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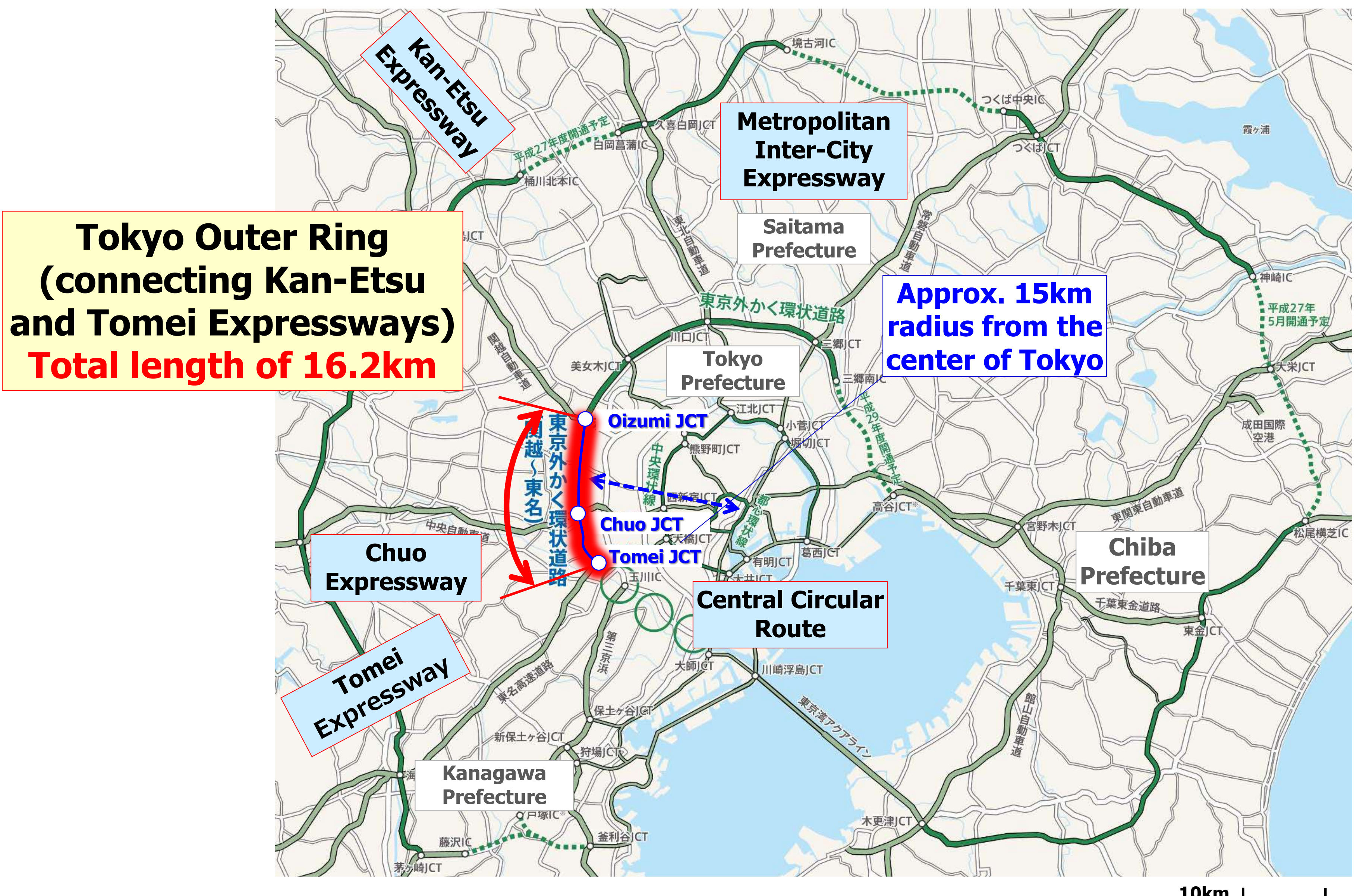
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① Project overview

