





Training of Trainers

Certificate Program on

Business Continuity Planning (BCP) for SMEs

3.3 Business Continuity Strategies

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Disruption	
Part 3.3: Business Continuity Strategies	

Step 7 : BC Strategies to Early Resumption are needed?

--Key questions to ask yourself--

• What does your company prepare For?

(disaster scenario)

• Where does your company recovery?

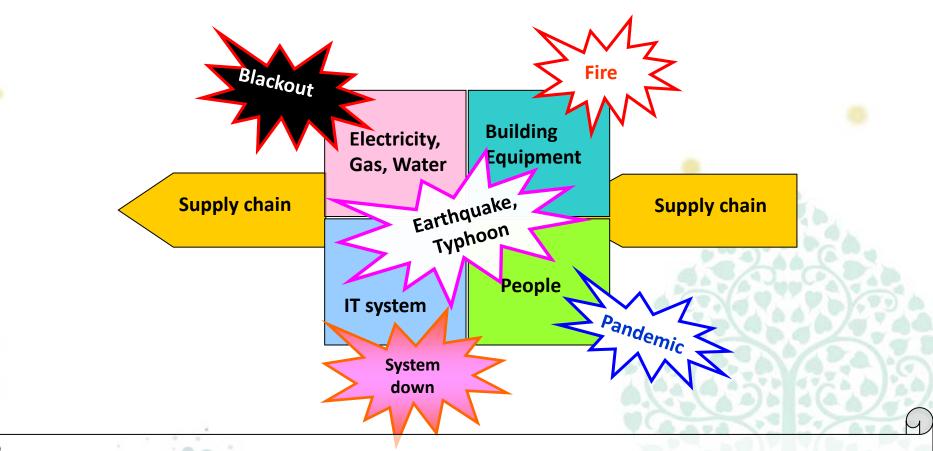
(place to recovery)

- And **How**?
- (BC Strategies)





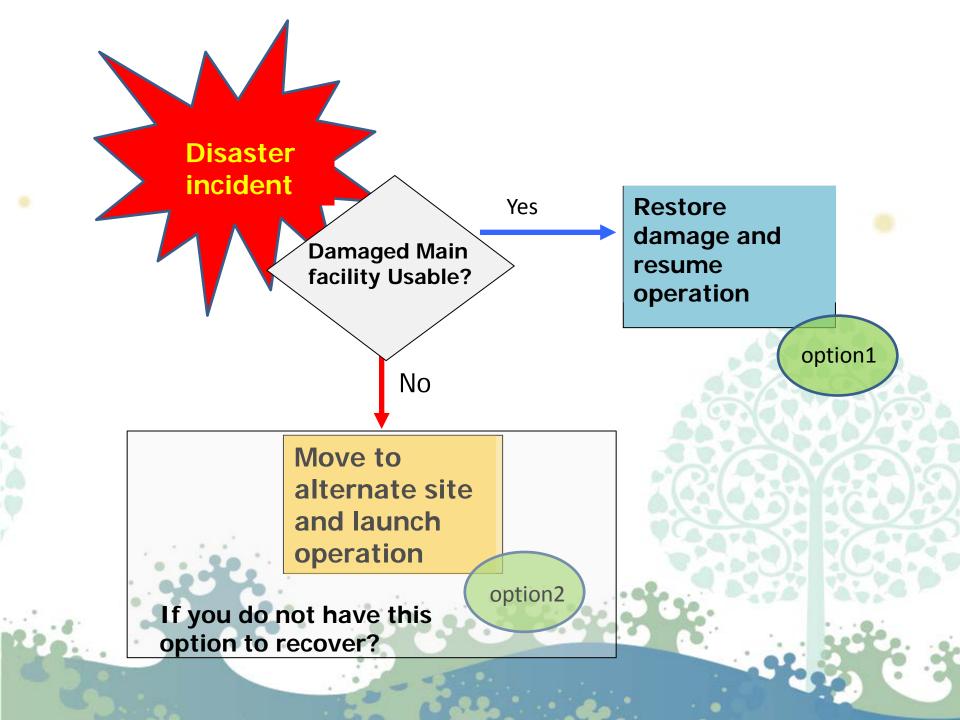
Key supporting resources



Which resources are necessary for Priority Business?

