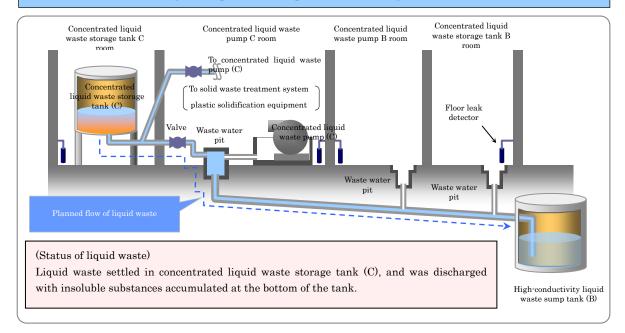
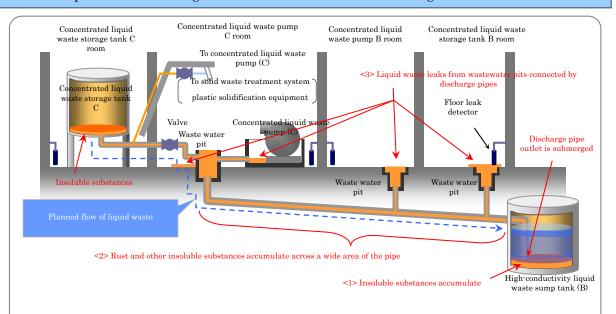
Mechanism of Occurrence of Leak

Status at discharge of liquid waste (prior to discharge of insoluble substances)



Status at liquid waste discharge (occurrence of leak due to discharge of insoluble substances)



(Status)

- <1> Following discharge of liquid waste from the bottom of concentrated liquid waste storage tank (C), insoluble substances passed through the wastewater pipe and accumulated in high-conductivity liquid waste sump tank (B). The outlet of the wastewater pipe in high-conductivity liquid waste tank (B) became submerged under insoluble substances.
- <2> Because the discharge pipe outlet in high-conductivity liquid waste sump tank (B) was submerged, the flow rate in the pipe was reduced, and insoluble substances accumulated successively in the pipe from the downstream side.
- <3> Liquid waste leaked from wastewater pits connected by wastewater pipes onto the floor of the building.