

FUTURE MOBILITY TECHNOLOGY

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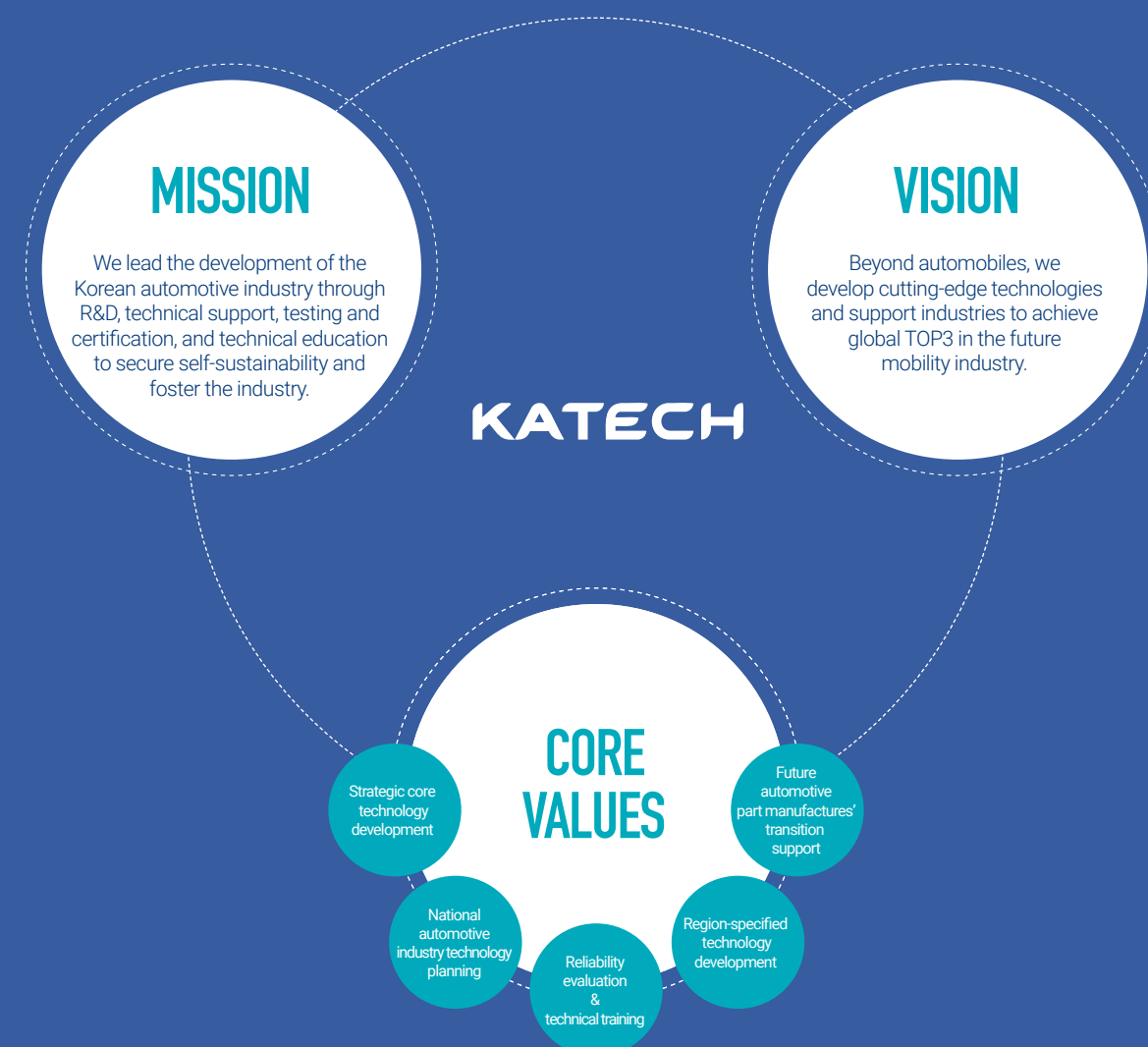
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Mission & Vision



2030 Management goal

Developing core technology for the automotive industry
Supporting technical support and test certification
Fostering future talents for the future automotive era

Leading research and development of core technologies in the automotive industry.
Supporting technology necessary for industry and support technology demonstration.
Fostering professionals and experts for the future automotive era.

