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# Radicalplanet Technology Based on Mechano-Chemical Principle

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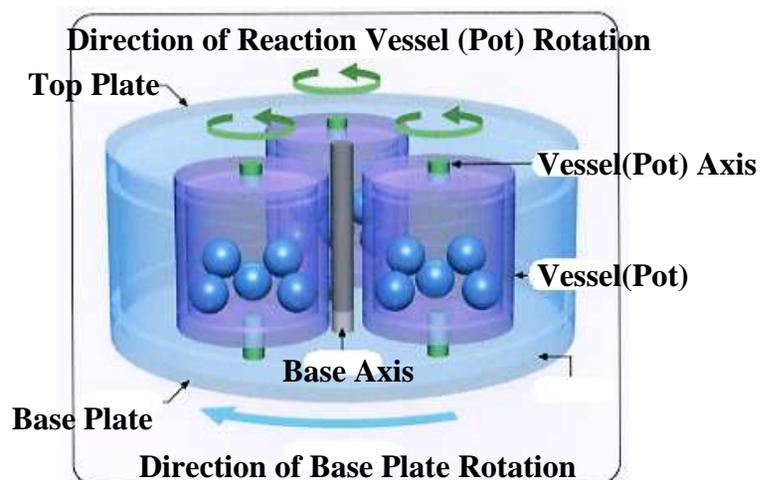
Chemical Reaction by using Mechanical Energy



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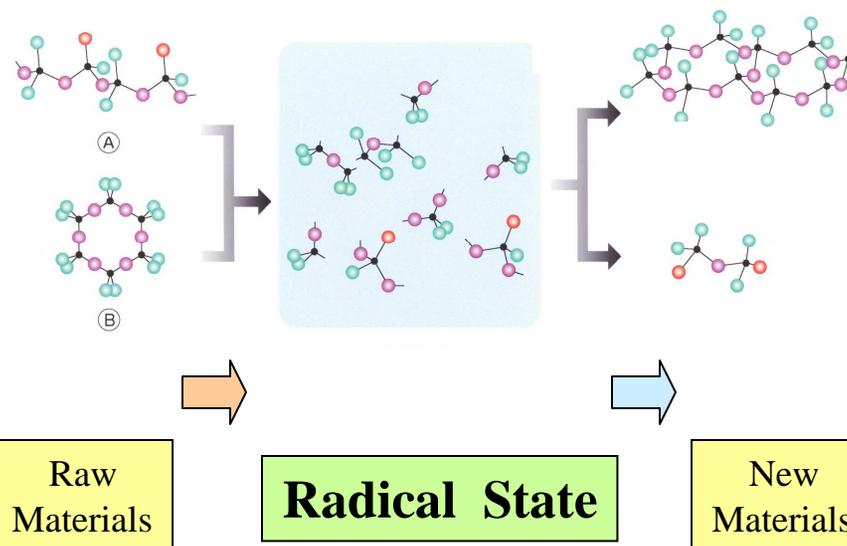
# Principle of Mechano-Chemical Reaction



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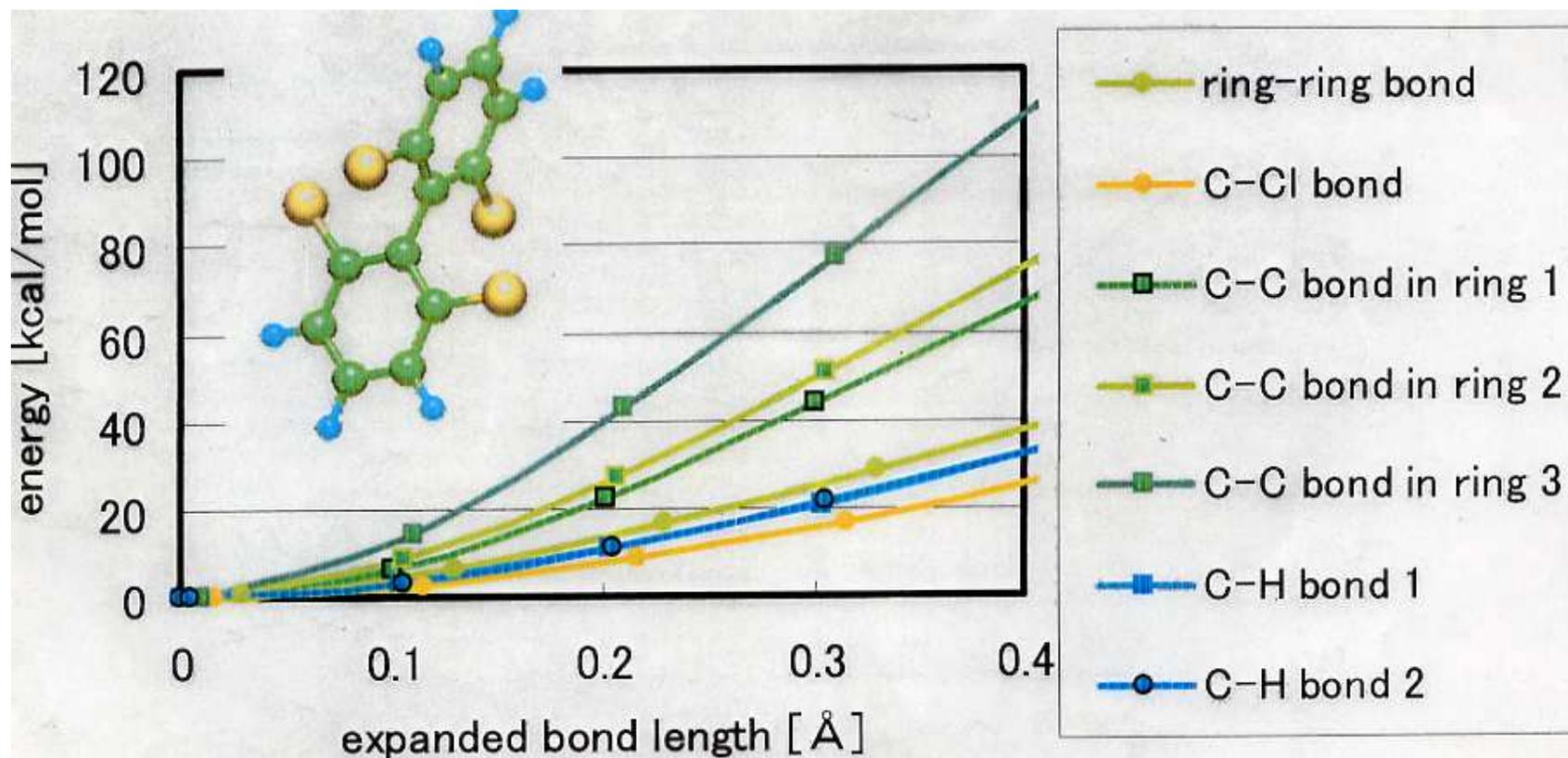
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Chemical Reaction



## C-Cl Bond is most weak bond in this molecule (2,6,2',6'-PCB)

Given from F. Saito(Tohoku University)



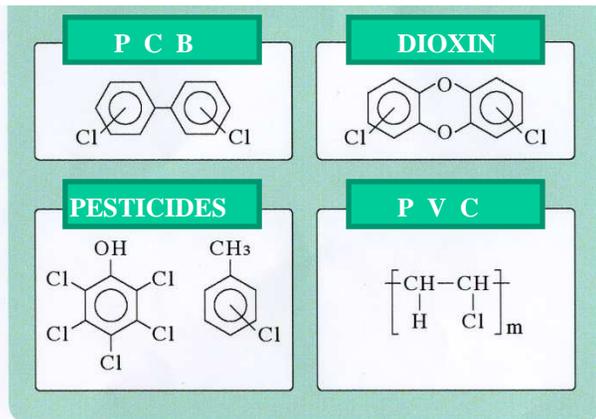
Relationships between expanded bond length and energy growth of 2,6,2',6'-PCB molecule

\*C-Cl bond is most weak bond in this molecule.

\*The bond between benzene ring is weaker than other C-C bonds, as weak as C-H bonds.

