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Support System for Elderly People in Daily Life

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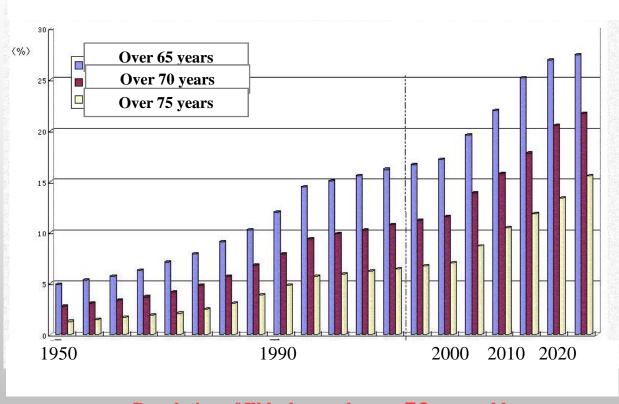
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Introduction of today's Topics

- Elderly people aged above 65 in Japan
 18.6 millions in 1995 → 32.7 millions in 2020
- 2. Number of household
 - 3.09 millions in 1995 \rightarrow 5.30 millions in 2020
 - (Only married elderly couple)
 - 2.25 millions in 1995 \rightarrow 4.63 millions in 2020
 - (Solitary elderly people)
- 3. Political plan in terms of health and welfare for the elderly

From Data of Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare 2000

Increase of Elderly People in Japan



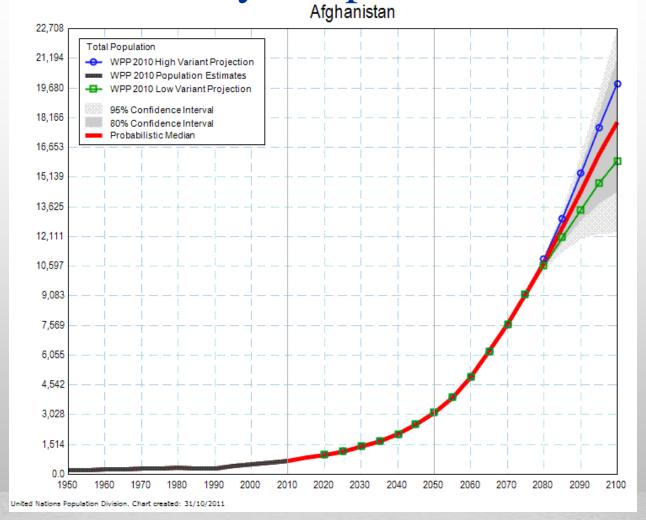
Population of Elderly people over 70 years old

1998: 136.5 million person

2010: 201.1 million person

2020: 254.1 million person

Increase of Elderly People in France



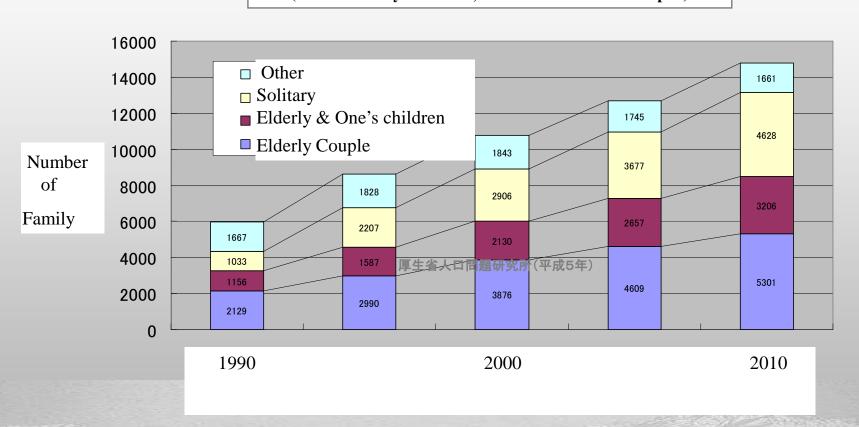
Probabilistic Projections: Population age 65 and over (thousands)

Population projections based on probabilistic projections of total fertility from the 2010 Revision

http://esa.un.org/unpd/wpp/P-WPP/htm/PWPP_Population-Age_65Plus.htm

Composition of the family included elderly in Japan

From Change of amount of elderly (From Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare in Japan)



Purpose of this presentation

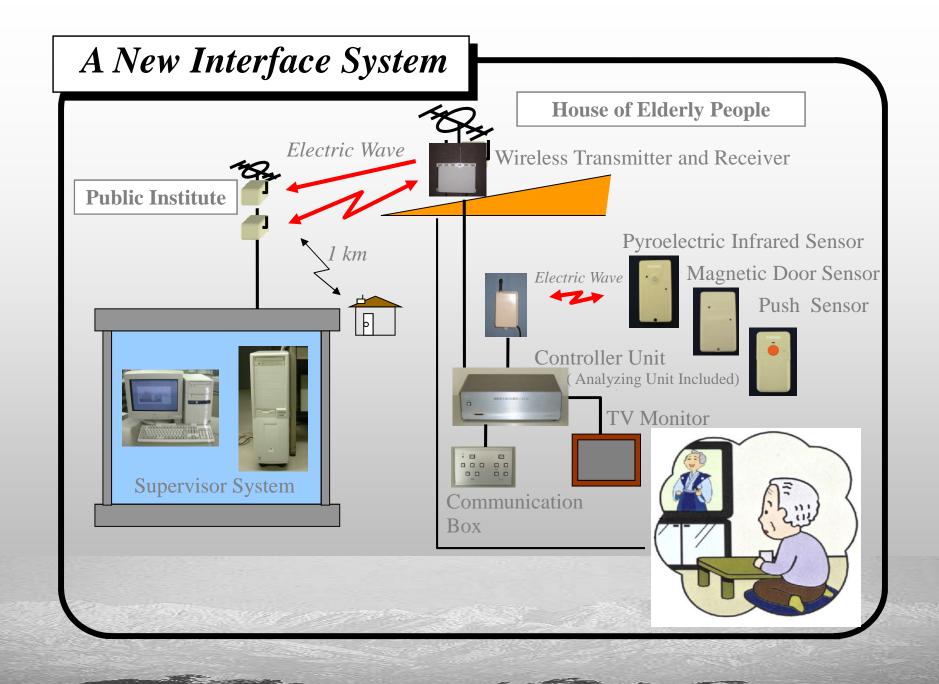
The purpose is to propose the new Interface system that is not able only to analyzes human behaviors and motions in older to detect changes for the physical condition of an elderly human in own house, but have communication.

Environment for Japanese Elderly People's House







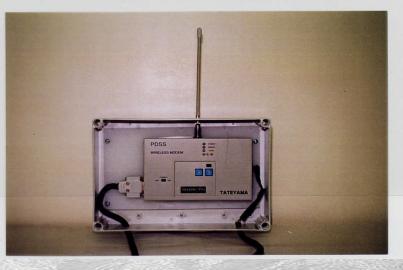












Experiments using the new interface system

Two experiments were executed. The kinds of experiments are followed.

- Transmission of Measuring Data
- Analysis of Measuring Data

These experiments were carried out to evaluate the new.

