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Optimization and compounding effect of element technology for Low-E packing

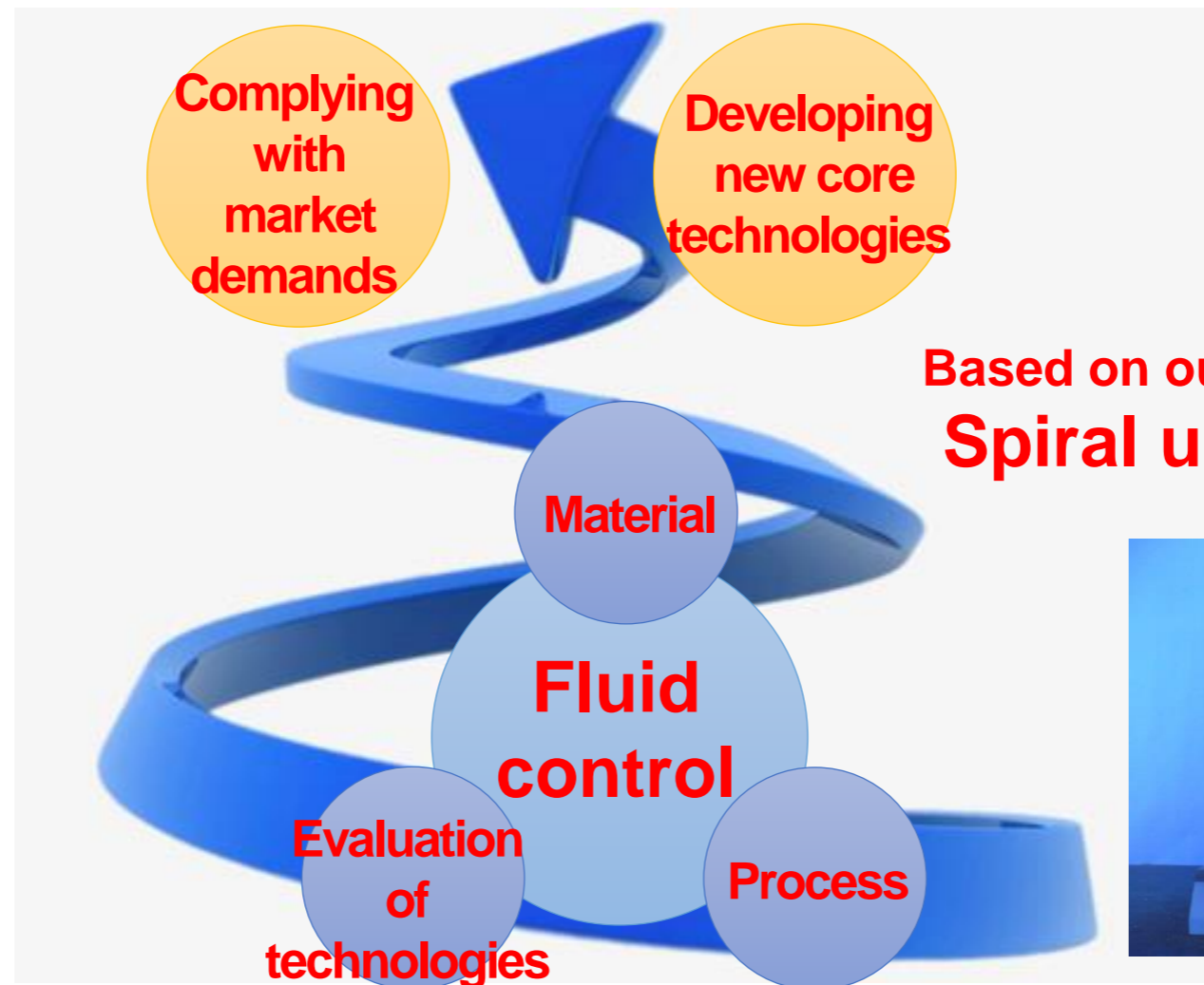
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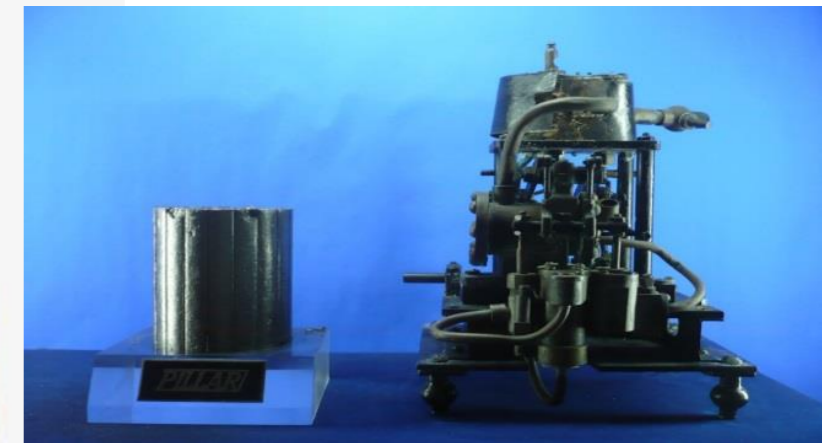
PILLAR Packing history

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95 years ago, the founder decided to establish Nippon Pillar to save sailors' life. Since then, we have devoted all of our efforts to R&D in order to innovate our packing products.



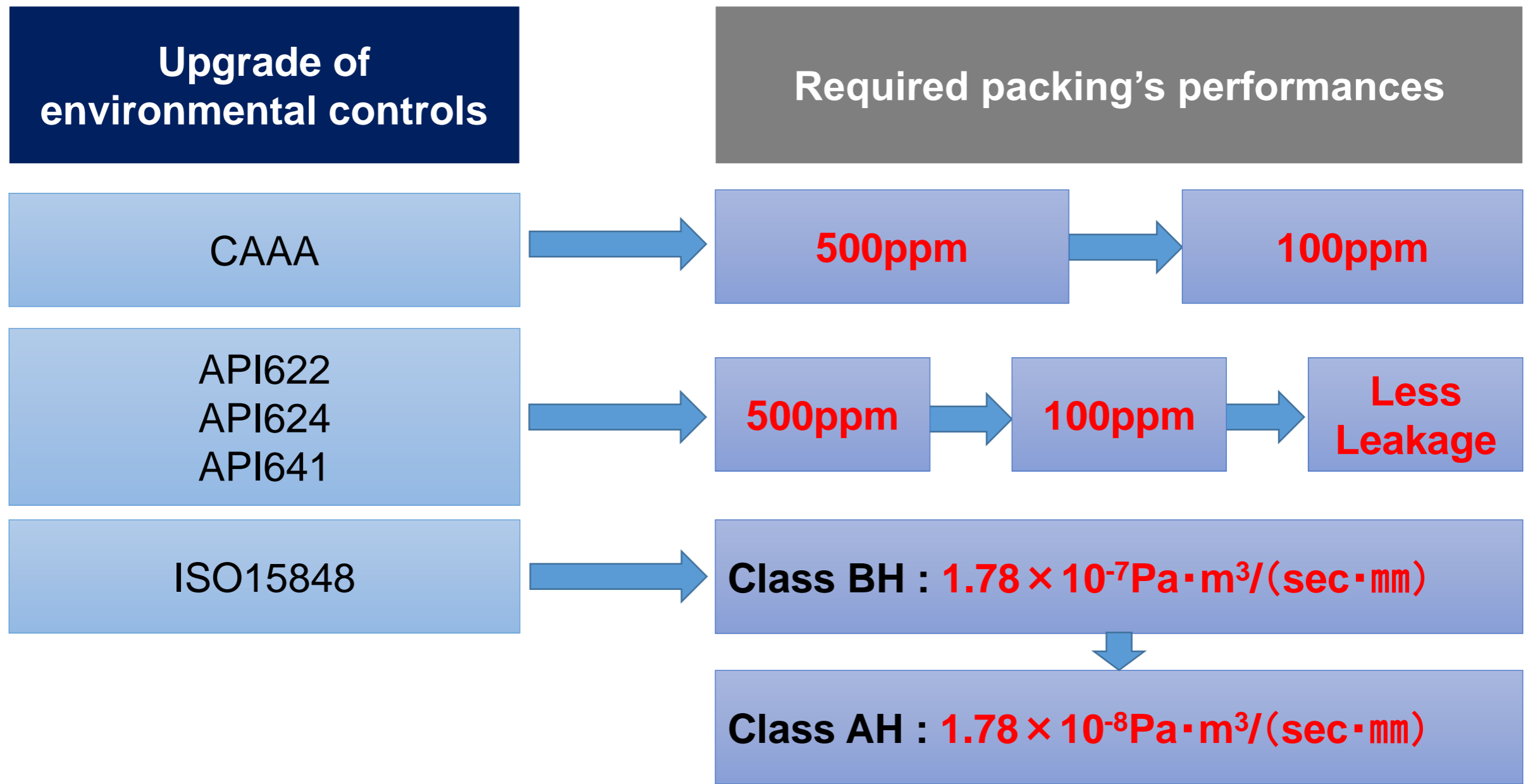
Based on our fluid control technology,
Spiral up to Further Leap !



- 1. Market Trends**
- 2. Our new challenges**
- 3. Optimization and compounding effect of element technology for Low-E packing**
- 4. Conclusion**

1. Market trends

1.1 Higher sealing performances are required by Environmental regulations



1. Market trends

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1.2 Expected packing performances