The Chlorine in organic compounds reacts chemically with CaO and changed to safety inorganic compounds, CaCl<sub>2</sub>

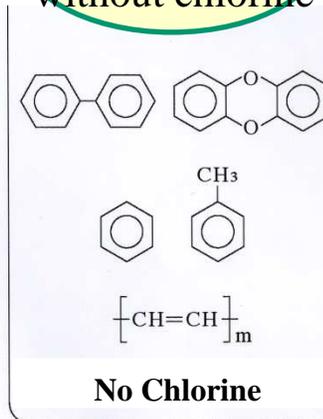
Organic Compounds with chlorine



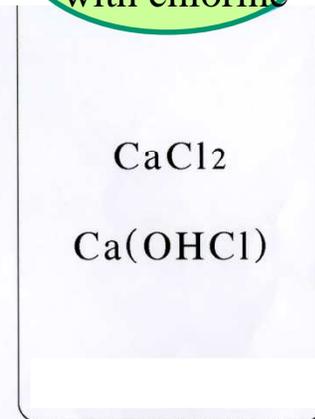
+CaO  
**Radicalplanet Treatment**

No-Combustion  
 No-Exhaust gas  
 No-Effluents

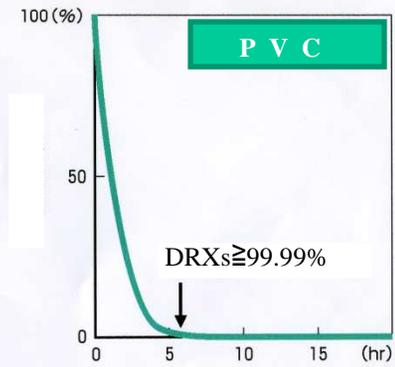
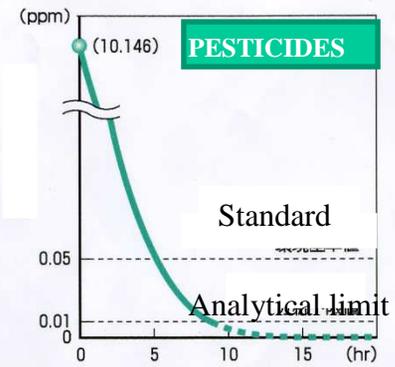
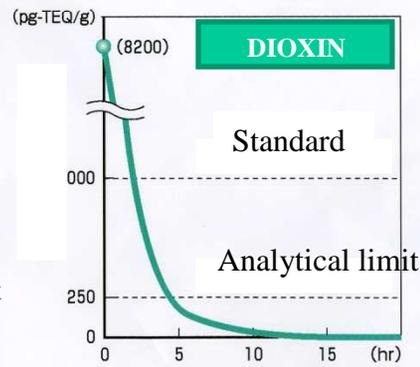
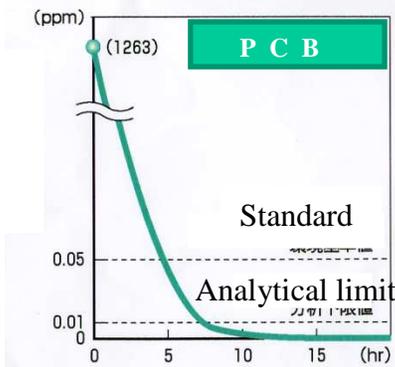
Organic Compounds without chlorine



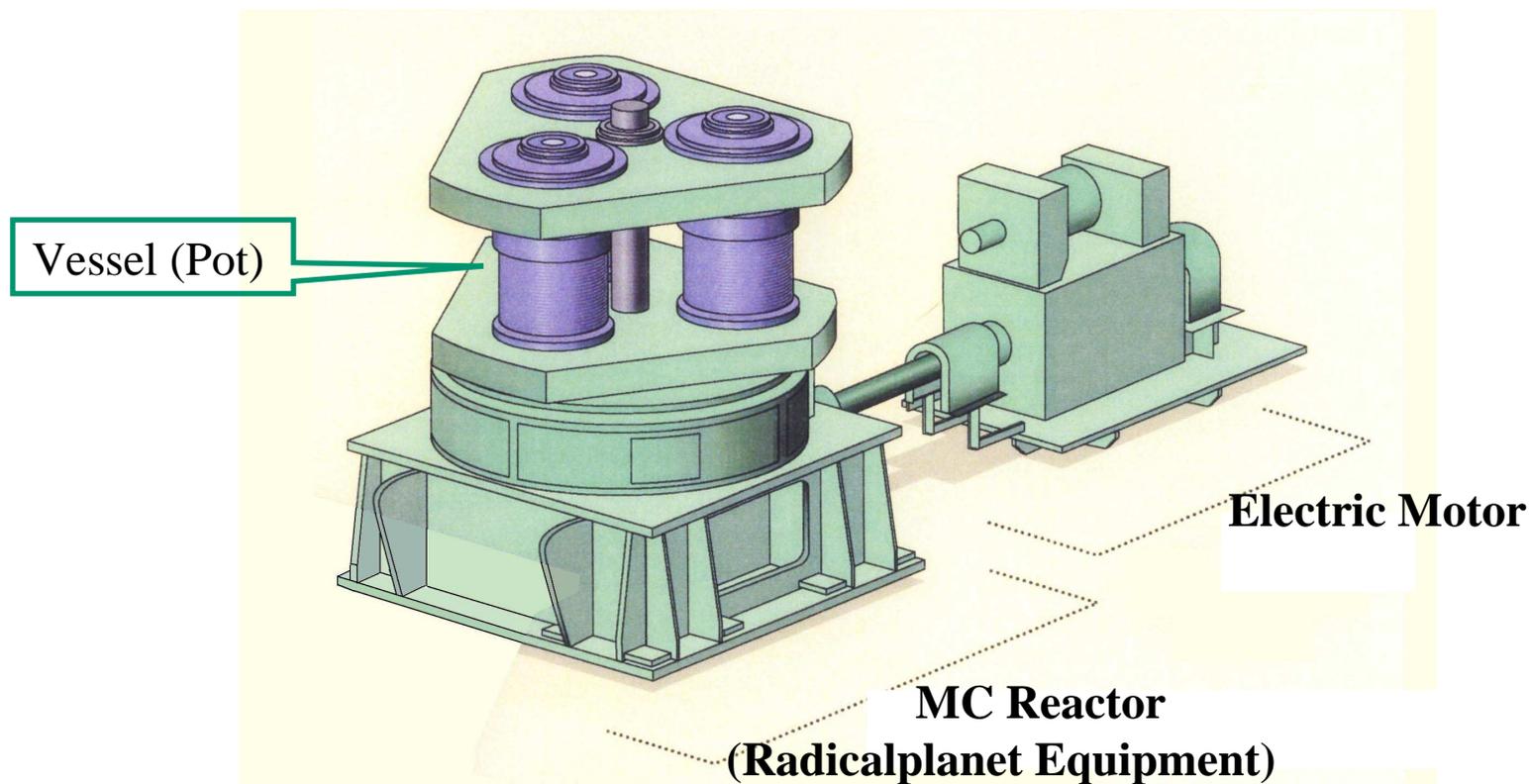
Inorganic Compounds with chlorine



Behaviors of organic compounds during Radicalplanet treatment



## Schematic Profile of Main Equipment



**E-200 Type**



**Produced by Sumitomo Heavy Industries Techno-Fort Co.,Ltd.**



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# Applicable Pesticides and related POPs wastes

## 1. Materials

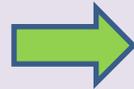
- (1) PCP, Chlordane, BHC, DDT, Endrin, PCB, DXNs, . . .
- (2) Mixture of Pesticides and related POPs wastes
- (3) Admixture (Soil, Stone, Concrete, Glass, Metal, Plastics)  
polluted by PCB oil and POPs wastes
- (4) Fly ash and Incineration ash polluted by DXNs

## 2. Form and Conditions

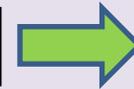
- (1) Solid and Powder
- (2) Liquid and Emulsion
- (3) Contaminated Materials (Fluorescent Stabilizer, Impact Paper)
- (4) Admixture of POPs wastes

### Main Process (Detoxification Treatment)

Target Substance



Radicalplanet Treatment



Safe and Fine Powder



Closed System

Steel Balls and CaO

Closed



No Exhaust Gas and No Effluents



Opened



Steel Vessel (Pot)

Powder Collection



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Pesticides and Agricultural Chemicals are stocked  
in the basement and buried under the ground in Japan.

Stock house



Under the ground  
in parking area



Basement in the stock house



Under the ground  
in fruits park



# Let's dig the Pesticides and Agricultural Chemicals from the ground !!!



Refill into the drums!!!