KATECH has been dedicated to the growth of the Korean automotive industry.

1990

- Sep 1990** Approval for establishment of 「Private Specialized Production Technology Research Center」 by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry
- Feb 1992** Supervision of “G7 Next generation vehicle technology development” project
- Mar 1995** Completion and relocation of the Institute (Pungsemyeon, Cheonansi)
*Whole area: 249,986㎡
- Sep 1996** Designation as vehicle fuel efficiency measurement (gasoline, LPG) agency (Ministry of Trade and Industry)
- Aug 1997** Secured Korea Laboratory Accrediation Scheme (KOLAS)



2000

- May 2000** Completed and designated as Reliability Evaluation Center (RAC) (Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Energy), automotive performance test site
- Feb 2002** Designated as Vehicle Exhaust Gas and Noise Measurement Institute (Ministry of Environment)
- Jul 2002** Designated as Vehicle Fuel Efficiency Measurement Agency (Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Energy)
- Apr 2004** Supervision of “Future vehicle technology development” project
- Aug 2007** Designated as Strategic Technology Development Project Support Group
- Feb 2010** Designated as the Green Car Strategic Forum Office
- Mar 2010** Established Daegu-Gyeongbuk Regional R&D Department



2011

- May 2011** Established Gwangju Regional R&D Department and Jeonbuk Office
- Dec 2011** Established Eco-friendly Technology Research Laboratory
- Dec 2012** Established Support Center (premium vehicle, e-mobility, automotive root industry)
- Oct 2013** Hosted autonomous driving vehicle competition
- Dec 2013** Established Premium Automotive Research Center (Yeongam)
- Aug 2015** Designated as EMC GM Testing Laboratory
- Mar 2016** Setup C-Auto project team in Daegu-Gyeongbuk Regional R&D Department
- May 2017** Designated as EMC field Renault Samsung Automotive Test Lab
- Feb 2018** Designated as Lane Deviation Warning Device, Tire Noise Measurement Agency
- Nov 2019** Change the name of Institute (Automotive Part Institute to Korea Automotive Technology Institute)



2020

- Jul 2020** Designated as Research Special Development Zone Technology Core Institute for small but strong companies in Cheonan/Asan
- Jul 2021** Opened Automotive Human Resources Development Committee (ISC)
- Sep 2022** Opened Pangyo Semiconductor/Sensor Technology Division/Big Data/SW Technology Division
- Nov 2022** Opened Autonomous Driving Convergence Support Center
- Nov 2022** Won presidential award for Material Part Equipment Technology Development Reliability Improvement Division



KATECH will lead the future of the automotive industry with creativity and innovation.

