

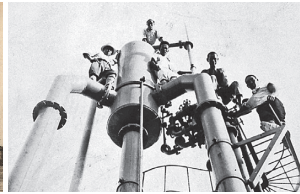
# Taikisha's Corporate History



1913 Founded as joint-stock company Kenzaisha (predecessor of Taikisha Ltd.)



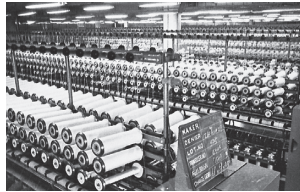
1918 Tokio Marine and Fire Insurance Building, Japan's first modern office building



1935 Steam jet units under construction at the Kinka Keito Company Tsu Plant



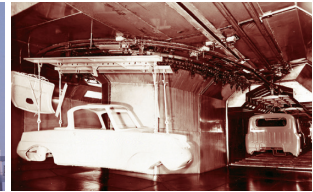
1953 Spray booth in the Isuzu Motors Ltd. Omori Plant



1955 Toyo Nylon Plant in South Korea



1960s Tokyo Nissan Auto Sales Building (now, Roppongi Hills North Tower)



1961 Drying Oven for the R360 Coupe at the Toyo Kogyo Co., Ltd. F Plant

## 1913-1948

### Helps build the foundation of modern Japan

Given the remarkable growth of Japan's spinning mill industry, Kenzaisha reinforced its air-conditioning technology such as temperature/humidity control and air flow control, which are essential to the yarn-making process, sharply expanding its business performance in this field.

## 1949-1970

### Expansion of business fields during the Period of Rapid Economic Growth

Along with its high economic growth, Japan experienced a flurry of plant constructions, demanding higher quality air-conditioning systems. Taikisha strove to achieve higher technological expertise, delivering precision air-conditioning and cleanroom systems, and entered the automobile paint finishing plant construction business.

## 1971-1989

### Global business development

In line with shift overseas of Japanese corporate clients, Taikisha expanded new affiliates worldwide, starting with an affiliate in Thailand, to accumulate experience in overseas works. Taikisha's customer base expanded to include not only Japanese companies but also local and Western ones.

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**1994** Wuzhou Taikisha Engineering Co., Ltd. established in Beijing, China  
**1991** Aikawa Technical R&D Center established in Aikawamachi, Kanagawa Prefecture  
**1990** P.T. Taikisha Indonesia Engineering established in Jakarta, Indonesia

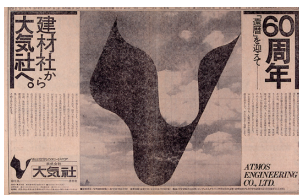
**1989** Taikisha Engineering (M) Sdn. Bhd. established in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia  
**1987** Joint development of water-based paint-compliant facilities started (commercialized in 1989)  
**1986** Technology related to design and manufacture/sale of silencer and soundproofing systems imported from Canada-based BVA  
**1985** Singapore Branch Office established  
**1981** TKS Industrial Company established in Dover, Delaware, U.S.A.  
**1980** Technical Center established in Zama City, Kanagawa Prefecture  
 Shares transferred to the First Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange

**1974** Shares listed on the Second Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange  
**1973** Corporate name changed to Taikisha Ltd.  
**1971** Thai Kenzaisha Co., Ltd. (now, Taikisha (Thailand) Co., Ltd.) established in Bangkok, Thailand  
 Corporate Culture Committee established  
**1970** Mission Statement "Customers First" announced  
 Technical collaboration for axial flow blowers with the USA-based company, JOY

**1967** Delivered full-fledged cleanroom equipment to the Takematsu Factory of Fuji Photo Film Co., Ltd.  
**1964** Opened a lab in Hirakata as the foundation of R&D activities (predecessor of the Engineering Research Laboratory)  
 Completed the painting line works for Nissan Motor Chile Ltda. (Taikisha's first overseas work in the paint finishing system field)  
**1961** Received a turn-key order for the company's first integrated automobile paint finishing line from Toyo Kogyo Co., Ltd. (now, Mazda Motor Corporation)

**1955** Delivered air-conditioning systems to two textile plants in Pakistan (Taikisha's first overseas work postwar)  
**1953** Delivered spray booths to Nissan Motor Austin Plant (full-scale entry in the paint finishing system business)