Market trends

- High temperature
- High pressure
- Long-term stability

Certified the Low-emission performance

Stable performance in different conditions at plant sites

✓ **High seal performance**

✓ **Long-term stability**

1. Sliding durability

2. Small stress relaxation

3. Less thermal weight loss

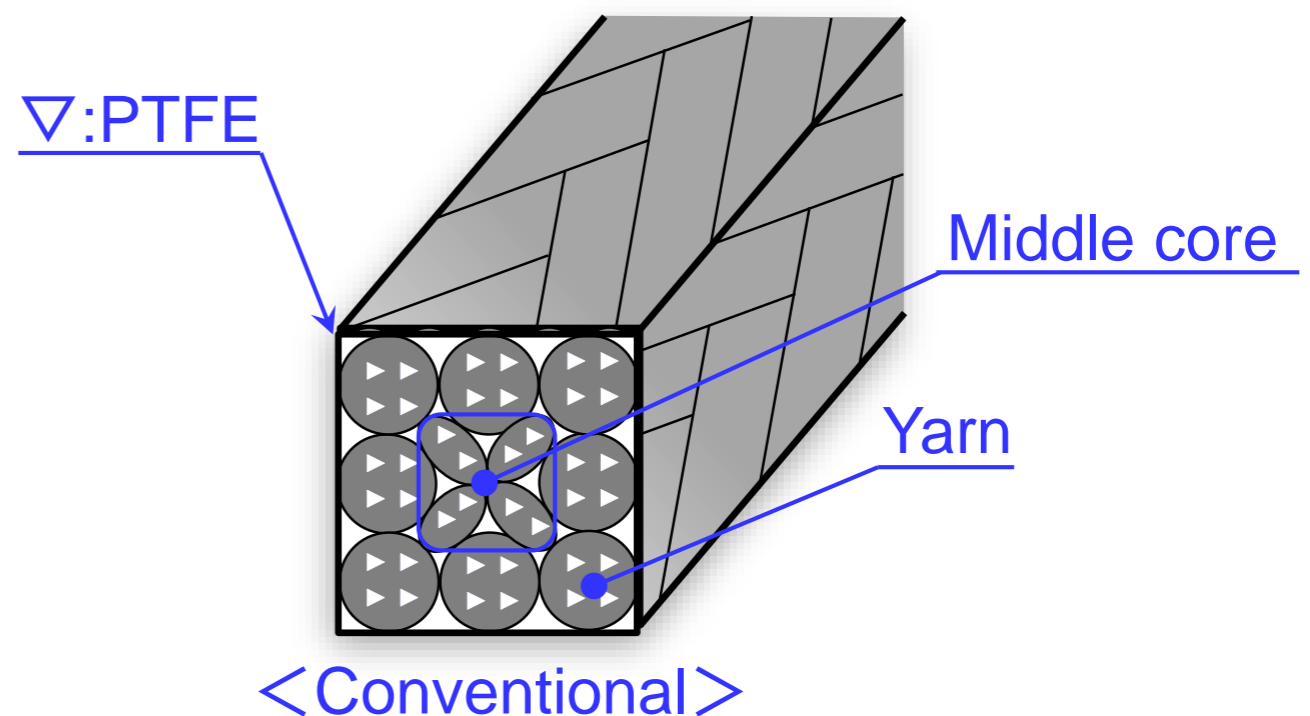
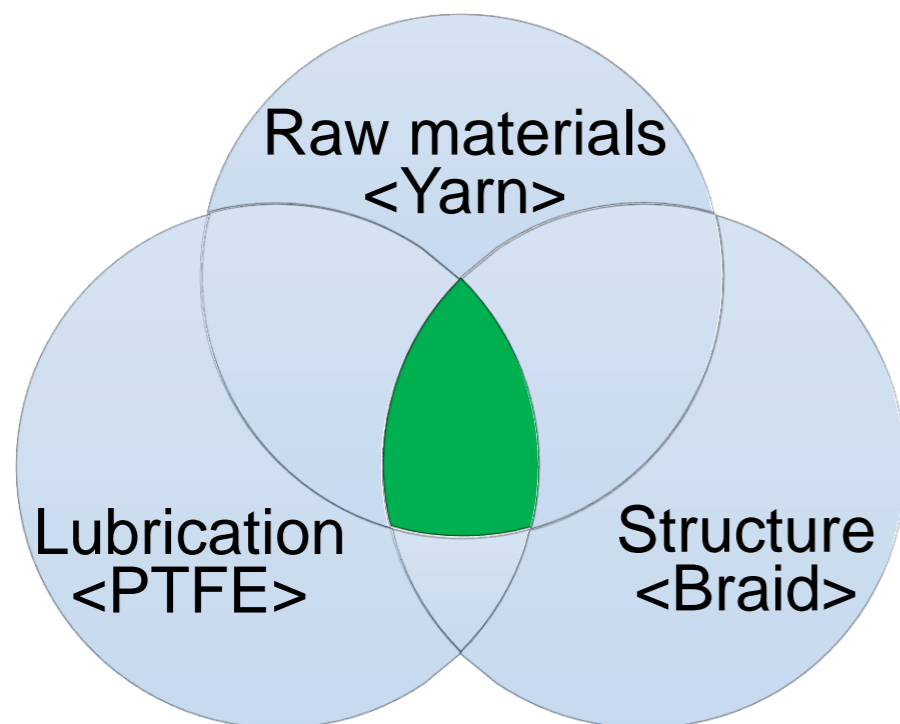
4. Small extrusions against valve clearance

Optimization And Compounding

Respond to stricter
environmental regulations

- ✓ High sealing performance
- ✓ Stable sliding performance

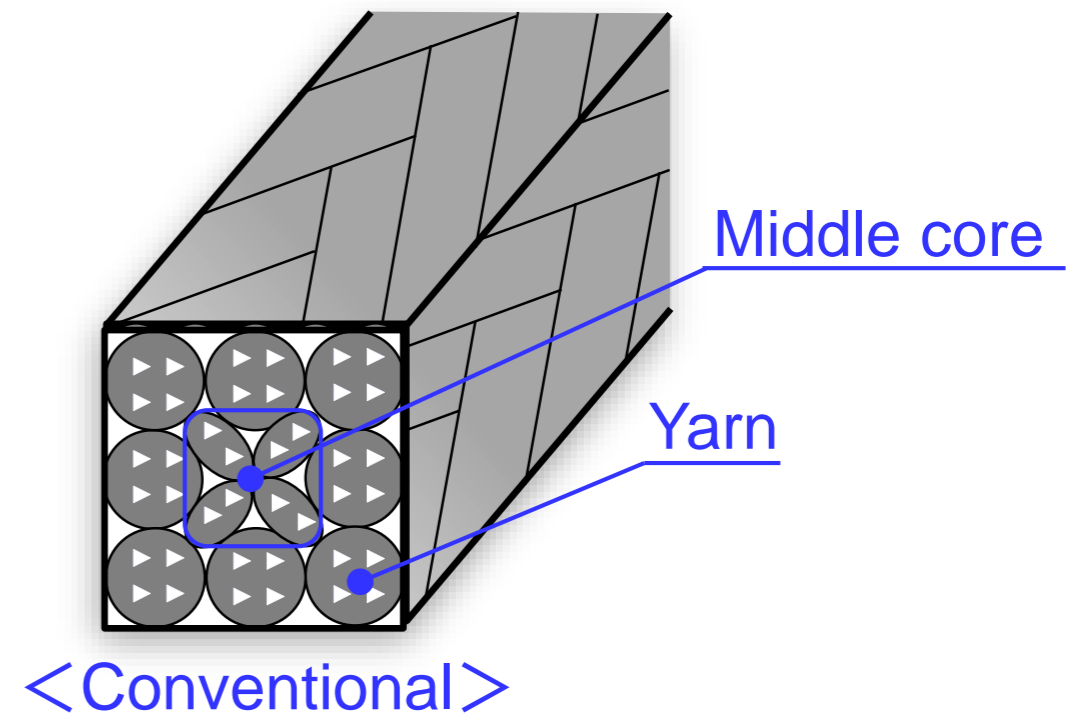
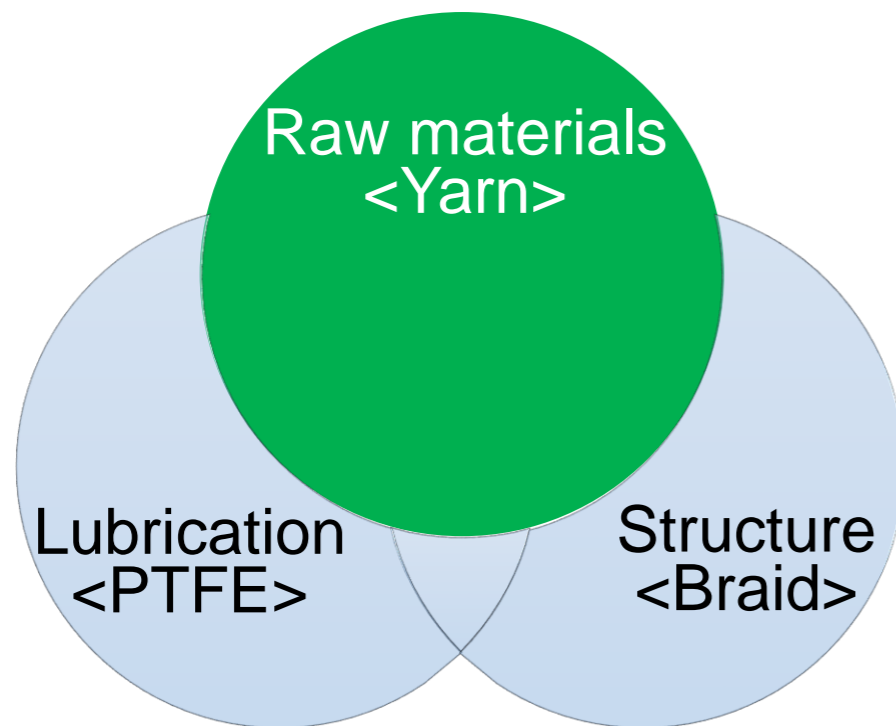
ISO15848 **Class AH CC1** @400°C



