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Newly Developed Refrigerants for Refrigeration, meeting Global Warming Regulations

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What is DAIKIN



Daikin Industries

Sales Breakdown by Division Total 2,044 billion yen (fiscal 2016:consolidated)

Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Business

1,835.4 (90%)





Chemicals Business

156.8 (8%)





Other
(Oil Hydraulics,
Defense Systems, etc.)

51.8(2%)



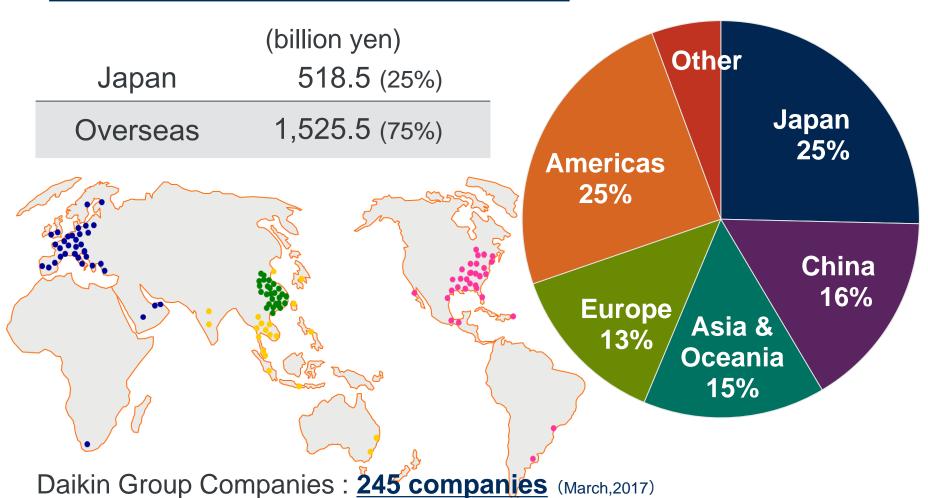




Daikin Industries

Sales Breakdown by Global Region

Ratio of Overseas Sales 75% (fiscal 2016:consolidated)





What is Fluorocarbon



What is Fluorocarbon?

Fluorocarbon

Fluorocarbon is a chemical compound part or all of whose hydrogen of hydrocarbon including methane, ethane and propane were replaced with fluorine (sometimes involving chlorine or other halogens).

CFC (Chloro fluoro carbon)

HCFC (Hydro chloro fluoro carbon)

PFC (Per fluoro carbon)

HFO (Hvdro fluoro olefin)





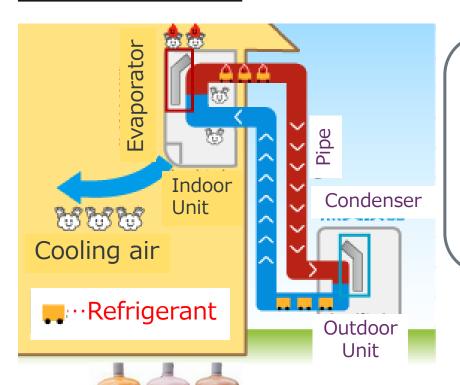


HFO-1234yf



What is Fluorocarbon?

Fluorocarbon



- Clear and non-smelled gas
- High stability
- Non corrosive
- Non flammable or Slightly flammable
- Low toxic
- Easier to evaporate



Fluorocarbon is suitable for refrigerant



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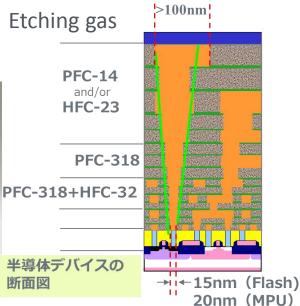
Applications of fluorocarbon

1) Refrigerant	Air-conditioning, Mobile air conditioning, Commercial/Industrial refrigerator, etc	
2) foaming agents	Heat insulating materials, etc	
3) Solvent	Cleaning agent, Solvent, etc	
4) Blowing agent	Dust blower, Aerosol	
5) Others	Fire extinguisher, Etching gas, etc	











