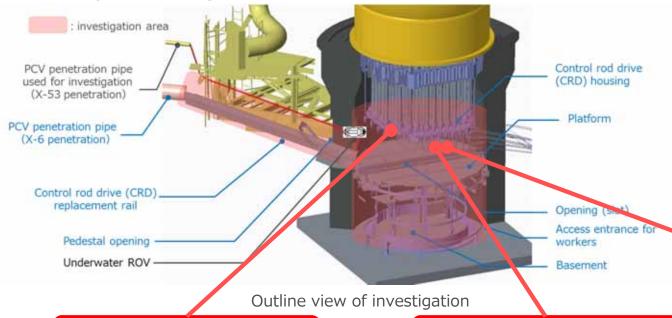
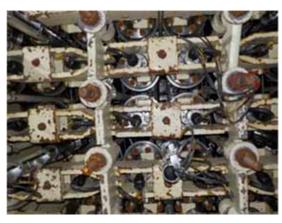
1. Progress of Unit 3 PCV internal investigation (Preliminary report of July 21 investigation) (1/3)

Today's investigation







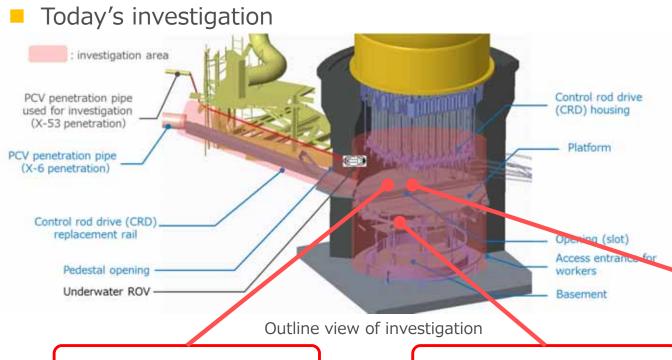


(ref) CRD housing at Unit 5 and CRD housing supporting clamp





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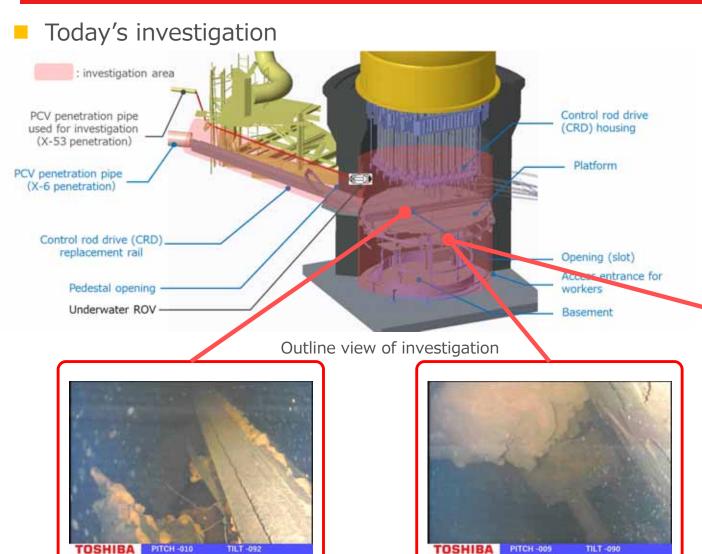


Reference: inside the Unit 5 pedestal



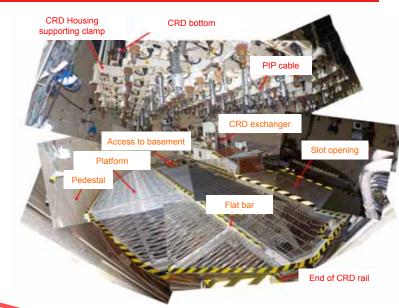


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Nearby the platform



Reference: inside the Unit 5 pedestal



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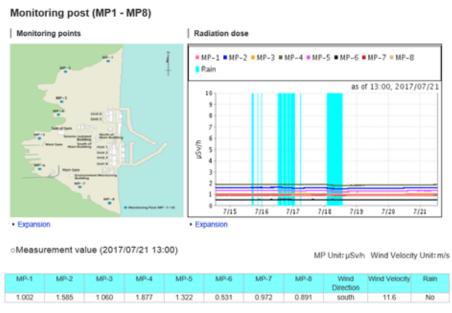
2. Overview of Exploration Results

- ① Today, July 21, we conducted an underwater robot ROV exploration inside the Unit 3 Primary Containment Vessel (PCV) with the aim of examining conditions inside the PCV from upper pedestal of the PCV.
- ② As a result, we could examine likely melted materials that are consolidated and some fallen substances.
- 3 Like the first exploration, we could confirm multiple damaged substances and some part of the Control Rod Drive (CRD) housing supporting clamp inside of the pedestal. Within the range of exploration today, we were not able to identify the grating on the platform.
- ④ Tomorrow, July 22, we will conduct the third exploration to reach to the basement of the pedestal. There is a possibility that the ROV will not be collected because of multiple fallen substances.

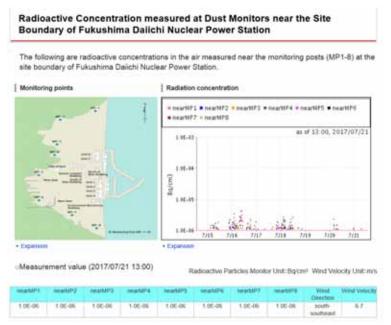
3. Impact to the surrounding environment (1/2)

- Unit 3 internal investigation of PCV has been started from July 19. No impact has been occurred to the surrounding environment.
- The investigation is conduced while creating a boundary around the guiding pipe to prevent the air inside the PCV from leaking to the outside.
- No significant changes have been observed at the monitoring posts and dust monitors after the investigation, compared to the before.
- Real-time data of the monitoring posts and dust monitors along the site boundary are available on the website.

Reference URL: http://www.tepco.co.jp/en/nu/fukushima-np/f1/index-e.html http://www.tepco.co.jp/en/nu/fukushima-np/f1/dustmonitor/index-e.html



(As of 1:00 p.m. on July 21, 2017 : approx. 0.5-1.9 μ Sv/h)



(As of 1:00 p.m. on July 21, 2017: 1.0E-06Bq/cm³)



^{*}Radiation dose including the other influence than the PCV interior

3. Impact to the surrounding environment (2/2)

- Plant parameters are monitored all the time during the investigation, and no significant changes have been observed in the PCV internal temperatures after the investigation, compared to the before. The condition of cold shutdown has not been changed.
- Temperature data inside the PCV are available on the website.

Reference URL: http://www.tepco.co.jp/en/nu/fukushima-np/f1/plantdata/unit3/pcv_index-e.html