Methods of the Experiment for transmission of Measuring Data using the monitoring system

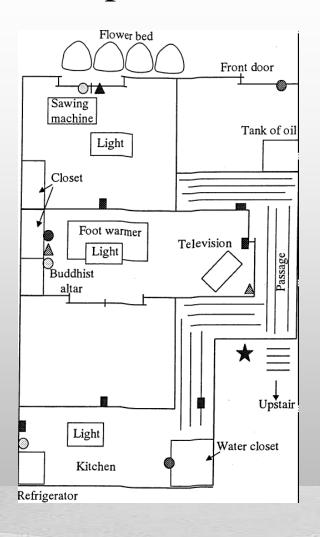
- O In the experiments, several sensor units and a controller unit with two antennas were disposed in the houses of solitary elderly people.
- O The subjects were 8 elderly people.

4 subjects in Takaoka city

4 subjects in Oyama town.

O A supervisor unit was located at a public institution within 1 km away from subject's houses at each area.

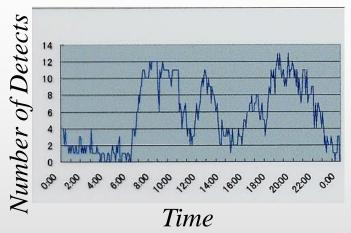
Deposition of sensor units



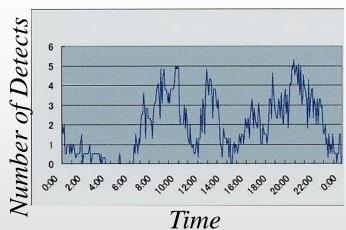
- Controller unit(an upstairs room)
- Pyroelectroric sensor
- ▲ Electric current sensor
- Magnetic door sensor
- O Light sensor
- ▲ Illuminance sensor



Measured data using infrared sensors

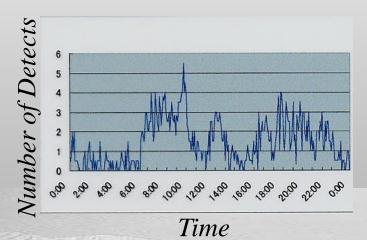


(a) Sum of all sensor's data

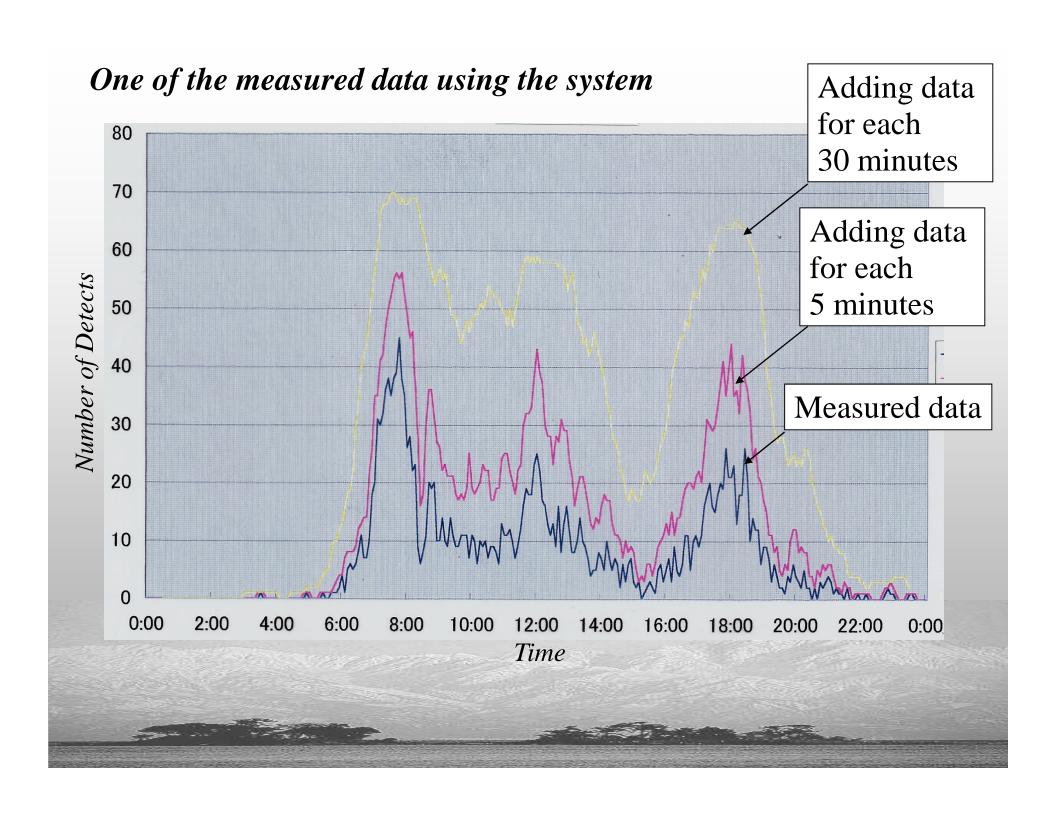


(b) Sensor's data in Living room

Time



(c) Sensor's data in Bed room (d) Sensor's data in Kitchen



The results of the Experiment for transmission of Measuring Data

O Using this system, it was possible to measure and detect human motions like moving from a room to another one and actions like turning on/off the switch of a television.

O It was possible to watch closely the condition of the elderly people at a distant public institution by a supervisor unit.

Methods of the Experiment for Analysis of Measuring Data using the monitoring system

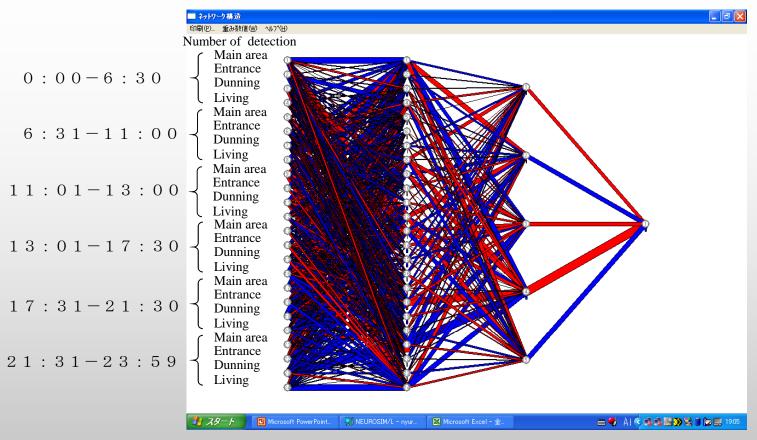
- O This analysis executed using the measured data and the results of the questionnaire. Then, using the results of the analysis, the system conjectures for one elderly people's behavior of the day that is not taken to analyzing.
- O The subjects were 4 elderly people.

3 subjects in city area

1 subjects in down town area.

Daily questionnarie are concerned to consciousness of health and busyness.