How vulnerable are they to such risks?

Protect them to secure availability for Priority Business resumption



SME's Strategies planning

Fit to your body(company)size

- Clarify your assumptions and limiting conditions
 - Can afford alternative site recovery?
 - Wait for essential services recovery?
 - Such as electricity, water, communication, public transportation etc.
- Determine where to recover
- Consider short term and mid-long term measures
- Vitalize your staffs —Build team work
 - Secure cash flow

Ask for outside assistance (from business partners)

Continuity & Recovery Strategies

Plan and Implement WHERE and HOW you should resume Priority Business

- **Option 1:** Resume at the **damaged/affected site**.
- **Option 2:** Resume at an alternate site (either in-house or external facility)
- Option 3: Resume by alternate methods

(or workaround methods)

You can combine any of above options for your BC Strategies. It is preferable you would prepare both Option 1 & 2.

Option 1: Resume Priority Business at the damaged/affected site

- Restore damaged resources
 - Buildings and equipment/machinery
- Estimate how soon essential services will be able to use
 - Electricity, gas, and water
 - Communication network

Option 2: Resume Priority Business at an alternate site

 The alternate site should be far enough away to be undamaged by the same disaster

Damaged

- All necessary resources, such as buildings, equipment, machinery, and essential services be available at this site
- Consider how to transport your workforce, materials, and parts to this location

Option 2: Resume Priority Business at an alternate site

- This option can be combined with both concepts 1 and 2 above
- For example...
 - Keep older equipment as reserve
 - Manual labor to replace disrupted IT system
- Identify if you need any assistance from external partners

BCP key points to consider (by industry)

- Manufacturing
- ICT
- Logistics (Transport, warehouse)
- Construction
- Whole sale
- Service

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Key points : Manufacturing

Your company in long supply chain -Review of suppliers and stock plans Enhance capability to recover the critical assets -expand staff's capability (inspection, repair) -strengthen outside network for emergency response Pre-disaster measures (prevention & mitigation)

- staffs, equipment etc.

Train employees for multi roles and expertise Standardize equipment with reserve/back-up equipment Consider and prepare for alternate site recovery Arrange alternate operation by outside partners Prepare for emergency when social infrastructure disrupted

Key points : ICT

Demanding short time recovery (ex. a few hours)

– ASP, IT support business

IT system disruption recovery measures

- duplicate system, data back-up

Switch to alternate system in not-affected site

Prepare for a disaster scenario when you cannot use the main building

If an alternate site recovery is not feasible to your company,

- utilize cloud services
- alternate process (ex;manual works)
- use home as alternate site

When staffs work At the customer's site,

- follow the customers Disaster Plans
- safety confirmation



- respond to the client emergency requests of additional staffs

Key points : Logistics

Social mission to support social life and industries.

Need to respond to requests from local authorities for emergency

- disaster support agreement

Emergency response vs. Normal time business

- Prioritization and need to balancing the two

Most appropriate resource allocation judgment
Recovery Time Objectives(RTO) vary by characteristics of goods
Safety confirmation of drivers and trucks - cargo damage survey
Secure fuel, means of communication,
Emergency communication with clients
Guidance to drivers at emergency
Support arrangements with companies in other territories

Key points : Construction

- Response to two businesses
 - (1) Normal time projects in process
 - Emergency response to requests from local authorities
- Client maintenance services
 - Respond to the facilities of your clients
 - Damage survey and safety confirmation of buildings
 - Respond to requests to dispatch experts to the sites
- Prioritization of tasks at emergency
 - Appropriate allocation of limited resources
 - Secure necessary equipment and other materials

Key points : Wholesales

Wholesale as hub of supply chain

order management between producers and buyers alternate purchase arrangement if supplies are stopped delivery management

Emergency communication with partners in supply chain Secure communication

IT System recovery – back up system or alternate method

Multi-layered logistic network

Key points : Service

Wide variety of business

Common key resources = People

Emergency response policy, procedures, safety confirmation

Secure alternate staffs and train specialists

Prior arrangement with clients for disasters

- Emergency response, BCP
- Back-up of operations
- securing clients' assets in custody



- secure support from business partners

Prepare for increasing tasks at disaster



Case Study - Manufacturing

- Manufacturer of plastic parts
- Clients: for automobiles, light electric appliances, heavy electric equipment and computer/communication equipment.
- 30 employees
- priority business is plastic molding and manufactures plastic parts.
- The necessary resources:
 - molding machines and other equipment,
 - die and mold,
 - Materials
 - staffs (operators).