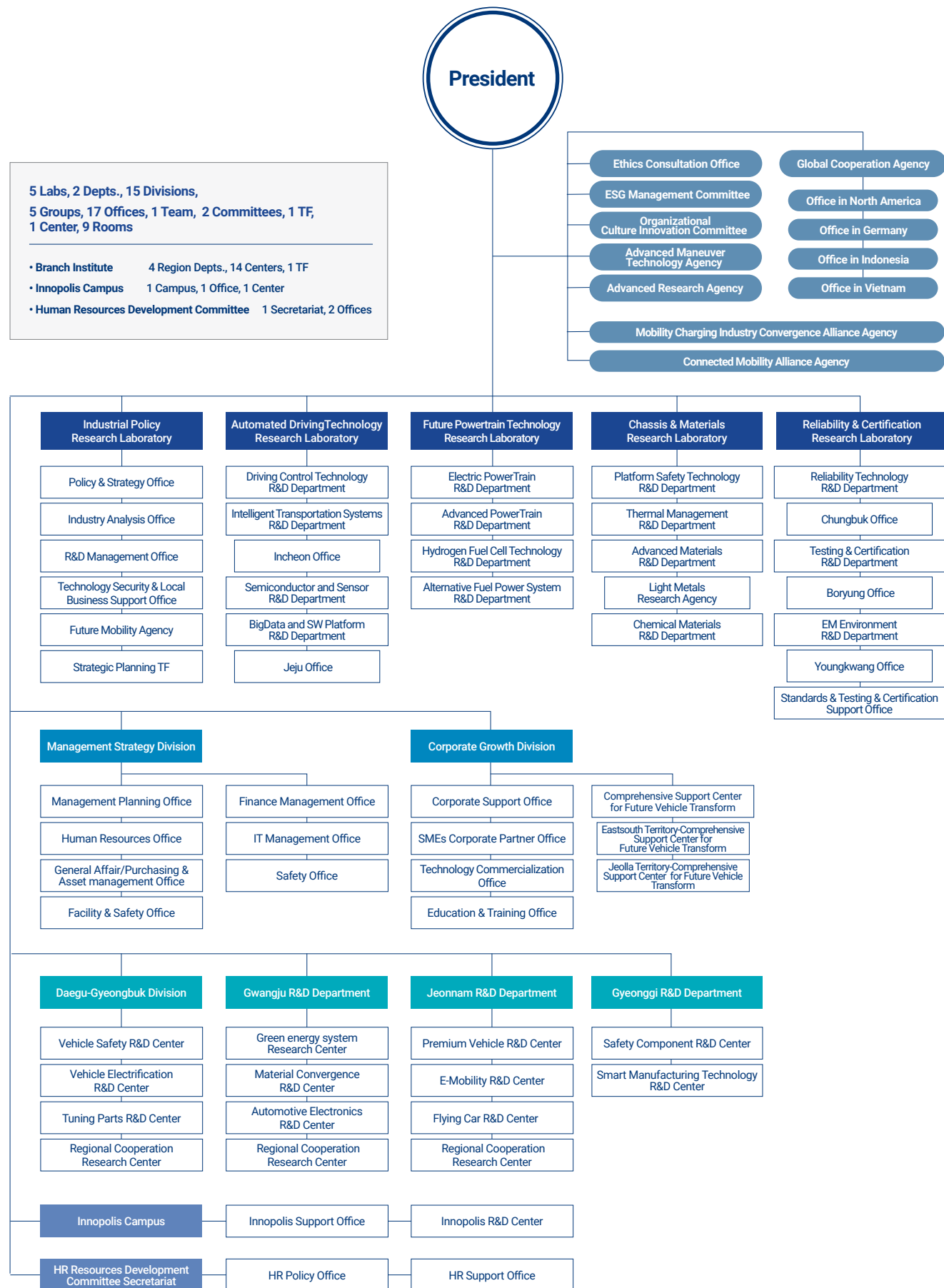
Since its establishment in 1990, the Korea Automotive Technology Institute has been carried out R&D and technical support such as reliability and certification of parts with Korean SMEs to develop the Korean automotive industry.

Amid the recent paradigm shift in the automotive industry, we will strengthen our role as a ‘facilitator’ to help the Korean automotive industry that connects and supports government, business, large and small companies, manufacturers and service providers.

Through a new wave of change, we will faithfully fulfill our fundamental role to achieve the great dream in ‘mobility industry’. Please join us in the future mobility era that Korea Automotive Technology Institute will lead.