健康状態調査票								
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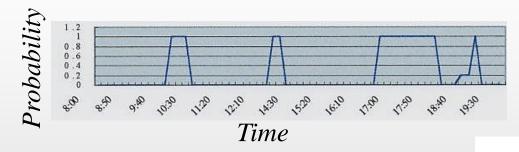
教師データ入力は、9/11から11/25までの各センサの検知回数を集計し正規化したもの、出力は、アンケート結果

 入力層
 24点
 中間層1
 24点
 中間層2
 5点

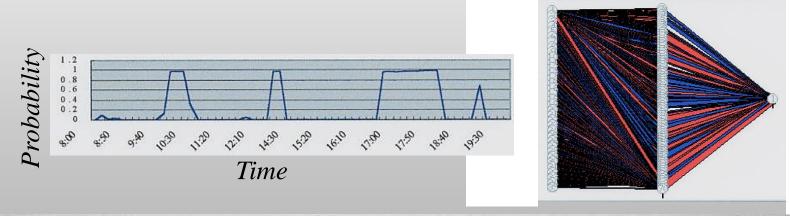
 出力層
 1点

学習回数 2228回で収束(許容誤差 0.1)

The probability that a subject has gone out

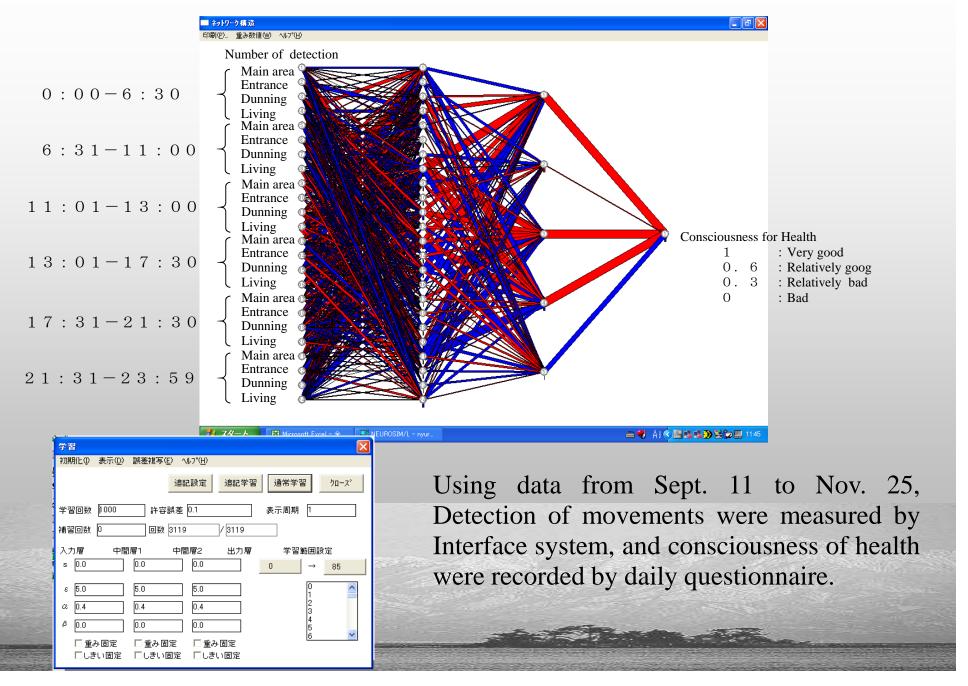


(a) The probability from a questionnaire

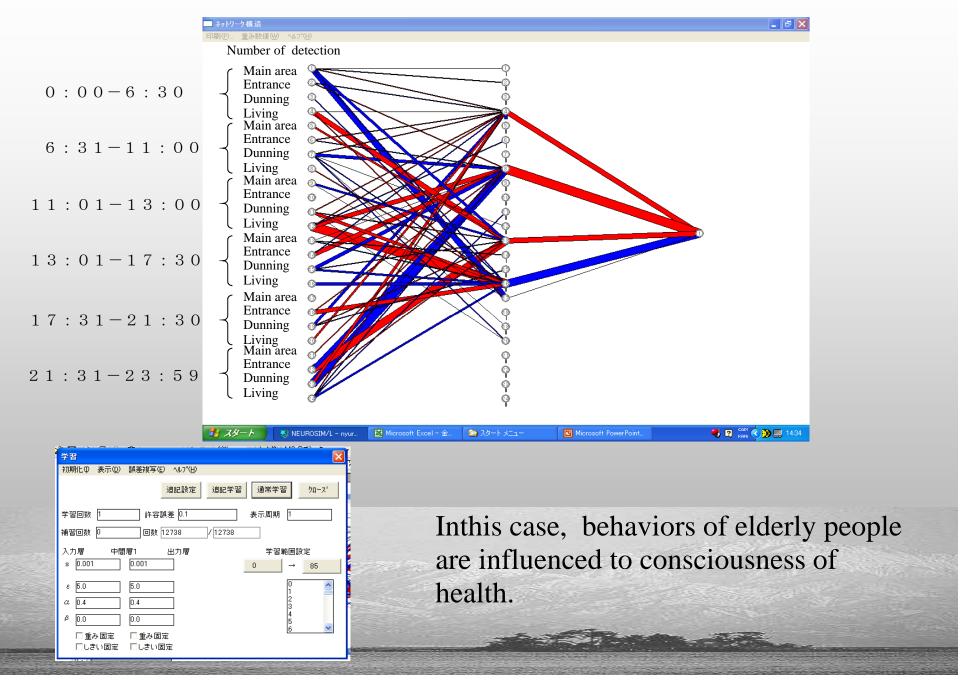


(b) The probability conjectured by analyzing unit

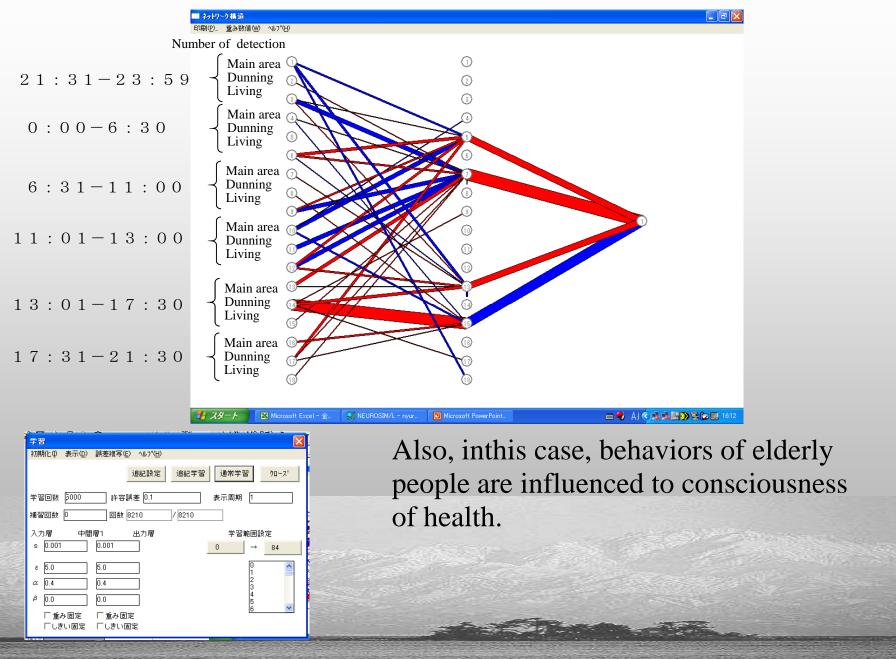
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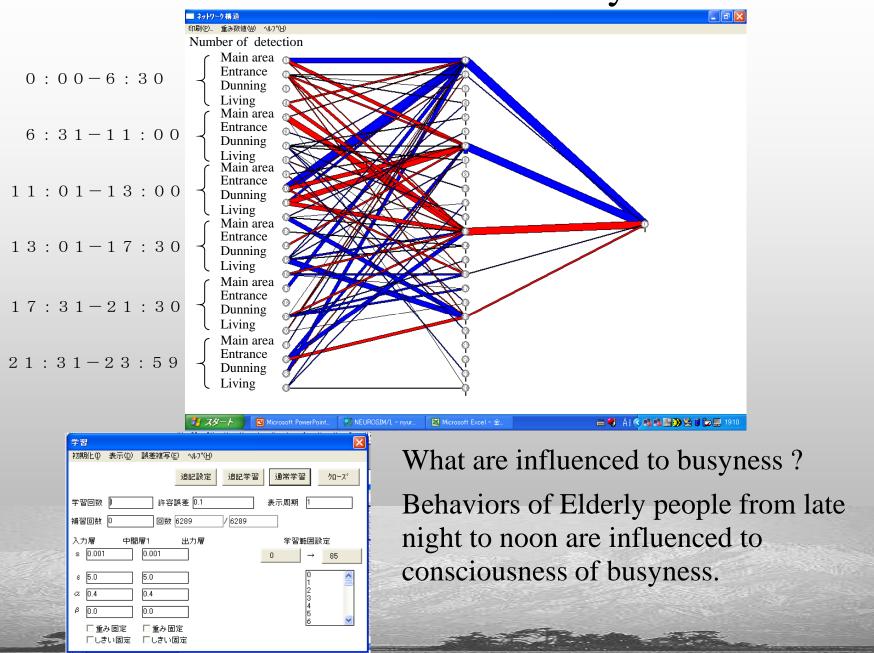
Between Consciousness of Health and Detection of Movement 2



