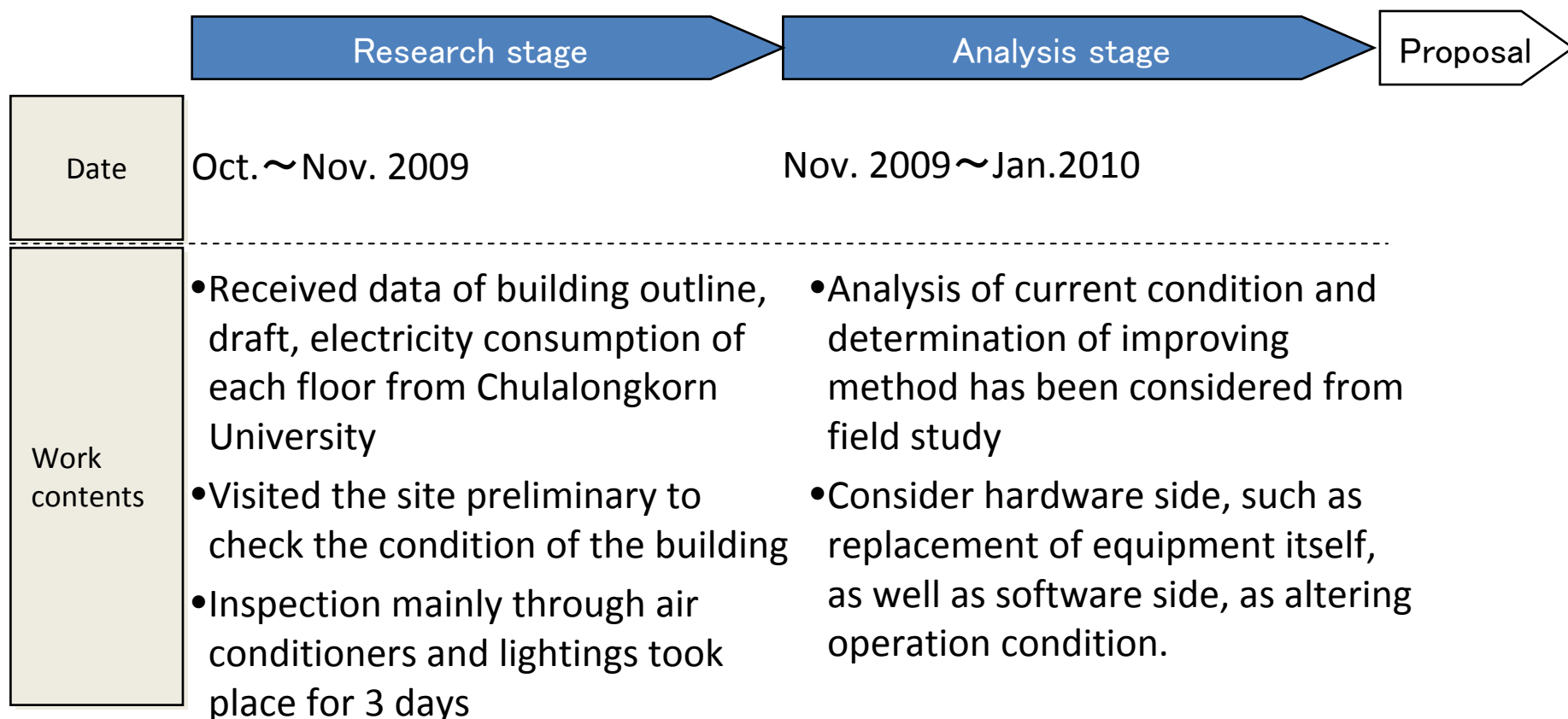
Thus, we proposed replacement of equipments.