1. Map of Japan



2. Map of road network

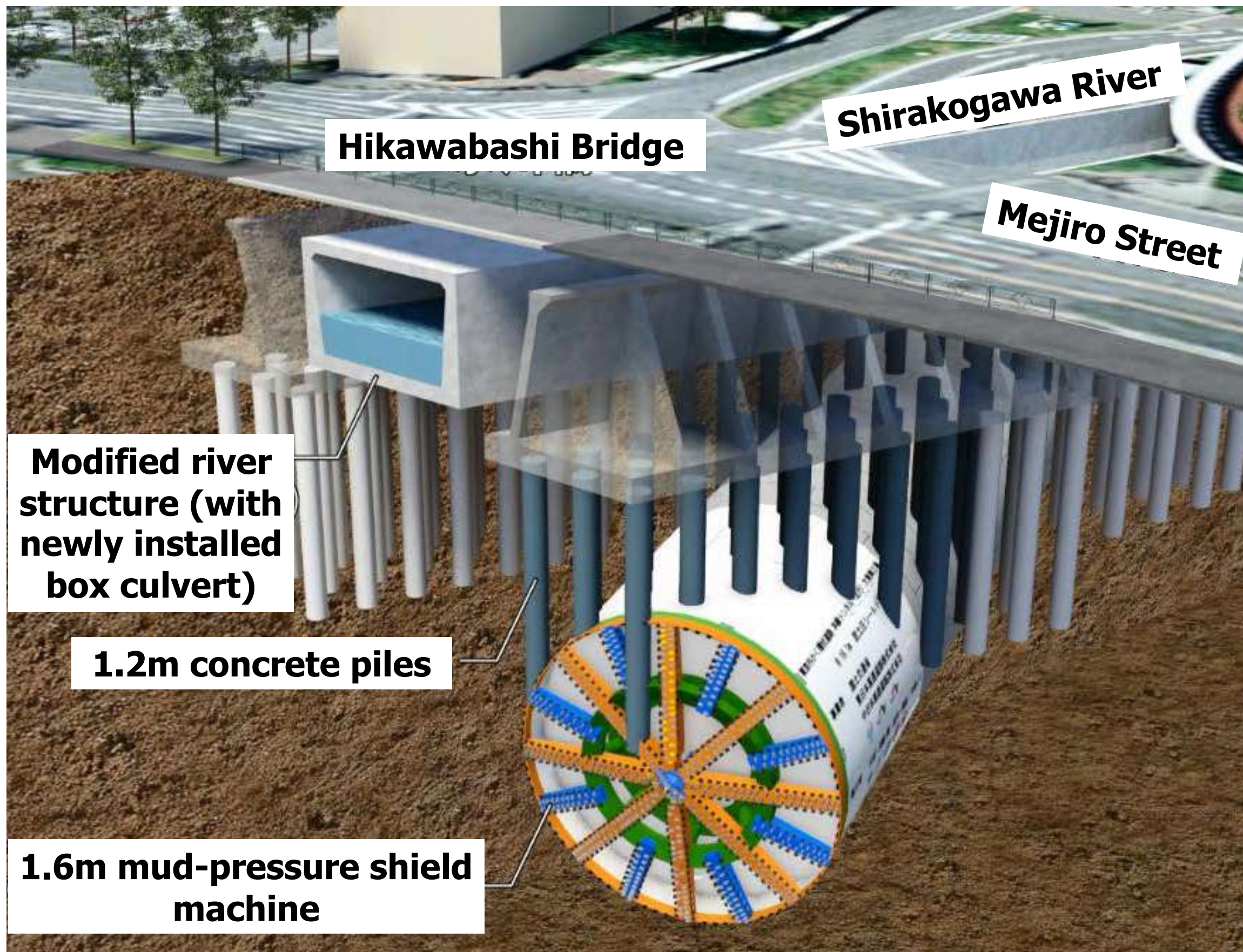


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2. Direct cutting of existing concrete piles



Overview of existing piles

[Shirakogawa River shore protection]
Steel-reinforced concrete piles
Φ1.2 m x 19 piles

[Hikawabashi Bridge base (Mejiro Street)]
Concrete piles
Φ1.2m x 27 piles

Existing underground Φ1.2m piles will be directly cut using:
An inclined cutter head (5°) fitted with specially reinforced pre-cutting bits.
The cutting performance has been validated through a verification test simulating the actual piles.

3. Features of the cutter head and bits



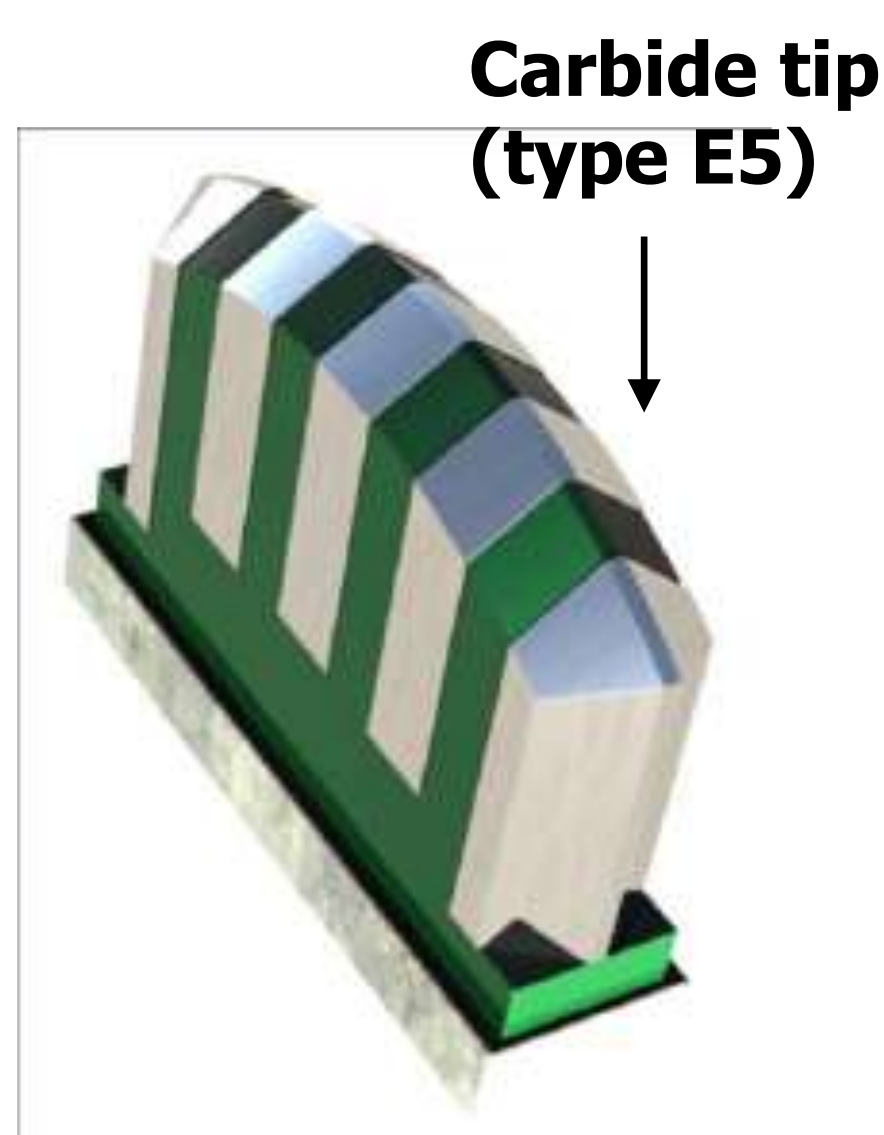
Cutter head front view
(66.4% opening)



5°-inclined
cutter head



Specially reinforced pre-cutting bits



Optimized for obstruction cutting

[Cutter head]
5°-inclined cutter head

[Bit]
Specially reinforced pre-cutting bits
(1,155 bits mounted)
Fan-shaped, tough and impact-resisting type

Three times as much tip volume as conventional cutter bits*

No bit replacement required for over 7km of excavation (margin of 1.7 over the planned excavation distance)

[Cutter rotation and propulsion drive mechanism]
High-speed cutter rotation of 0.86 rpm
Very low-speed propulsion of 1 to 10 mm/min.