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# BHC ( Agricultural Chemicals ) Destruction

## Treatments



Liquid

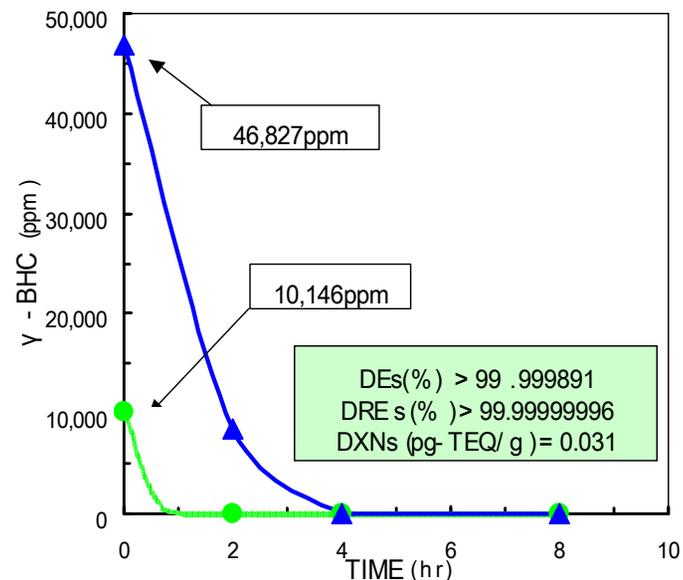


(Powder)

## Effects of Rotation Speed

Rotation Speed (rpm)	NOW		Calculated Rotation Speed		
	70	70	140	210	280
0	10,146		46,827ppm (97.4%)		
1	(-)	(-)	(20)	(0.15)	ND( < 0.01 )
2	0.52	8,400	(0.15)	ND( < 0.01 )	ND( < 0.01 )
4	0.07	22.2	ND( < 0.01 )		
8	0.04	0.14			
16	ND( < 0.01 )	0.08			

## Results of Radicalplanet Treatment



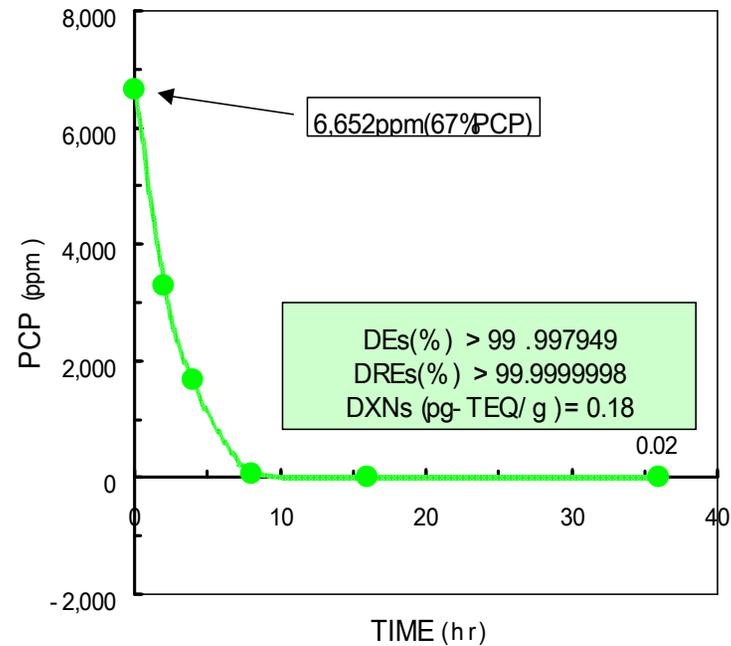
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**Effects of Rotation Speed**

Rotation Speed (rpm)	NOW	Calculated Rotation Speed		
	70	140	210	280
0	6.652ppm (67%)			
1	( - )	(1,600)	(50)	ND( < 1.0 )
2	3.297	(50)	ND( < 1.0 )	↓
4	1.685	ND( < 1.0 )	↓	
8	56	↓	↓	
16	0.63	↓	↓	
36	0.02	↓	↓	

**Results of Radicalplanet Treatment**



Radical Planet  
Japan

# Radicalplanet Technology Treatments

# Chlordane ( Agricultural Chemicals ) Destruction

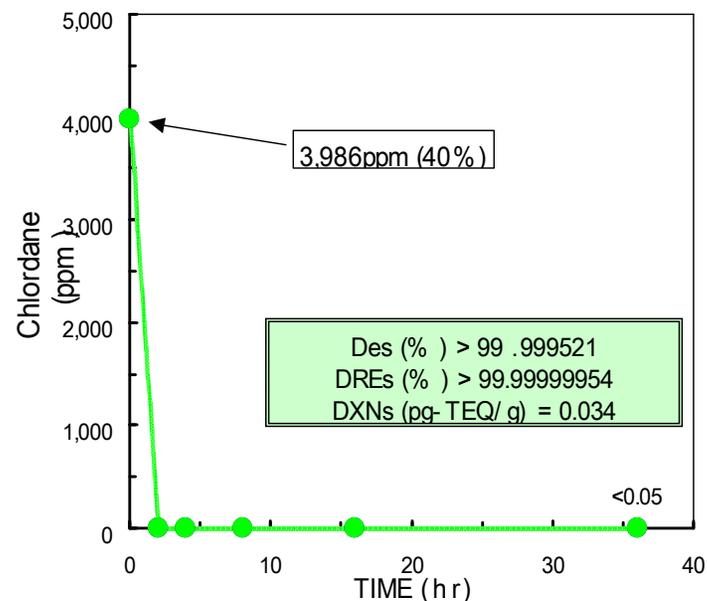


## Results of Radicalplanet Treatment

### Effects of Rotation Speed

(Unit : ppm )

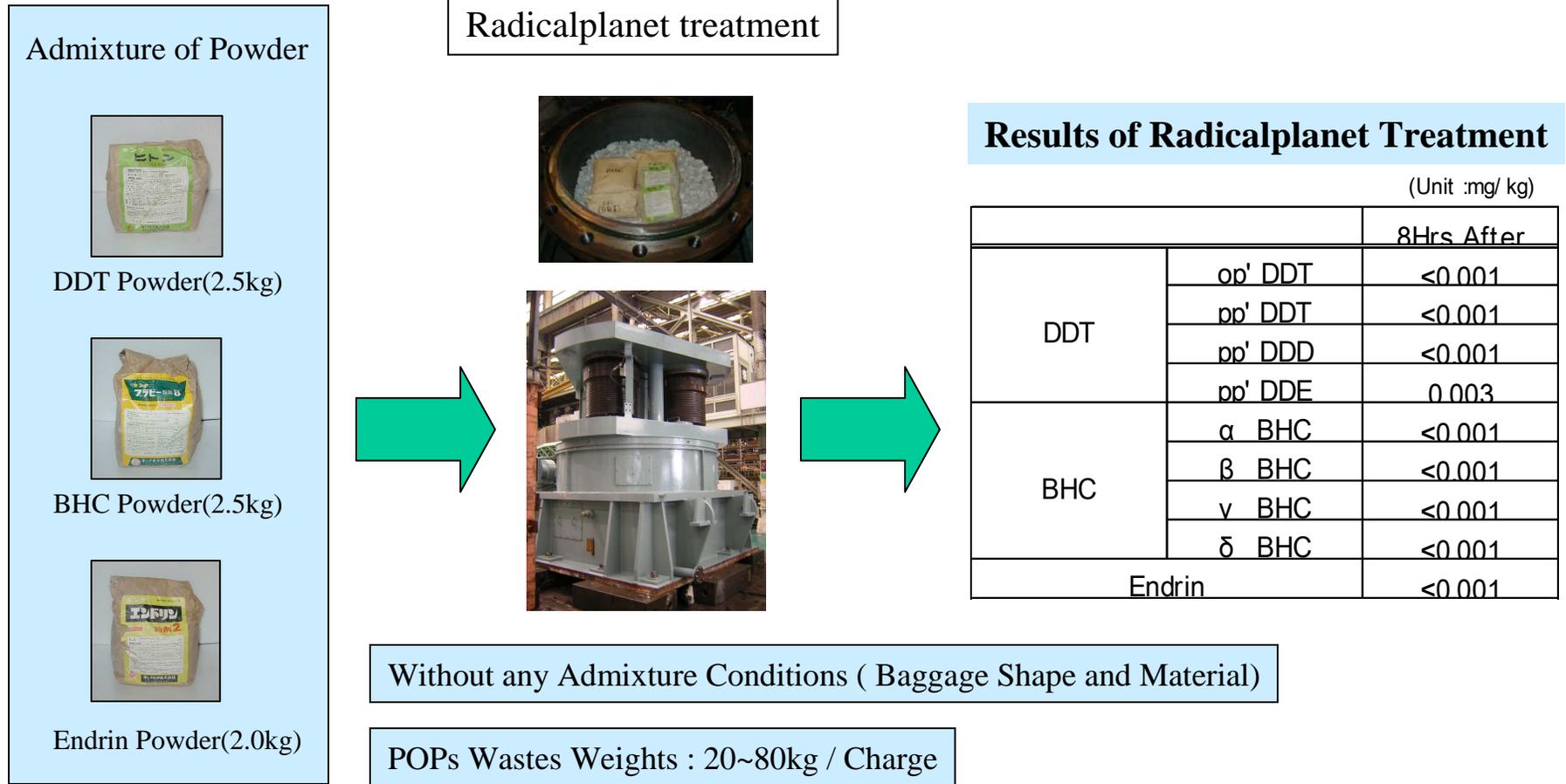
Rotation Speed (rpm) TIME(Hr)	NOW	Calcurated Rotaion Speed		
	70	140	210	280
0		3.986ppm(40%)		
1	( - )	(0.6)	(<0.05)	(<0.05)
2	5.32	(<0.05)		
4	0.61			
8	<0.05			
16	<0.05			
36	<0.05			