- Proposed installation of building multi-air conditioning system
- Proposed installation of stabilizer into inverter



Contents of diagnosis

Steps of preliminary survey and analysis, actual field diagnosis, analysis of diagnosis data, preparation of improvement idea





Current energy efficiency and challenges (summary)

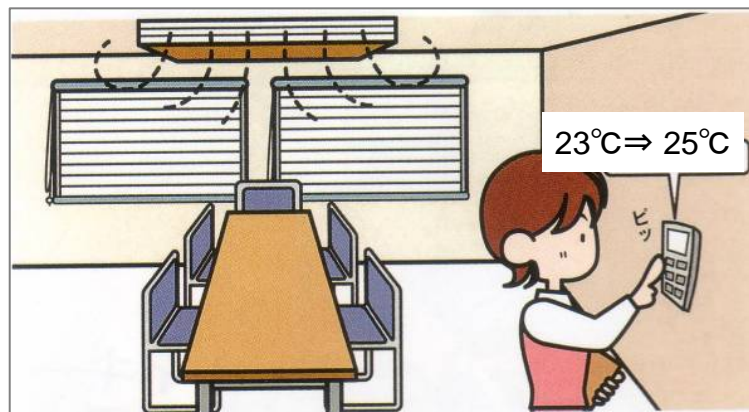
Challenges of both equipments and operation will be revealed mainly through air conditioners, lightings

Target	Possible improvements • Challenges
Reviewing preset temperature of air conditioner	Making the standard stricter by managing to follow the value and altering the standard to 77°F (25°C), since standard had not been followed.
Update to high efficiency air conditioner	Reduce cost and CO2 emission by installing multi-air conditioning system
Turn FL stabilizer into inverter	Exchange stabilizer for FL36W(copper steel) into inverter.
Installation of BEMS (Building and Energy Management System)	Save energy, improve comfort, reduce CO2 by installing BEMS



Current energy efficiency and challenges (individual)①

Reviewing preset temperature of air conditioner: Some area has different setup values of temperature.



Setup value: 21 °C



Error message

Although standard of setup value has been set to 23°C, it has not been well managed. Thus, stricting management to follow the setup value 25°C.

We estimate the annual energy consumption of air conditioner to be 1,908,362kWh/year. It is expected to reduce 10% of energy consumption by altering setup values to shown above with well management.

Its reduction amount will be $1,908,362 \times 10\% = 190,836\text{kWh/year}$

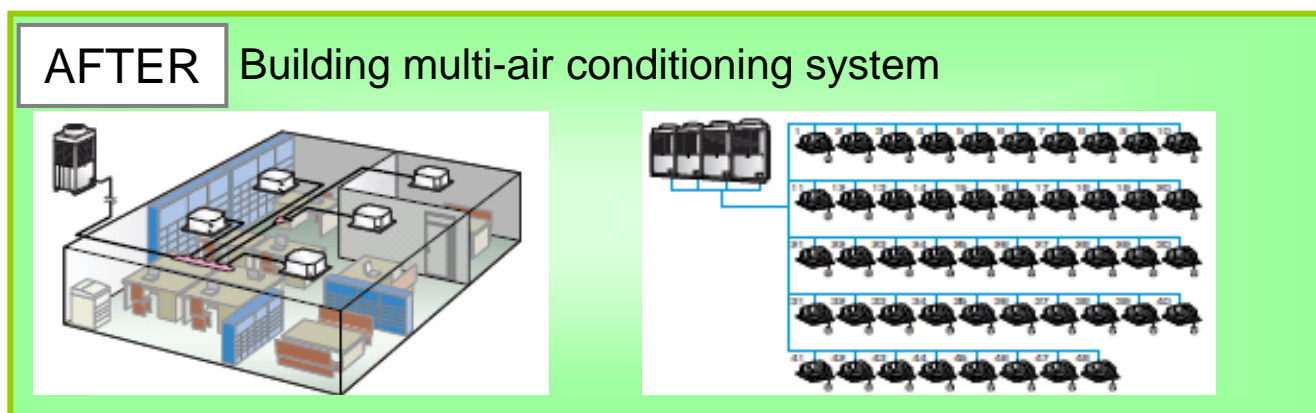
In terms of CO2 quantity, it would be $95,571\text{kg/year}$

Review setup values of air conditioners and manage strictly



Current energy efficiency and challenges (individual) ②

Update to high efficiency air conditioner: Install multi-air conditioning system



Aging degradation of air conditioner can be seen and its COP is low. Additionally, due to used area being segmentalized than starting condition, it is air conditioned to area in no use.