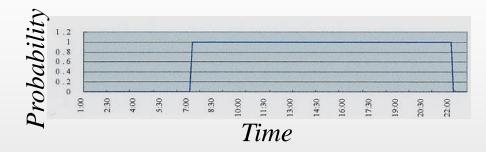
Between Consciousness of Health and Detection of Movement 3



What are influenced to busyness?



The probability that a subject has gotten up



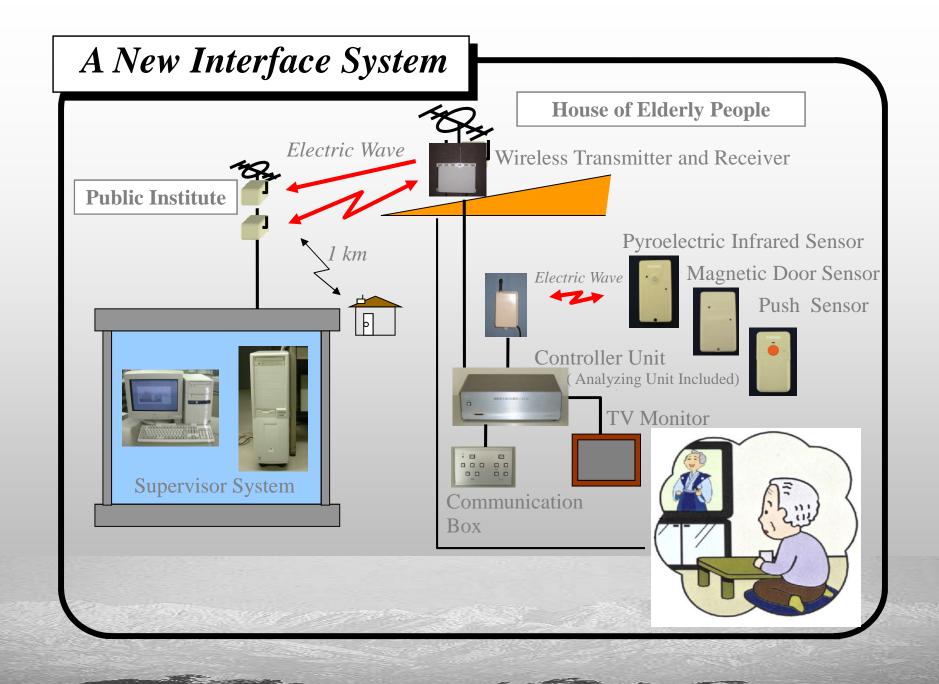
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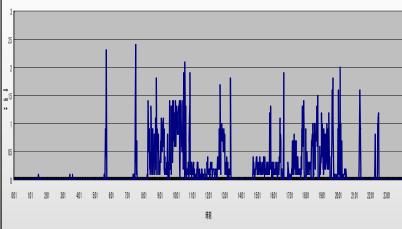
The results of the Experiment for Analysis of Measuring Data

- O In this experiment, a new analytic method was proposed and an experiment and a questionnaire were carried out to establish an analyzing system.
- O Analyses were executed using the measured data and the results of the questionnaire. Then, using the results of the analysis, the system conjectures for one elderly people's behavior of the day that is not taken to analyzing.