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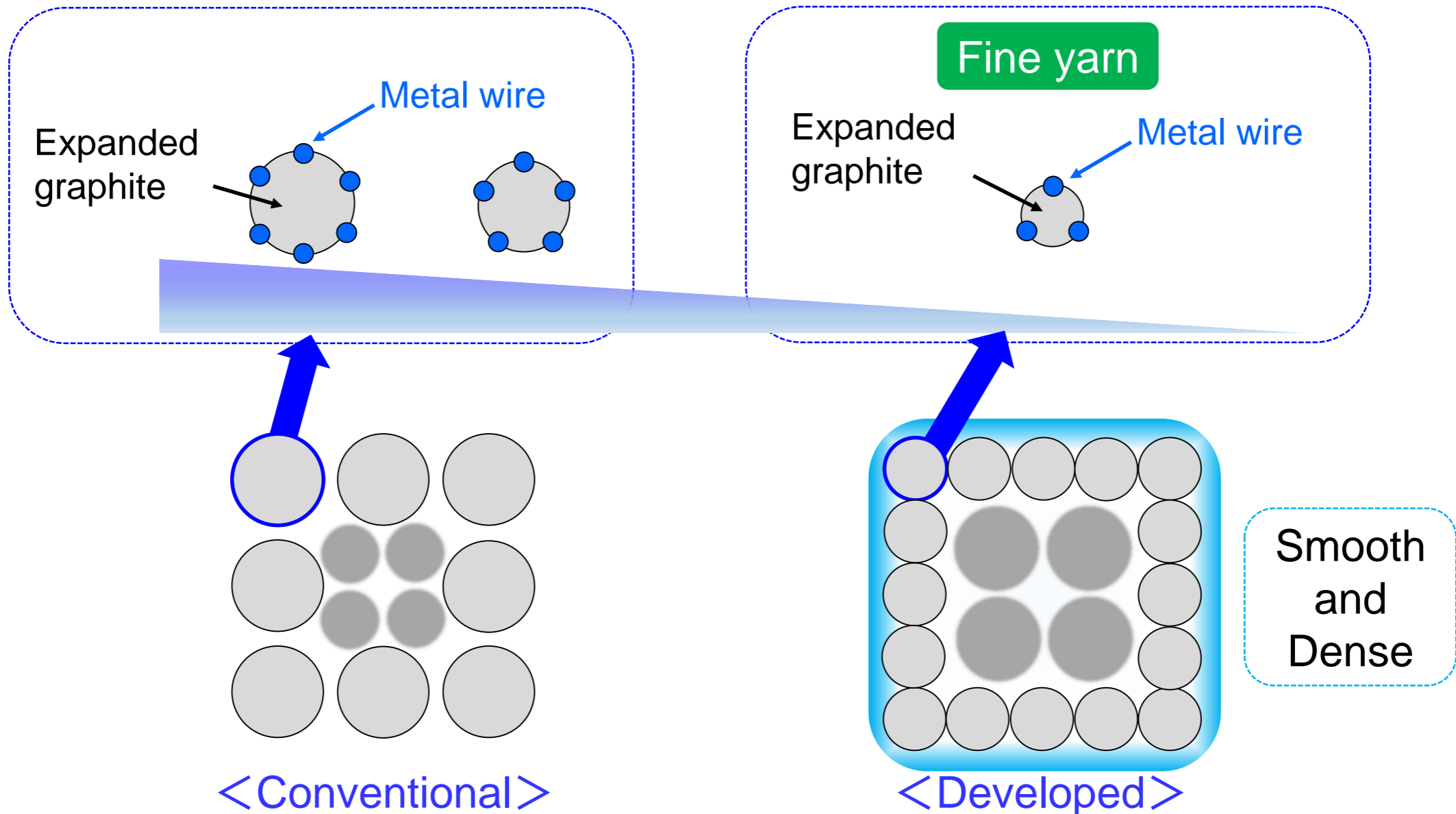
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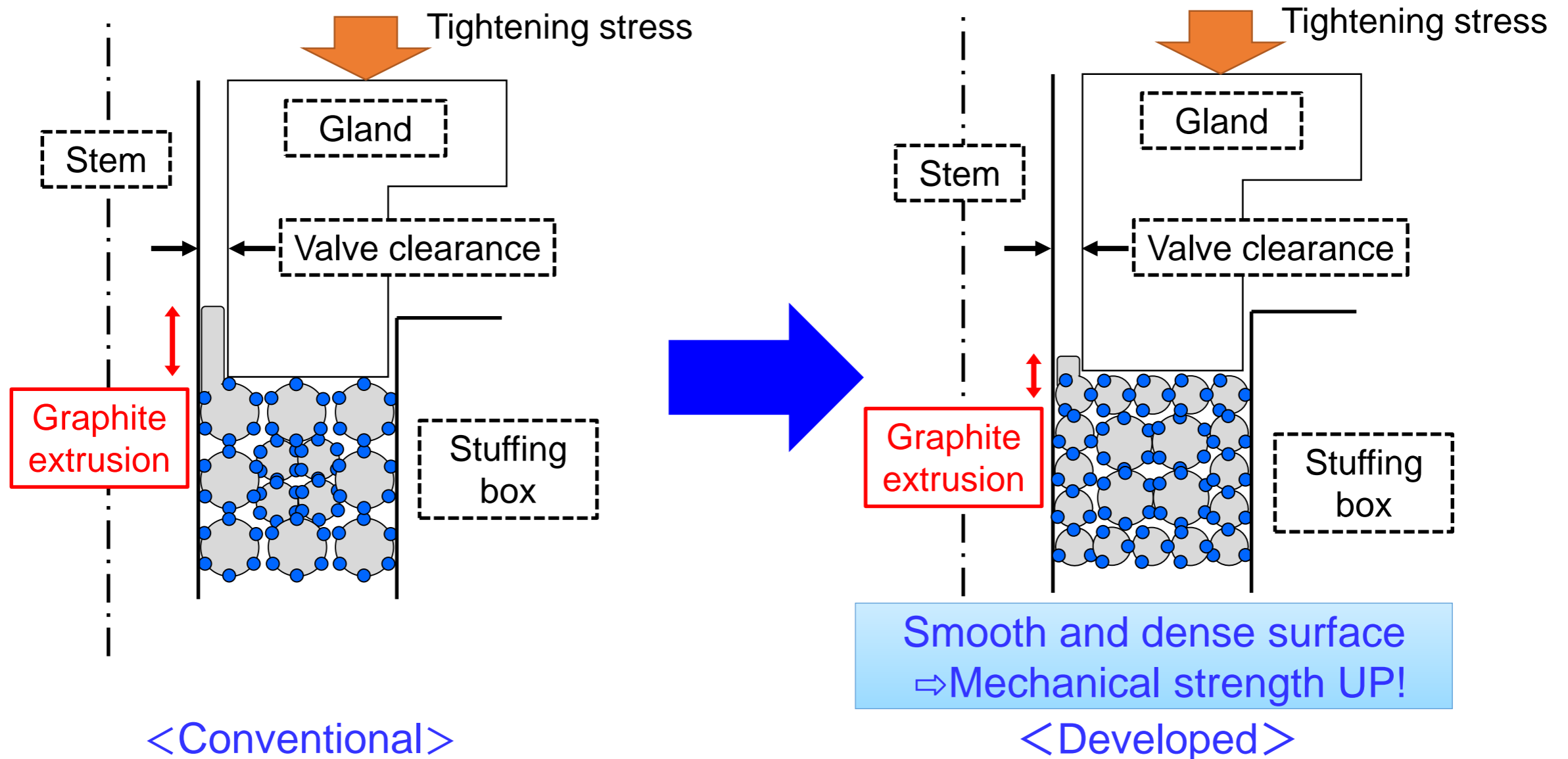
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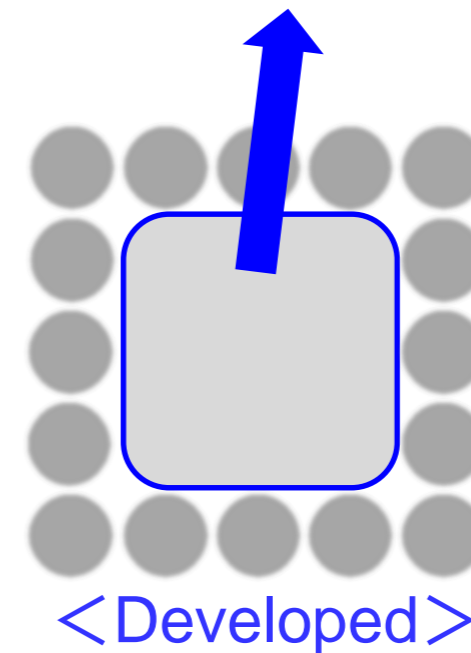
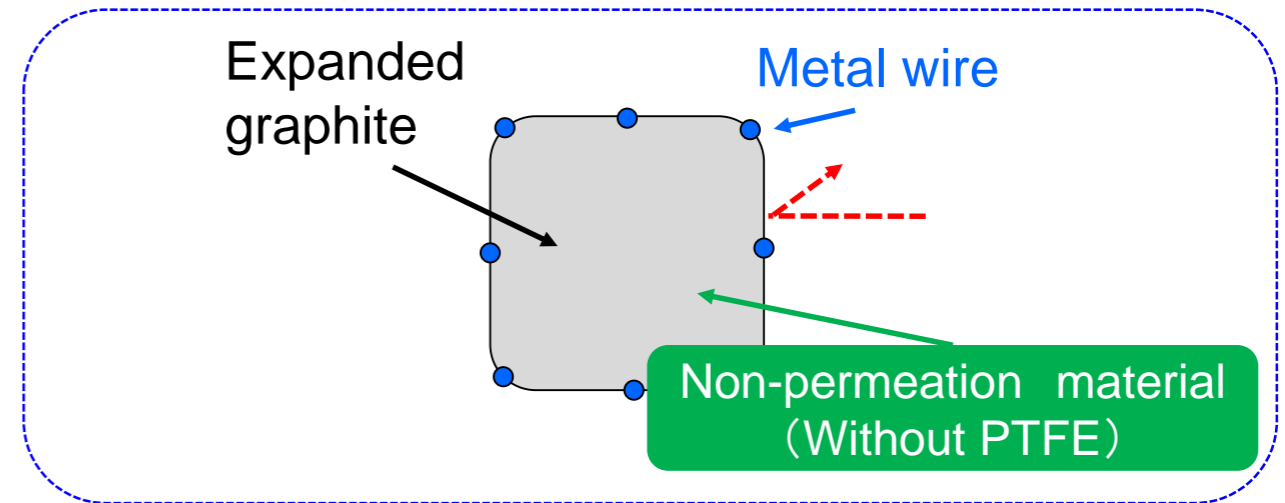
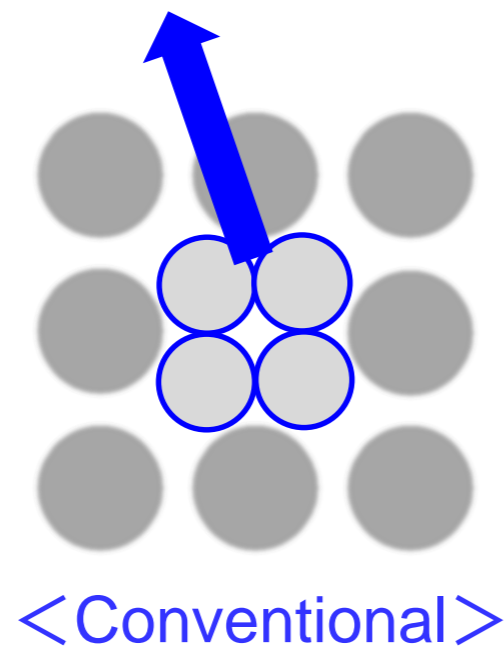
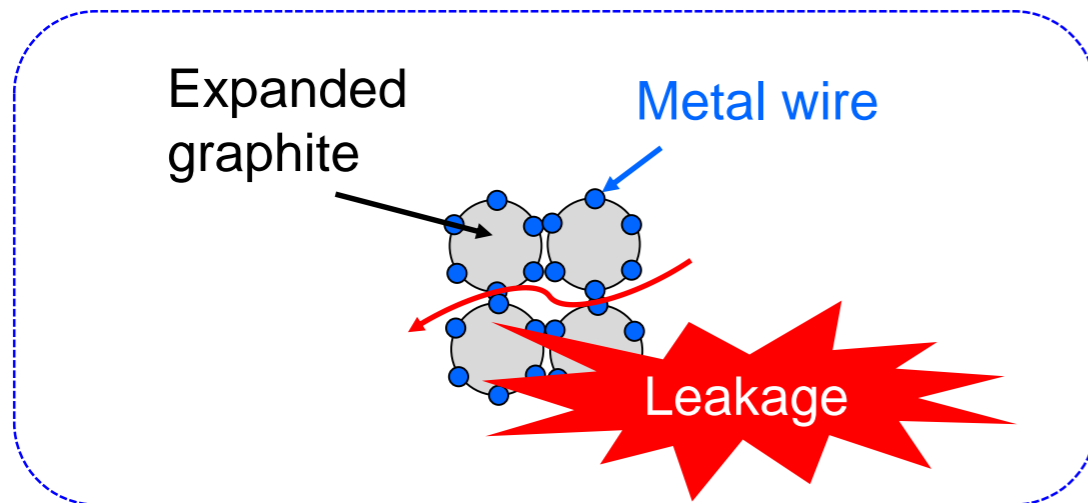
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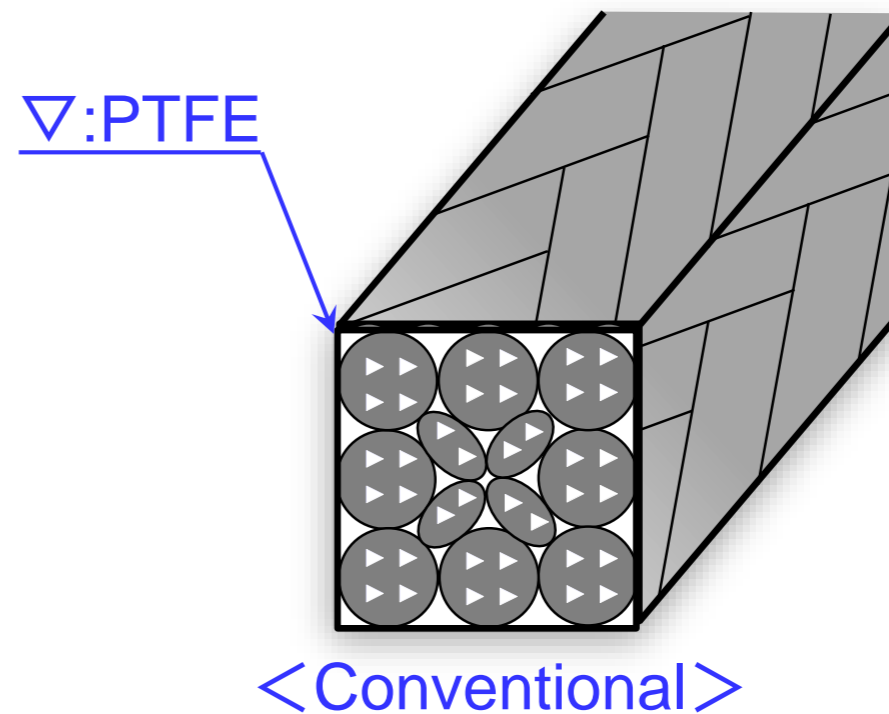