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Case Study - Manufacturing

loss scenario

- the Northern Tokyo Bay Earthquake
- intensity up to the level 6
- the main factory is severely damaged and not be operational.
- finished goods and work in process are damaged.
- Some of the key plastic molding machines may be damaged.
 Many employees could not come to work.

Form 4-2 Resource Damage Estimate Sheet

	Risk	Northern Tokyo Bay Earthquake		Assumed recovery period						Need measures
Assumed da	mage	E/Q Intensity Lv5 (+) hits the region. The company sustains damages to various resources which disrupts its operation.		Day (shown by graph)						
Necessary r	esources	Damage		3 ds	1 wks.	2 wks.	1 mo	2 mos.	3 mos.	
	Building	Main factory – no damage to the structure, but walls crack ,ceiling fall, pipeing damaged	25				ſ			O
	Equipment / Machinery	no severe damage but machines moves and need adjustments	30				Î			O
Internal	Inventory	finished products and materials fall from shelves	30				Î			O
Resources	People	30% staffs can not come to work	2	Δ						
	IT System	IT servers fall	10		Ų					
1	Fund									
	(other)									
	Electricity	disrupted for one day	1	♪						
	Gas						_			
Essential Social	Water	no disruption				R	ecover	y time		
Services	Phone Communication	disrupted for one day	1	₽		obje	ective : 2 weeks			
1	Traffic / Roads	no disruption								
	(other)									
	Direct suppliers	material supplies may stop for 2-4 weeks	14.30			>	>			0
Supply	2nd, 3rd Suppliers	material supplies may stop for 2-4 weeks	14-30			>	>	-		0
	Customer									
	(other)	repair companies of molding machines may delay to respond	10							0



Case Study - Manufacturing

BCP Strategies

Post Disaster – Damage investigation

- Damage investigation plan priority area of equipment to check
- Check if repairable by staff or
- outside repairer should be called

•Recovery at damaged site (option 1)

- Recovery timeline plan specifying staffs in charge (alternate)
- Staff's capability list –bottleneck of specialist staffs
- Training program for back-up staffs

Recovery at alternative site (option 2)

- Setting up production at alternate site
- Transport die and mold, tools, materials
- Collection of information for transport

Priority	Strategy Outline	Activities to Resume	Key Resources (bottleneck resources)	Necessary External Partners		
Strategy 1	Resume at the damaged/a	affected site				
	Resume Prioritized	1. Damage survey and repair	1. Main factory building	1. Molding machine repairer		
	Activity at the damaged	time estimate	2. Molding machines	2. Material suppliers		
	Main Factory if repair	2. Building repair	3. Mold and die	3. Electricity company		
	within RTO deadline is	3. Damaged machines repair	4. Materials			
	considered possible	(order to the outside	5. Operators			
1		companies if necessary	6. Electricity			
		4. Secure materials				
		5. Secure utilities				
		6. Secure enough operations				
		and other staffs				



Priority	Strategy Outline	Activities to Resume (bottleneck resources)					Necessary External Partners
Strategy 2	Resume at an alternate si	te					
	Resume Prioritized	1.	Secure all necessary	1.	Alternate site building	1.	Transporting company
	Activity at the alternate		resources (including	2.	Molding machines	2.	Molding machine company
	site if the damaged Main		utilities) at the alternate site	3.	Mold and die	4.	Material suppliers
0	Factory is not back to	2.	Prepare the building and	4.	Materials	5.	Electricity company
2	operation within RTO		utilities ready	5.	Operators		
	deadline	3.	Prepare alternate machines	6.	Electricity		
			or transport machines to the	7.	Trucks or other		
			alternate site.		transporting means		
		4.	Transport mold and die,				
			other tools, and materials				
		5.	Secure transporting means,				
		6.	Accommodation for staffs				
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Form 7-2 BC Strategy Planning Sheet