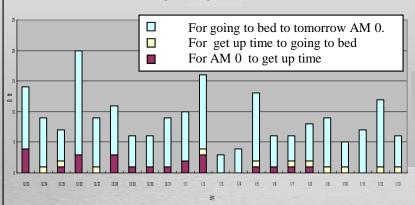


Examples of data analyzed using the New Interface System

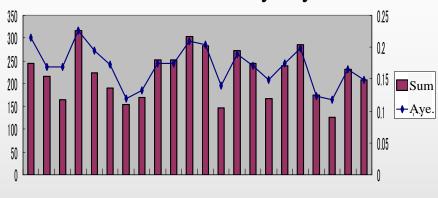




Number of going to the rest room

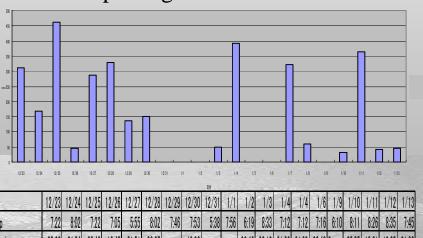


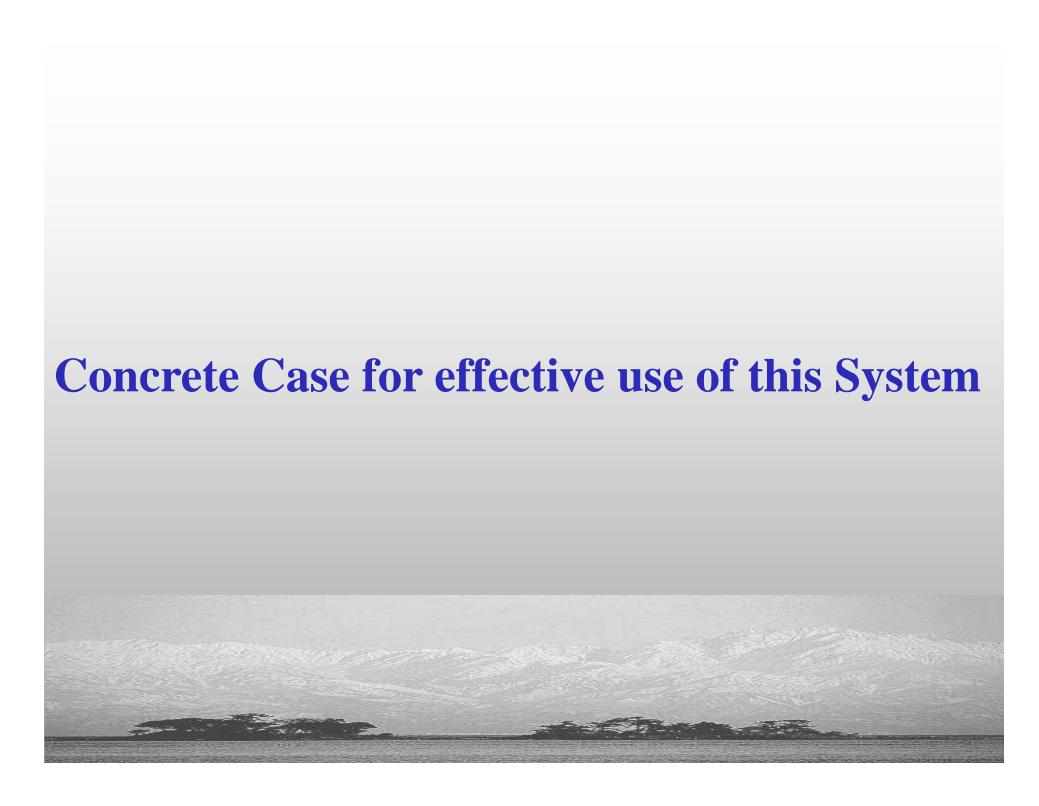
Sum of detected data by day



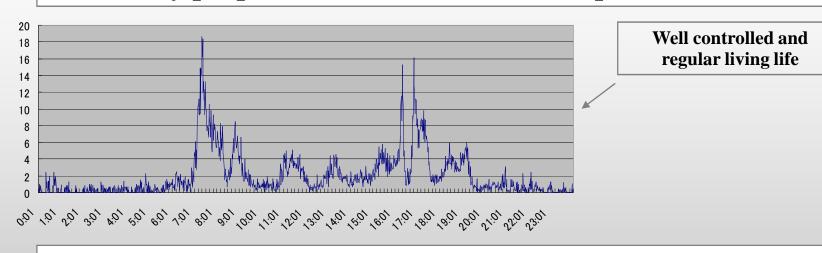


The time that elderly people go out, wake up and go to a bed.

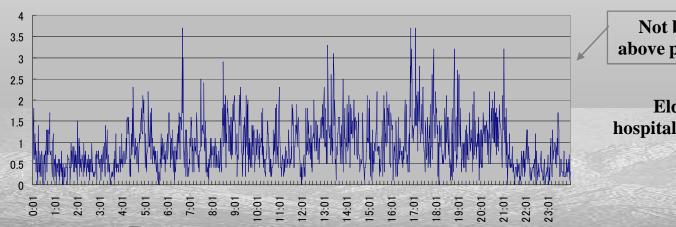




Elderly people No.1 from March 14 to April 29 in 2000



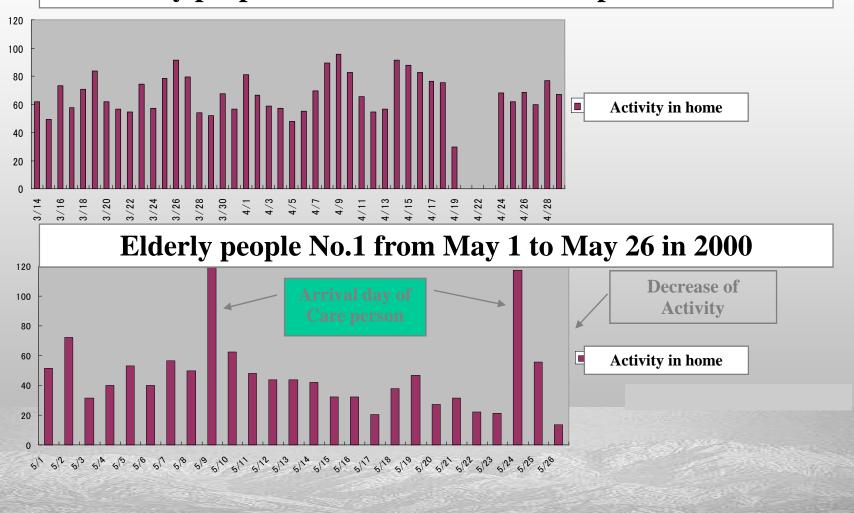
Elderly people No.1 from May 1 to May 26 in 2000



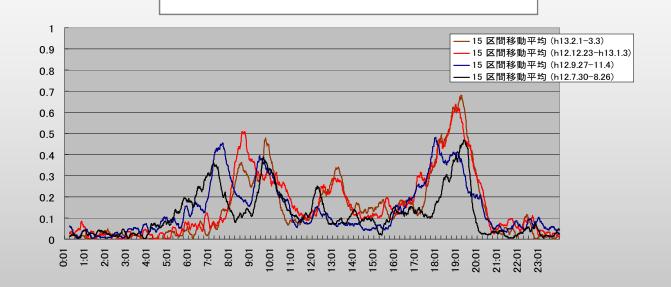
Not be able to detect above pattern in life cycle

Elderly people was hospitalized in May 26 2000.

Elderly people No.1 from March 14 to April 29 in 2000

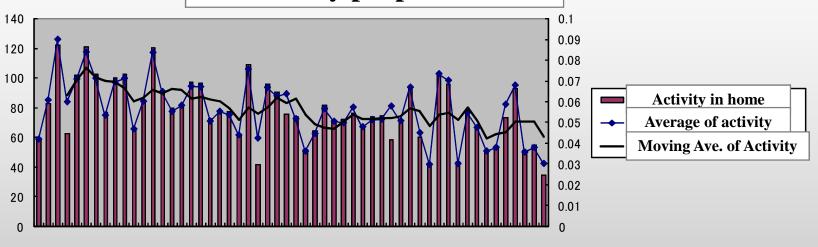


Elderly people No.2



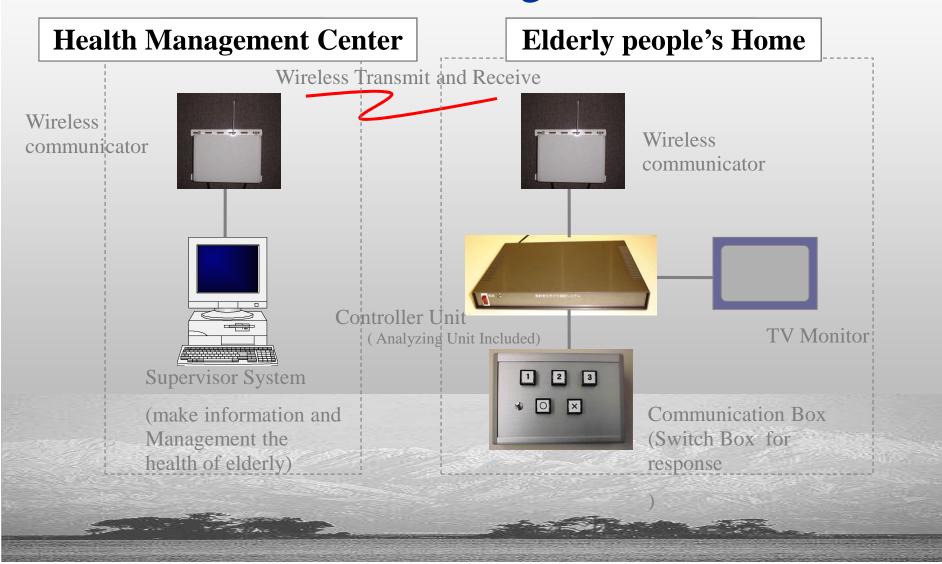
・平成13年より、夜間、屋内で動き回ることがわかる。ヘルパーさんへの暴言等あり、痴呆が進み、独居に耐えられないとの医師の判断により、入院