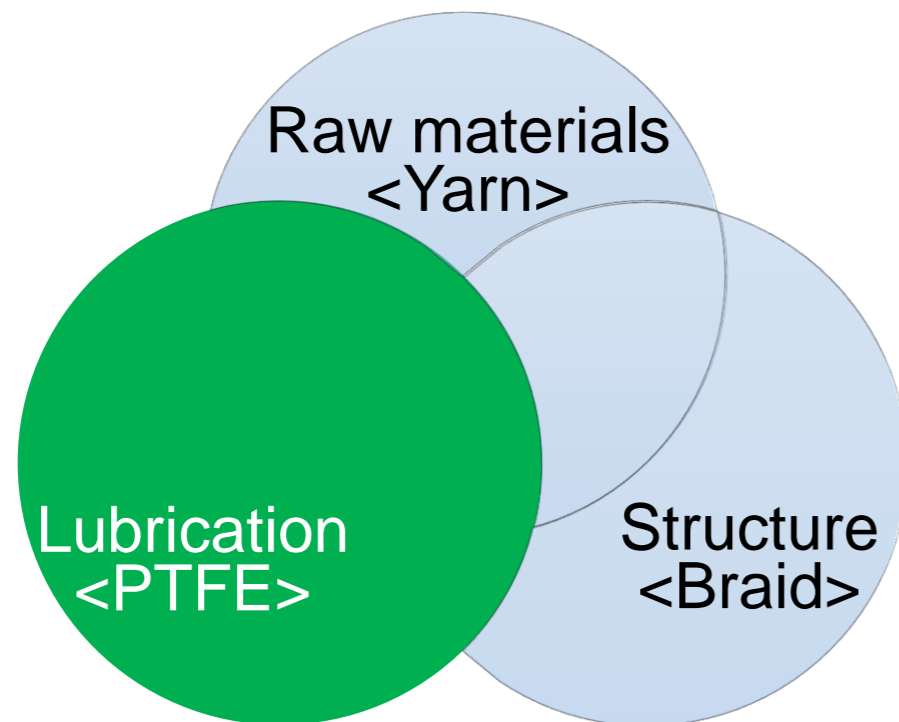
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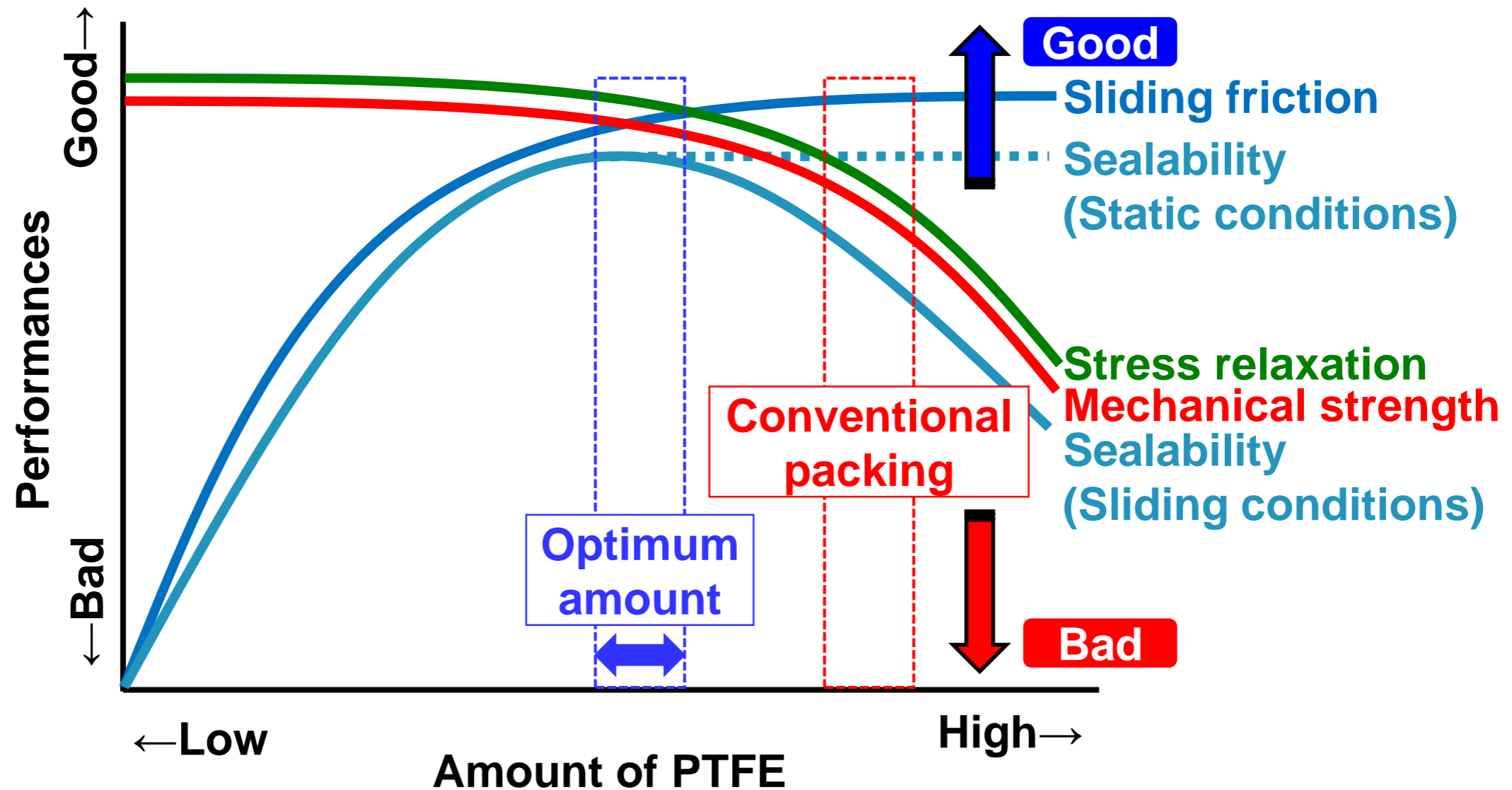
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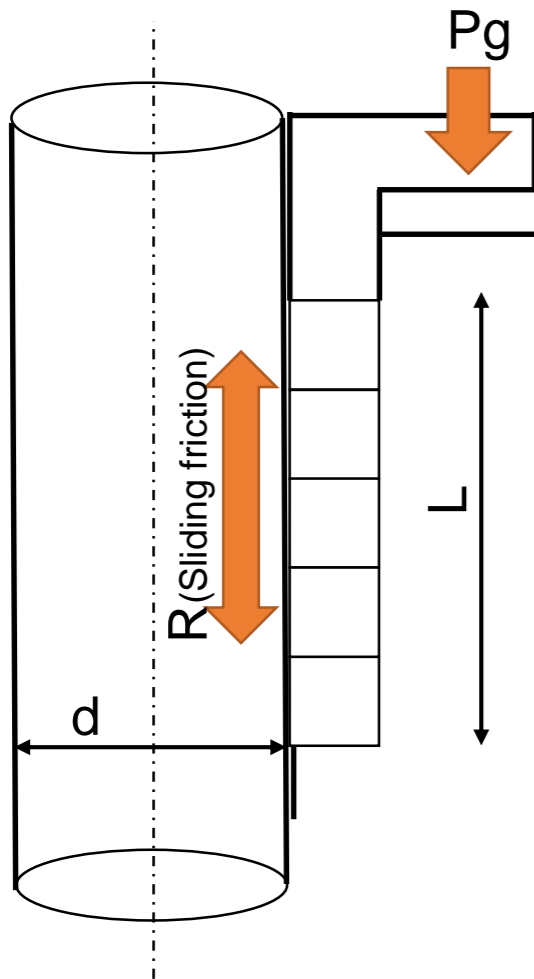
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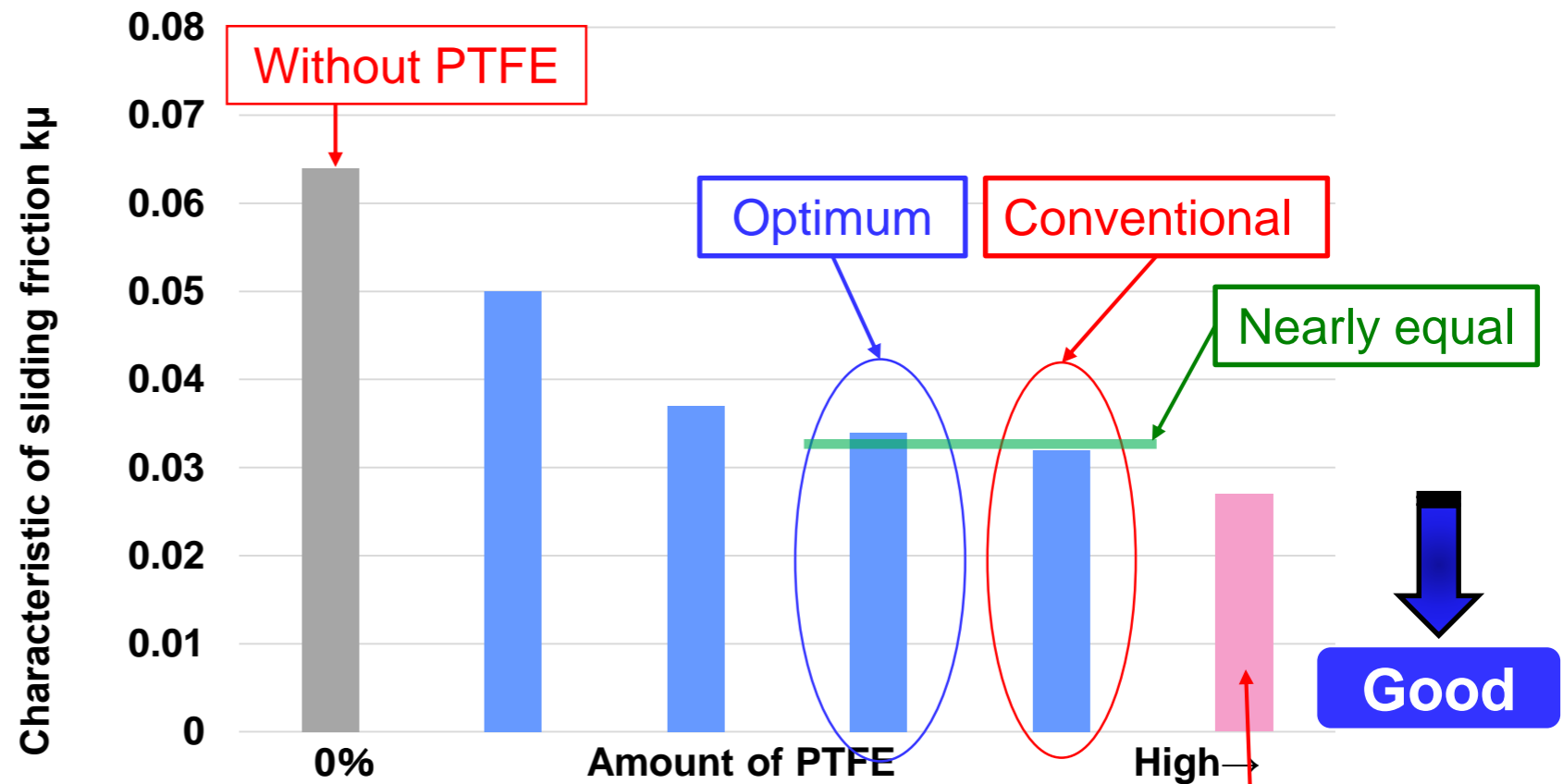
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3.2 Lubrication – Sliding friction