*Comparison with conventional obstruction-cutting bit performance

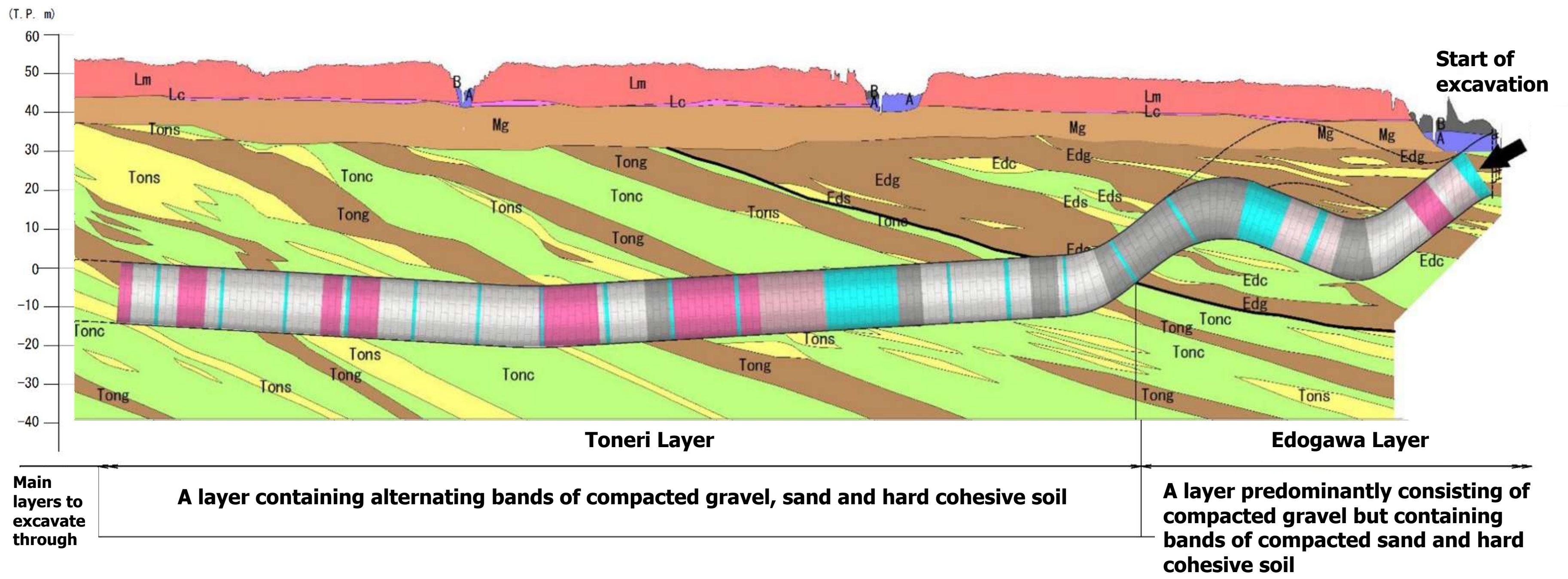
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③ Segment overview

1. Longitudinal section of the geological layers



2. Features of the segments

Type	RC segment	HB® segment (synthetic)	Steel segment
Overview			
Dimensions, etc.	<p>Outer diameter: 15,800 mm Girder height: 650 mm Width: 1,600 mm Arc length: 4,052 mm Number of segments: 13 (K: 1/4)</p>	<p>Outer diameter: 15,800 mm Girder height: 650 mm Width: 1,600 mm Arc length: 4,052 mm Number of segments: 13 (K: 1/4)</p>	<p>Outer diameter: 15,800 mm Girder height: 650 mm Width: 1,600 mm Arc length: 4,052 mm Number of segments: 13 (K: 1/4)</p>

※ Patent applied for HB segment (synthetic).