Blower HFC-227

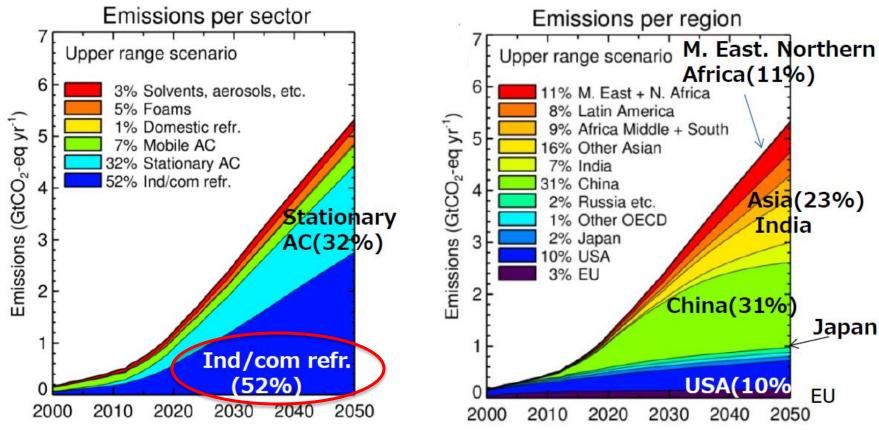


Environmental Regulations



HFC emissions

- Worldwide HFC emissions are increasing as replacements of ozone depleting CFCs and HCFCs
- HFC emissions could reach 5 GtCO₂ yr in 2050(BAU)



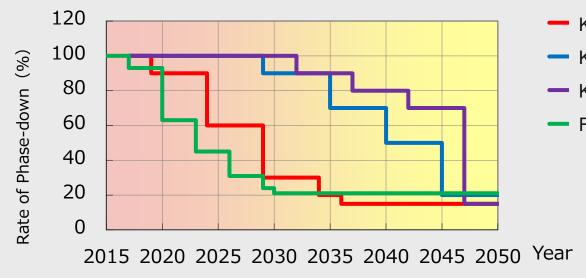
Source : Future atmospheric abundances and climate forcing from scenarios of global and regional HFC emissions, Velders et al., October 2015



Environmental Regulations for HFC Refrigerants

1) Regulations of HFC phase-down

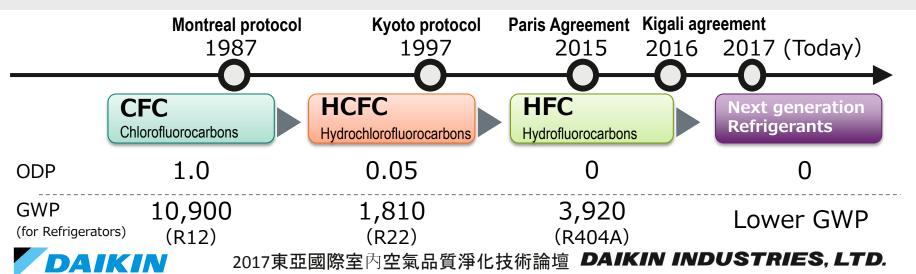
HFC Phase Down and F-gas regulations



- Kigali A2 (Developed countries)
- Kigali A5 Group1(Developing countries)
- Kigali A5 Group2(Developing countries)
- F-gas regulations

HFC phase-down
= Σ (GWP*amount)

We should reduce total GWP about 79-85 % finally.



Environmental Regulations for HFC Refrigerants

2. The limit of GWP for each applications

◆EU (F-gas regulations) : HFC phase-down and the limit of GWP

Applications	GWP	Start
Commercial fridge & freezers	GWP<2500 GWP<150	2020/1/1 ~ 2022/1/1~
Stationary refrigeration (Except under -50°C)	GWP<2500	2020/1/1 \sim
Commercial Multipack centralised refrigeration	GWP<150 (or cascade < GWP1500)	2022/1/1~

◆The Japanese Act on Rational Use and Proper Management of Fluorocarbons

Applications (RETAIL FOOD REFRIGERATION)	GWP	Start
Condensing unit and Stationary refrigeration unit	GWP<1500	2025/4/1~



