

Thank you for the condolence from your Director General on the disaster caused by the gigantic earthquake of northeast Japan. GSI was not damaged so much by the gigantic earthquake. And we will continue and strengthen the research on earthquake.

Best regards,

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Thank you very much for your sympathy.

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Deeply I thank you for the kind mail related to the earthquake in Japan. Please give my best regards to all member of FEGI.

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Thank you so much for your warm encouragement. Fortunately my home town Sapporo was almost safe. We feel so sad watching TV which gives many terrible scenes in ruins around sea coasts of NE Honshu. A scale of the Tsunami disaster seems similar to that of one thousand years ago at the same place. I am sure that the geologic scale study is very important to predict such disaster. I made up my mind to do our geologic study more hardly.

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Thank you for the kind mail.

My Niigata City and the Niigata University is safe. Iwate Prefecture of my hometown suffered serious damage by tsunami. However, my parents' home was safe. In the houses of my parents, brother, and sister, their electricity, gas, water, traffic, and communication were stopped.

But they were alive, it is enough for me. The people of the coastal area are more serious condition. I have no words to console them.

Now, surrounding people of the nuclear power plant have taken refuge in safe Niigata prefecture, here. All these people are living safely in here. Many people are helping them.

In order to give electricity to the stricken area, everybody are saving electric power. Japan does its best and revives.

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Thanks,

This was really terrible tragedy. Rescue is continuing. Current worry is four nuclear reactors which are all in difficult conditions. I and my families are all OK. Tohoku University has the most serious trouble. I got an e-mail connection in this morning, finally.

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Thank you very much for your get-well message.

In Matsue, we had no damage, but we are confusing by huge damage by earthquake, Tsunami and serious accident for Fukushima nucleus power system. Thank you again for your encouragement.

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Thank you for worrying about us.

Western Japan (we) is OK, but East Japan has got serious damage.
The nuclear power plant of our country has made trouble to your country's and the world's people. I feel so sorry about it and be very sad. We recover it certainly. Russian people's warm encouragement and cooperation are appreciated.

Thank you very much!

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Thank you very much for your concern.
We confirmed all people in our group are in safe situation so far. Although, our branch in Sendai was affected by earthquake a lot and they have been in cleaning up the items that fell down. Again, thank you very much.

With best regards,

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Thank you for your words. I am OK. We had various problems after the earthquake. Today, we have restart to access to internet.
I hope we can recover soon.

Best regards,

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