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# Destruction of Mixed Agricultural Chemicals



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IHPA=international HCH and pesticides association

Vendor		Radicalplanet Research Institute co. Ltd. (former Sumitomometals co.Ltd.)							
Name of Process		Radicalplanet Technology							
POPs Wastes	Name	PCP	chlordan	BHC		chlordan	BHC	DDT	Endrin
	figure or state	liquid	emulsion	liquid		emulsion	admixture of powder (underground)		
	Input Weight(kg)	0.7	0.7	0.7	3.5	3.5	2.5	2.5	2
	DXNs(pg-TEQ/ g)	1,600,000	990	26	26	190			
Agency for dechlorination: CaO		57.6	69.3	55.2	57.6	55.3	63		
The other added agency: SiO2		11.7	0	11.3	11.7	11.2	0		
<b>Resules after Using Radicalplanet Technology</b>									
Exhaust gas		non							
Effluents		non							
Powder	Weight(kg)	70.1	71.2	68.1	73.9	71.2	71.5		
	DEs(%)	> 99.997949	> 99.997530	> 99.999490	> 99.999891	> 99.999521	> 99.998901	> 99.999341	> 99.997943
	DREs(%)	> 99.9999998	> 99.9999996	> 99.9999995	> 99.9999995	> 99.9999995	> 99.9999998	> 99.9999998	> 99.999999681
	DXNs(pg-TEQ/ g)	0.18	0.034	0.14	0.031	6.2	0.12		
Cooling water for machine(L)		15,000							
DXNs(pg-TEQ/ a)		0.016		0.024		0.056		0.056	
Powdr collectin gas (m3)		0.85	0.92	0.88	0.88	0.92	0.85		
DXNs(pg-TEQ/ m3N)		0.52	0.5	0.0023		0.00011		0.0024	

DEs :破壊効率(%), DREs :破壊除去効率(%)



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# Destruction Treatment of Mixed Wastes

POPs Wastes



Concrete ,Soil



Plastic Masks



Cloth Gloves



Protective clothing



Chipped Wood



Pieces of Paper



Pieces of PP,PVC



Pipes and Can made of Metal



Mixed Wastes in Vessel



Destruction



Powder after Treatment



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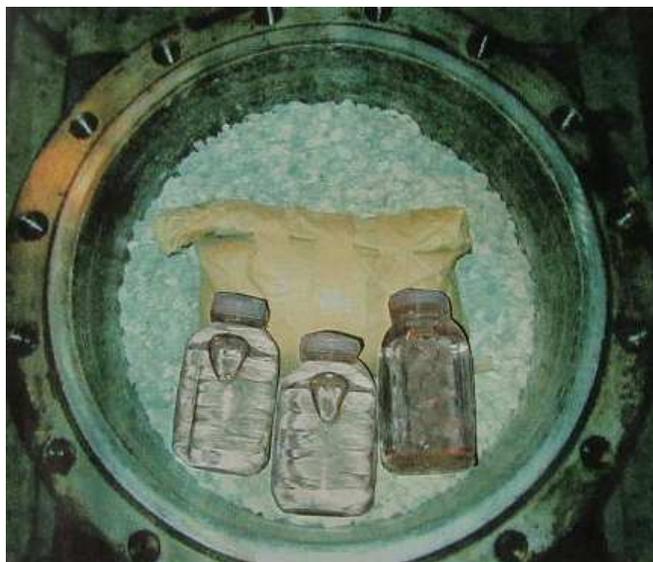
**Results of PCB Concentration**

Time(Hr)	PCB (mg/ kg)
0	256
16	ND(< 0.01)
32	ND(< 0.01)
64	ND(< 0.01)



**Results of DXNs Concentration**

DXNs (ppa- TEQ/ g)		
PCDD.s+ PCDF.s	Co- PCB	Total
0.0020	0.0043	0.0063



**Results of PCB Concentration**

Time(Hr)	PCB (mg/ kg)
0	1,283
16	15
32	0.12
64	ND(< 0.01)

**Results of DXNs Concentration**

DXNs (ng- TEQ/ g)		
PCDD.s+ PCDE.s	Co- PCB	Total
0.00037	0.0041	0.0045



**Results of PCB Concentration**

Time(Hr)	PCB (mg/ kg)
0	1,263
16	ND(< 0.01)
32	ND(< 0.01)
64	ND(< 0.01)

**Results of DXNs Concentration**

DXNs (pa- TFO/ a)		
PCDDs+PCDFs	Co-PCB	Total
0	0.00027	0.00027

# Let's repack the Soil contaminated by Dioxin !!!

Combustion furnace



Soil, which was contaminated by Dioxin, was stocked inside the concrete area



Repackage into Rayon Bags



# Radicalplanet Process

Pre-Treatment



Radicalplanet Treatment

E-500 (Recommended)



After-Treatment

Pesticides and POPs Wastes  
in Big Package  
(200~500kg Drums or Cloth)  
(Harmful Compounds)



Pre-treatment

Re-package (If needed)



Small Package (~20kg)  
[Vinyl or Double Paper Bags]

Put the Bags into Vessels

Radicalplanet Treatment



E-500 (Recommended)

*Closed System*



Vessel (Before)

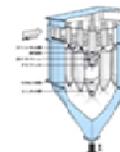
Detoxification  
Reaction



Vessel (After)

After-treatment

Powder Collection



Cyclone



Cyclone + Bag Filter

Safe Useful Materials  
(DXNs  $\leq$  1pg-TEQ/g)



Example : Tetra Pots

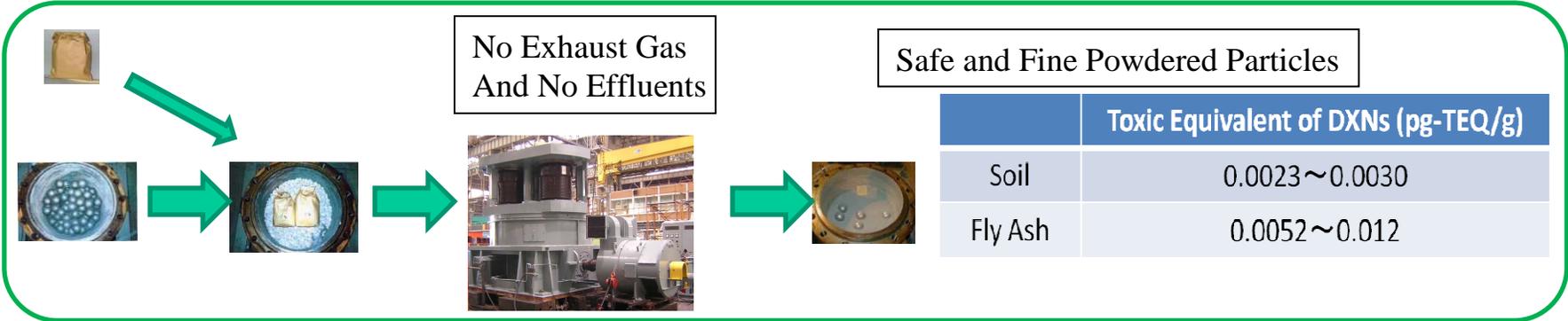
**Radicalplanet Technology** Destruction Treatments (Soil contaminated by

