## Implementation of Abandoned Chemical Weapons (ACWs) Destruction Projects in China

## **Abandoned Chemical Weapons Office**

> The project is to destroy chemical weapons abandoned in the territory of China by the former Japanese military forces, in accordance with the Chemical Weapons Convention.

## **Status of Excavation and Recovery of ACWs**

Since September 2000, approximately 50,000 ACWs have been excavated and recovered at various locations in China. Besides them, 300,000 to 400,000 ACWs are estimated to be buried in Haerbaling, Dunhua City, Jilin Province. In December 2012, the destruction operation of ACWs has started in Shijiazhuang City, Hebei Province.