[Strategy No.1: Resumption at the damaged site]

Pric	oritized Activity		Strategy Outline				
Automobil parts	le and electric app.	Strategy No1 = resume at th	Strategy No1 = resume at the damaged Main Factory				
Categori es	Resources	What's to be done / needed	Details of Measures	To be do Short term	one by when Mid-Long Term	Dept. in charge	
	Building	Improve earthquake resistant levels	Reinforcement of building	x	x	Facility Dept.	
	Equipment / Machinery	Minimize possible damage and down time	1.Fix the machines toprevent from fall over2.Makepre-disasteragreementtosecureoutside repair services	x	X (outside agreement)	Production Dept.	
Internal Resource s	Stock.	Minimize damage from fall-over	1. Changestorageshelvestopreventfall-over2. Emergency stocks	x		Production Dept.	
	People	Identify key skilled worker and back-up staffs	 Make a list of staff capability list Assign back-up staff Make cross training plans 	X (1,2)	X (3)	Production and HR Dept	
	IT System	Minimize possible damage and arrange back-up data	1. Install restraint to prevent fall-over	x		IT Dept.	

Internal Resource	IT System	Minimize possible damage and arrange back-up data	1. Install restraint to prevent fall-over	x		IT Dept.
		and system	-			
S	(others)					
	Electricity/Gas/Wate	Check how soon services				Facility Dept.
	r	will be back		X		
Essentia	Phone/	Check how soon services		x		Facility Dept.
1 Social	Communication	will be back				
Services	Traffic / Roads	Check possible damage or	Identify the alternate	x		Logistics Dept.
		congestions at emergency	routes			
	(others)					
	Cumlian	Secure material supplies	Make agreement with		X	Purchase
	Suppliers		supplies		A	Dept.
Outside Partners	Customer					
Parulets		Secure machine repair	Secure quick dispatch	.		Production
	others	services	form repairers	X		Dept.
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Priorit	tized Activity		Strategy Outline		
Automobile parts	and electric app.	Strategy No.2 = resume at	the alternate site		
				To be done by whe	n
Categories	Resources	What's to be done /	Details of Measures	Mid	Department in
Oalegories	Tresources	needed		Short Long	charge
				term Tern	ι
	Building	1. Secure alternate	1. Prepare the alternate site for	X	Facility Dept.
		building	production		
		2. Install necessary	2. Prepare all necessary		
		utilities and other	utilities		
		services			
	Equipment /	1. Install key machines	1. Make a production re-start	X	Production
	Machinery	or	plan at the alternate site		Dept.
Internal		2. Make transportation	2. Make all necessary resources		
Resources		plan of them	to be transported from the		
100001000		3. Secure mold and die,	damage site		
		other tools			
	Stock.	Secure necessary stock of	1. Make an agreement with	X	Purchase
		materials	material suppliers to deliver at		Dept.
			the alternate site.		
	People	1. Secure necessary	1. Make a list of staff with		
		number of staffs by	capabilities		
		expertise	2. Assign back-up staffs for		
		2. Make staffs transport	necessary skills		

[Strategy No.2:Resumption at the alternate site]

		plan.	3. Make cross-training plans to				1
			educate staffs to be able to				
			take over other duties				
	IT System	Secure necessary IT	Make start-up plan at the	x		IT Dept.	
		hardware at the	alternate site				
		alternate site					
	(others)						
	Electricity/Gas/W	Secure services	Prepare a plan to activate	X		Facility Dept.	
	ater	Or plan of activation	services for restarting				
		when needed	production				2
Essential	Phone/	Secure services		X		Facility Dept.	
Social	Communication	Or plan of activation					
Services		when needed					26
	Traffic / Roads	Make alternate route		X		Facility Dept.	
		transportation					
	(others)						72
	Suppliers	1. Secure materials at	Make prior agreement with		X	Purchase	
		the alternate site	suppliers			Dept.	9
		2. Make transport plan					20
Outside		of stocks and supplies					5 7
Partners							
	Customer						D .
	(others)	Secure machine services	Make prior agreement with	X		Production	
		at the alternate site	repairs			Dept.	