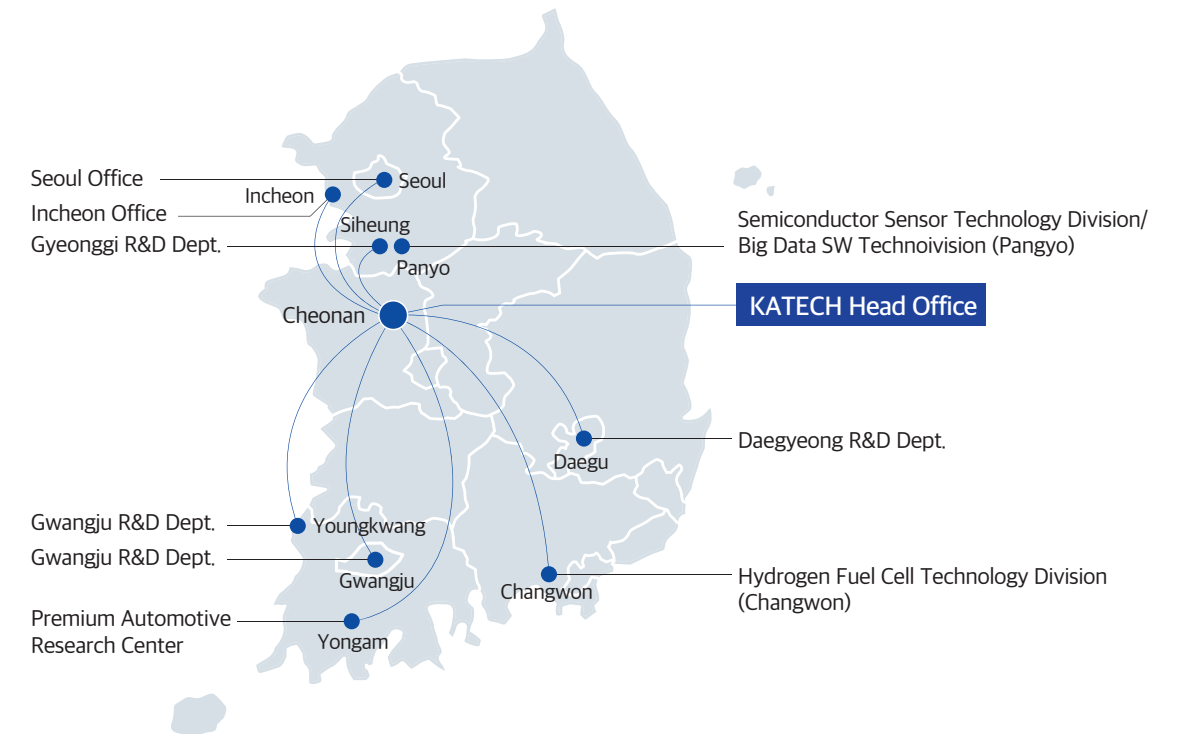


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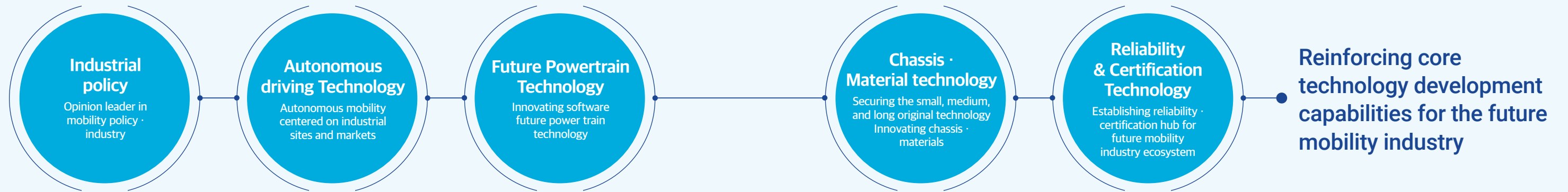
KATECH will take the lead in creating the future mobility industry ecosystem to actively support the innovation and structural advancement of the Korean automotive industry.

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Visions of 5 Research Laboratories

KATECH changed its organization into five research institutes to achieve the goal of transforming the industry into electrification and enhancing software competitiveness by strengthening our core technology development capabilities for the automotive industry and the future mobility industry, establishing various technology development policies that can create new market opportunities, providing necessary support capabilities to the domestic auto parts industry.



KATECH Manpower Status

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Autonomous Driving Technology Research Laboratory