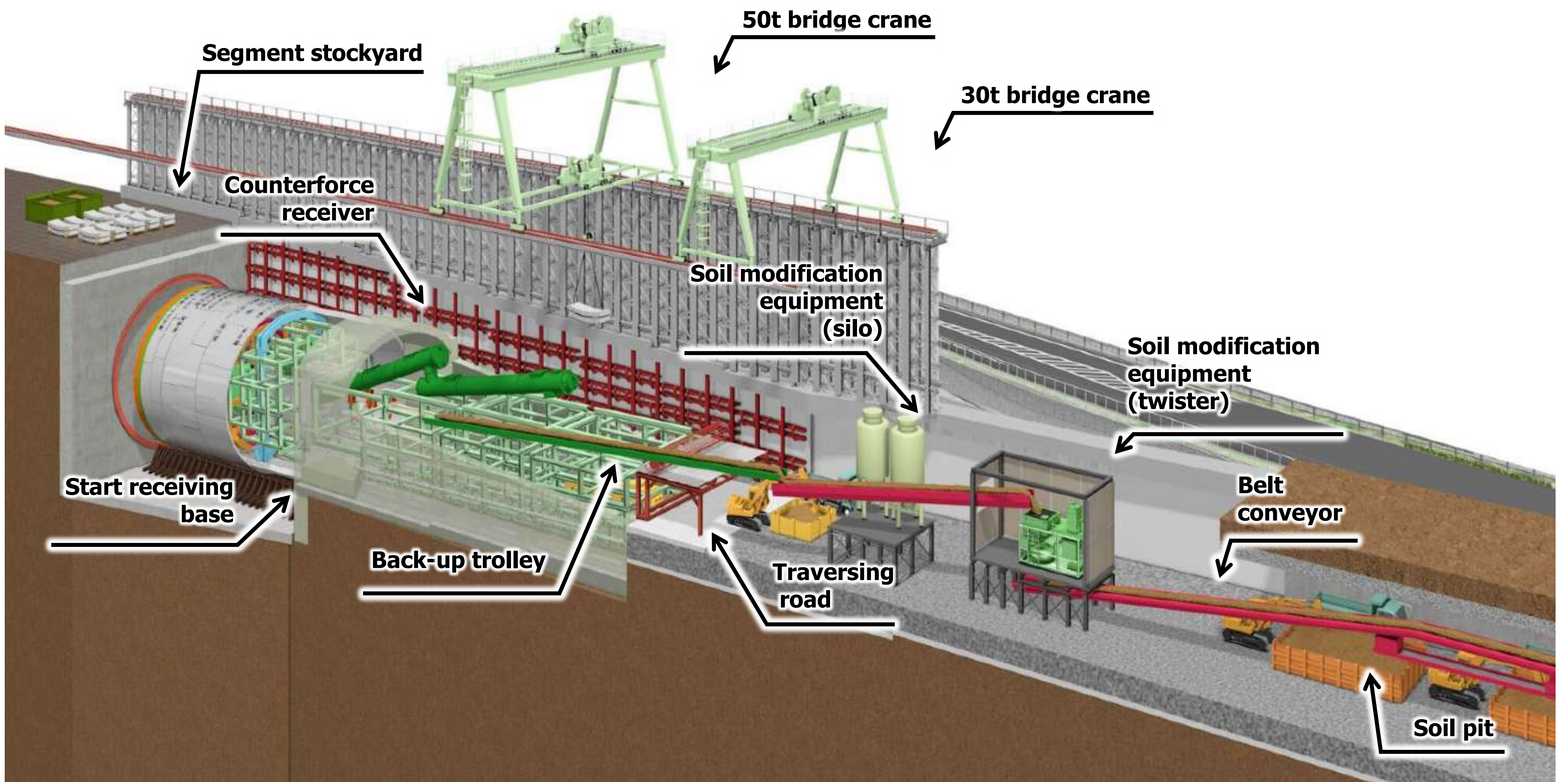
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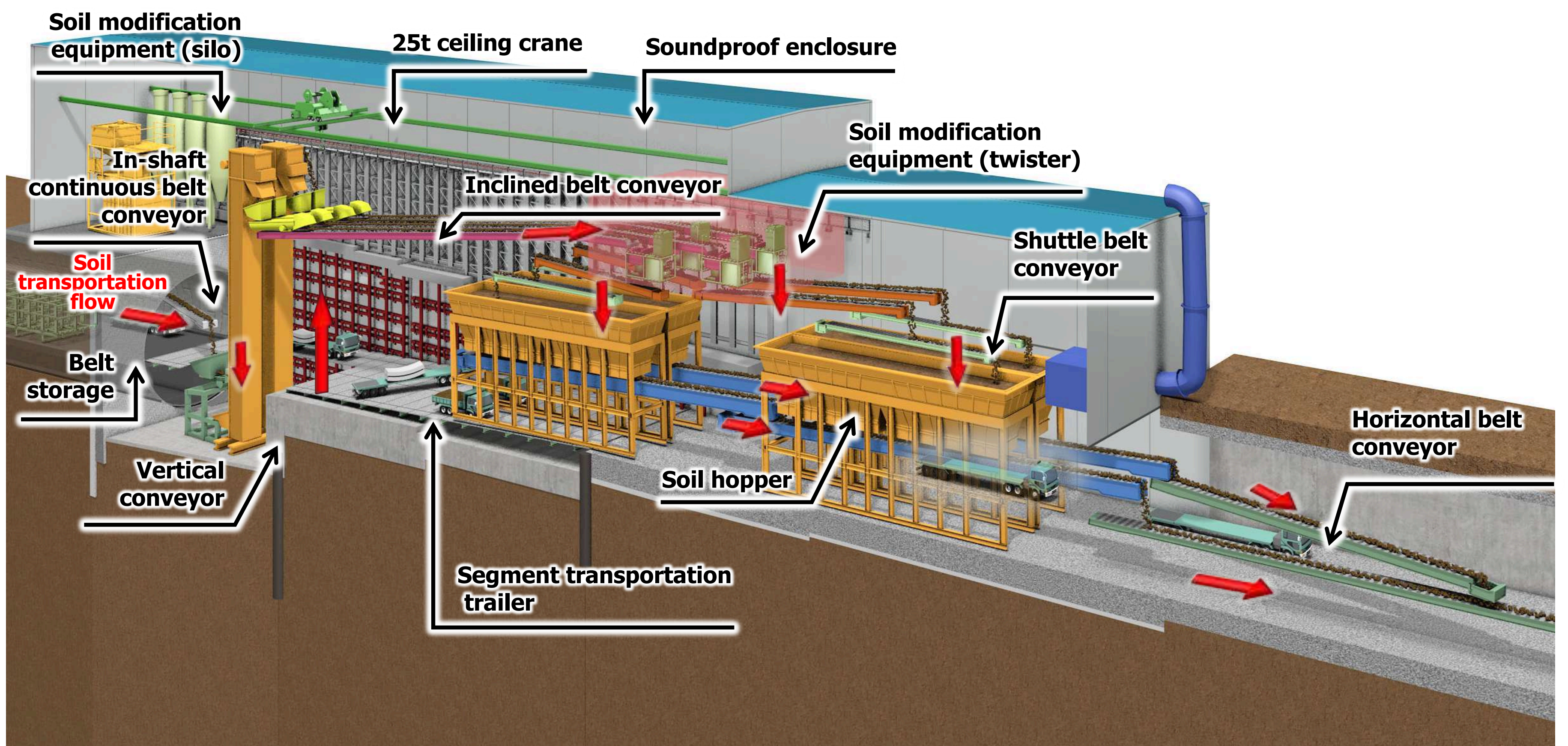
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⑤ Equipment overview inside the vertical shaft

1. Initial excavation



2. Main excavation



Features

- ◆ Soundproof enclosure: 20m high x 20m wide x 130m long
- ◆ Soil stock capacity: 1,600m³ (for 3R)
- ◆ No material stockyard at the starting base ⇒ Material to be supplied by direct vehicle delivery into the tunnel
- ◆ Daily estimates (maximum)
 - Soil transportation out of the tunnel: 6,000m³ × 2 JV = 12,000m³/day
 - Vehicle traffic: 300 vehicles x 2 JV = 600 vehicles/day

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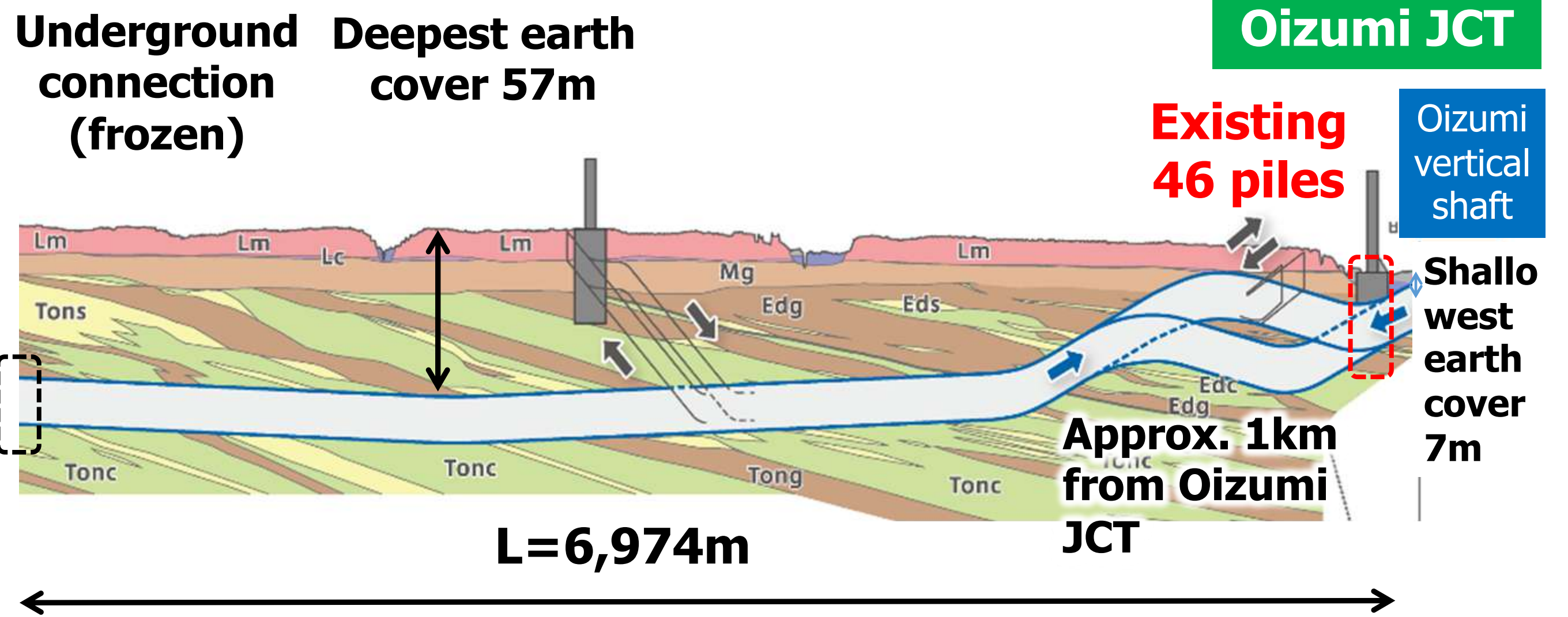
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Type 2 Class 1
80km/h



