

Results of Investigation on Upper Parts of S/C (Suppression Chamber) of Unit 1 at Fukushima Daiichi NPS

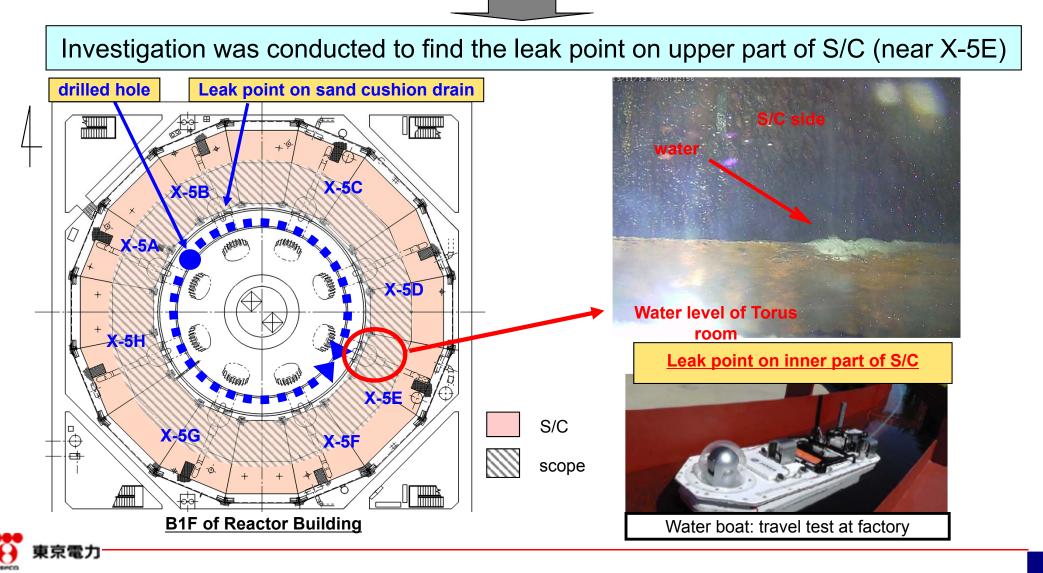
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Investigation inside the S/C using a water boat (November, 2013)

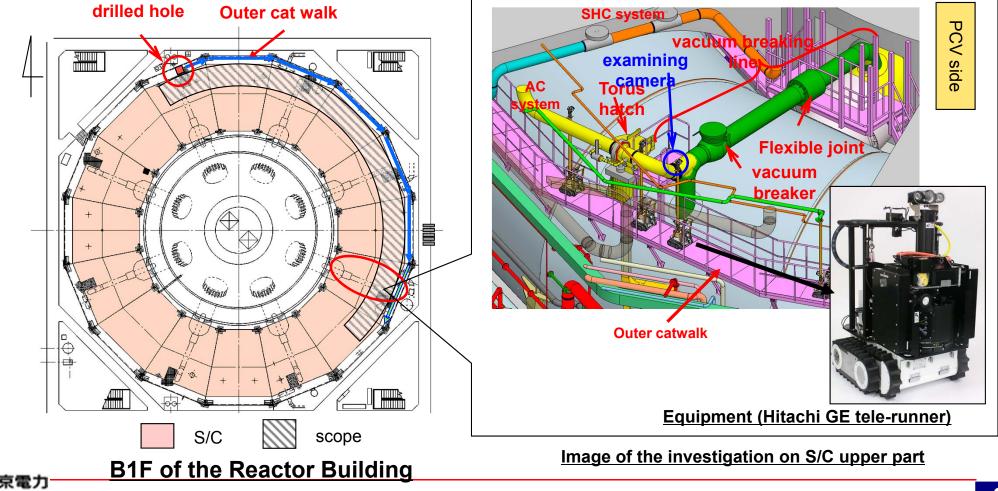
- In November 2013, the presence of water leakage was checked at inner part of S/C as investigation around lower parts of vent pipes
 - Water leakage from upper part of S/C (near X-5E, southeast) was found.
 - Water leakage from sand cushion drain (near X-5B, northwest) was found.



