

Rapport d'activités des CN 2007

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1. Information générale

1. General information

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individuelsNumber of individual / collective
members

44 individual members / 28 collective members, 1 Regional Authority

Organisation et structure

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Japan Road Association (JRA) provides the secretariat for the Japanese National Committee of PIARC.

2. Conférences, séminaires,
réunions des CT en 20072. Conferences, Seminars, TC
meetings in 2007

Organisation des CN: national/international	Organisation by NC: national/international
<p>To take advantage of hosting the PIARC TC meetings in Japan, we organised the following workshops inviting PIARC members as guest speakers to promote exchange of ideas and information among national and international members:</p> <p>International Seminar on Project Evaluation for Road investment, Tokyo, 10 April in collaboration with TC1.1</p> <p>Bridges and road structures meeting, Nagoya, 16 May 2007 in collaboration with TC4.4</p> <p>Workshop on Road Tunnel Operation, Kyoto 4-5 June 2007 in collaboration with TC3.3</p>	

Travail conjoint avec d'autres organisations nationales	Joint organisation with other national institutions

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Réunion des CT	TC meetings
<p>TC1.1 Road system economics, Tokyo/Kamakura, 10-13 April 2007</p> <p>TC4.4 Road bridges and related structures, Nagoya/Ise/Shima, 15-17 May 2007</p> <p>TC3.3 Road Tunnels Operation, Kyoto/Tokyo, 4-8 June 2007</p> <p>TC4.1 Management of road infrastructure assets, 12-15 June 2007</p>	

3. Publications en 2007	3. Publications in 2007
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Publications nationales, rapports	National publications, reports
<p>Five new titles are published from Japan Road Association in Japanese;</p> <p><u>Guidelines for Parking Spaces of Bicycles and Motorcycles,</u></p> <p><u>Pile Foundation Design Handbook,</u></p> <p><u>Bridge Floor Slab Waterproofing Handbook,</u></p> <p><u>Prous Pvement Guidebook,</u></p> <p><u>Eearthquake Disaster Countermeasures Handbook</u></p>	

Articles dans Routes/Roads	Articles in Routes / Roads
<p>Mr. Keiichi INOUE, (ST1 Coordinator), "Editorial: Challenges for Sustainable Road Development" (#332, 2006)</p> <p>Mr. Keiichi INOUE, (President, NEXCO East / ST1 Coordinator), "Activities of NEXCO East in Japan" (#334, 2007)</p>	

Bulletin national ou revue des CN	National newsletter or magazine of NC
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"Doro" is published monthly and circulated among members of the Japan Road Association. On average 14,500 copies are published each month.

4. Soutien aux Premiers délégués	4. Support to First Delegate
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Concours des Prix AIPCR 2007	PIARC prize 2007 competition
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Four papers were submitted to PIARC and one written on the theme of "Construction Maintenance and Operation of Roads" won a prize.

Nomination des membres des CT	Nomination of TC members
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Japan is represented in all of the 18 Technical Committees and CTED with 40 delegates.

Enquêtes et sondages	Surveys and questionnaires
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5. Congrès de l'AIPCR	5. PIARC Congresses
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Congrès Viabilité Hivernale, Turin 2006 (participation, résultats)	2006 Turin Winter Road Congress (participation, results)
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Japan was represented by about 100 delegates including road administrators, engineers from both public and private sectors, and members of the academia. We also set up a national stand to display our winter maintenance technology as well as the environment and safety challenges.

Congrès mondial de la Route, Paris 2007 (participation, préparation)	2007 Paris World Road Congress (participation, preparation)
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Japan intends to participate in the Congress and will have a national stand at its exhibition. Also Japan will be contributing to the Historical Exhibition "Developments Seen Over 100 Years in 10 Sections of Road" as one of the ten exhibitors.

6. Autres activités en 2007	6. Other activities in 2007
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Assemblée générale, réunions avec les membres des CT, rencontres avec d'autres organisations nationales	General Assembly, meetings with TC members, meetings with other national organisations
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The General Assembly meeting took place on 23 May 2007. A meeting of the Japanese members of each TCs and its support members are organised every 1-2 month aiming at presenting the most up to date activity reports of each committee. The 27th Japan Road Congress will be held in Tokyo on 1-2 November 2007.

Relations internationales	International relations
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Dr. Hiroshi MITANI participated in an inaugural meeting of the Korean National Committee on 3 August 2007 in Seoul and made presentation on PIARC activities and the role of the National Committee.

Promotion de l'AIPCR	Promotion of PIARC
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Currently, we are promoting participation in the Paris Congress by advertising on our Doro Magazine.

Site Internet des CN	NC website
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<http://www.road.or.jp/>

Autres	Other business
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International workshops organised by JNC

To take advantage of hosting PIARC TC meetings in Tokyo, an international seminar and workshops are organised in Japan, inviting PIARC TC members. These events provided ample opportunities for the Japanese experts and members of PIARC to exchange ideas and information with PIARC TC members gathered from all over the world.

The International Seminar on Project Evaluation for Road investment was held in Tokyo on 10 April inviting members of TC1.1. The seminar comprised of two parts; experts from seven countries (UK, France, Sweden, Norway, Newzealand, US and Japan) introduced manual for project evaluation and adoption standards. About 140 experts from the Ministry, educational and research institutions and private consulting firms attended this event.

Bridges and road structures meeting was organised in Nagoya on 16 May, inviting members from TC4.4 to exchange views on issues concerning bridge maintenance. PIARC members from Spain, France, Greece, UK, Denmark, Australia, Canada, South Africa, Austria, Sweden, Italy, Norway, Finland, Lithuania, Poland and Slovenia attended the meeting. Current state of road development in Japan was also introduced by a Ministry staff and an introduction to the latest bridge project was presented by NEXCO Central of Japan.

Debriefing session on PIARC Technical Committee Activity



A debriefing session on PIARC Technical Committee Activity, held on 19 April 2007 in Japan Road Association

Prior to the PIARC World Road Congress in Paris, the Japanese National Committee organised a debriefing session on PIARC Technical Committee Activity in Japan Road Association on 19 April.

The purpose of holding this session was to share the outcomes of researches conducted by PIARC TCs and promote PIARC activities among Japanese members. Also, some of the pressing issues in the field of road transport in Japan were discussed for the next cycle. This Session provided a good opportunity to exchange information on the current international trends in road transport .