Future Powertrain Technology Research Laboratory

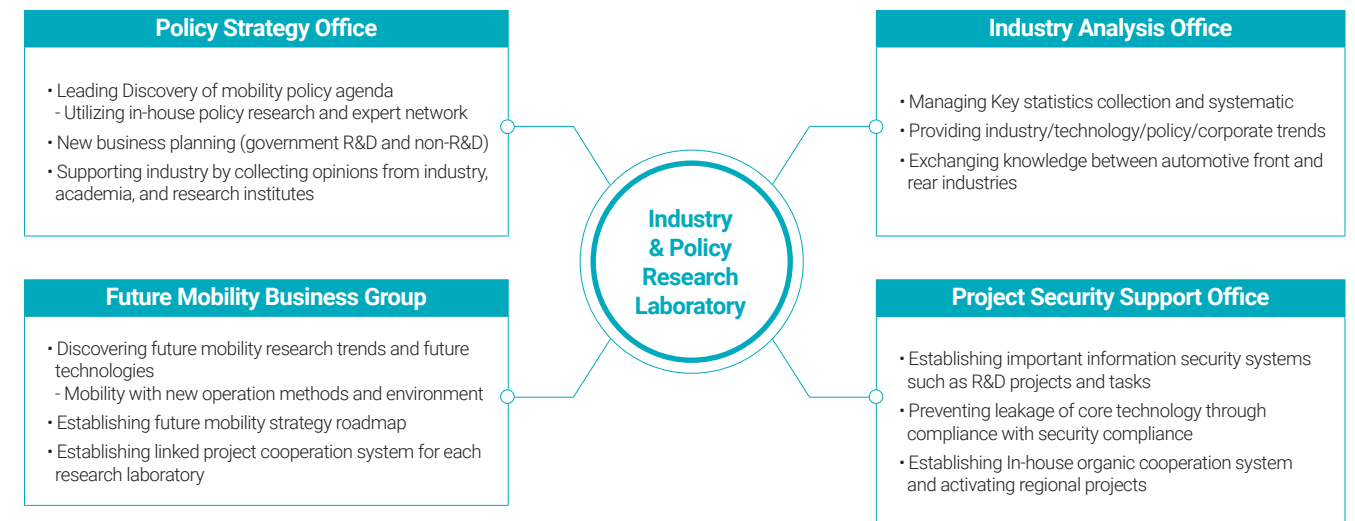
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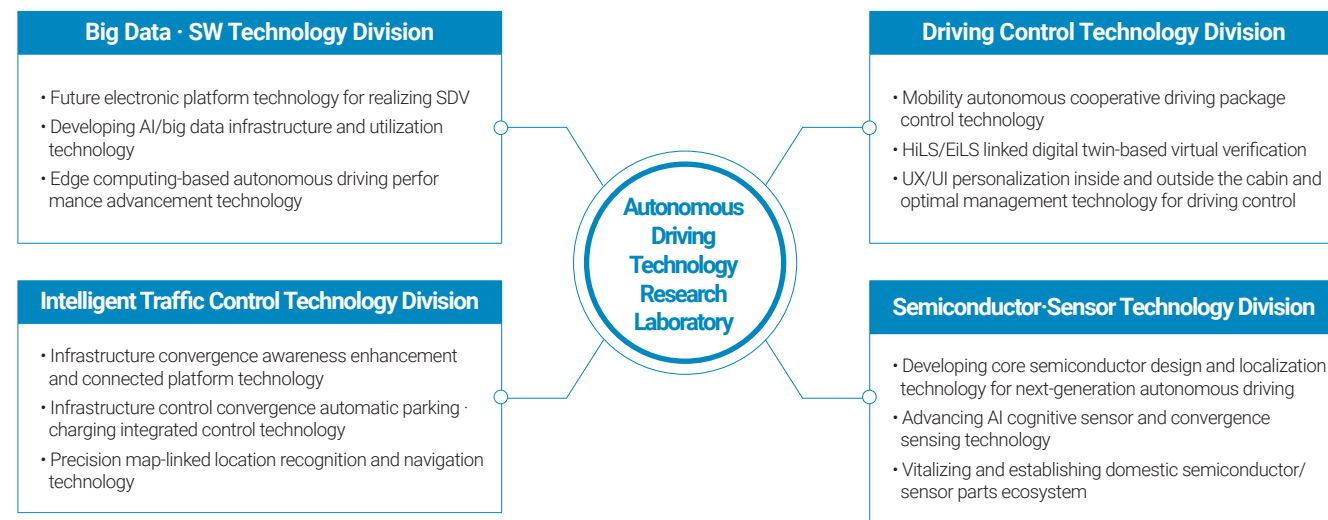
Industry & Policy Research Laboratory

The Industry & Policy Research Laboratory discovers policy agendas for future technologies to promote Korean mobility industry based on systematic collected information and analysis for related industry.