Φ15.8m

Project specifications



Tunnel length 6,974m, floor base 6,987m, eight transverse connection shafts, underground connection (freezing method)

Shield machine: Mud-pressure type, **outer diameter Φ16.1 m (largest in Japan)**

Segment: **Outer diameter Φ15.8m**, 650 mm thick, 1.6m wide, 13 segments

Layer to excavate through: **Toneri Layer (containing alternating bands of cohesive soil, sandy soil and gravel)**, N value range: 30 to 50 and over

Earth cover depth range: **7m (smallest) to 57m (largest)** ("Deep Underground Project Law" applied to 40m and deeper locations below ground)

Obstruction to be removed: 46 existing concrete piles

1km to attainment = 6km

② Features of shield work

1. Features of the shield machine



Φ16.1 m mud-pressure shield machine, temporarily shop-assembled at MHI Kobe Shipyard

Manufactured by: JIM Technology-

Features of the shield machine

- ◆ **Long-distance excavation capacity: 7km**
Number of bits mounted: 1,155
- ◆ **Direct underground cutting of existing concrete piles** with: Inclined cutter, obstruction-cutting bits
- ◆ **High-speed excavation : 500m per month** or more Semi-automatic erector, twin erectors
- ◆ Compatible with **very deep excavation and high water pressure: 3-fold screw conveyors, TLL seals** etc.

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4. Obstructing-pile cutting test



Testing (simulated single pile being cut)



Testing (cutting through a simulated soil layer inside shaft)



Exavation direction

Φ1.2 m RC pile cut



Approx 10 cm

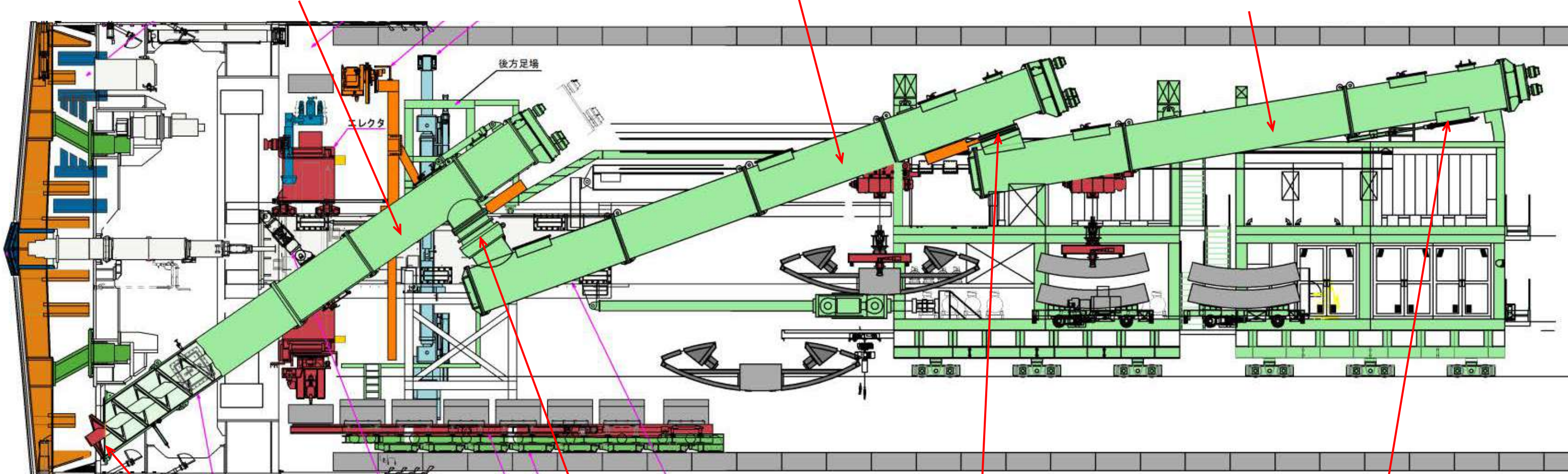
Steel reinforcement debris after pile cutting

5. 3-fold screw conveyor system

No.1 screw - 16m

No.2 screw - 18m

No.3 screw - 16m



Bulkhead gate

No.1 soil gate

No.2 soil gate

No.3 soil gate



Φ1.5 m screw conveyor (No.2 and No.3)