overview

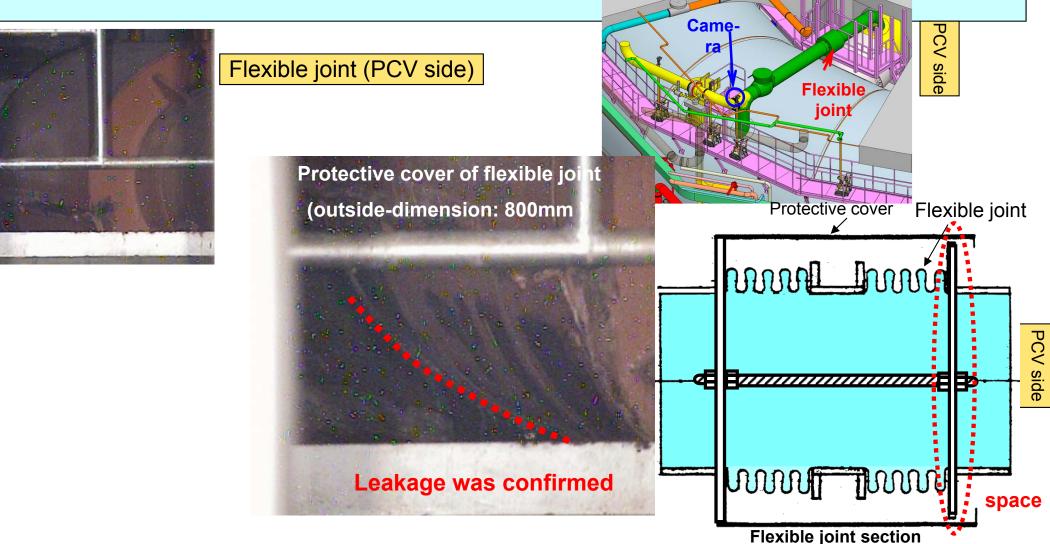
Equipment (under development for investigation and maintenance (water stop) for watering C/V) for investigation on upper part of S/C was put in from the drilled hole in northwest area, and investigation from outer cat walk was conducted.

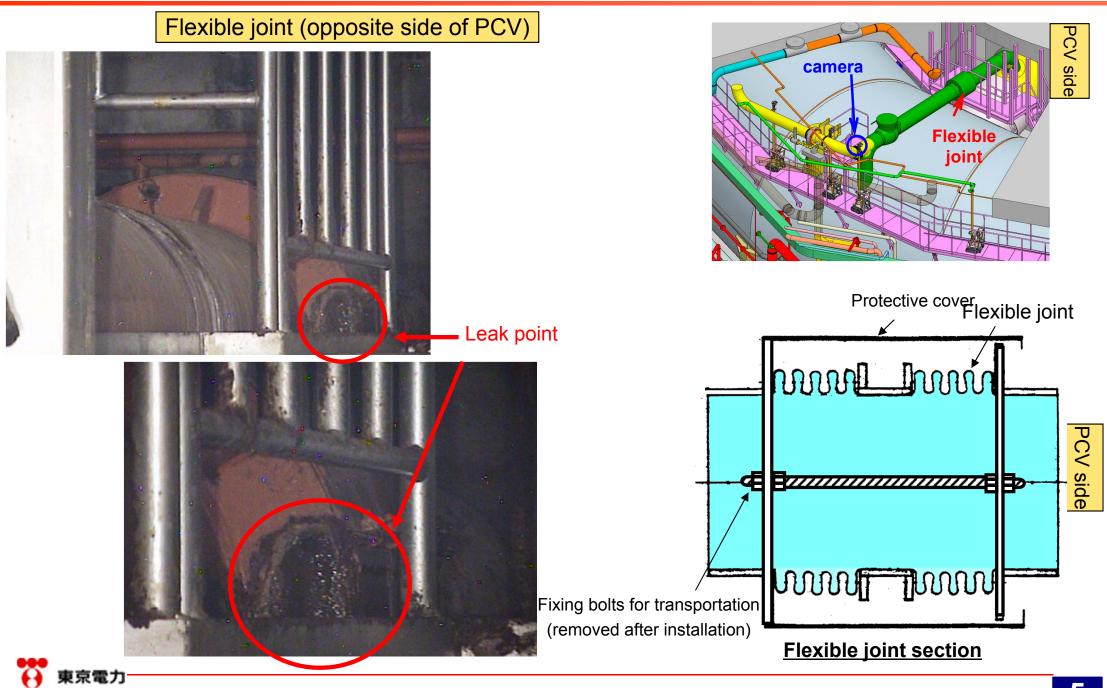
- Confirmation of the leak point on S/C upper part (near X-5E)
- Inquire for leak on S/C upper Outboard * on Northern Outboard (May 27)



Situation of the upper part of S/C (near X-5E)