**DIOXIN)**  
Pre-Treatment

Re-Package



Radicalplanet Treatment

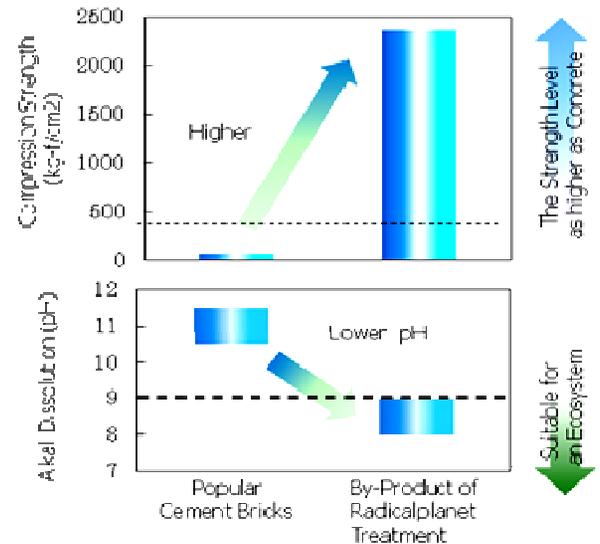


Feature of reconstructed Materials  
which were *solidified by mixing with water*

\*\*Recycle Use for a high efficiency concrete

(1) The compression strength :  
Increased as much as concrete strength

(2) The alkali dissolution (pH) :  
Decreased as low as Ecosystem



## Results (1) of Performance

Wastes Type	kg or tons treated	Concentration	Final Results DXNs (pg-TEQ/g)	Detoxification Agent
BHC	12kg	97% $\gamma$ -BHC	0.031	CaO, BF-Slag
BHC	28kg	5%BHC	0.14	CaO
BHC	15.6kg	3%BHC	0.38	CaO
DDT (Powder)	18.5kg	5%DDT	0.08	CaO
DDT (ED-Powder)	5.2kg	2.5%DDT	0.18	CaO
Endrin	2kg	2%Endrin	0.28	CaO
DDT+Enclin+BHC	7kg	5%DDT, 97%BHC, 2%Endrin	0.12	CaO
PCP(Solution)	12.6kg	91%PCP	0.18	CaO, BF-Slag
Chlordane	12.6kg	95%Chlordane	0.034	CaO
Chlordane	3.5kg	95%Chlordane	6.2	BF-Slag
CPCNB	2kg	20%PCNB	0.54	CaO
PCB Oil	5g	100%PCB	0.031	CaO
PCB Oil	36kg	Pure-Oil(51.3%PCB +38.4% Trichloro-Benzen)	0.081	CaO
PCB Oil	39kg	8.6%Pure-Oil +91.4%Isolation-Cil	0.066	CaO
PCB Oil	45kg	0.7%Pure-Oil +99.3%Isolation-Cil	0.004	CaO
PCB Oil	125kg	4.28%Pure-Oil +95.72%Soil	0.004	CaO
PCB(Stabilizer)	10kg	2%Pure-PCB	0.00027	CaO
PCB(Clothes)	12kg	0.2%Pure-Oil	0.0038	CaO
PCB(Mixed)	90kg	0.2%Pure-Oil	0.0018	CaO
Dioxin Soil	200kg	8,200 pg-TEQ/g	$\leq$ 0.012	CaO
Dioxin burnt Ash	180kg	6,900 pg-TEQ/g	$\leq$ 0.012	CaO
The Other				

## Practical Use for the Pesticides wastes

We will recommend the use of A-500 Type.

A-500 Type : 3 Vessels ( Each Inner-Volume : 500 liters )

Estimated : Decomposition Capacity Of One Equipment

Approximately : 500~677 tons/year  
(Operation Time : 24 hours/ day)

Approximately : 165~210 tons/year  
(Operation Time : 8 hours/ day)

*\*\*Depend on Figure and Concentration of Target Materials*

Standard Capacity and Electric Cost in A-500 type (One Plant / One Equipment) : 70 rpm

(*1)	Density (T/m <sup>3</sup> )	Kg/Charge (3 vessels)	Treat Time (hr)	Cycle Time (hr)	Work Time (hours)	Amount (t/day)	Amount (t/year)	Electric Cost (kw·h/ t )	Electric Cost (Mw·h/ y )
Pesticides A(s)	2	214	1.4	2.4	24	2.1	677(*2)	3,600	2,440
					8	0.6	219(*3)		790
Pesticides B(L)	1.5	160	1.4	2.4	24	1.7	509(*2)	4,810	2,450
					8	0.5	165(*3)		790
PCB-OIL	2	75	2.0	3.0	24	0.6	190(*2)	14,670	2,790
					8	0.2	64(*3)		940
Stabilizer	3	113	2.0	3.0	24	0.9	284(*2)	9,730	2,760
					8	0.3	96(*3)		922
Soil polluted by Dioxin	3	1,125	1.4	2.4	24	11.4	3,555(*2)	684	2,430
					8	3.4	1,151(*3)		790

\*1 : Treating Time and Capacity will depend on the concentration and conditions of the Element in POPs Wastes.

One Case: The concentration of  $\gamma$ -BHC will be supposed 5 % in the POPs Wastes.

One Case: The concentration of pure-PCB Oil will be supposed 0.4 % in the POPs Wastes.

\*2 : 316 days/y : Machine Check= Two Days per Month and Machine Detail Check : 25 Days per Year

\*3 : 341 days/y : Machine Check= After Work Time (1 hour) and Machine Detail Check : 25 Days per Year

## Applicable Size of Pesticides and related POPs wastes

*A Vessel of A-500 has one meter in diameter, 500 liters in*

*volume.*  
The suitable receptacle-size of Pesticides and POPs wastes :

1. Maximum Weight:  
20~25kg / piece
2. Maximum Size:  
(30cm×45cm×10cm) /piece

### *Acceptable Receptacles*

1. Card board
2. Plastic box
3. Glass bottle
4. Rayon bag
5. Thin metal can

\* *If : Large drum (200 liters) and the other large one :*

These Pesticides and POPs wastes  
should be **repackaged** to the above size.

## Durability of the Equipment A-500 Type

The Life of the Main Machine will be estimated 17 years.

1. The current consumption of sections :  
Vessels and Steel Balls are estimated 2~3 years.
2. The current consumption of elements :  
Bearings and Axes are estimated 2 years.

*\*Depend on the conditions of operation*

### Maintenance for the Main Machine

1. Machine Check :  
Daily check will be performed on the manual book.
2. Machine Maintenance :  
Maker check will be performed in 25 days per year.

## The Equipment A-500 Type (Maker)

### Prices of A-500 Type :

One equipment price : Approximately 500 million yen  
/ 4.5 million USD : (in January 2008)  
/ 3.3 million EURO : (in March 2008)  
[One Main Machine and One Electric Motor ]

### Rental or Lease Prices of A-500 Type :

One equipment price : Approx. 120 million yen/year  
/ 0.8~1.1 million USD : (in January 2008)  
[One Main Machine and One Electric Motor ]

*Option: you can buy the installation after 5 years.*

### Separate account :

- *Pre- Treatment Equipment : approx. 0.3 million USD*
- *After-Treatment Equipment : approx. 0.4 million USD*
- *Installation costs : approx. 0.7 million USD*
- . . . . .

## Summery

## A. Resource needs

1. Power source : AC440V, 550kw, 3 $\phi$ , 60Hz and AC 220V, 30kw  
<Diesel generator can be operated.>
2. Water requirements : Main treatment plant requires cooling water which is recycled through heat exchangers.
3. Gas volumes : No gas and no fuel is consumed in the detoxification reaction.  
After detoxification treatment , air or inert gas will be used for safe powder collection.
4. Reagents volumes : In this technology, the reagents such as CaO may be added.  
In order to treat one kilogram BHC Wastes,  
more than 1.5kg CaO is needed for detoxification.  
The all chlorine in BHC should be reacted with CaO and be changed to CaCl<sub>2</sub>.
5. Weather tight building : The main treatment plant and working field will be required to be protected from the rain, strong wind and the direct sun-shine.  
<The required space for installation is approx 500m<sup>2</sup> (65m<sup>2</sup> for the setting of E-500)>

1. Installation and commissioning costs

Amortization of plant is approx 880 EURO/ton (approx **1250 \$/ton**).

<A-500 : Approx 3.3 million EURO (4.7 million \$) (*March 2008, in Japan*)>

<Plant Life is over 17 years and depreciation period is 7 years.>

<Standard Capacity is 2.1 tonnes/day, 677 tonnes/year, by use of one plant.>

<Application of Plant is not only destruction of Pesticides but also the others.>

2. Pre- and Post- treatment equipments cost

Amortization of plant is approx 200 EURO/ton (approx **285 \$/ton**).

<Equipments : Approx 0.55 million EURO (April 2008)>

<Plant Life is over 10 years and depreciation period is 5 years.>

3. Running costs

- Electric costs: approx 240 EURO/ton (approx **345 \$/ton**)

<Electrical Consumption :3,600 kw-h/ton>

<Fee of Electric : 0.067 EURO/kw-h>

- Supplies expenses and Maintenance costs: approx 180 EURO/ton (approx

**256\$/ton**)

- Number of personnel required: 2 (skilled labour and unskilled labour)

4. Impact

- No air emissions during the process. =No need for exhaust gas treatment.