Environmental Regulations for HFC Refrigerants

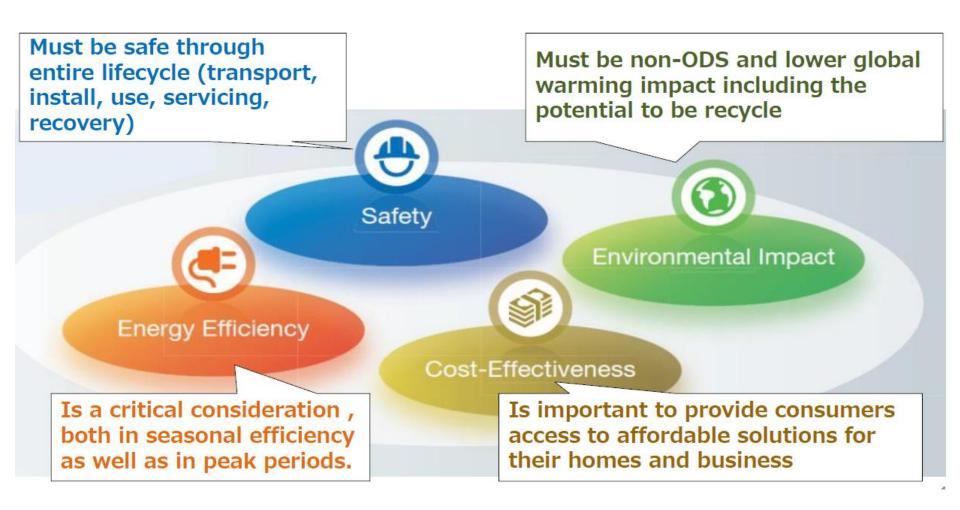
◆USA (SNAP): Various HFCs will be unlisted in various end-uses.

End-Uses	s (RETAIL FOOD REFRIGERATION)	Substitutes	Decision
	Supermarket Systems	R404A, R507A , R407B, R421B, R422A, R422C, R422D, R428A, R434A,	2017/1/1 ~
	Remote Condensing Units	HFC227ea	2018/1/1 ~
New	Stand-Alone Equipment Medium Temp. < 2200 Btu/hr Medium Temp. ≥ 2200 Btu/hr Low Temp. R410A, R407C, R407F etc are contained in Stand-Alone equipment	•	2019/1/1 ~ 2020/1/1 ~ 2020/1/1 ~
	Vending Machines	R134a, R404A, R507A etc	2019/1/1 ~
Retrofit	Supermarket Systems Remote Condensing Units	R404A, R507A, R407B, R421B, R422A R422C, R422D, R428A, R434A	2016/7/20~
	Vending Machines, Stand-Alone Equipment	R404A, R507A	



The points for selecting refrigerants

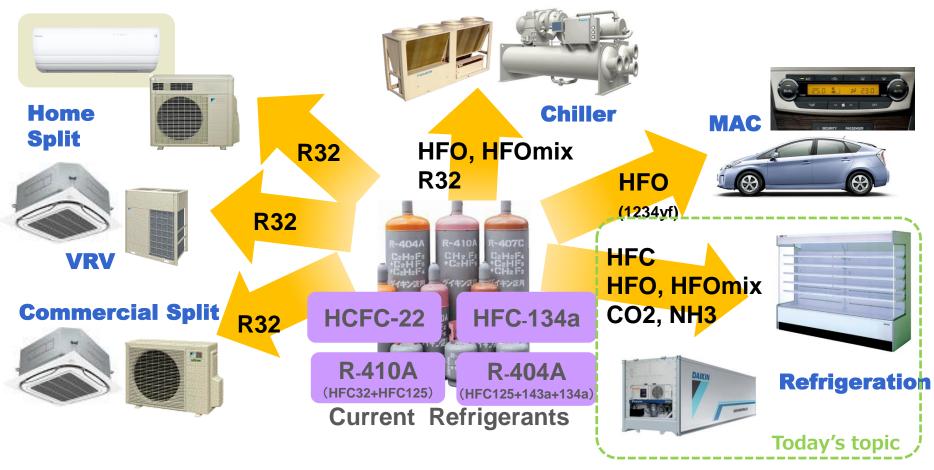
We have to assess four key factors when making the best balanced refrigerant choice for each application.





Next Generation Refrigerants

- There is NO one-size-fits-all solution.
- We should select a refrigerant which is most suitable for each application and area.