We estimate the annual energy consumption of air conditioner to be 595,886kWh/year

By installing building multi-air conditioning system, annual energy consumption is expected to be 290,676kWh/year

Its reduction amount will be $595,886 - 290,676 = 305,210\text{kWh/year}$

In terms of CO₂ quantity, it would be $152,849\text{kg/year}$

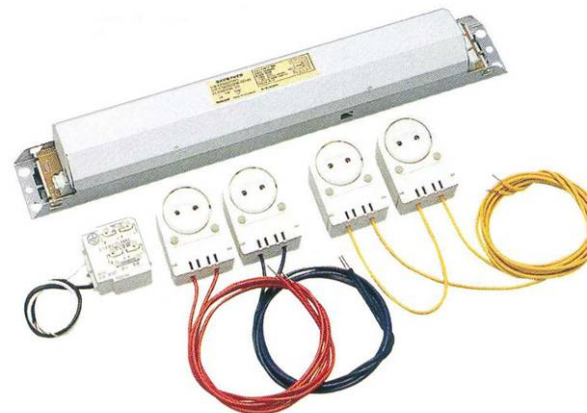
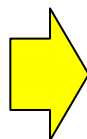
We suppose current COP to be 2.0, after improvement COP to be 4.1.

Improve to building multi-air conditioning system



Current energy efficiency and challenges (individual) ③

Turn FL stabilizer into inverter: Current copper steel stabilizer consumes more electricity than inverter stabilizer.



Currently, copper steel stabilizer, 4,630 units in use, consumes 13% more electricity than inverter stabilizer.

Current annual electricity consumption by FL36W is 327,243kWh/year

Electricity consumption by current equipment: FL36W ⇒ 40W

Electricity consumption by improved equipment: T8-32W ⇒ 35W

Target lamp number 4360, Improved equipment number 2908 (Exclude current dimming lights for energy saving)

Reduced electricity consumption $327,243 \times (1 - 35W \div 40W) = 40,905\text{kWh/year}$

In terms of CO2 quantity, it would be **20,485kg/year**

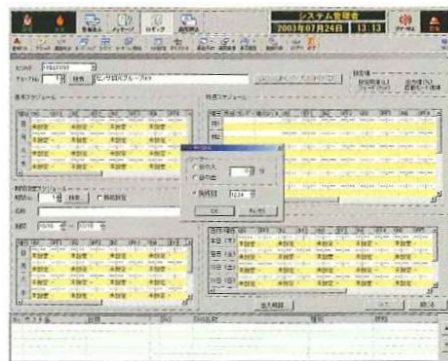
※It is recommended to improve to inverter when update of stabilizer have come.

Improve FL stabilizer into inverter



Current energy efficiency and challenges (individual) ④

Installation of BEMS: By introducing BEMS, it enables current visualizing energy consumption condition and data analysis.



Currently, consumption of electricity and fuel achievements are controlled. However, electricity consumption by each equipment or hourly consumption are not managed.

BEMS (Building and Energy Management System) is a system enables analysis and comparison of data by storing which is thought to be effective for saving energy.

By simple installation of BEMS will not have significant effect for energy saving but, rotating the cycle of Grasping present situation ⇒ data analysis ⇒ Consideration of countermeasures ⇒ Implementation of countermeasures is important.

Make energy saving cycle by installation of BEMS



Proposals and expected effect (summary)

Implemented 20 energy saving improvement suggestions mainly on air conditioners and lightings