- No water is generated in the process. =No need for effluents treatment.

- No combustion system is required in the process. =No generation of CO2 gas.

1. Risks of Reagents applied

Very safe agents are applied in this technology,  
such as CaO which is popular material in soil.

2. Risks of technology

No risks.

- The practical scale machine E-200 was already operated in Japan and officially granted by the notification on April 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2004.
- The polluted materials never expand, because this process is a closed system and never generate the exhaust gas and effluents during detoxification reaction.

3. Operational Risks

No risks.

- At the emergency, the system can be shut down completely.
- At the earthquake and natural phenomena, the system is stopped safety, immediately, automatically and completely.
- After then, the system can be continued to operate again safety.
- During the stopped periods, the operating vessels are kept to be closed tightly.

# Summery

## D. Ease of shipping/ transit

The main machine of Radicalplanet treatment plant is simple and compact in transit.  
The main machine can be separated into two pieces for transport by large-sized trucks.



A. Discharge of the plant at port



B. From ship to trailer

E-200 type



C. Plant carried on trailer



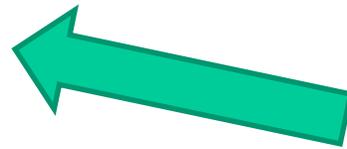
D. To the workshop

## Mobility of the Equipment A-500 Type

The Equipments can be carried by trailer

On Site Treatment

Site B in area Y



On Site Treatment

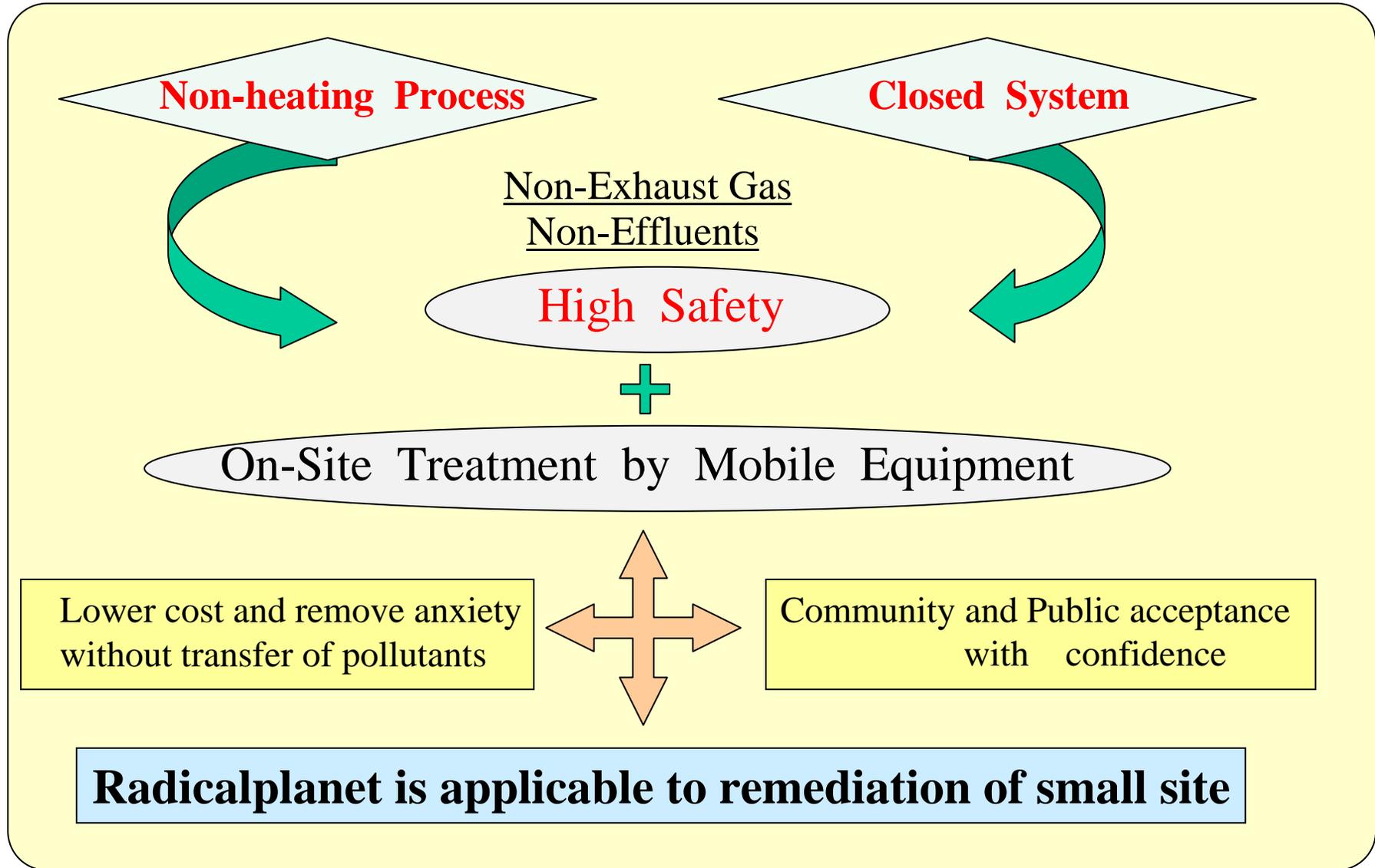
Site A in area X



Separable:  
Upper:32 tons  
Lower:40 tons

This photo is the equipment E-200 (72 tons)

# Why do we focus on Radicalplanet Technology ?





## What we have been performed in 1999 - 2003

1. Hazardous wastes (1) : Pesticides and POPs wastes, PCB-Oil and wastes, Stabilizer, Dioxin wastes,

*This Radicalplanet Technology was officially granted by the Notification No. 25 of the Japanese Ministry of Environment in April, 2004.*

2. Hazardous wastes (2) : Asbestos
3. PVC : Sheet, Pipes wastes
4. Soil : for High Strength Concrete
5. Metal : for Powdered Special Alloy
6. CD and Tape : for Erasure of Data File
7. Plastic wastes : for Fuel
8. Wood chips and Grass : for Bio-Plastic and Bio-Fuel
9. Metal and IT wastes : for Recycle of Noble Metal and Rear-Metal
10. The other materials : for making the suitable conditions

## What we have been performed in 2003 -

### 1. 2003(April) :

We founded up 'Radicalplanet Research Institute Co. Ltd.' .

We would like to enlarge scientific knowledge of 'Mechano-Chemical',

(1) Chemical Reaction proceed by mechanical energy,

with Non-Combustion, Non-Exhaust Gas, Non-Effluents,

(2)The practical scale machine has been manufactured, in 1999, and the chemical reaction has been shown by the practical scale machine.

(3) **This technology will supersede the incineration method.**

### 2. 2004-2005 :

E-200 Type Machine was improved in order to measure the inside-temperature and pressure of the Vessel.