$$k\mu = R / (\pi \times d \times L \times Pg)$$

- $k\mu$: Coefficient of sliding friction
- R : Sliding frictional N
- d : Stem diameter mm
- L : Packing height mm
- Pg : Tightening stress N/mm^2



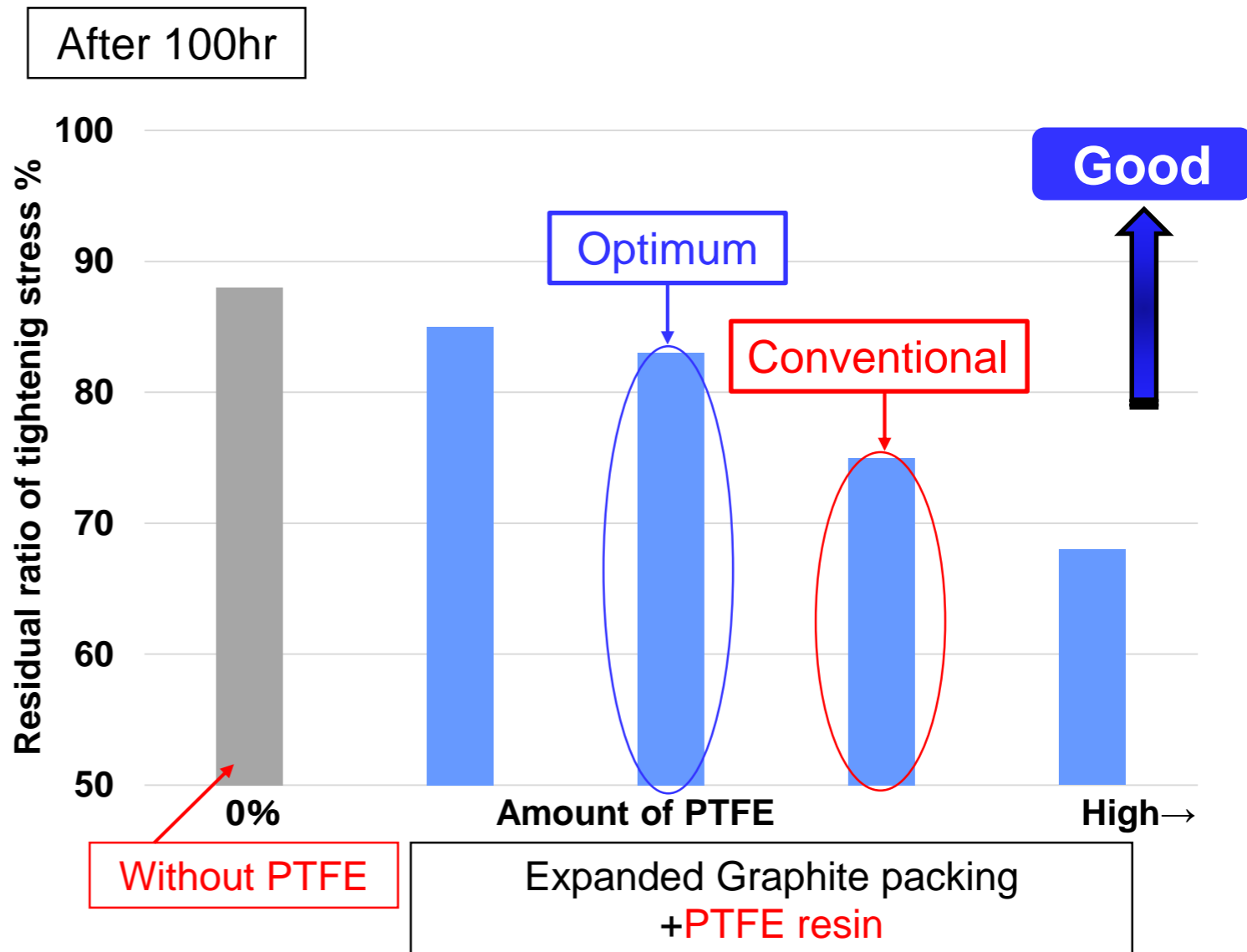
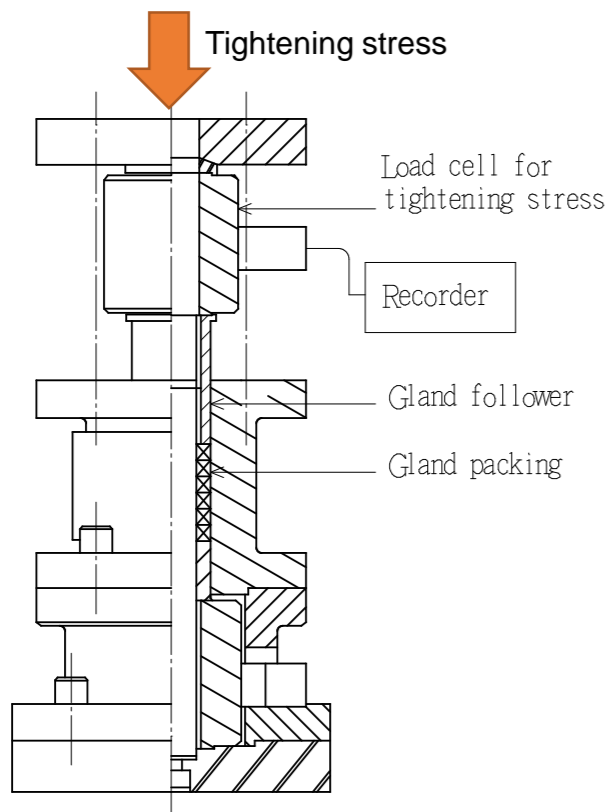
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3.2 Lubrication – Stress relaxation

[Test conditions]

Temperature	Ambient
Number of packing	6 rings
Time	100 hr

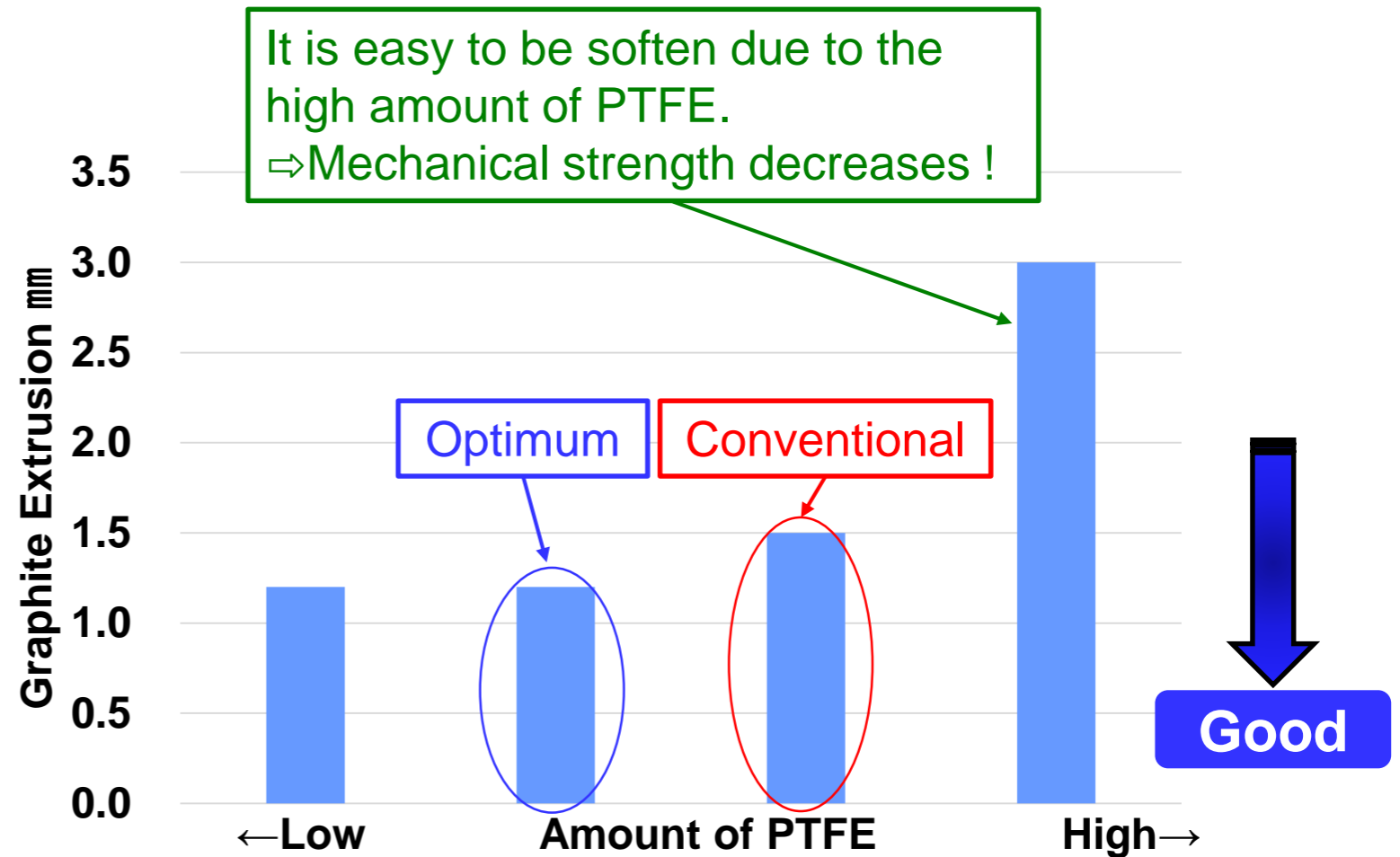
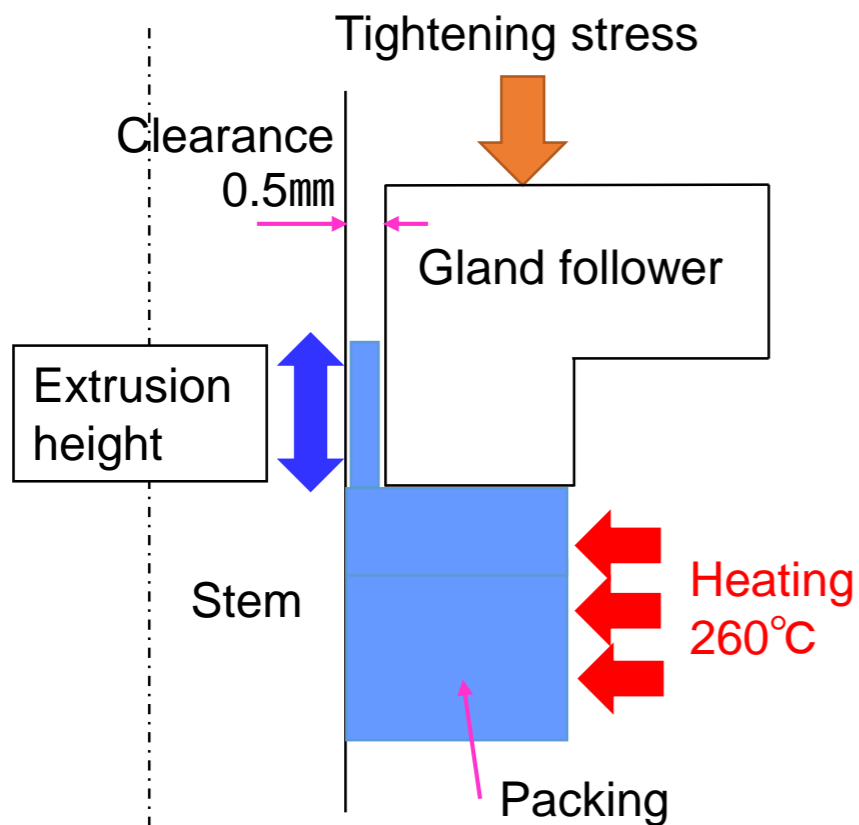


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3.2 Lubrication – Graphite extrusion

[Test conditions]