New Refrigerants approved by ASHRAE (2013∼)

Name	Composition	mass %	Class	GWP
407G	R-32/125/134a	2.5/2.5/95.0	A1	1463
407H	R-32/125/134a	32.5/15.0/52.5	A1	1495
444B	R-32/152a/1234ze(E)	41.5/10.0/48.5	A2L	295
445A	R-744/134a/1234ze(E)	6.0/9.0/85.0	A2L	134
446A	R-32/1234ze(E)/600	68.0/29.0/3.0	A2L	461
447A	R-32/125/1234ze(E)	68.0/3.5/28.5	A2L	583
447B	R-32/125/1234ze(E)	68.0/8.0/24.0	A2L	740
448A	R-32/125/1234yf/134a/1234ze(E)	26.0/26.0/20.0/21.0/7.0	A1	1390
449A	R-32/125/1234yf/134a	24.3/24.7/25.3/25.7	A1	1400
449B	R-32/125/1234yf/134a	25.2/24.3/23.2/27.3	A1	1412
449C	R-32/125/1234yf/134a	20.0/20.0/31.0/29.0	A1	1251
450A	R-134a /R-1234ze(E)	42.0/58.0	A1	604
451A	1234yf/134a	89.8/10.2	A2L	149
451B	1234yf/134a	88.8/11.2	A2L	164
452A	32/125/1234yf	11.0/59.0/30.0	A1	2140
452B	32/125/1234yf	67.0/7.0/26.0	A2L	698
452C	32/125/1234yf	12.5/61/26.5	A1	2220
453A	R-32/125/134a/227ea/600/601a	20.0/20.0/53.8/5.0/0.6/0.6	A1	1765
454A	R-32/1234yf	35.0/65.0	A2L	239
454B	R-32/1234yf	68.9/31.1	A2L	466
454C	R-32/1234yf	21.5/78.5	A2L	148
455A	R-744/32/1234yf	3.0/21.5/75.5	A2L	148
456A	R32/R134a/R1234ze(E)	6/45/49	A1	687
457A	R32/R1234yf/R152a	18/70/12	A2L	139
458A	R32/R125/R134a/R227ea/R236fa	20.5/4.0/61.4/13.5/0.6	A1	1650
459A	R32/R1234yf/R1234ze(E)	68/26/6	A2L	460
459B	R32/R1234yf/R1234ze(E)	21/69/10	A2L	145
460A	R32/R125/R134a/R1234ze(E)	12/52/14/22	A1	2103
460B	R32/R125/R134a/R1234ze(E)	28/25/20/27	A1	1352
461A	R125/R143a/R134a/R227ea/R600a	55.0/5.0/32.0/5.0/3.0	A1	3588
462A	R32/R125/R143a/R134a/R600	9.0/42.0/2.0/44.0/3.0	A2	2249
513A	1234yf/134a	56.0/44.0	A1	631
513B	1234yf/134a	58.5/41.5	A1	596
514A	R1336mzz(Z)/R1130(E)	74.7/25.3	B1	7
515A	R1234ze(E)/R227ea	88.0/12.0	A1	393
R516A	R1234yf/R134a/R152a	77.5/8.5/14.0	A2L	142
R1233zd(E)	R1233zd(E)	100	A1	5
R1234yf	R1234yf	100	A2L	4
R1234ze(E)	R1234ze(E)	100	A2L	6
R1336mzz(E)	R1336mzz(E)	100	A1	32
R1336mzz(Z)	R1336mzz(Z)	100	A1	9
R1132a	R1132a	100	A2	<1
R1224yd(Z)	R1224yd(Z)	100	A1	<1
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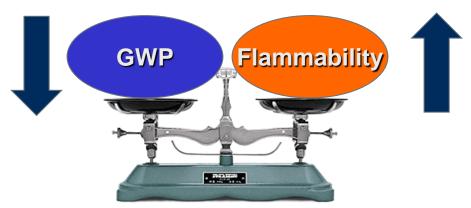
ASHRAE Safety class

- A -Low toxic
- **B** -High toxic
- 1 Non flammable
- **2L** Slightly flammable
- 2 -Flammable
- **3** -Higher flammable



Flammability of 2L Refrigerants

- Trade off relation between GWP and Flammability
- Unavoidable physical and chemical phenomena