Countermeasures against soil gushing and flooding under high water pressure

Compatible with largest depth of 67 m and water pressure of 0.7 MPa

Φ1.5 m screw conveyors: 3-fold configuration, 50 m long

⇒ Long configuration for greater plug effect

Soil gates: Four gates provided

Bulkheads + overall screw

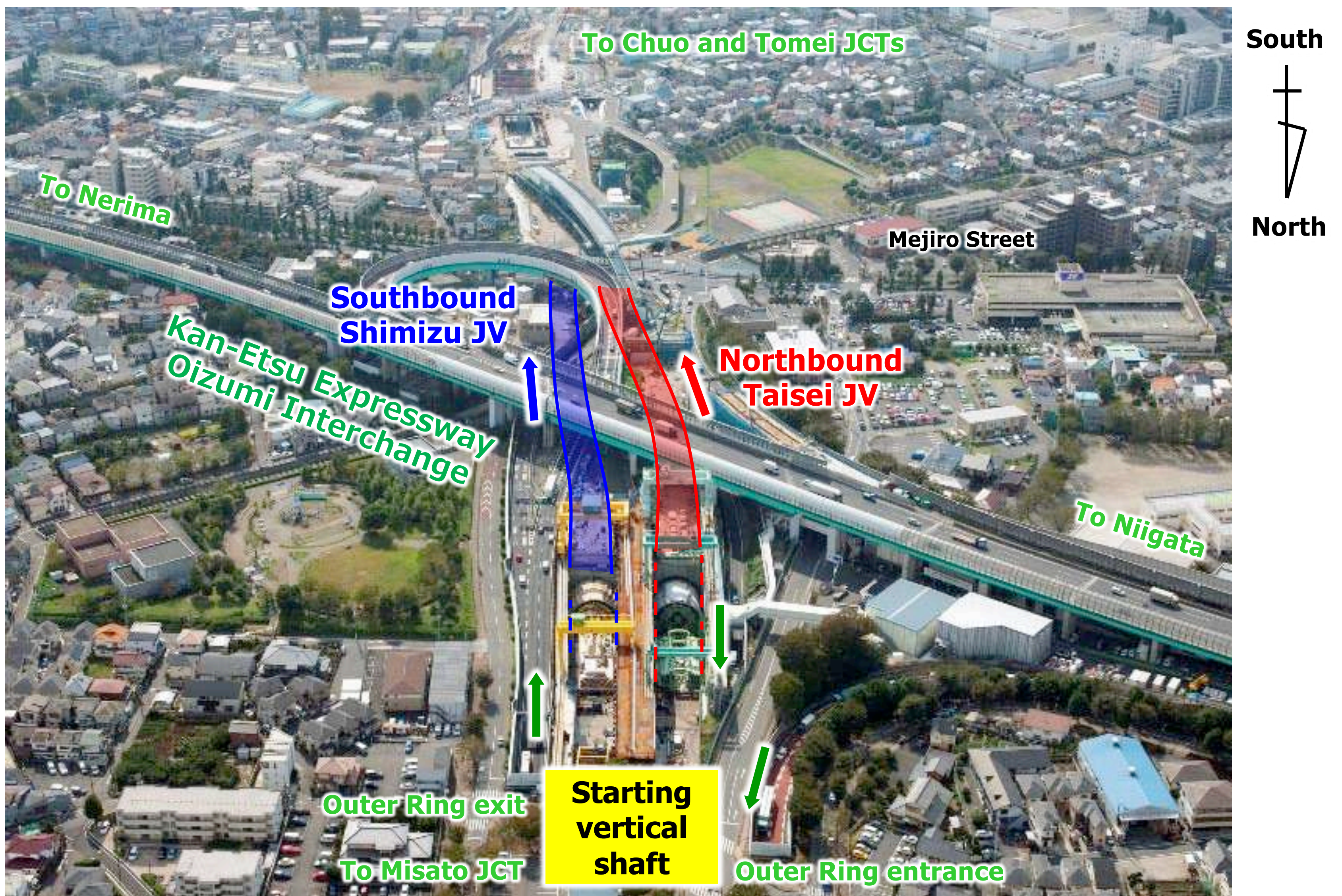
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④ Vertical shaft to start the shield machine

1. Overview of the starting vertical shaft



2. Shield machine assembly and starting in narrow space



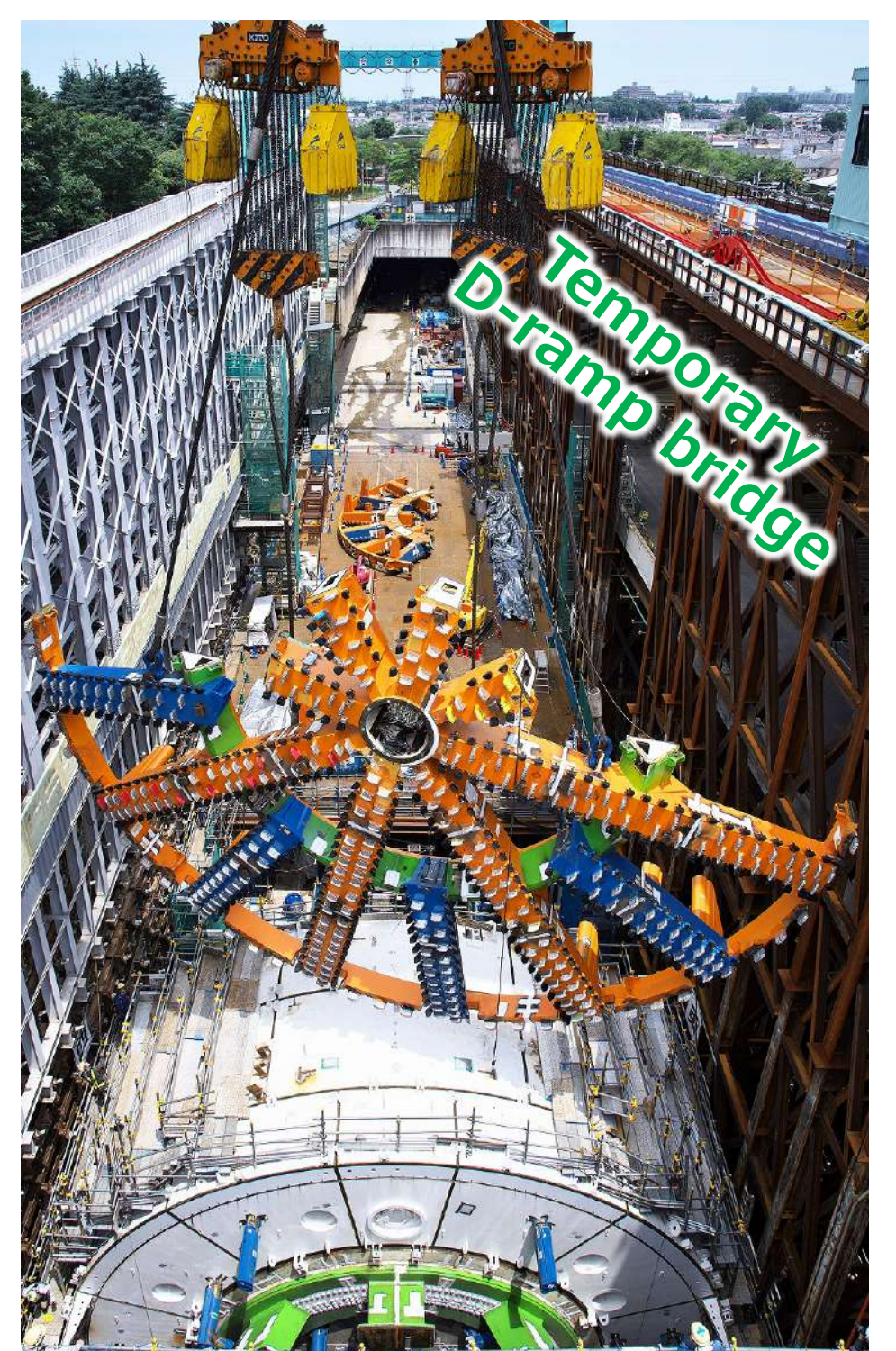
Temporary installation of the starting vertical shaft