### 3. 2006 :

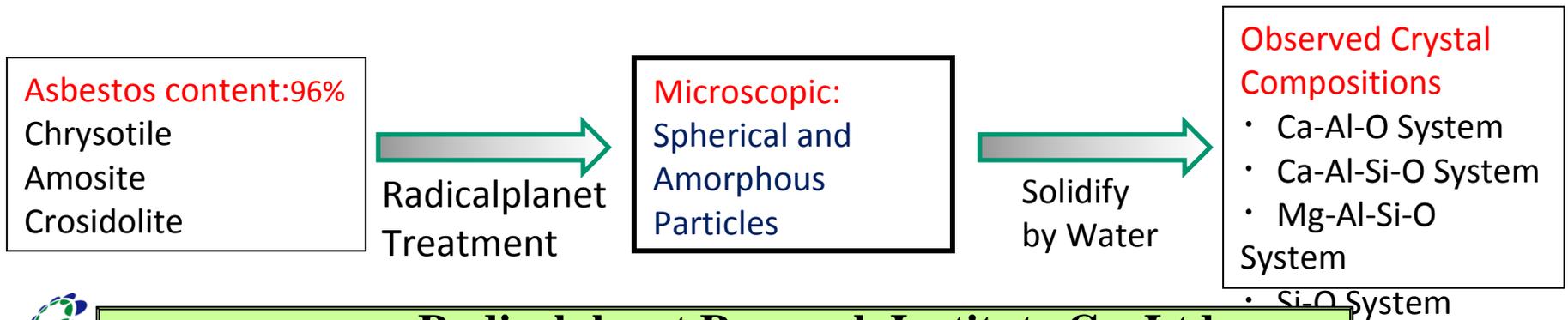
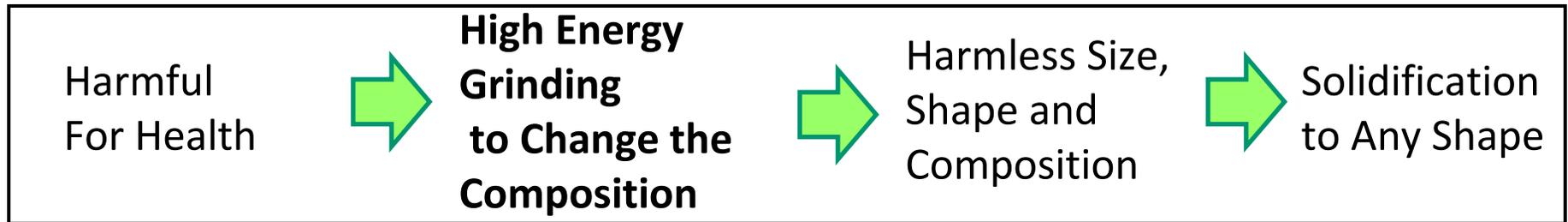
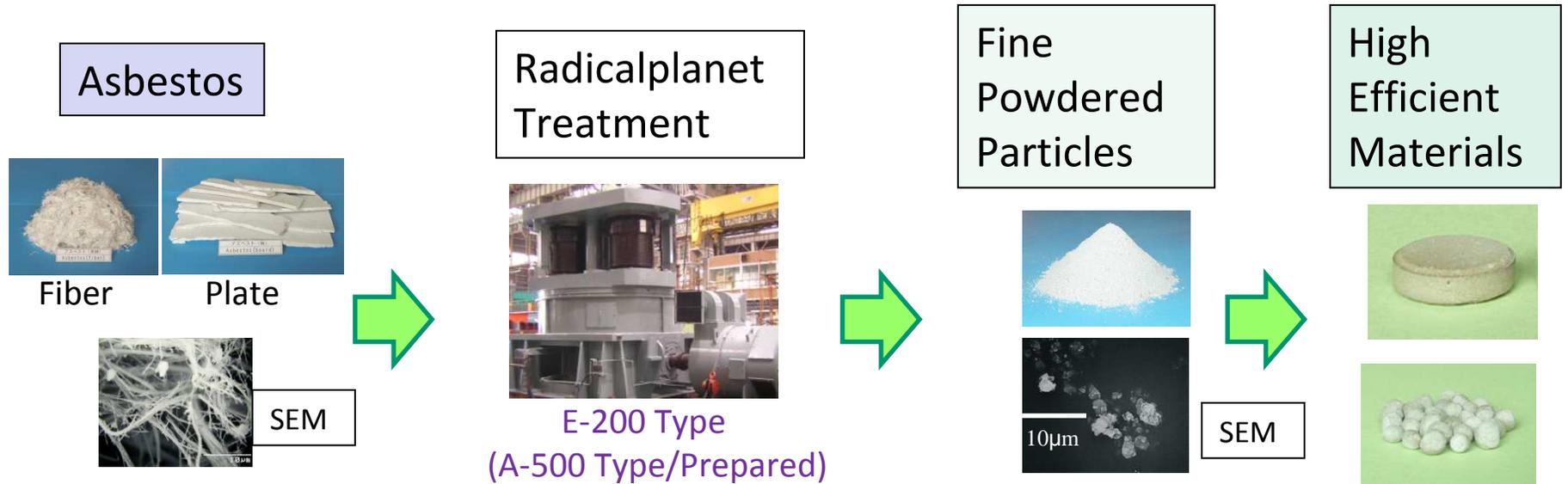
A-500 Type Machine was designed in order to perform on a large-scale.

### 4. 2006- :

Looking for the new practical location of the E-200 equipment.

Now there is a plan of re-construction of the E-200 equipment.

# Radicalplanet Treatment for ASBESTOS



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Standard Capacity and Electric Cost in A-500 type (One Unit / Three Equipments) : 70 rpm

(*1)	Density (T/m <sup>3</sup> )	Kg/Charge (3 vessels) Each Machine	Treat Time (hr)	Cycle Time (hr)	Work Time (hours)	Amount (t/day)	Amount (t/year)	Electric Cost (kw·h/)	Electric Cost (Mw·h/ y)
Pesticide s A(S)	2	214	1.4	2.4	24	5.6	2,031 (*2)	3,600	7,310
					8	1.8	658 (*3)		2,370
Pesticide s B(L)	1.5	160	1.4	2.4	24	4.2	1,524(*2)	4,810	7,330
					8	1.4	494(*3)		2,380
PCB-OIL	2	75	2.0	3.0	24	1.6	569(*2)	14,670	8,350
					8	0.5	192(*3)		2,820
Stabilizer	3	113	2.0	3.0	24	2.3	853(*2)	9,730	8,300
					8	0.8	288(*3)		2,800
Soil polluted by Dioxin	3	1,125	1.4	2.4	24	29.2	10,665(*2)	684	7,300
					8	9.5	3,453(*3)		2,360

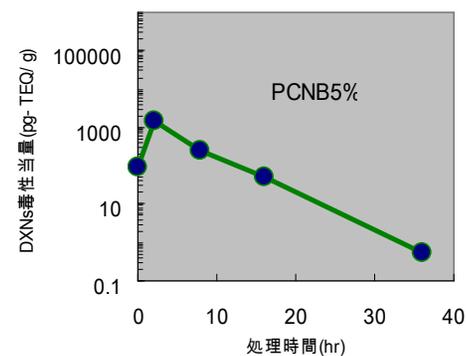
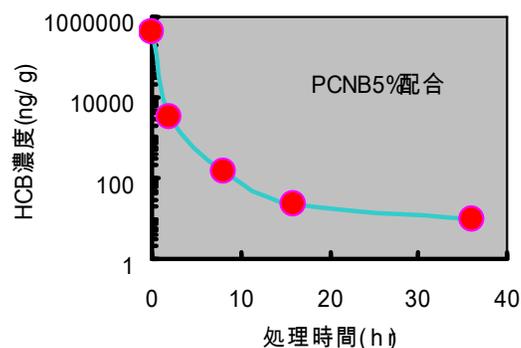
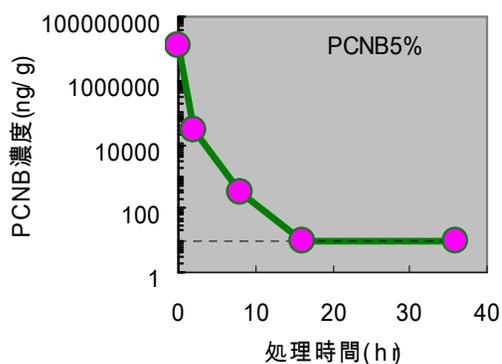
\*1 : Treating Time and Capacity will depend on the concentration and conditions of the Element in POPs Wastes.

One Case: The concentration of  $\gamma$ -BHC will be supposed 5 % in the POPs Wastes.

One Case: The concentration of pure-PCB Oil will be supposed 0.4 % in the POPs Wastes.

\*2 : 316 days/y : Machine Check= Two Days per Month and Machine Detail Check : 25 Days per Year

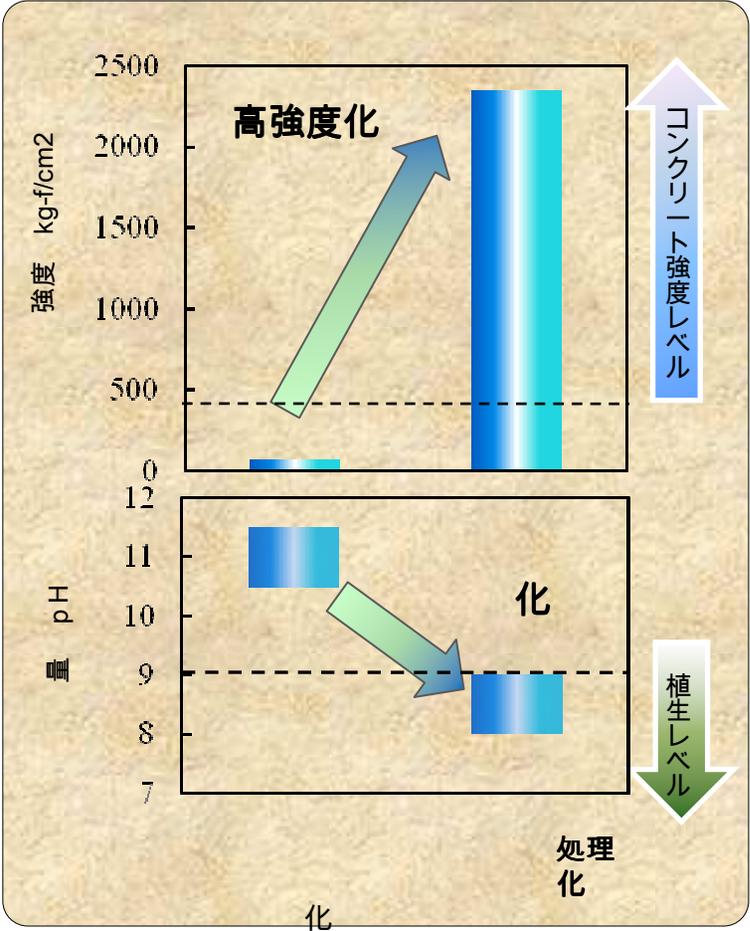
\*3 : 341 days/y : Machine Check= After Work Time (1 hour) and Machine Detail Check : 25 Days per Year