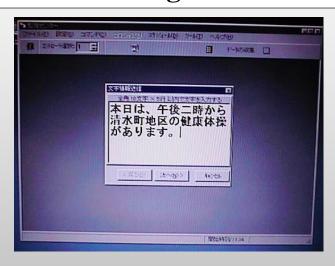
・平成12年、暖かくなってきたにもかかわらず、屋内での活動量が減少 5/6 部屋の 中で動けなくなっているところを発見、入院。

Function of Tele-communication - Display of the Information from a Health Management Center -



How to put up the Information from a Health Management Center to the Display

Health Management Center



Elderly people's Home



Support System for Elderly People

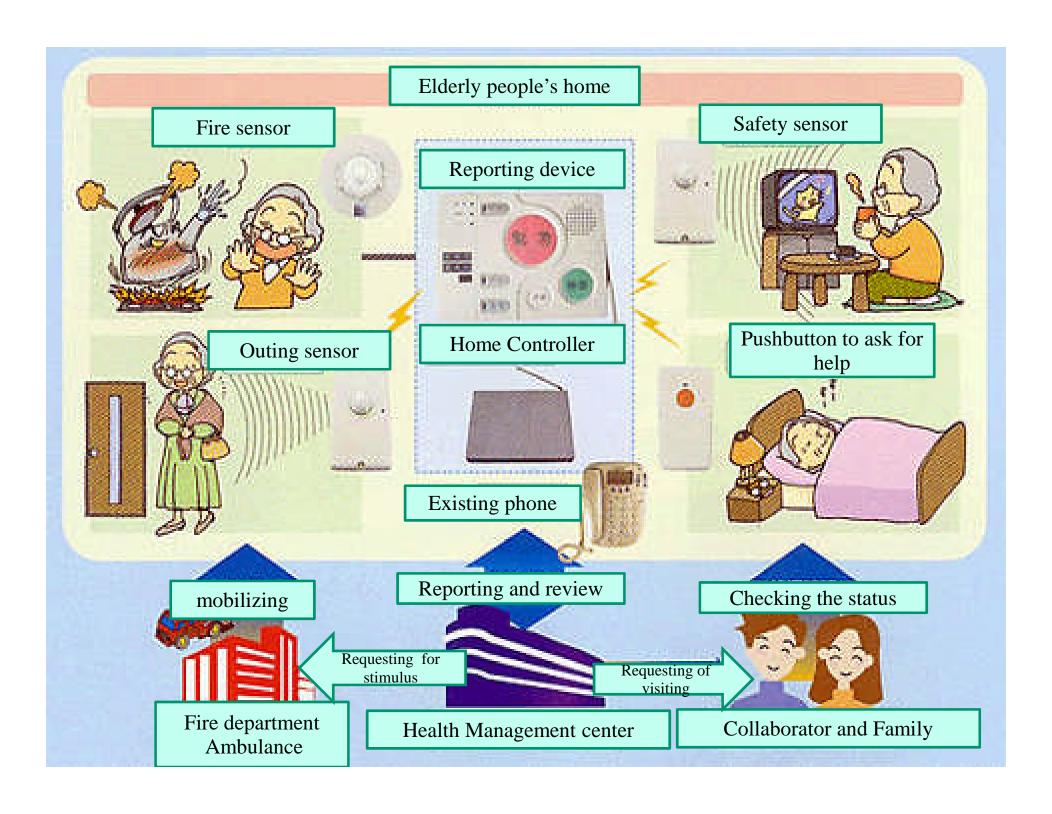
Conclusion

- O The purpose is to proposes the new support system.
- O We were executed to evaluate the Monitoring Function of Living Situation of Elderly.
- O The system was capable to transmit the measured data and to certify that an elderly human has past one's daily life.
- O And it was ascertained this monitoring system could analyze behavioral pattern of elderly people.
- O These results indicate that the system was useful for an elderly people life.

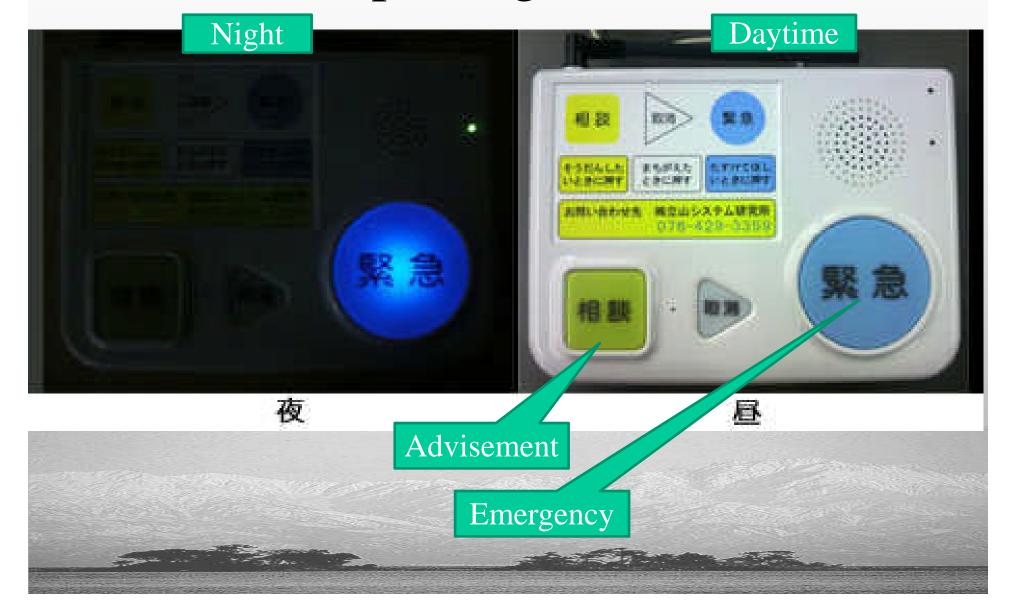
Already, above system have sold and have used at about 30,000 elderly people. Now, Our laboratory, Suwa Medical and Health Device Research Society and Japanese Red Cross Society Suwa Hospital execute to develop the system to Medical use.

