

# Japanese Strawberry Project in Jordan



General Reconstruction Association

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### **GRA Mission**





# Create Job opportunities in local communities And Contribute to sustainable prosperity

11 MAR 2011,we lost 4% of all population and almost all farming area too in Yamamoto by the big Tsunami.





## 98% of all Strawberry farms were destroyed by the tsunami



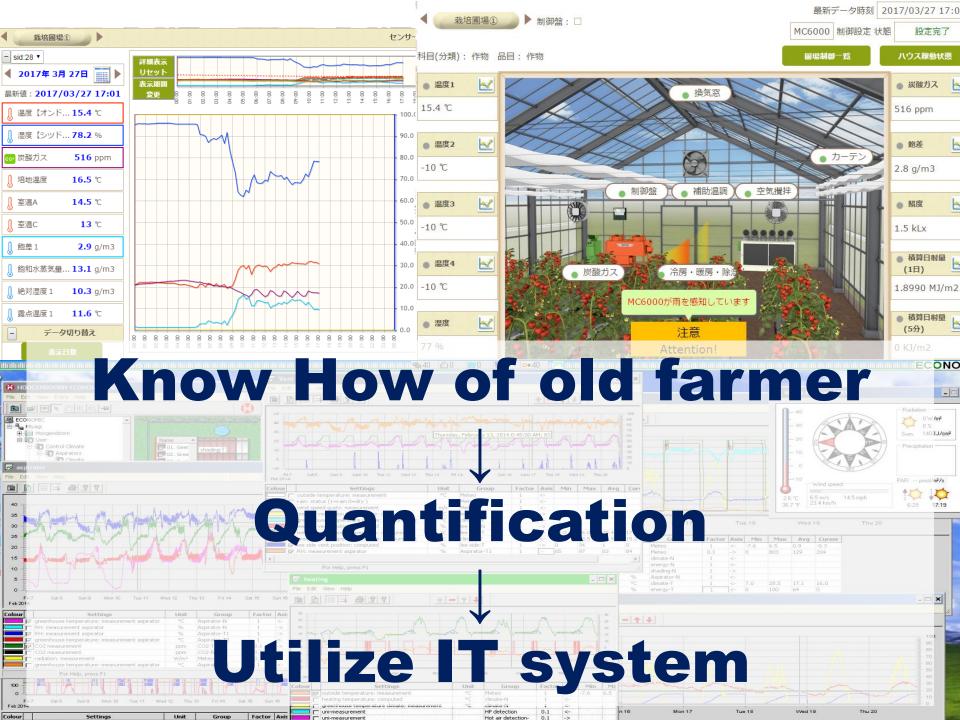


The area which suffered the damage of tsunami (From the coastline to a maximum of 4 km)

60 percent or more of all the houses are destroyed completely or partially









## Utilizing ICT System to franchisee



- With concept of open innovation, GRA supports productions with the latest cultivation system for franchisee, which is based on GRA's cultivating techniques.
- All the production data has been accumulated at the system and the techniques have been continuously improved.





Created "MIGAKI ICHIGO" brand 1 for 10USD Dec16th2012

## Fresh Strawberry Products Reconstruction Association



Platinum (1 pc.)



Platinum (6 pcs.)



Platinum (12 pcs.)



Gold (450g)



Silver (270g)



Regular (270g)



For shortcake use

### **Processed Products**











### PM with MIGAKI





## ICHIGO-WORLD (Strawberry Picking)







































## Significance of the activity in Jordan



#### Concerned Development Issues

#### Products and Technologies of GRA

Job creation and gap correction

Value added cultivation Know how and system

- Effective use of agricultural water
- High quality strawberry production

#### **Expected Impact**

Local production and construction of hydroponics equipment and business of high added agricultural products production and sales using a green house

#### **Expected Impact**

- Effective use of agricultural water
- Business revenue increase due to high added agricultural products production and sales
- Economic development in rural areas of Jordan and narrowing the gap by creating jobs for Syria's refugees, women and other socially vulnerable

## **Production and Market**













## Thank you





### Overview of GRA



- Company name: GRA Inc.
- Address: Sakuratsutsumi-48, Yamadera, Yamamoto-cho, Watari-gun, Miyagiken
- Representative: Hiroki Iwasa
- Business incepted: July 2011
- Incorporated: January 2012
- Capital and capital surplus: 100,000,000 yen
- Businesses: Production, marketing and export of agricultural products; development, marketing and export of processed products; research and development of agricultural technologies; regional brand development; support for new farmers; development of overseas production
- Affiliated company: IINE Co. Ltd. (100% subsidiary; café business)
- Shareholders: Management members of GRA, INCJ, NEC, JA Mitsui Leasing and NEC Capital Solutions