Temperature	260°C
Tightening stress	100N/mm ²

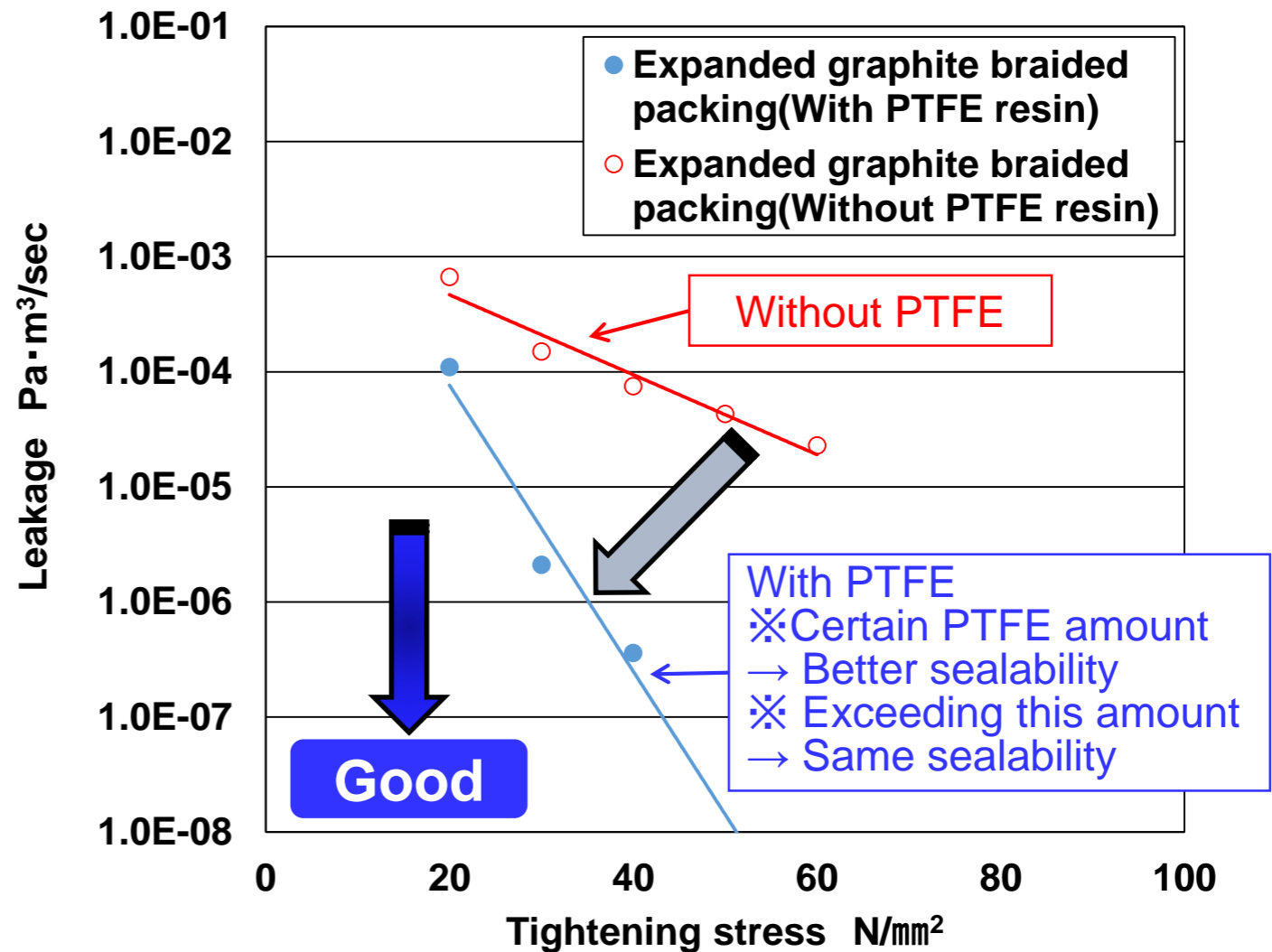
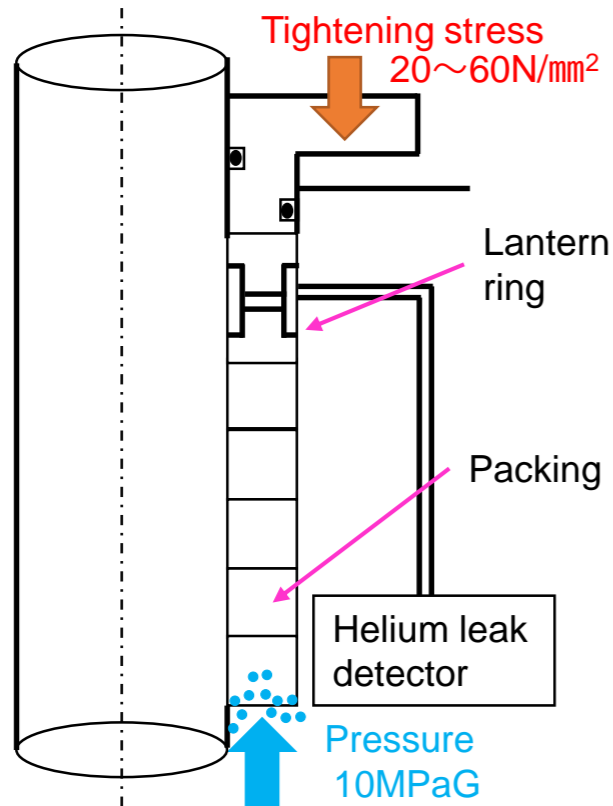


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3.2 Lubrication – Seal (static)

[Test conditions]

Fluid	99% Helium
Temperature	Ambient
Pressure	10MPaG
Stem diameter	30mm



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3.3 Structure <Braid> Compounding of element

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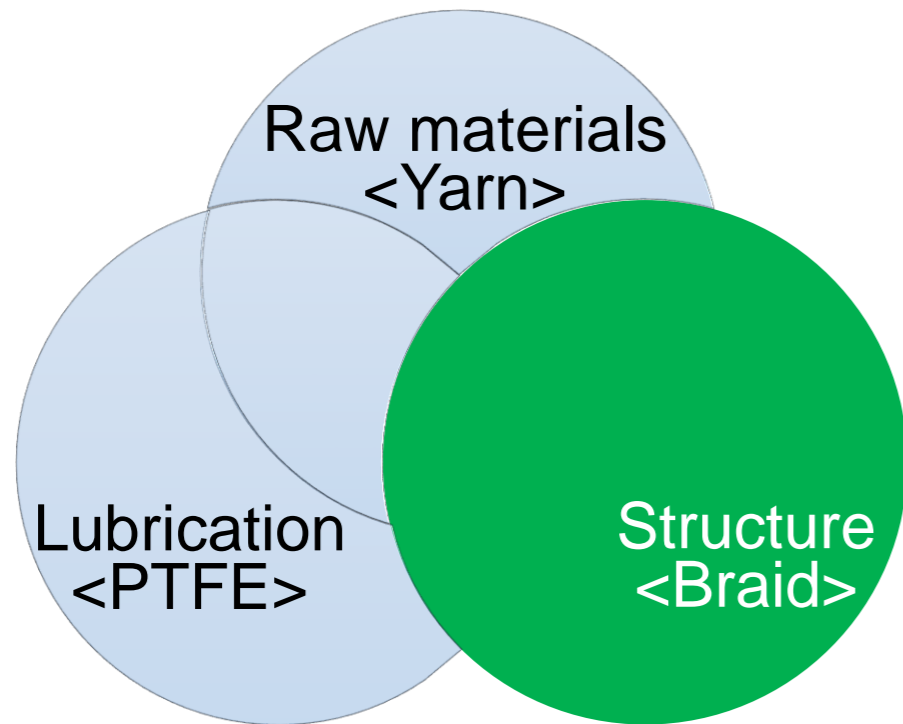
Decrease the amount of PTFE

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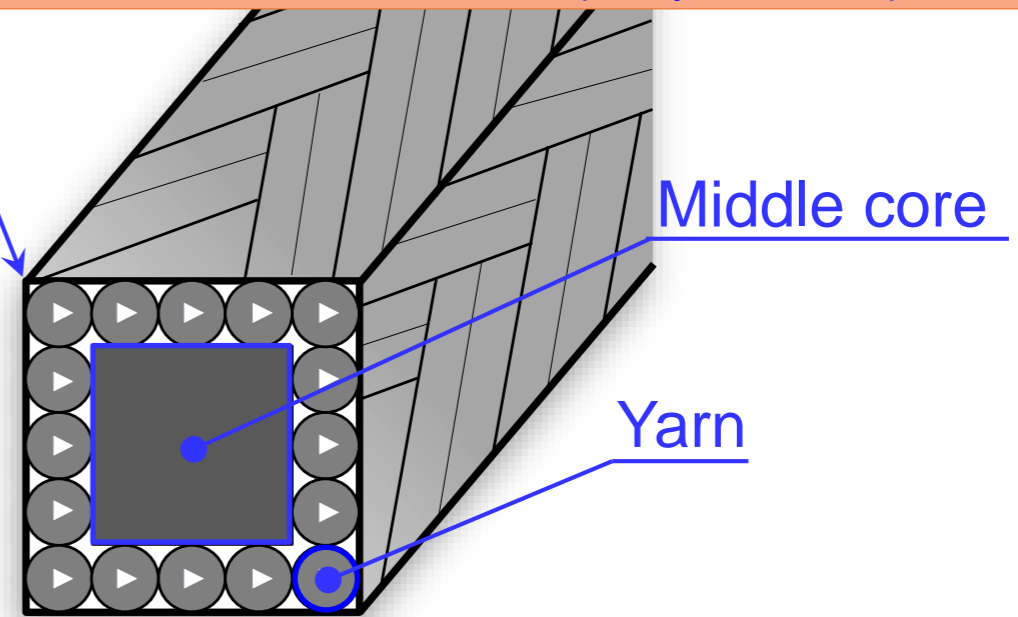
Dense and smooth surface

<Point 3>

Partial addition of PTFE (Only surface)



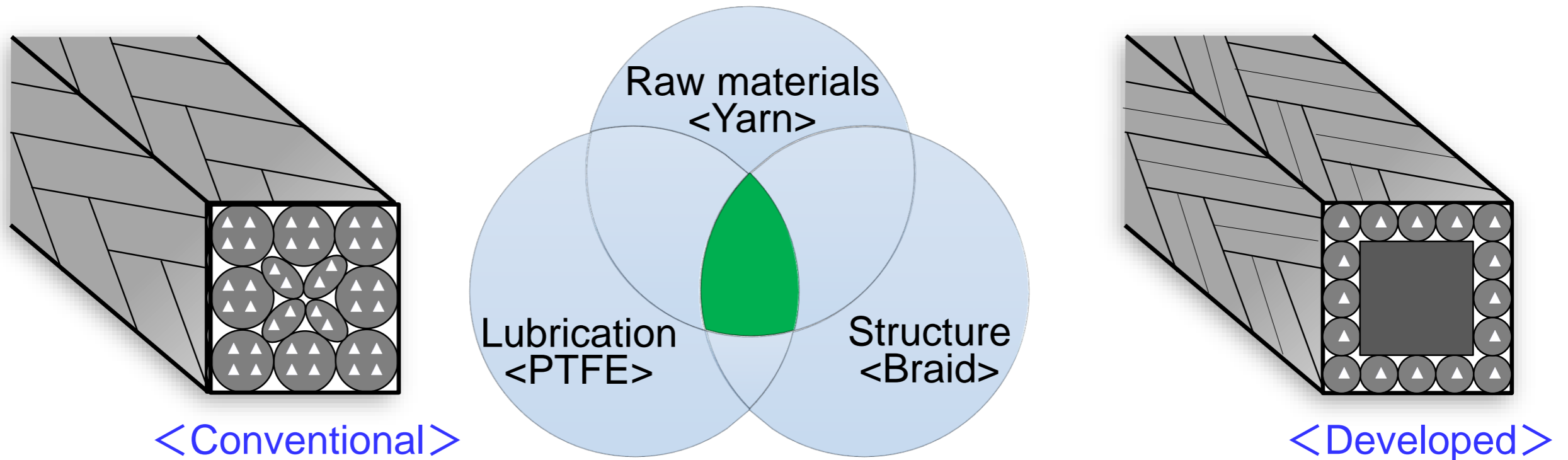
▽:PTFE



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3.4 Comparison of conventional packing and developed packing



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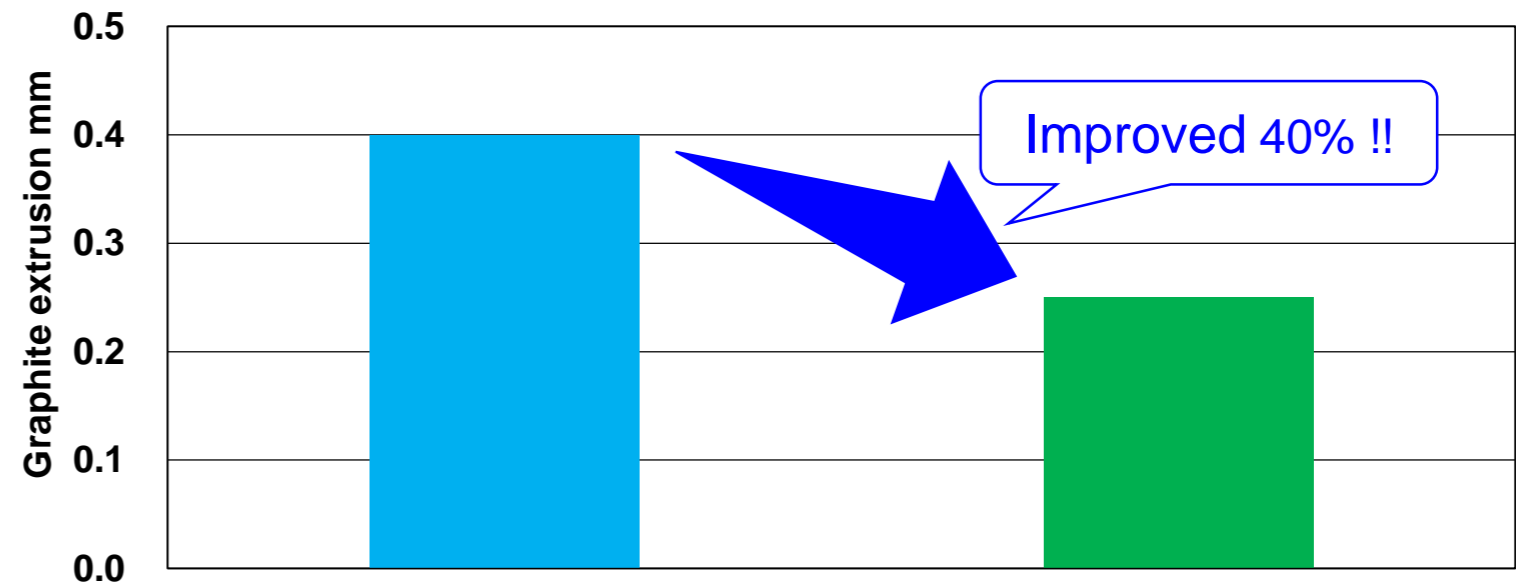
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3.4.1 Graphite extrusion