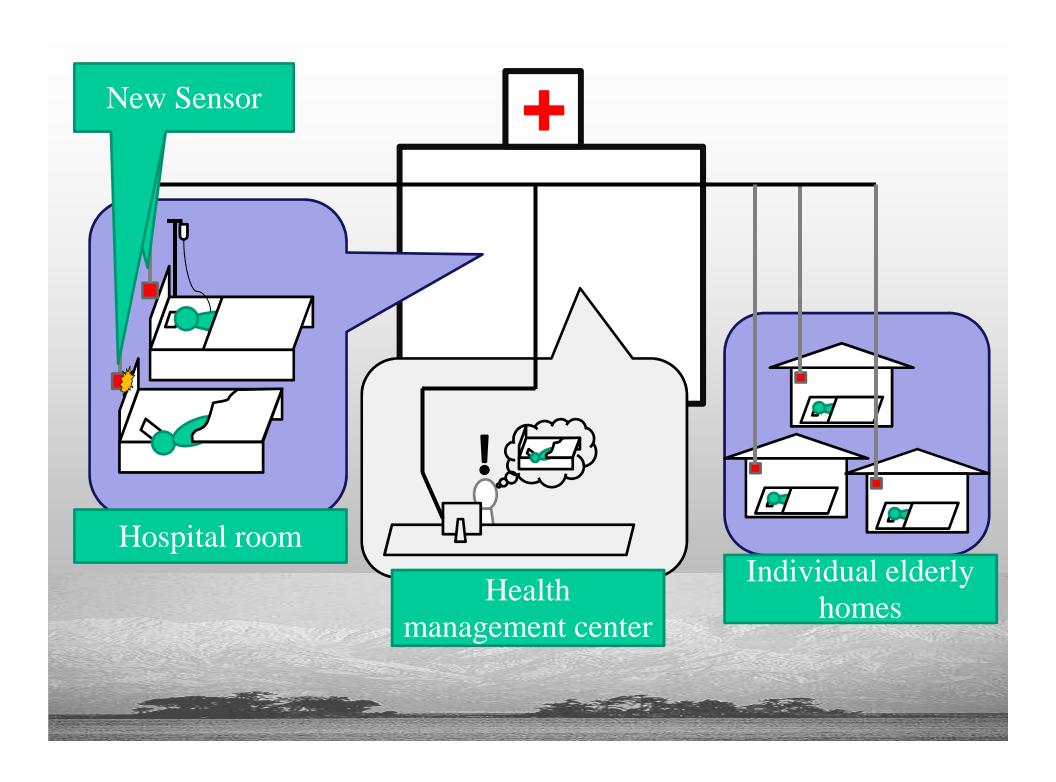
Much more how to care a Health of Elderly people and Patients in their Home

- O Develop New sensor and devices system for the support system.
- O Build and Modify Social system and Community not only for the support system but also other system etc.
- O Change the Limitation by law.

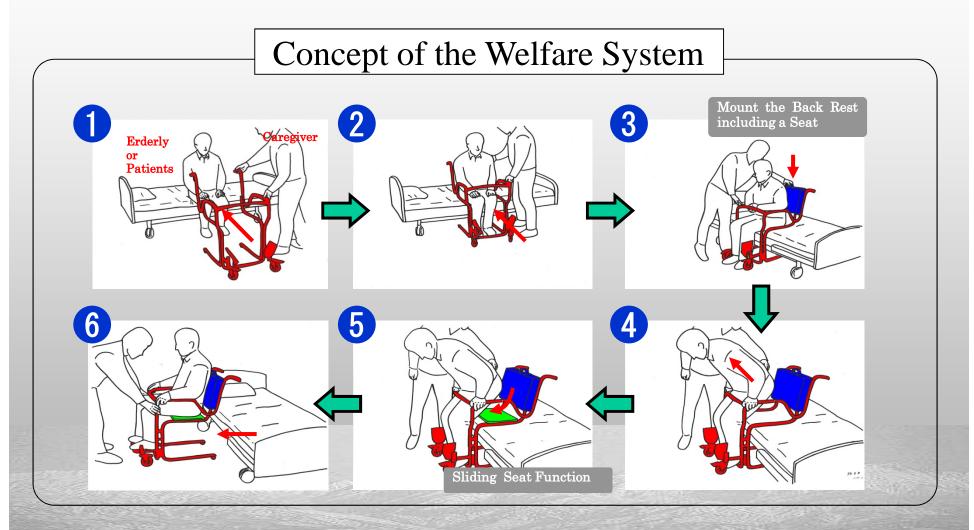


Reporting device

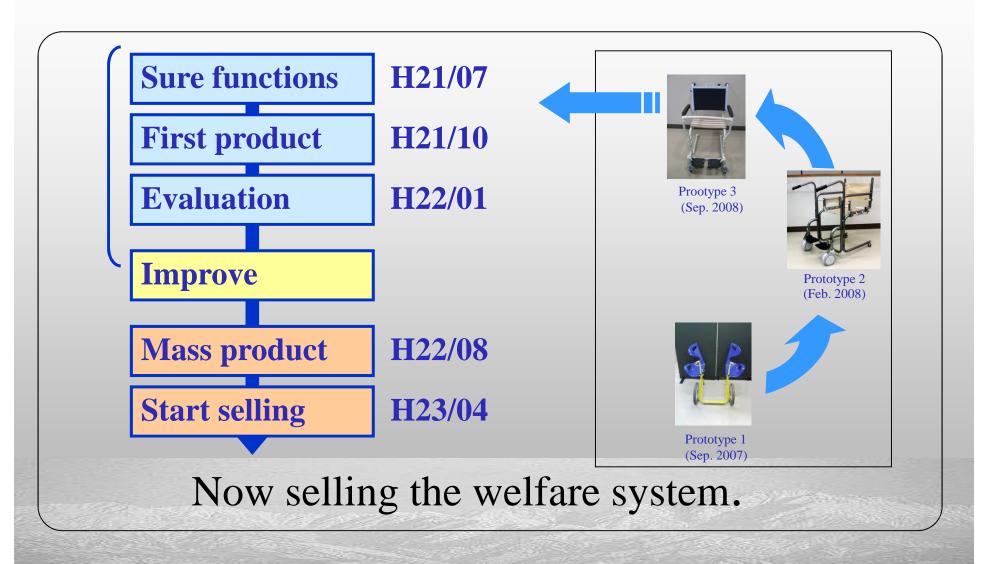




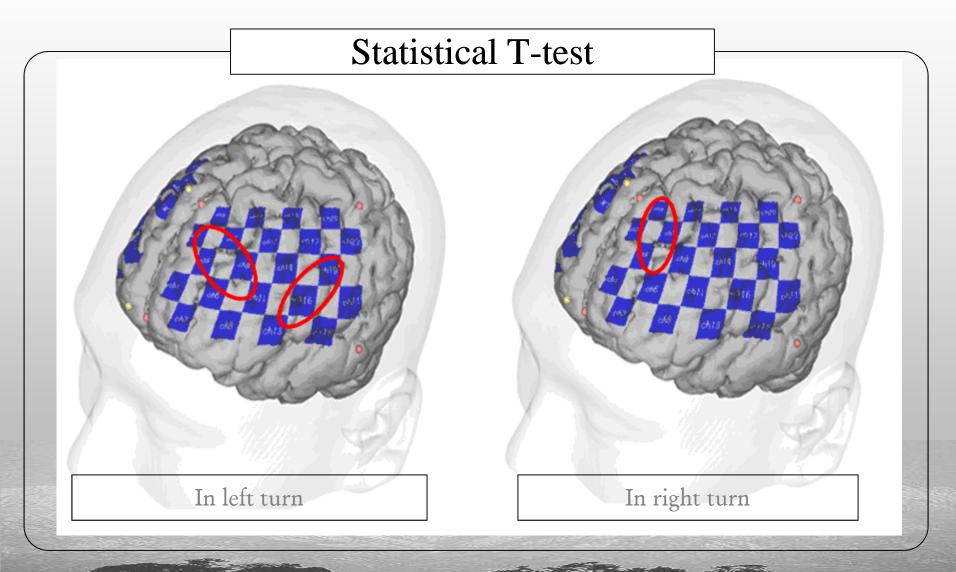
New Assistive System for Patient and Elderly People 1



