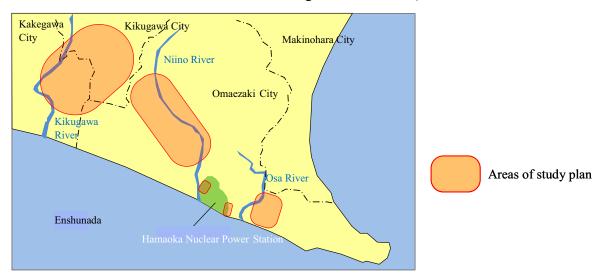
Concerning Tsunami Sediment Study on Premises and in Vicinity of Hamaoka Nuclear Power Station

1. Study objective

The study will seek to confirm details about tsunami that have occurred on the premises and in the vicinity of the Hamaoka Nuclear Power Station.

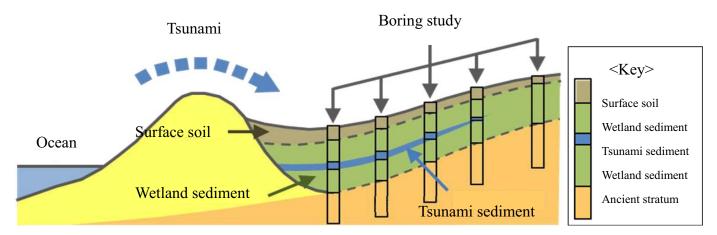
2. Study plan locations

On the premises of the Hamaoka Nuclear Power Station and in the vicinity (along the east side of the premises, Osa River basin, Niino River basin, Kikugawa River basin)



3. Study method

Four to 10 holes of five to 50 meters depth will be bored in each study area. The extracted soil samples will be observed and analyzed to determine the existence, age and distribution of tsunami sediment. The number and depth of holes bored may increase or decrease depending on study circumstances.



4. Study period

We will be coordinating as necessary with each area concerned, then will begin the study starting with those areas where preparation is complete. The study is expected to last from August to December 2012; however, the study period may be extended depending on circumstances.