

Recent Activity on CFS in Japan

- **ILC Facility Evaluation Subcommittee of the Rock Mechanics Committee, the Japan Society of Civil Engineers**
 - Evaluate the validity of ILC civil engineering design **at the Kitakami candidate site** from the viewpoint of rock dynamics.
 - This is also to dispel the suspicions of people who doubt that the cost of the actual site will be 2-3 times higher.
 - It was a closed committee as it contained sensitive information specific to the site.
 - In March 2020, the Committee concluded that civil engineering assuming the Kitakami site is appropriate from the viewpoint of rock mechanism.
 - We would like to make a brief report in English. Discussions with local promotion groups are ongoing about what we can open.

What we wish to do before closing TCMB

- It will be better to discuss about the recent CFS design which taking into account the Kitakami site.
- Before it, we would like to have some meetings with oversea CFS people, John,..., then have a report in TCMB.
- by when?