

State of the Shared Facilities (as of March 7, 2018)

Area	Facility	State of the facility	Prospects
Tokai	JRR-3	<p>The application for a nuclear reactor installation/alteration permission to fit with the new regulatory requirements was submitted to the Nuclear Regulation Authority (NRA) on Sep. 26, 2014. Subsequently, after several reviews by the NRA, JAEA submitted the 4th-revised application to the NRA on Feb. 22, 2018.</p> <p>The process up to restart is as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> ① After additional reviews by the NRA of the submitted application for nuclear reactor installation/alteration permission, we will acquire the permission. ② Implementation of periodic inspection of facilities after the seismic reinforcement works and so on. ③ Explanation to the concerned governments and the local residents. <p>Information provided by: https://jrr3.jaea.go.jp/jrr3e/index.htm</p>	<p>We will restart the operation after the acquisition of a nuclear reactor installation/alteration permission, and the completion of the seismic reinforcement works with the understanding from the concerned and neighboring government.</p> <p>We are preparing for the restart energetically aiming at the resumption of the operation at the end of October, 2020.</p>
Oarai	Hot laboratory	<p>The operation of the facility is currently stopped for the replacement of the exhaust stack.</p>	<p>We are preparing for the restart energetically aiming at the resuming operation at the end of October, 2020.</p>

Facilities not mentioned above are offered for use the same as before, except for Joyo, where a periodic inspection is being conducted on its reactor facility, and only the post irradiation examination facility is currently available.

*In regard to "JRR-4", based on the "Basic Direction of the Reform of Japan Atomic Energy Agency" which was drawn up by the panel of MEXT on August 8, 2013, JAEA formulated the "Reform Plan of Japan Atomic Energy Agency" and in it JRR-4 was designated as a facility for which a decommissioning plan should be developed. The decommissioning plan was submitted to the NRA on December 25, 2015, and accordingly JRR-4 was removed from the list of the JAEA's shared facilities on January 13, 2016 and will not be offered for use from then on.