TIME(Hr)	PCNB
0	11760000
2	28000
8	300
16	10
36	10

TIME(Hr)	HCB
0	395000
2	3400
8	150
16	22
36	10

TIME(Hr)	DXNs
0	95
2	1400
8	250
16	50
36	0.54



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# Destruction of Asbestos Tohoku-

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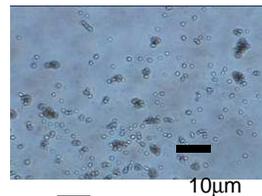


**Harmful**

Asbestos Fiber  
(Chrysotile)



Mechanochemical  
Treatment  
( Radicalplanet  
Technique)



**Harmless Shape and Composition**

**Microscopic, Spherical  
and Amorphous Particles**

Solidification by Water  
(Hold in a week , 60 )

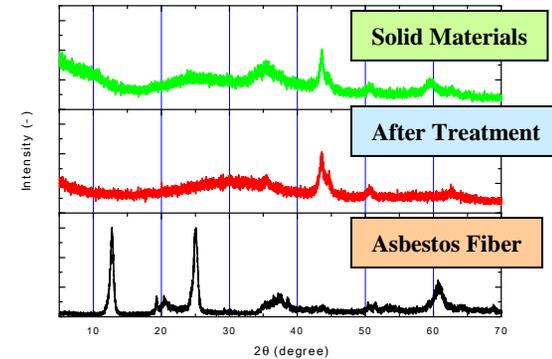


**Solid Materials**

**High Tensile Strength  
or Good Materials for Plants**

XRD Results A

[Asbestos Destruction Treatment]

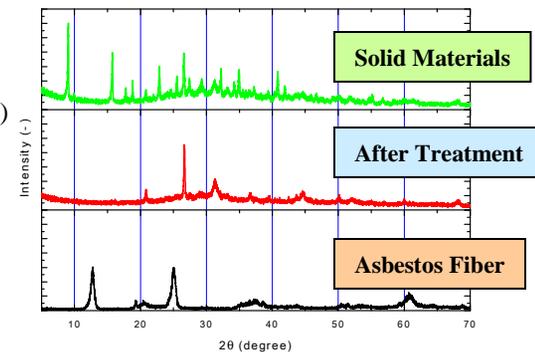


XRD Results C

[Asbestos (+Addition ) Destruction  
Treatment]

[Observed Crystal Compositions]

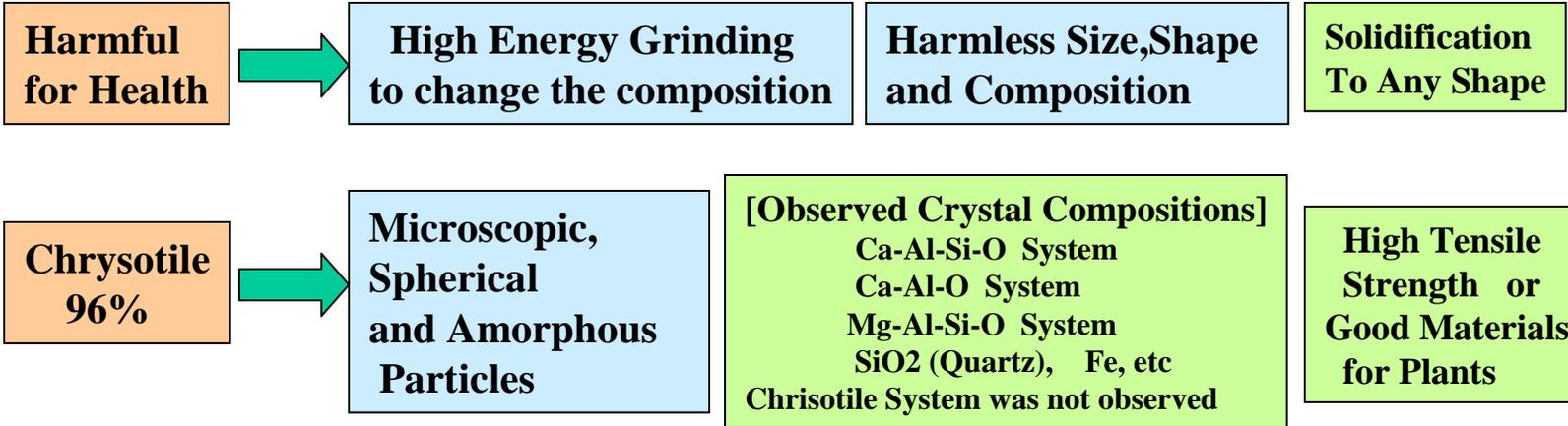
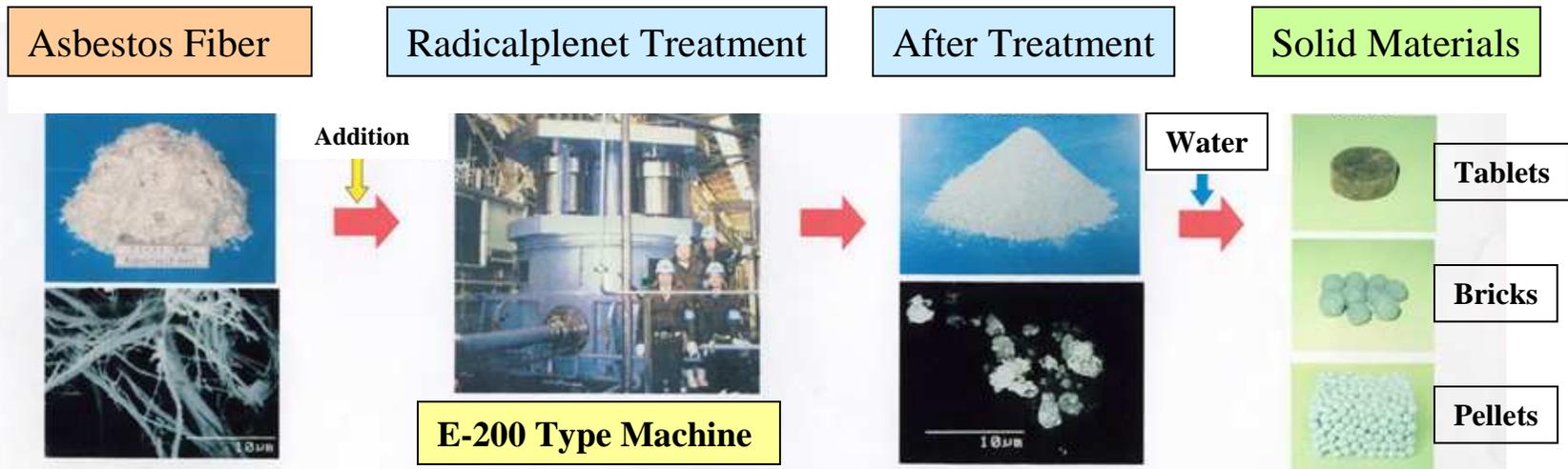
- $\text{Ca}_{1.5}\text{SiO}_{3.5} \cdot x\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
Calcium Silicate Hydrate)
- $\text{Mg}_4\text{Al}_2(\text{OH})_{12}\text{CO}_3 \cdot 3\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
(Quintinite-2H),  $\text{SiO}_2$  (Quartz)
- Fe(iron),  $\text{CaCO}_3$ (vaterite),  
 $\text{CaSO}_4 \cdot 2\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (Gypsum), etc.



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