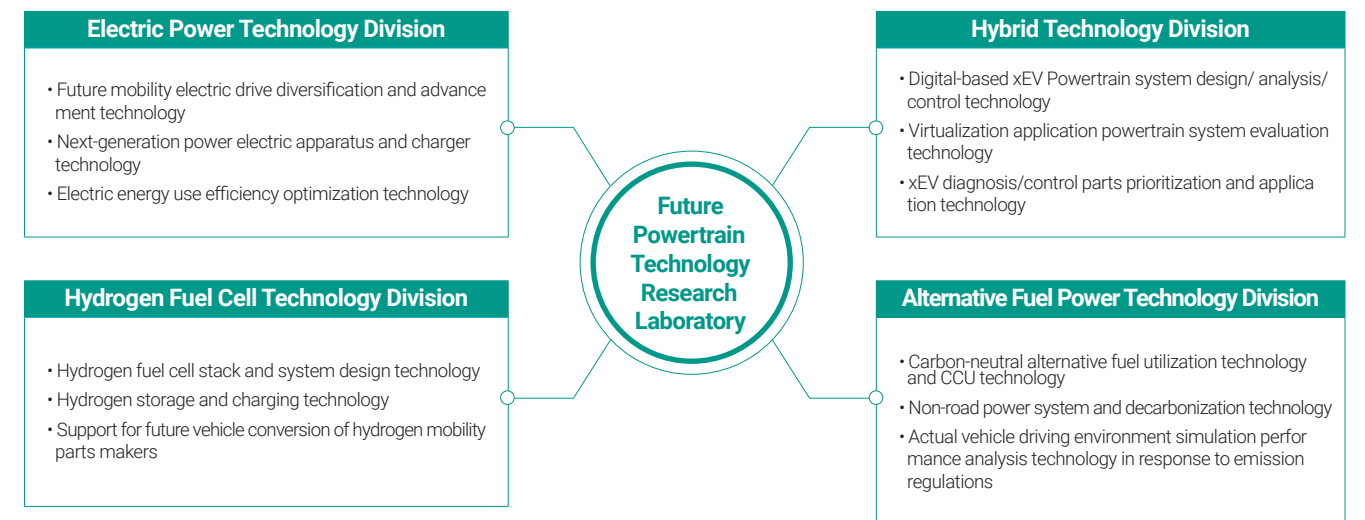
Autonomous Driving Technology Research Laboratory

Autonomous Driving Technology Research Laboratory is specialized in Big Data-SW, autonomous driving control, Intelligent Traffic Control and semiconductor-Sensor to enhance technologies for future vehicles and supporting companies.



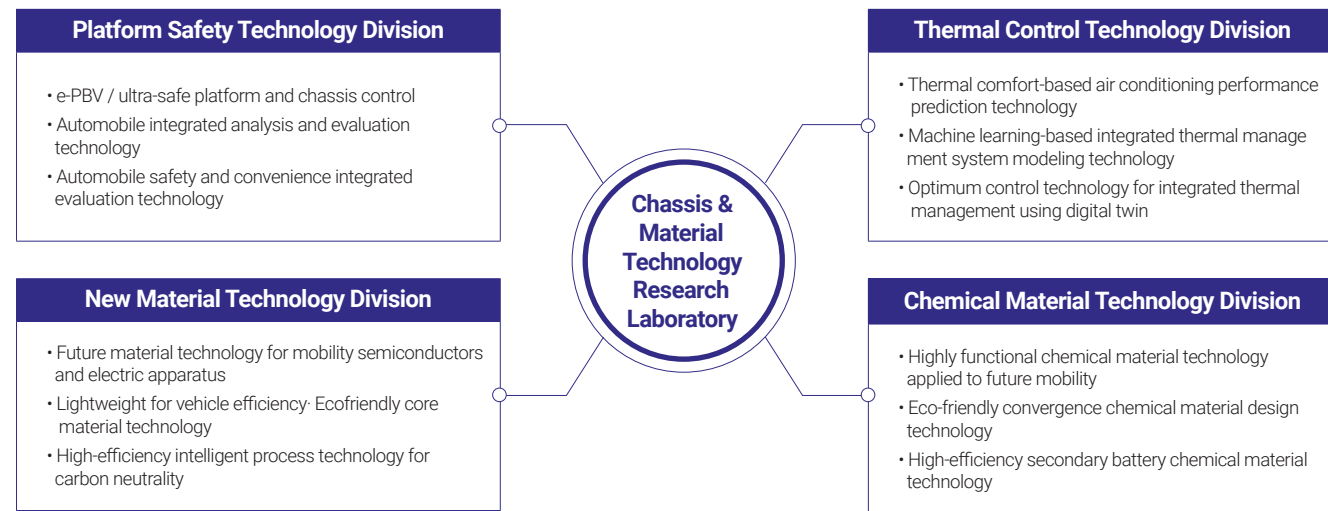
Future Powertrain Technology Research Laboratory

