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# In-Situ Soil and Groundwater Remediation using Reactive Nanoscale Iron Particles

(RNIP®)



## What is RNIP?

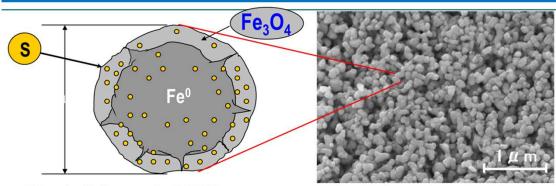


Fig. 1 Schematic RNIP structure Fig. 2 SEM image of RNIP

- Particle size; 70 nm
- Specific surface area; 30 m<sup>2</sup>/g
- RNIP is processed in aqueous slurry.
  - Slurry Density; 1.25 g/ml
  - Solid concentration; 25 wt.%
  - Slurry Viscosity; 600~700 mPa·s
- Slurry of RNIP is diluted by several to one hundred times in use.



Fig. 3 Our product of RNIP



Fig. 4 RNIP production plant

We have produced 60 tons of RNIP per month at our Higashi-hiroshima plant since 2017.



 $1 m^3$ SUS container



Drum can



20L Plastic container

Fig. 5 RNIP packaging



#### Characteristics of RNIP & Cleanup works using RNIP

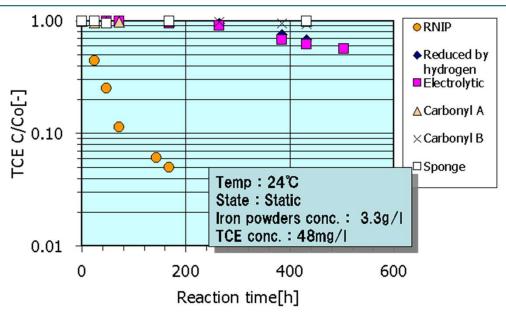


Fig. 6 TCE Decomposition rate by RNIP compared with another iron powders

The reaction rate of RNIP is much greater than that of commercial iron powders by 100 times.





Fig. 7 Injection of RNIP into contaminated soi with chemical grouting method





Fig. 8 Mixing of RNIP into contaminated soi with MKAMURAKISO.CO., LTD. Viet Nam-Japan Environmental Week Dec. 2021

### Summary of RNIP & Our Remediation Solutions

- > RNIP is no toxicity and quite safety.
  Therefore, it does not cause a secondary environmental pollution using RNIP.
- ➤ The VOC remediation performance of RNIP is much greater than those of commercial iron powders by 100 times.
- > RNIP has also a high cleanup performance for containing heavy metals such a Chromium (VI).
- > RNIP has a high mobility performance and is suited for rapid in-site cleanup with both chemical grouting method and mixing method.

Table 1 Our remediation solutions besides RNIP

	Excavation & Removal	In-Situ Remediation			
		Injection of RNIP	Mixing of RNIP or Iron	Bio Remediation	Chemical Oxidation
Schematic Figure or Picture	Contaminated			Acceptance of the control of the con	
Target Contaminants	VOC Heavy Metals	VOC Heavy Metals	VOC	VOC · Oil Cyanide	VOC Cyanide
Certainty		$\bigcirc$	$\triangle$	$\triangle$	$\bigcirc$
Environmental Benign	$\triangle$	0	$\circ$	$\triangle$	$\triangle$
Work Period		$\bigcirc$	$\triangle$	$\triangle$	
Cost	$\triangle$				