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Case Study - ICT

- ASP (Application Service Provider) = priority business
- 23 employees, including part time workers.
- Key resources: computer servers at data center, in-house computer servers, and staffs.
- the Northern Tokyo Bay Earthquake as the first priority risk
- Ioss scenario :
 - the Northern Tokyo Bay Earthquake may occur at non-business hours,
 - more than half of employees cannot come to the office.
 - half of ASP computer servers at datacenter and all in-house computer servers could are broken

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Summary of main BCP strategies

•Fixation of cabinets

•Sparing a way for evacuation in the office

- •Review of layout of sever room
- •Transferring in-house servers to datacenter

 Making rules of operation at the place that has electric power and communication tools

Making rules of operation at datacenter

Making rules of operation of switching in-house computer systems to back-up datacenter



newspaper transport company

♦ over 100 employees and about 90 trucks.

♦ top priority is transporting their newspapers under all circumstances.

social responsibility to deliver newspapers everyday

the Northern Tokyo Bay Earthquake

•loss scenarios:

•40% of staff cannot come to work

•Headquarters is not usable

•communication failure (cannot communicate with truck drivers)

•a lack of sufficient gasoline for the trucks.

•only 50% of 90 trucks are able to arrive at newspapers' printing facilities.

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Case Study - Logistics

BC Strategies:

- •Emergency response for drivers
 - All drivers should to the printing factories

Discussion to Secure reserve gasoline for trucks with the newspaper company

- Fuel tanks at the newspaper company premise

Summary of main BCP strategies

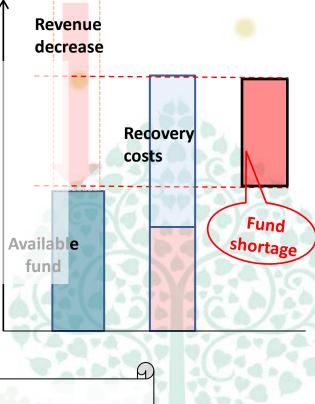
- •Preparation of a list of the truck drivers' email addresses.
- •Procuring battery chargers for cell phones in all trucks
- •Develop emergency procedures for driver
- •Build fuel tanks on the premises of newspapers' printing facilities

Step 8 : Be Financially Prepared

Know your financial condition during business disruption

- How much revenue will decrease ?
- How much available fund you have?
- How recovery costs to recover your business?
- How much ordinary cost to pay?
- How much fund shortage to make up?

Grasp your cash flow during disruption period. Prepare financially in advance



How much available fund you have?

Form 8-1 Available Fund (sample)

Туре	Amount
Cash and Deposits	200,000
Insurance	100,000
others	50,000
Available Funds (A)	35 0,00 0



How much costs to recover ?

Form 8-2 Recovery Costs

Recovery Cost	Amount
Building	50,000
Equipment and machinery	50,000
Fixtures and fittings	20,000
Inventory	30,000
Total Recovery Costs (B)	150,000

How much ordinary cost to pay?

Form 8-3 Ordinary Expenditures

Ordinary Expenditure	Amount
Payroll	140,000
Purchased supplies	30,000
Rent	10,000
Payment due	100,000
Total Ordinary Expenditures (C)	280,000

Form 8-4 Financial Status Sheet

Available Funds (A)	350,000
Recovery Costs (B)	150,000
Ordinary Expenditures (C)	280,000
Balance (=A-B-C)	(-) 80,000

Form 8-5 Financial Measures

Financial Measures	Amount	Detail
Emergency bank loan	50,000	Prior application
Local government aid	20,000	Check what aid program is eligible to the company in advance.
Other sources (borrowing from President)	10,000	
Total	80,000	

Group Work 2 Develop a BCP