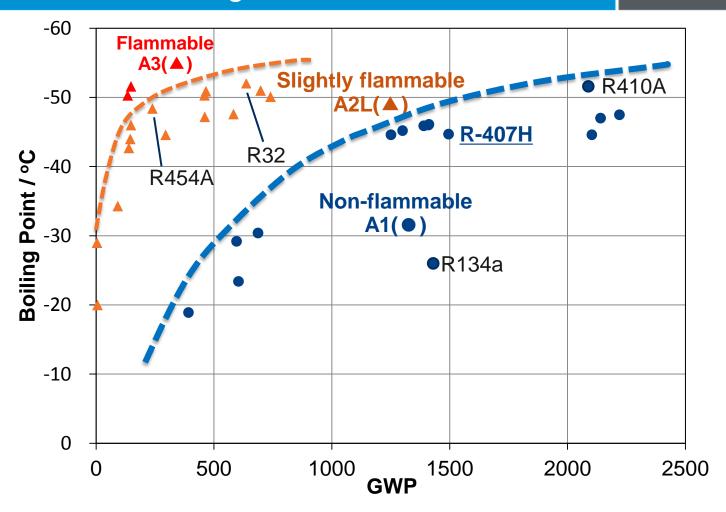


2L classification by ASHRAE

Class 1 Class 1 Class 2L Flammable Class 2L Burning Velocity (≤ 10 cm/s)		Lower flammable		Class 3	
		Class 2	Higher flammable		
Example	CO2 R410A R22	R32 R1234yf Ammonia (Higher toxic)	R152a	Propane	



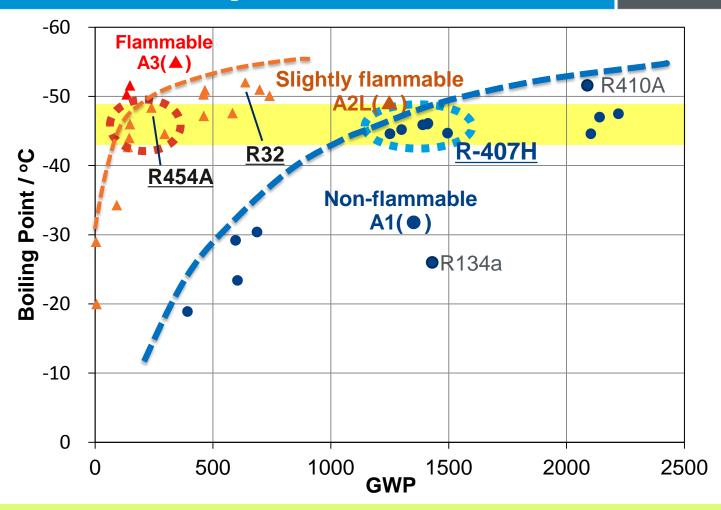
New Alternative Refrigerants



Lower b.p.(High pressure), Lower GWP increase flammability



New Alternative Refrigerants



Lower GWP refrigerants are proposed in the same b.p. and flammability categories. They are near the borderline.



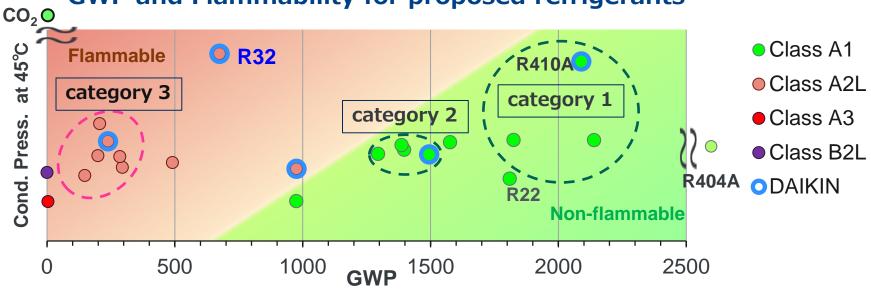
R404A, R22 Alternatives For Refrigeration