[Test conditions]

Temperature	Ambient
Tightening stress	100N/mm ²
Clearance diameter	0.7mm

Bad



Good



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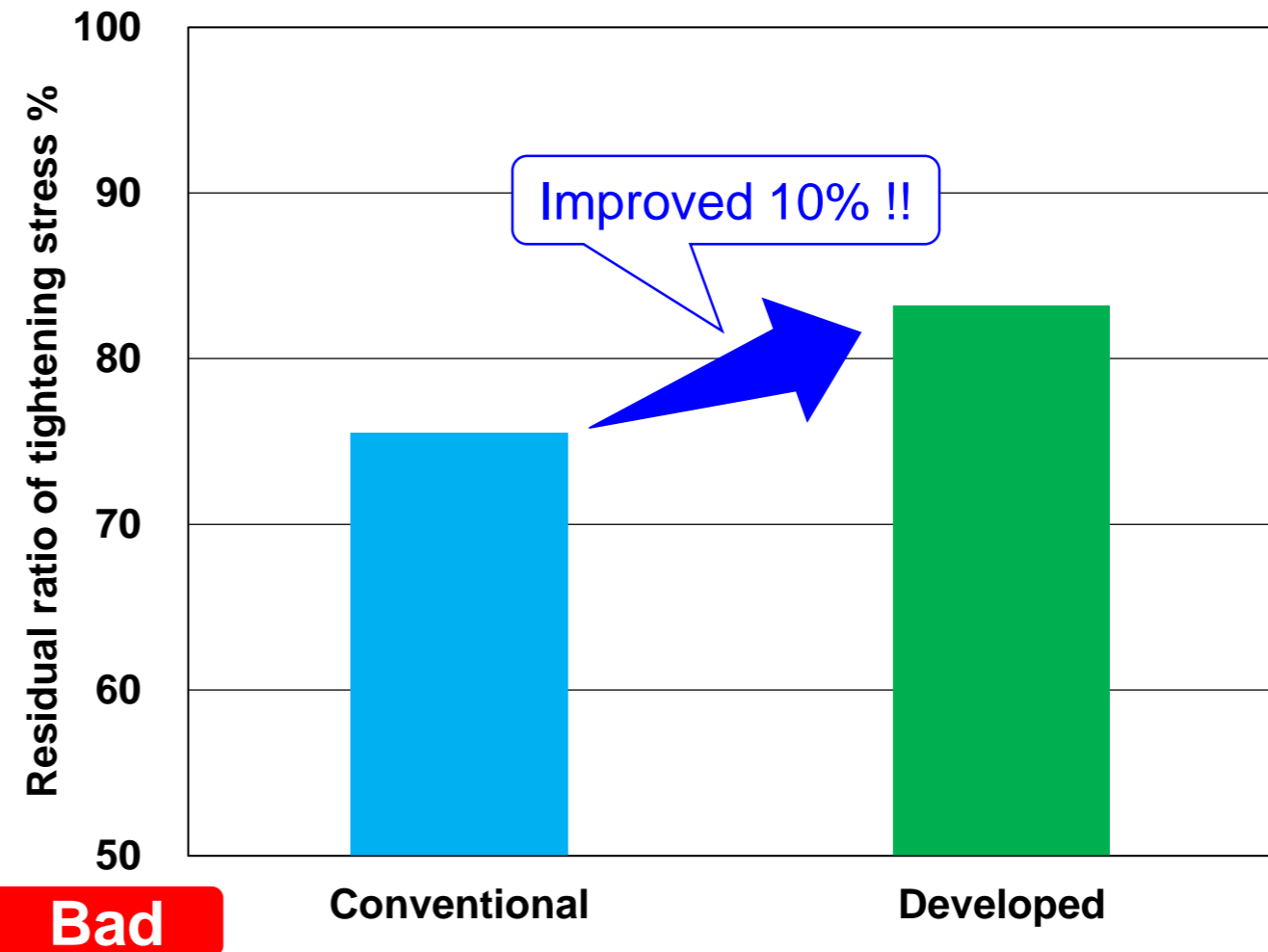
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3.4.2 Stress relaxation

[Test conditions]

Temperature	Ambient
Number of packing	5 rings
Packing size	φ32×φ48mm
Time	100 hr

Good



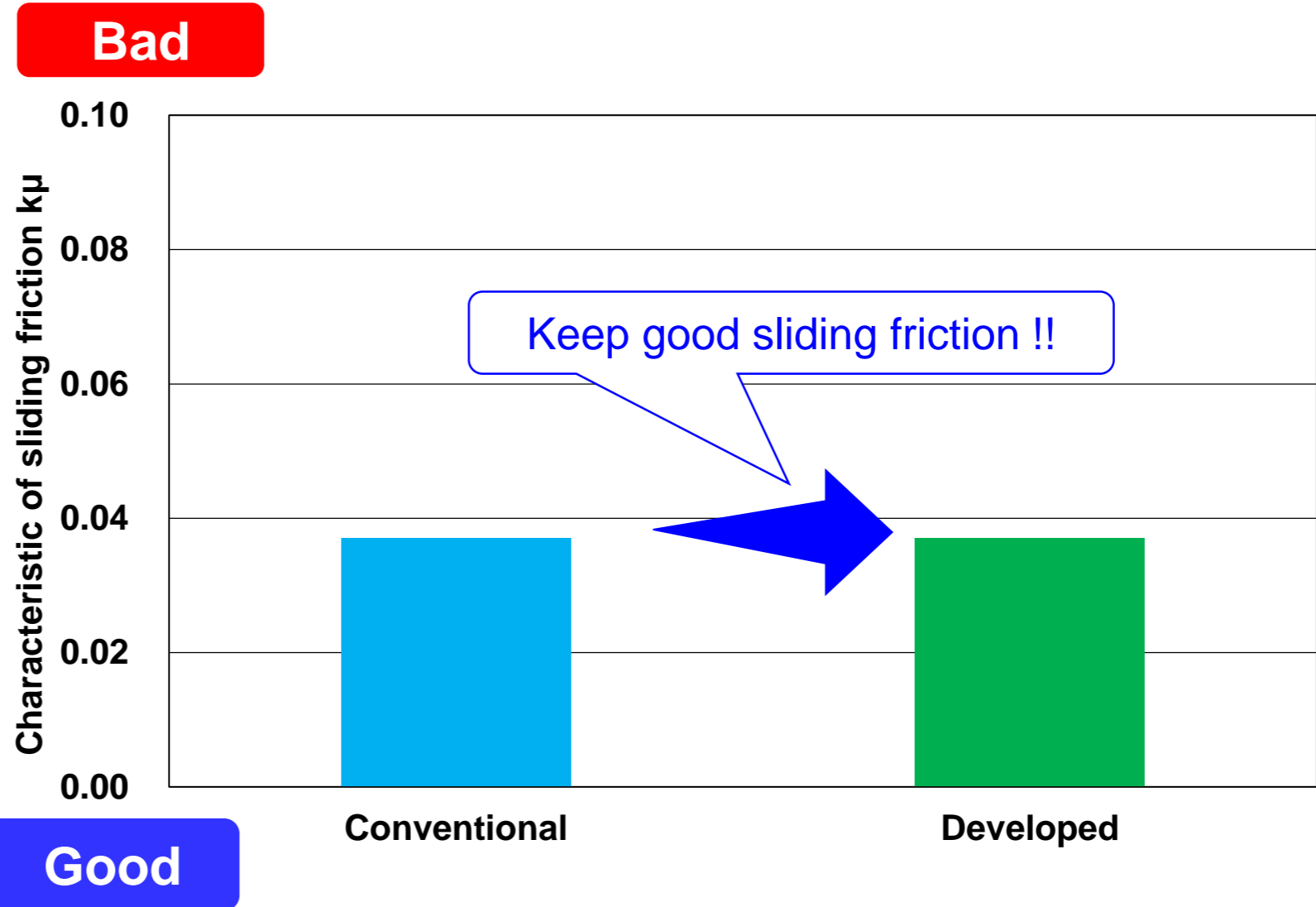
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3.4.3 Sliding friction

[Test conditions]

Temperature	Ambient
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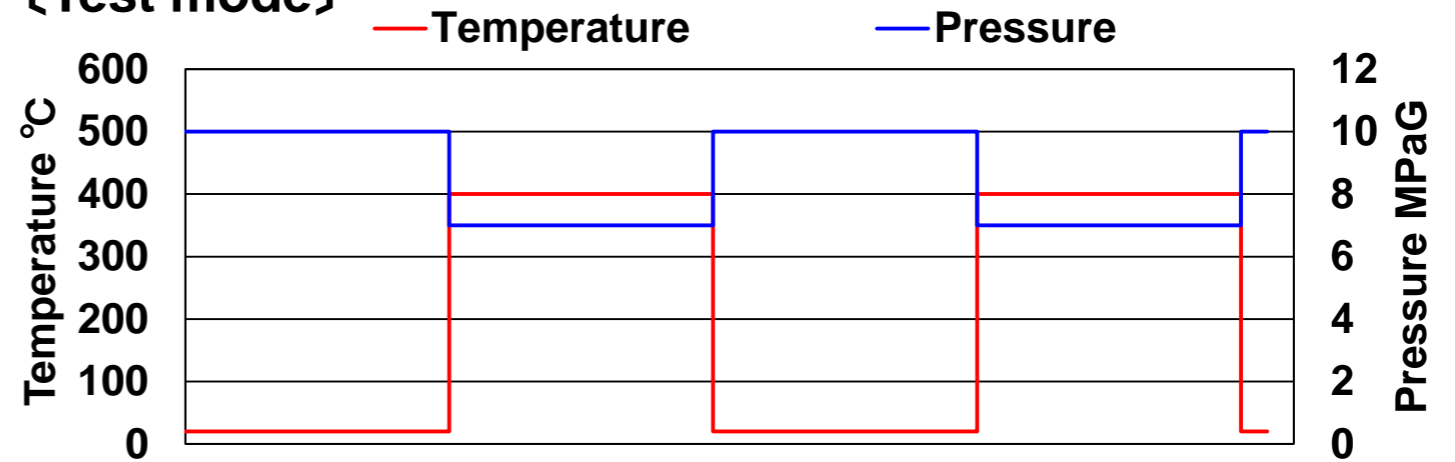
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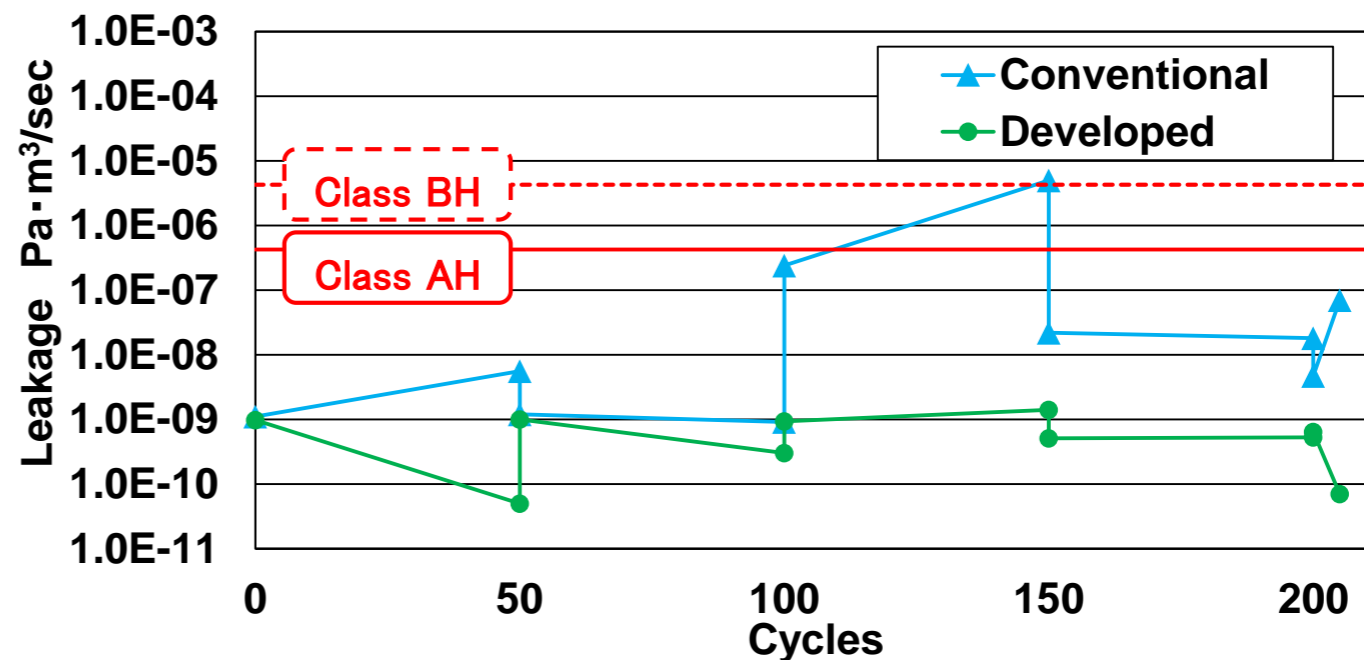
Fluid	99% Helium
Temperature	Ambient / 400°C
Pressure	10MPaG
Number of packing	5 rings
Packing size	φ24×φ37mm
Fugitive emission standard	ISO15848-1 2 nd CO1
Number of cycle	205 cycles
Shaft motion	Linear motion