**1949** Joint stock company, Kenzaisha dissolved and Kenzaisha Co., Ltd. established  
**1940** Delivered egg freezing equipment to Shanghai Warehouse Pte. Ltd. (Taikisha's first overseas work)  
**1933** Delivered air-conditioning systems to Mikame Plant of Omi Hanpu Company (Taikisha's first air-conditioning systems for a spinning mill plant)  
**1918** Delivered Japan's first hot water forced circulation system to the Tokio Marine and Fire Insurance Building  
**1914** Invited a German engineer, August Peter Tetens, and started import of boilers, etc. manufactured by Germany's Buderus'sche Eisenwerke AG  
**1913** Joint stock company Kenzaisha (predecessor of Taikisha Ltd.) founded in Ginza, Tokyo



1973 A newspaper advertisement upon the name change of the company



1981 Air-conditioning, water supply and drainage, hygiene, electrical and medical-use gas supply facility works for New Dubai Hospital (United Arab Emirates)



1994 Petronas Twin Towers (Malaysia)



2010 Painting robot at the Research and Development Center (Tianjin, China)



2014 Business and capital alliance formed with Encore Automation LLC (U.S.A.)



2018 Establishment of Plant Factory Demonstration Development Center



2019 Establishment of Technical Center



2020 Business and capital alliance formed with Nicomac Clean Rooms Far East LLP (India)

## 1990-2001

### Advent of the IT era

The 1990s was an era characterized by a rapid spread of information technology as consumers began to widely use the Internet and mobile phones. Taikisha, with its leading-edge know-how in cleanroom design and construction, participated in projects to construct manufacturing plants for semiconductors, hard disks and capacitors, a set of devices serving as the backbone of IT hardware. This allowed the company to gain higher recognition in the electronics industry.

## 2002-

### Capitalizing on the Group's comprehensive capability

Driven by the progress of IT and globalization, it has become a norm in many industries to conduct borderless investment and collaboration. The Taikisha Group established affiliates in the so-called emerging countries including Cambodia and Myanmar. The Group's comprehensive solution is increasingly vital as affiliates complement each other in purchasing operations, human resources and project management. In response to the needs of society and clients, the Group has entered new fields such as the plant factory business and the aircraft painting business.

2000

2010

- 2020** Business and capital alliance formed with Nicomac Clean Rooms Far East LLP (India)
- 2019** Taikisha Lao Co., Ltd. established in Vientiane, Laos
- 2019** Technical Center established in Zama City, Kanagawa Prefecture
- 2018** Plant Factory Demonstration Development Center established in Itabashi-ku, Tokyo
- 2017** Business and capital alliance formed with BTE Co., Ltd., a switchboard manufacturer in Thailand
- 2014** Business and capital alliance formed with Encore Automation LLC (U.S.A.), which has strength in robot application systems for automobile/aircraft painting
- 2013** Taikisha Myanmar Co., Ltd. established in Yangon, Myanmar
- 2011** Business and capital alliance formed with Geico S.p.A. (Italy)
- Taikisha (Cambodia) Co., Ltd. established in Phnom Penh, Cambodia
- Ratio of overseas sales exceeded 50%
- Stable volume-production technology for crisphead lettuce established
- 2010** Environmental Management Vision formulated
- Hyper DRY DECO (hydrogen peroxide-based decontamination system) jointly developed
- Tianjin Taikisha Paint Finishing System Ltd. established in Tianjin
- Entered the plant factory business (using only artificial lighting)
- 2009** Pre-coating type dry paint booths developed
- 2006** Corporate Compliance Committee and Corporate Compliance Department established
- Energy Plant Optical Control System, a system to optimize the energy saving effects of heat source systems, developed
- Net sales exceeded 200 billion yen (FY2006/3)
- 2004** Taikisha (Singapore) Pte. Ltd. established in Singapore
- Aikawa Technical R&D Center, Hirakata Research Institute, and New Business Technology Development Office integrated into the Research & Development Center in Aikawamachi, Kanagawa Prefecture
- ISO14001 acquired for overseas bases
- 2003** Environmental features for painting plants improved through joint development of pretreatment/electrodeposition conveyor system E-DIP (commercialized in 2008)
- 1999** ISO14001 acquired (Tokyo Head Office)
- 1998** Taikisha Vietnam Engineering Inc. established in Hanoi, Vietnam
- Direct fired regenerative thermal oxidizers (RTO) developed (subsequently, reinforced the lineup with multi-tower, rotary, and other types)
- 1997** ISO9001 acquired (cleanroom category)
- 1996** Environmental Countermeasures Office established
- "Taikisha Charter for Environmental Protection" formulated
- 1995** Taikisha Engineering India Private Ltd. established in New Delhi, India
- Taikisha Philippines Inc. established in Manila, the Philippines
- NMP recovery system developed
- A string of orders were received for large-scale cleanroom equipment works for DRAM manufacturing in line with the explosive spread of the Internet and mobile phones