Choice of Alternative for Refrigeration Refrigerant

Proposed Refrigerant for Refrigeration

GWP and Flammability for proposed refrigerants

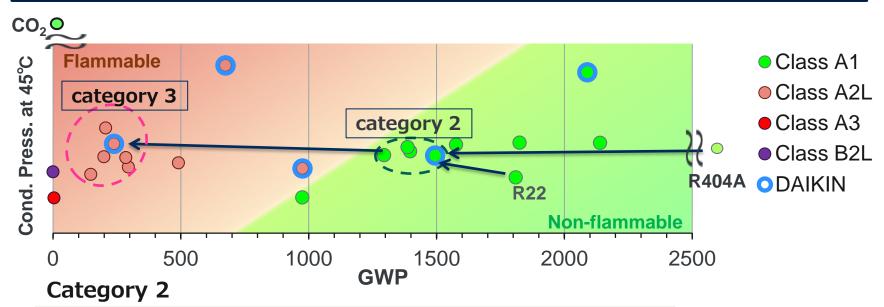


Category	GWP	Flammability	Corresponding to regulation	Characteristic of GWP
1	⇒ 2000	1	Europe GWP<2500 (From 2020)	Half GWP of R404A
2	≦ 1500	1	Japan GWP<1500 (From 2025)	Less than GWP of R22
3	≦ 300	2L	Future	Less than 10% of R404A



Choice of Alternative for Refrigeration Refrigerant

One scenario example of many : R404A, R22 \Rightarrow Category2 \Rightarrow Category3



	R407H	R449A	R448A
Flammability	A1	A1	A1
GWP*	1495	1397	1387

Category 3

	R454A	R455A	R444B	R457A
Flammability	A2L	A2L	A2L	A2L
GWP*	239	148	295	139

* IPCC AR4

-Higher flammable

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- Non flammable 2L - Slightly flammable

ASHRAE Safety class

-Flammable

A -Low toxic -High toxic

DAIKIN alternative refrigerants for R404A

One scenario example of many : R404A, R22 ⇒ Category2 ⇒ Category3

	Category 3	Category 2		
	<u>R454A</u>	<u>R407H</u>	R404A	R22
Composition	R32/R1234yf	R32/R125/R134a	R125/R143a/R134a	R22
	HFC/HFO	Only HFCs		
ODP	0	0	0	0.055
GWP*	<u>239 (237)</u>	<u>1495 (1380)</u>	3920 (3940)	1810 (1760)
ASHRAE Class	A2L	<u>A1</u>	A1	A1

^{*} IPCC AR4 (AR5)

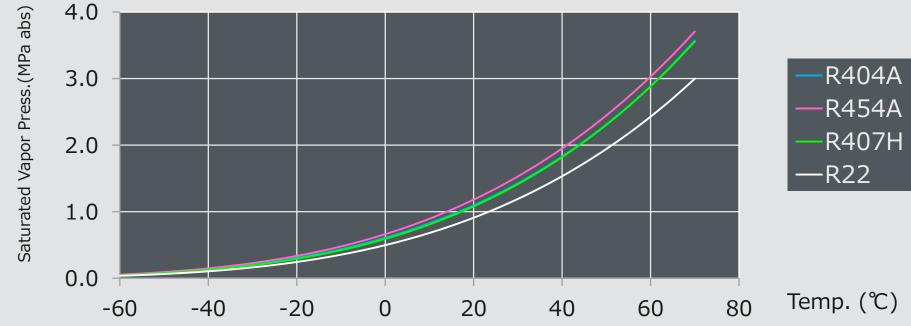
DAIKIN launched R407H in March 2017. R407H is already on sale in Japan, EU, US.





DAIKIN alternative refrigerants for R404A

Saturated vapor pressure of R404A alternatives



Temp. (℃)	Saturated Vapor Press. (MPa)			
Temp. (C)	R404A	R454A	R407H	R22
-30	0.21	0.23	0.20	0.16
0	0.61	0.66	0.59	0.50
30	1.43	1.53	1.41	1.19
45	2.04	2.20	2.03	1.73
60	2.89	3.03	2.88	2.43

The saturated vapor pressure of R407H are similar to R404A and a little higher than R22.



Summary

The history of refrigerants has been walking with environmental regulations. Until now, from the viewpoint of protecting the ozone layer, from now on, from the viewpoint of prevention of global warming, **high GWP** refrigerants will disappear from the market in the near future.

We should select a refrigerant which is most suitable for each application and area based on the key factors "Safety, Environmental impact, Energy efficiency, Cost-effectiveness".

We developed **the new lower GWP refrigerant "R407H**" as a alternative refrigerant to R404A.

Which has also **economically superior** and **efficiency** to users.

We continue to develop new refrigerants that are environmentally friendly and can contribute to society and users.



Thank you for your kind attention.