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[Test mode]



[Test result]



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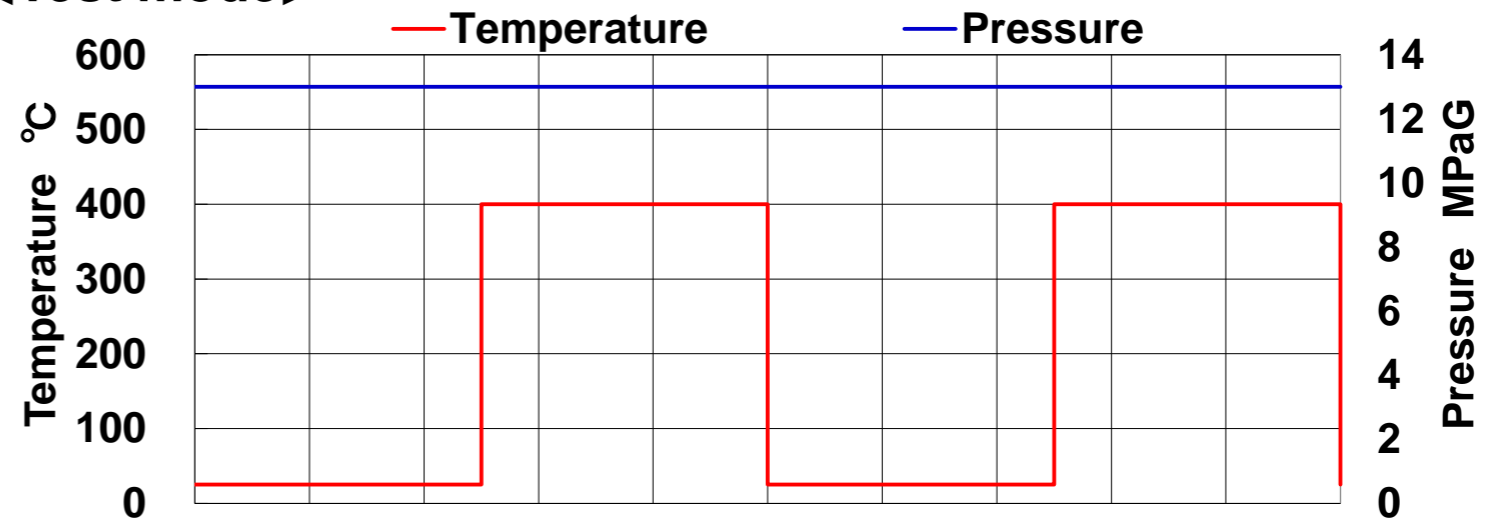


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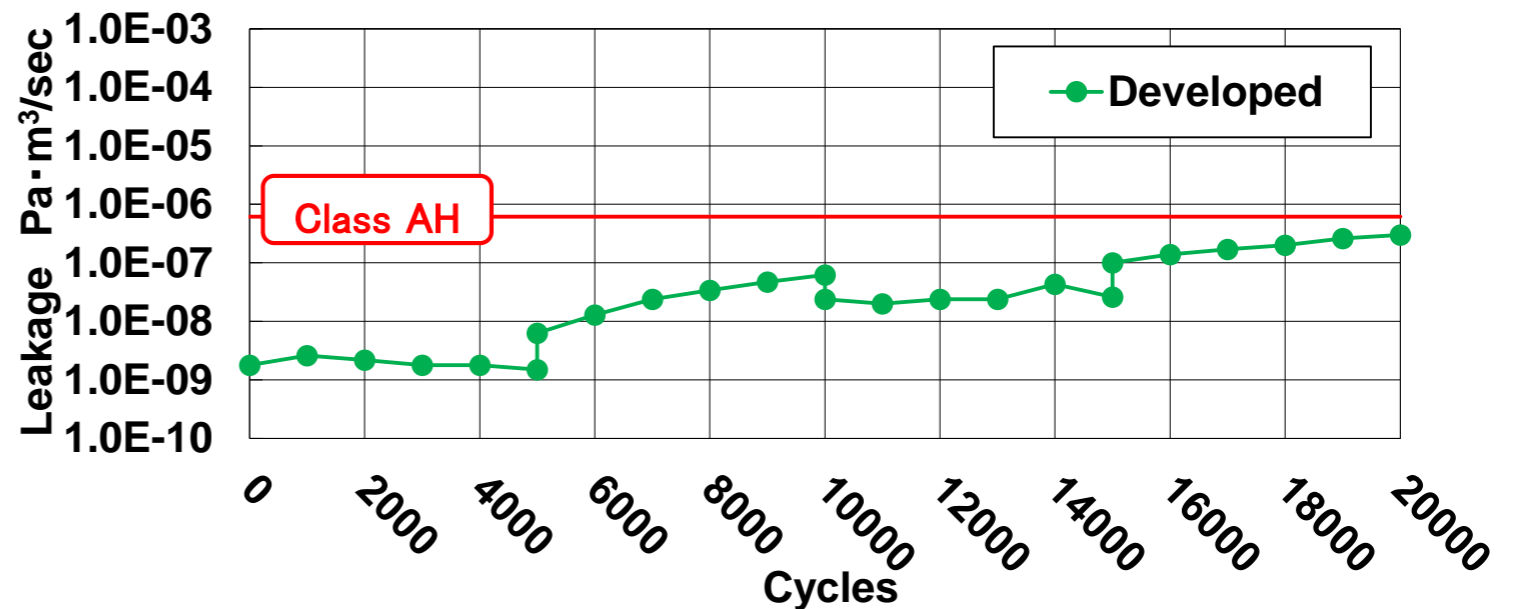
〔Test conditions〕

Fluid	99% Helium
Temperature	Ambient / 400°C
Pressure	13MPaG
Number of packing	4 rings
Packing size	φ32×φ48mm
Fugitive emission standard	ISO15848-1 2 nd CC1
Number of cycle	20000 cycles
Shaft motion	Rotary motion

〔Test mode〕



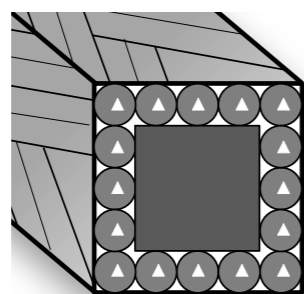
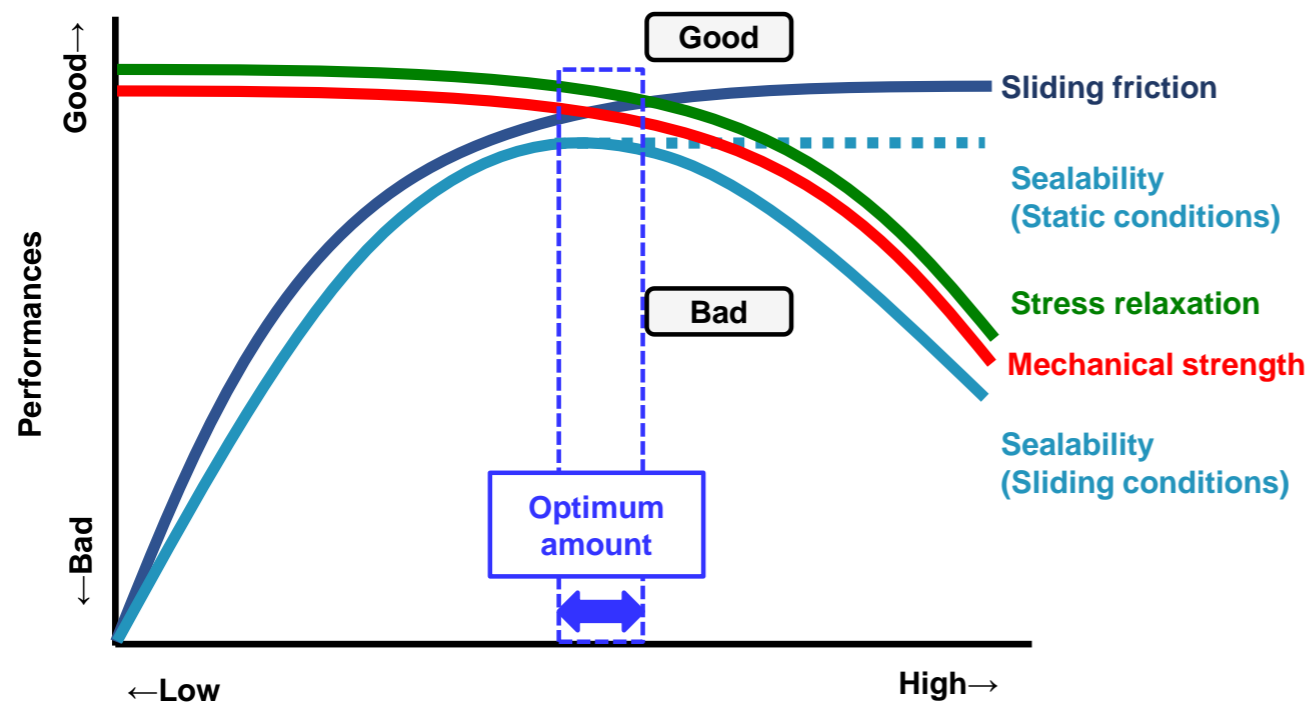
〔Test result〕



Passed to CC1 class AH

4. Conclusion

Raw materials ⇒ Fine yarn & Non-permeation material
Lubrication ⇒ Optimum amount of PTFE
Structure ⇒ New Braid & Partial addition of PTFE



- ✓ Sliding durability
- ✓ Small stress relaxation
- ✓ Less thermal weight loss
- ✓ Small extrusions against valve clearance

✓ High seal performance

✓ Long-term stability

Thank you for your attention.

Do you have questions?

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