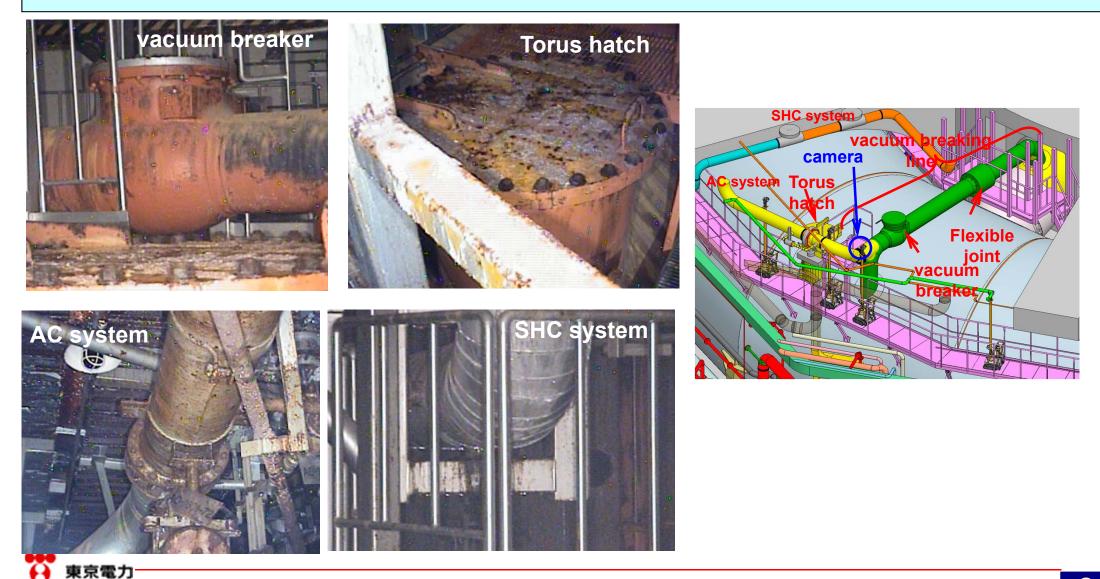
 Leakage were found on both PCV side and opposite side of flexible joint cover of vacuum breaking line





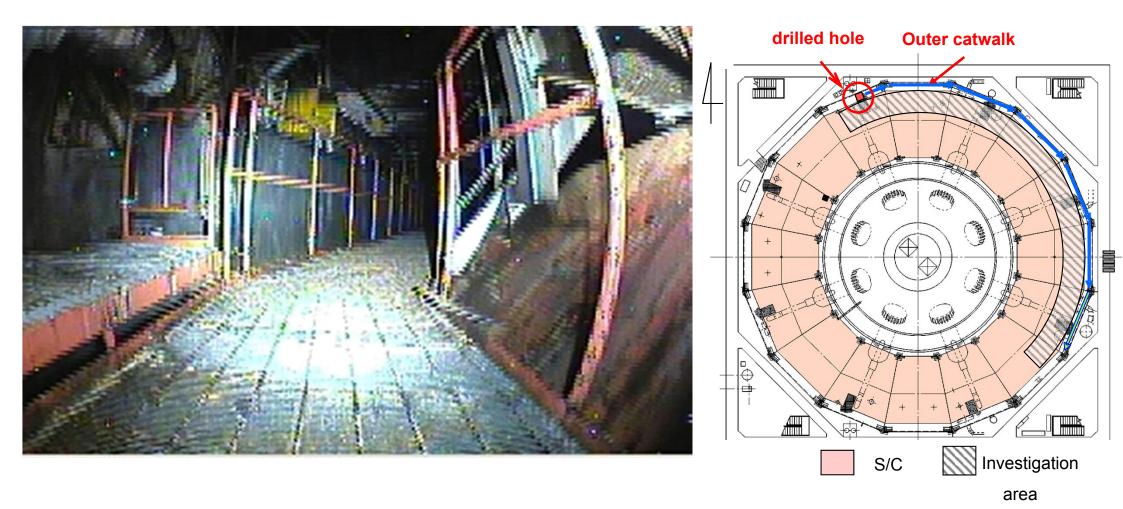
Situation of the upper part of S/C (near X-5E)

No leakage was found on vacuum breaker, torus hatch, SHC system pipe, and AC system pipe.



Situation of outside of the upper part of S/C (North)

No leakage/serious damage on systems was found



Inquiry schedule

Investigation of outside (southern side) of the upper part on S/C will be conducted tomorrow.

