Results of Investigation of the Lower Part of Unit 2 Vent Pipe at Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station

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Investigation Locations and Current Conditions (West-northwest Vent Pipe)

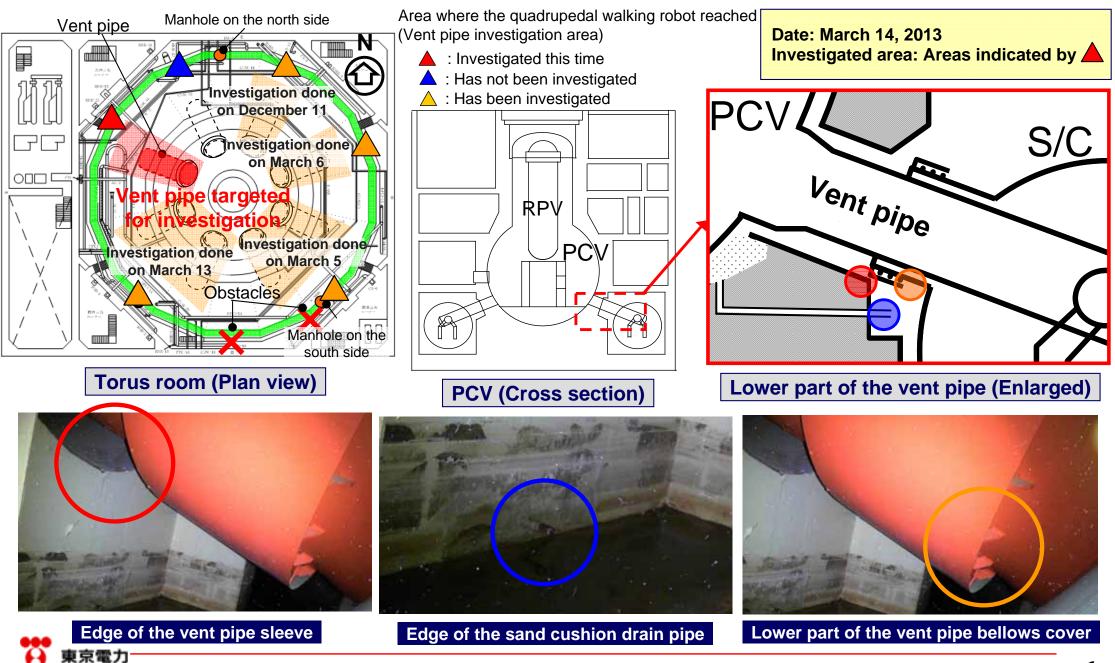
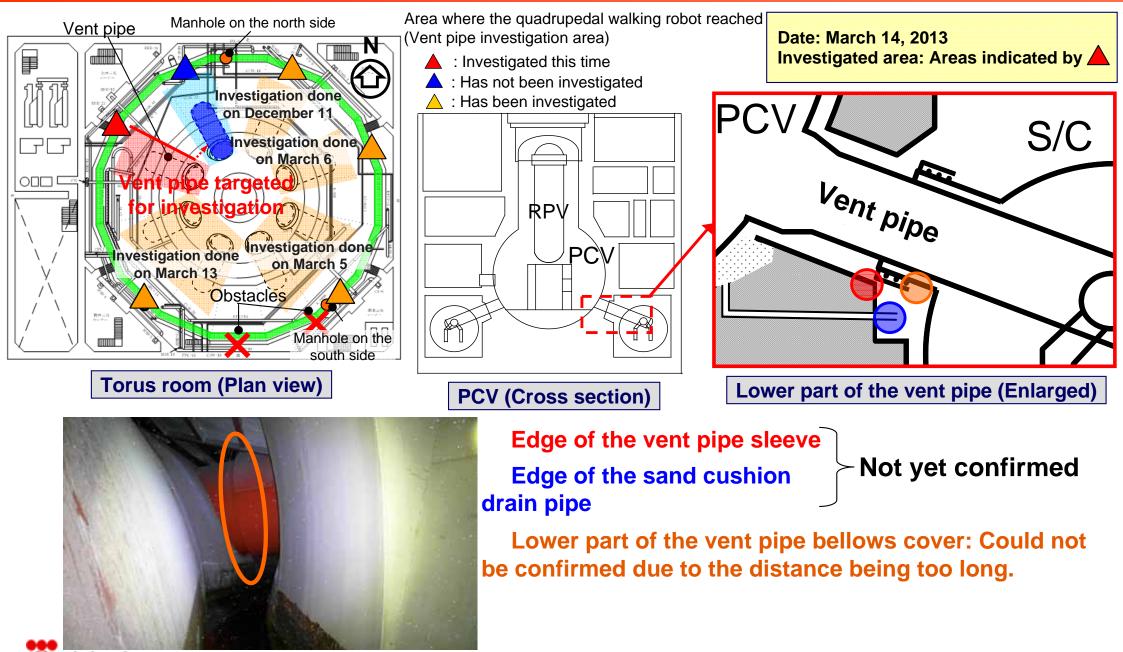


Photo taken on March 14, 2013 by TEPCO

Investigation Locations and Current Conditions (North-northwest Vent Pipe)



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Investigation Results

The results of investigation of the lower part of the vent pipe performed today are as follows.

- 1. As for the west-northwest vent pipe subject to today's investigation, no water leakage was found at the edge of the vent pipe sleeve, the edge of the sand cushion drain pipe and the lower part of the vent pipe bellows cover.
- 2. As a result of directing the camera towards the north-northwest vent pipe, the investigation of leakage could not be performed due to the distance being too long. The area is to be investigated tomorrow (March 15).

The investigation utilizing a quadrupedal walking robot performed today was executed without trouble.

Exposure dose

Exposure dose at the investigation of the lower part of the vent pipe (March 14) - Planned dose: 3mSv

- Actual dose (Max.): 1.57mSv