Features

- ◆ Effective shaft width 17.7m (outer shield diameter Φ 16.1m)
- ◆ Shaft depth: 9.5 m to 22.0m, length: 130m
- ◆ Working close to the Outer Ring Road (temporary D ramp)
- ◆ Assembly using 200t, 50 t and 30t gantry cranes



Inside of the vertical shaft



Shield machine being assembled

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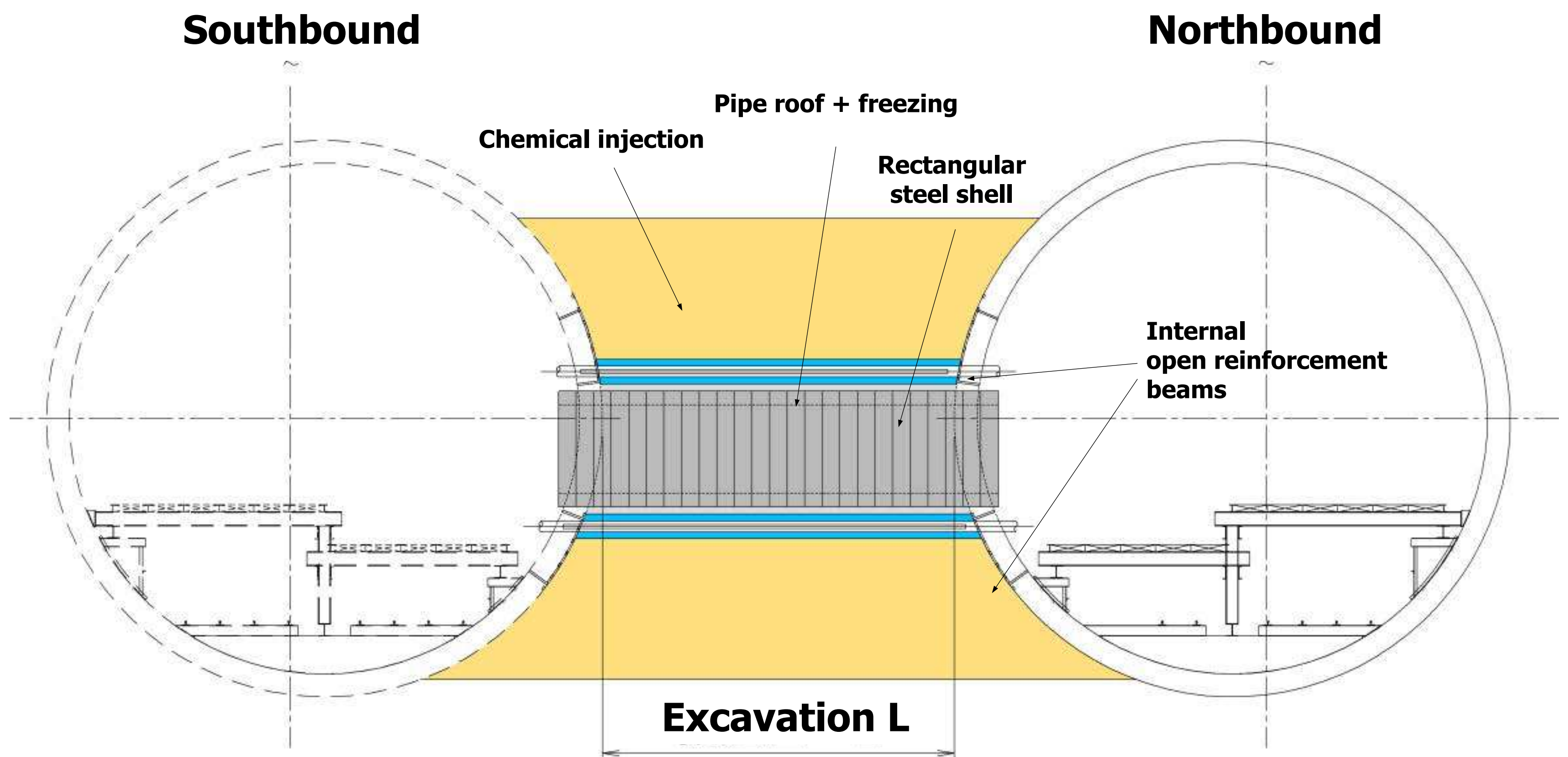
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⑥ Transverse connection shaft and floor base construction

