



**Workshop Title : Current global status of transition to lower GWP alternatives
by laws and regulations**

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Abstract :

- Objective

To share the current global status of transition to lower GWP alternatives by laws and regulations
To introduce the policy of the Japanese Government to restrain emission of F-gas

- Background

Recently, the prevention of the global warming has become a serious problem to be addressed urgently. Each government has come to control the emission of greenhouse gases and the shift to the lower GWP alternatives by laws and regulations. As a result, comprehensive understanding is difficult, because the regulations are quite different in every country. Furthermore, in many countries the argument about the regulation is still in progress.

We would like to give a comprehensive report about current global status. And we introduce the policy of the Japanese Government, referring to the “Act on Fluorocarbons” recently administrated. We believe that it becomes the useful session for the countries which are to make regulations from now on in particular.

- Presentations

Name of Presentation 1, (name of presenter in parentheses)

Current global status of transition to lower GWP alternatives, (Kazuhiro SATO from JRAIA)

Name of Presentation 2

The policy of the Japanese Government ,(undecided from METI)

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