

Notice of Start of Construction of Solar Power Project with Power Purchase Agreement (On-site PPA) at Tanegashima Space Center

This year, Kyudenko, which has entered into an on-site power purchase agreement (PPA) with the Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA) covering Tanegashima Space Center (Minamitane-cho, Kumage-gun, Kagoshima Prefecture), will begin construction of the solar power installation.

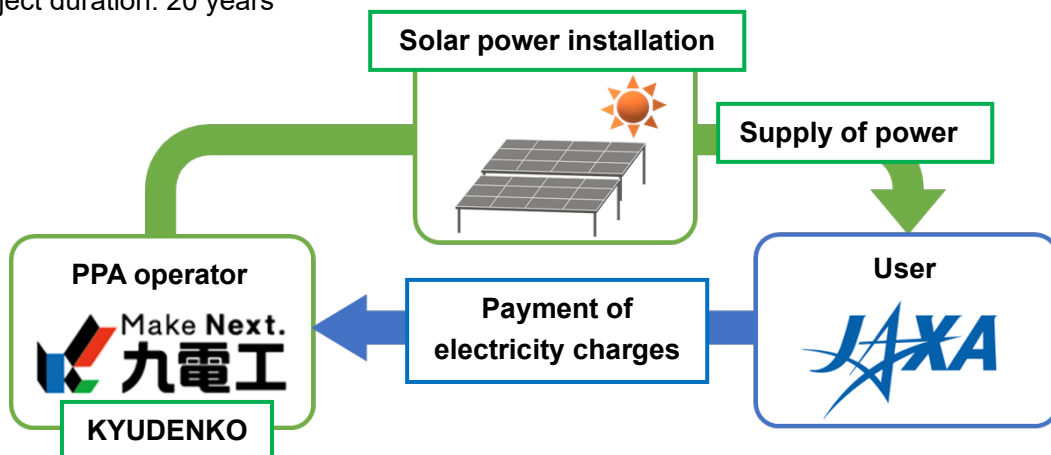
1. Overview

As part of an effort to transition to renewable energy in order to realize carbon neutrality and a decarbonized society by 2050 and to implement the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), JAXA previously sought proposals and bids for a solar power installation at its Tanegashima Space Center that would operate on an on-site PPA model utilizing private-sector expertise, funding, and managerial and technological capabilities.

After being chosen as the successful bidder in September 2023, Kyudenko entered into a contract to install the solar generating equipment as part of an on-site PPA. We are currently designing the solar power installation.

2. Project details

- On-site PPA operator: Kyudenko Corporation
- Agreement date: September 2023
- Equipment: On-site solar power installation (PCS output: 600 kW)
- Location: Land at Tanegashima Space Center
- Start of power sales: January 1, 2025 (tentative)
- Project duration: 20 years



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