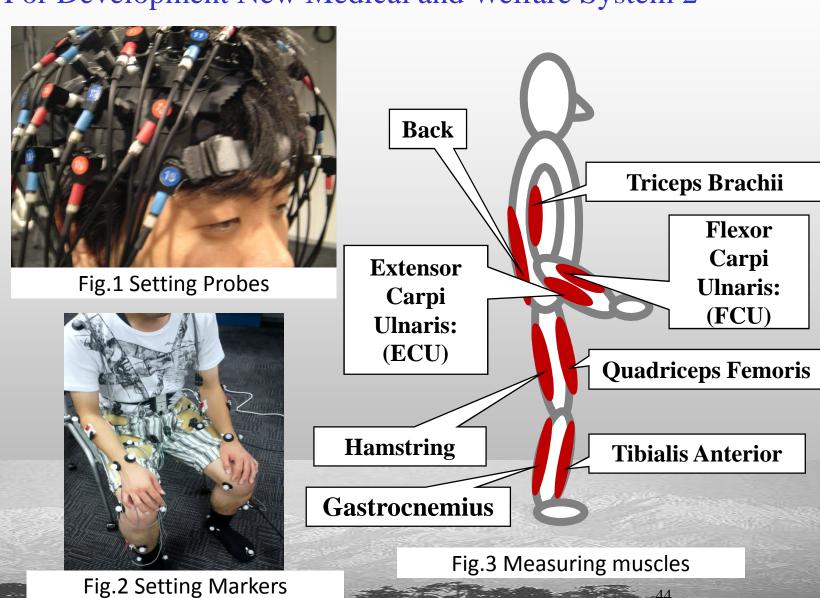
New Assistive System for Patient and Elderly People 2



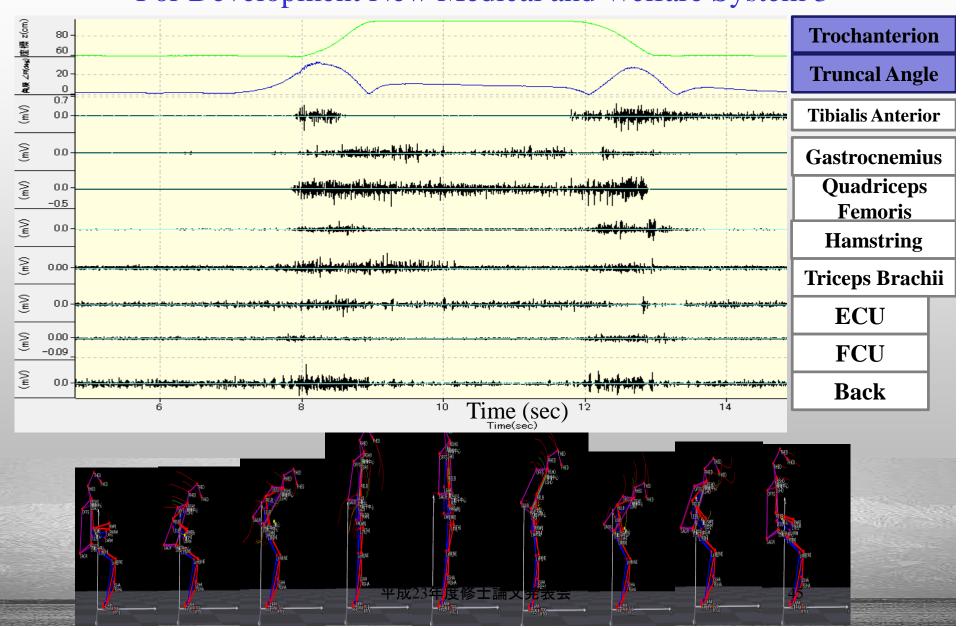
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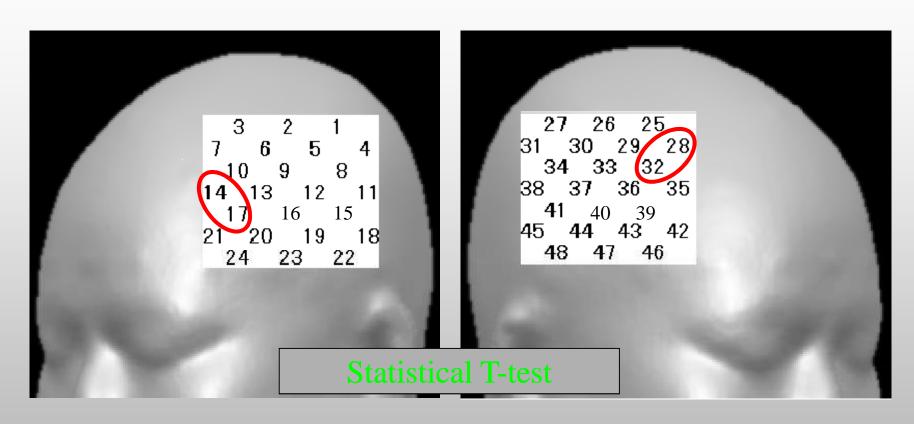
∼ For Development New Medical and Welfare System 2 ∼



∼ For Development New Medical and Welfare System 3 ∼



~ For Development New Medical and Welfare System 4 ~



Now, our laboratory and Hokkaido Univ. etc have collaborate in researching based on KEIROKA - Technology with JST fund.

Innovative KEIROKA Technology Concept



Smart Suit





UD Shovel

KEIROKA technology = Technology to reduce fatigue and effort

Is it good to just become comfortable?

3S Assist Proposal

- Secure **Secure assistance**

Smart Suit Light

- Sustainable Assistance to maintain bodily functions

- Subliminal Not dull the senses, unaware assistance







Snow shoveling assistance

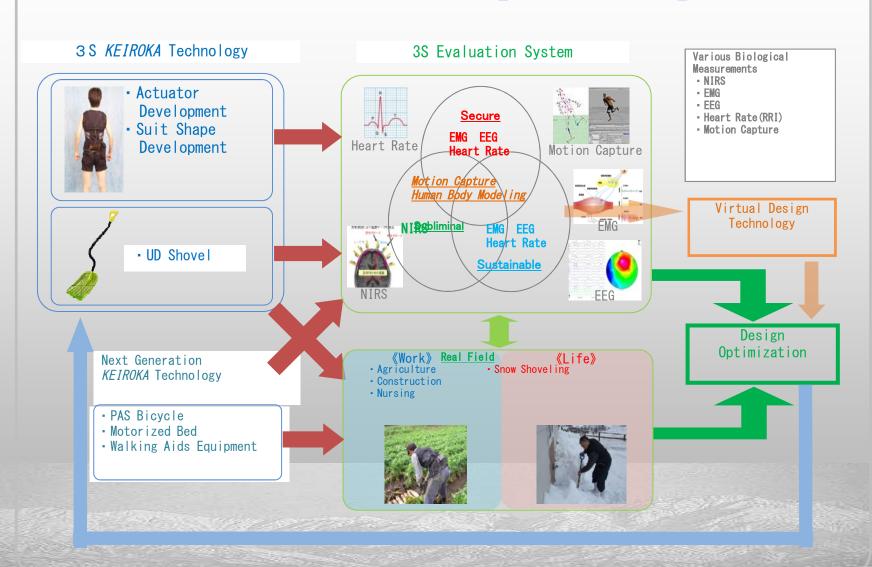




Nursing assistance

Research and Development Image

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