Effects of suggestions

CO2 reduction amount is expected to be 384,074kg/year in total

CO₂ reduction kg/year

Air conditioner hardware 227,356

software 104,100

Lightings hardware 23,951

software 2,857

Others 17,438

Total 384,074

Contents of each suggestions

Improvement method

Expected effect

① Reviewing preset temperature of air conditioner

95,571Kg/year

② Update to high efficiency air conditioner

152,849Kg/year

③ Turn FL stabilizer into inverter

20,485Kg/year

④ Installation of BEMS

Depends on operation



Suggestions from diagnosis

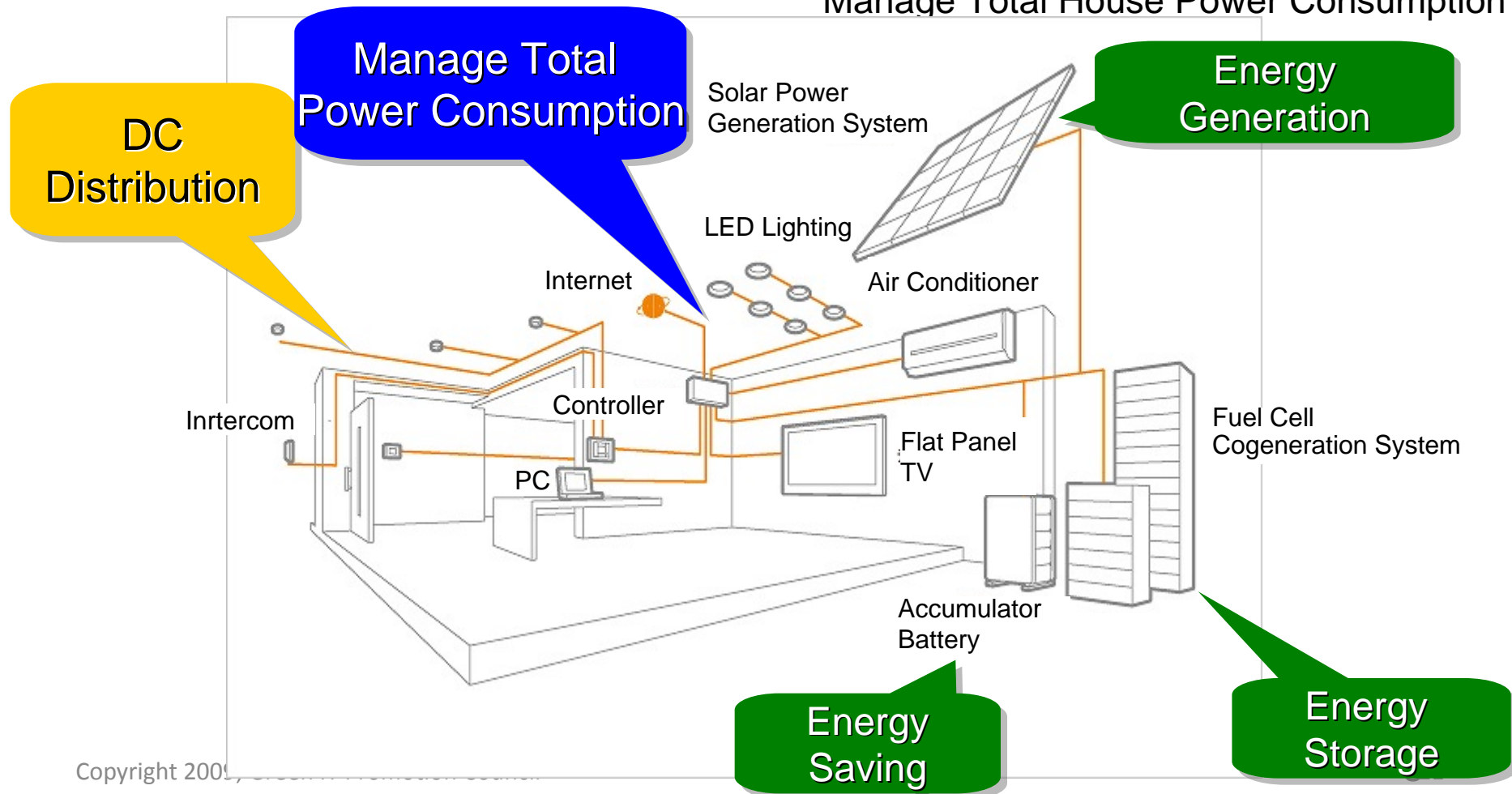
In university, saving energies of lightings and air conditioners with large electricity use has great value.

- Energy saving of lightings and air conditioners have great effect at classroom buildings and office building
 - Lightings and air conditioners electricity consumption share is large at classroom buildings and office building which differ from factory and data center
- Energy saving by operation on air conditioners are also important
 - It is expected to have great effect by managing strictly on setup value of temperature
 - Automation will be possible by installing BEMS (same for lightings)
- Especially on lightings, consider rapid technology development for energy saving
 - Utilize energy saving technology such as exchanging stabilizers and turn into LED etc.
 - Operation technology has been improved such as BEMS
- Since some includes large investment, it is important to improve on equipment update schedule
 - It is crucial to judge balance between energy loss by aging degradation and technology development on energy saving



Suggestions from diagnosis

- Realize “Energy Generation, Saving & Storage” by Fully Utilizing Renewable Energy
- Increase Energy Efficiency by “DC Distribution System”
- Connect all Electronics & Equipments with Network and Manage Total House Power Consumption





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