#### Outline of JSPS's AA Science Platform Program

This program was designed to create high potential research hubs in selected fields within the Asian and African region in 2007, while fostering the next generation of leading researchers. It has been accomplished by establishing sustainable collaborative relations among universities and research institutes in Japan and other Asian and African countries. As the next stage of the program, more institutions including these "core institutions" will globally try to collaborate in research fields of special importance or significance

### Neo-Fiber Technology Objective

Building a firm and consolidated platform of science and engineering is essential for social development of Asian and African countries in this century. Particularly, the platform for the fiber science of the next generation is important in this district that has already become the world center of fiber and textile production. In order to establish such a scientific platform, the leading countries of this district should cooperate with each other and promote the fast innovation. An efficient platform for advanced fiber science will possibly be formed by joint work in the university levels that are based on research and education. The initial purpose of the program was the creation of platform for "neo-fiber technology" by interactive activities of several universities selected from five countries in Asia and Africa. In carrying out the 10th seminar, more global and advanced collaborations on research and education are expected.

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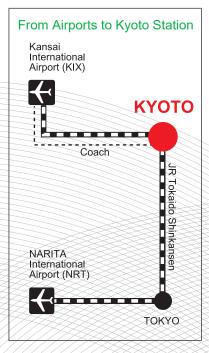
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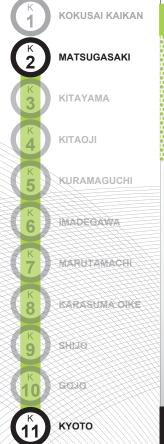
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