1. Transverse connection shaft construction

Structural overview

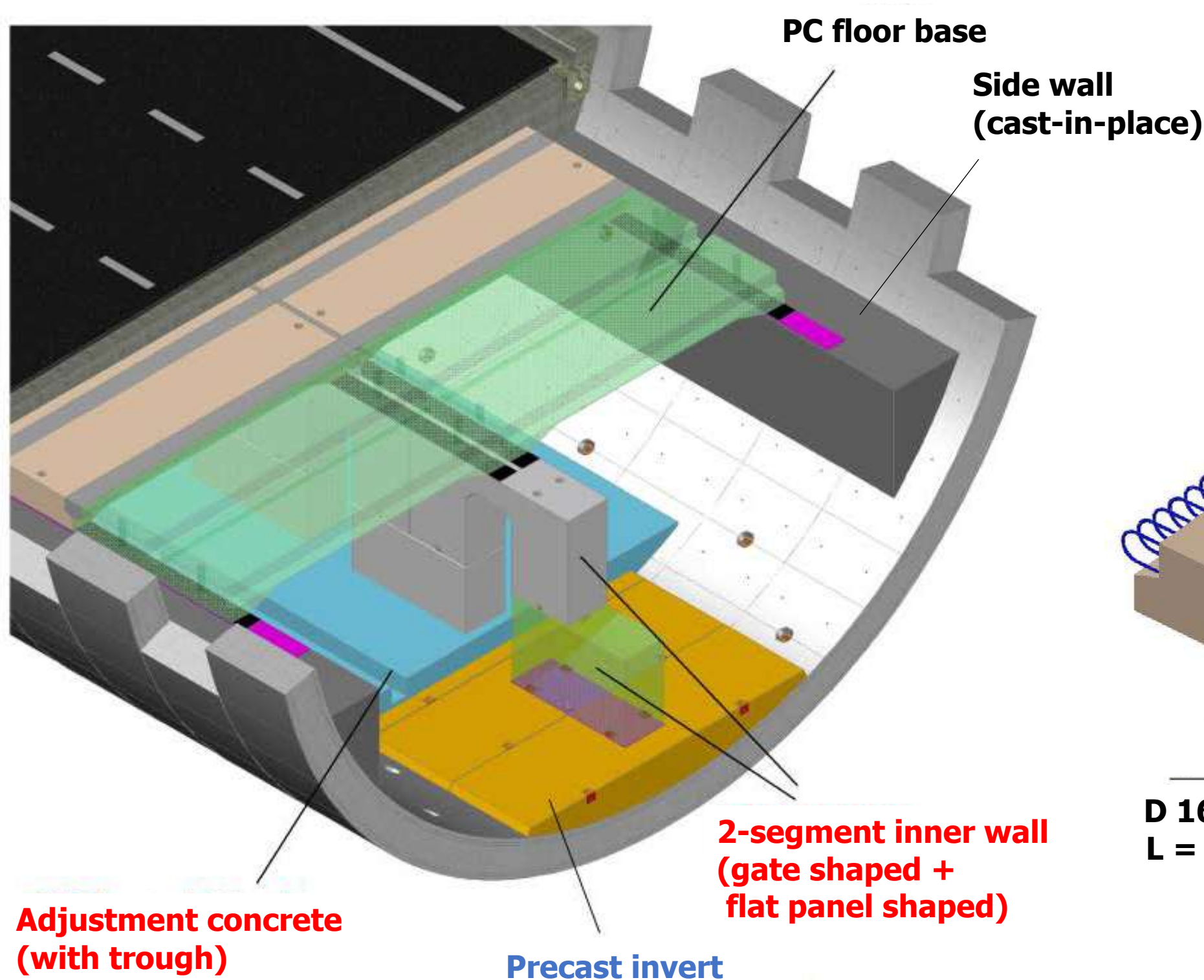


For human use: For emergency evacuation (6 shafts), hollow space B2600×H2500

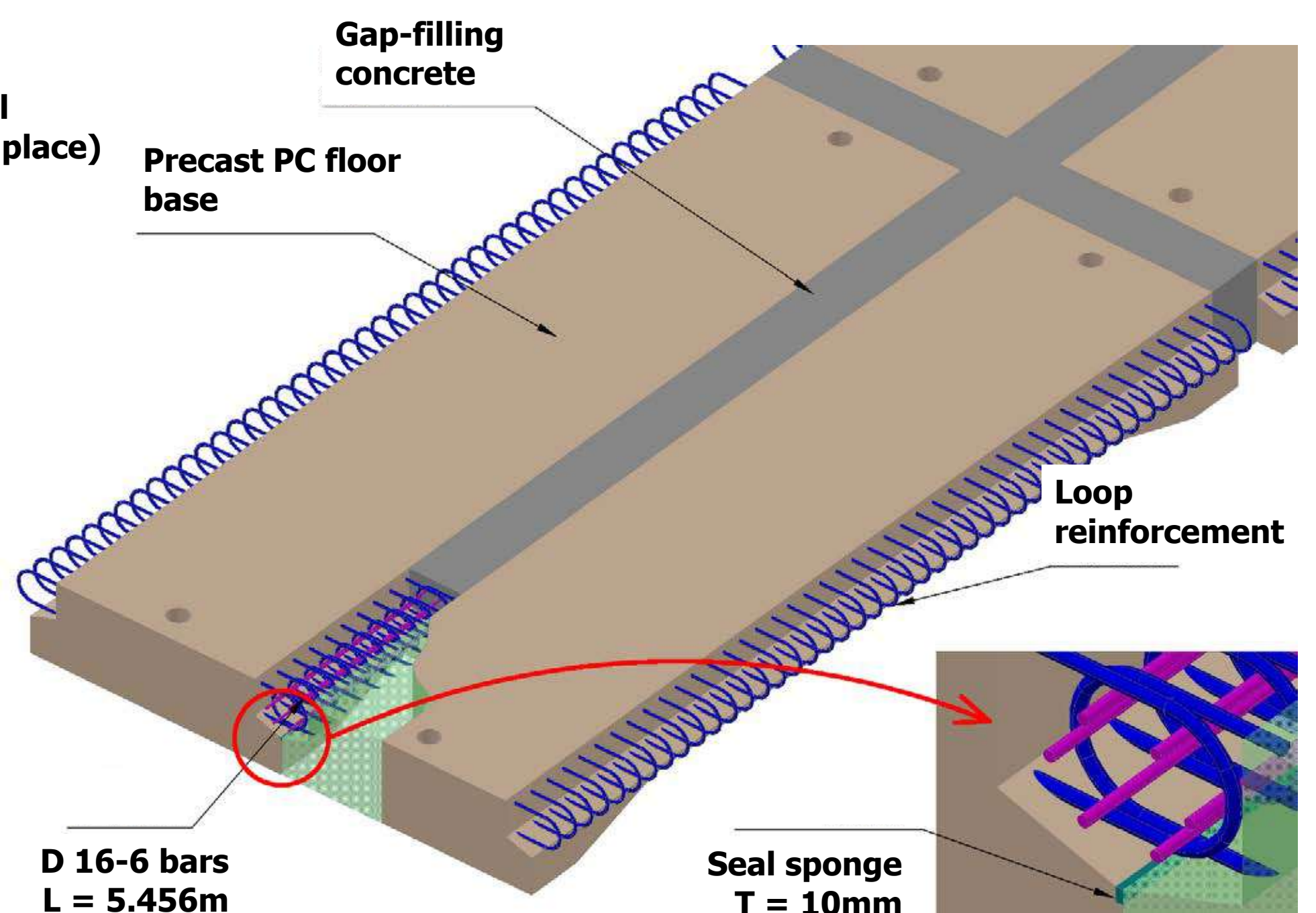
For human and vehicle uses: For human evacuation and emergency vehicle passage (2 shafts), hollow space B4300×H3900

2. Floor base construction

Floor base construction overview



PC floor base



Precast components to be used except for side walls and adjustment concrete blocks

Pre-stressing to be applied in the right-angle-to-bridge axis direction only L=5.5m