Future Powertrain Technology Research Laboratory is specialized in powertrain technology for future automobiles, such as e-automobiles, hybrid automobiles, hydrogen e-automobiles and alternative fuel automobiles that can reduce greenhouse gases.



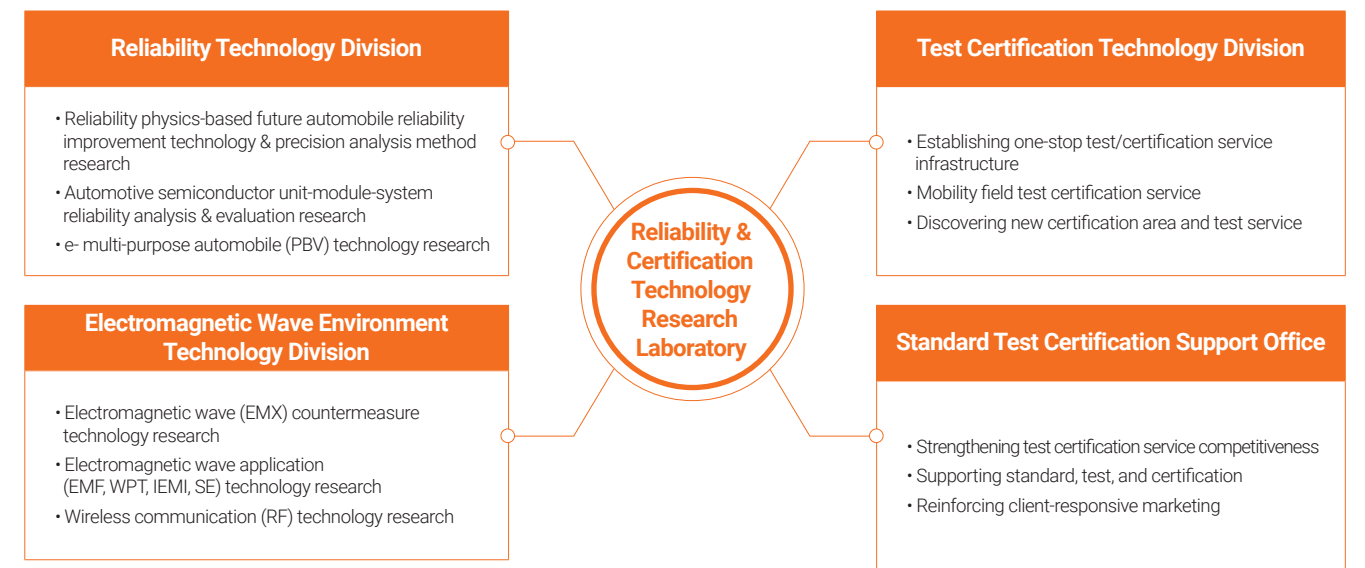
Chassis & material Technology Research Laboratory

Chassis & Material Technology Research Laboratory carries out R&D for e-PBV for mobility, ultra-safe driving platform, electrified chassis parts, and safety convenience fields, light hydrogen e-automobiles, hydrogen storage, battery, heat control field, advanced materials for future displays, automotive semiconductors, sensors, and electromagnetic wave control for autonomous driving.



Reliability & Certification Technology Research Laboratory

Reliability & Certification Technology Research Laboratory is researching reliability enhancement technology, accelerated life prediction method, and purpose-based electric vehicle (PBV) technology based on reliability physics of future automobile and automotive semiconductors and developing radio wave environment (EMC, EMF, WPT, IEMI, RF, etc.) optimization technology. It conducts comprehensive evaluation and certification of energy and power of mobility, performance including electric apparatus, and safety, and provides overall operational support for KOLAS operations and standards/tests/certifications.



Regional R&D Department

Daegu-Gyeongbuk R&D Department

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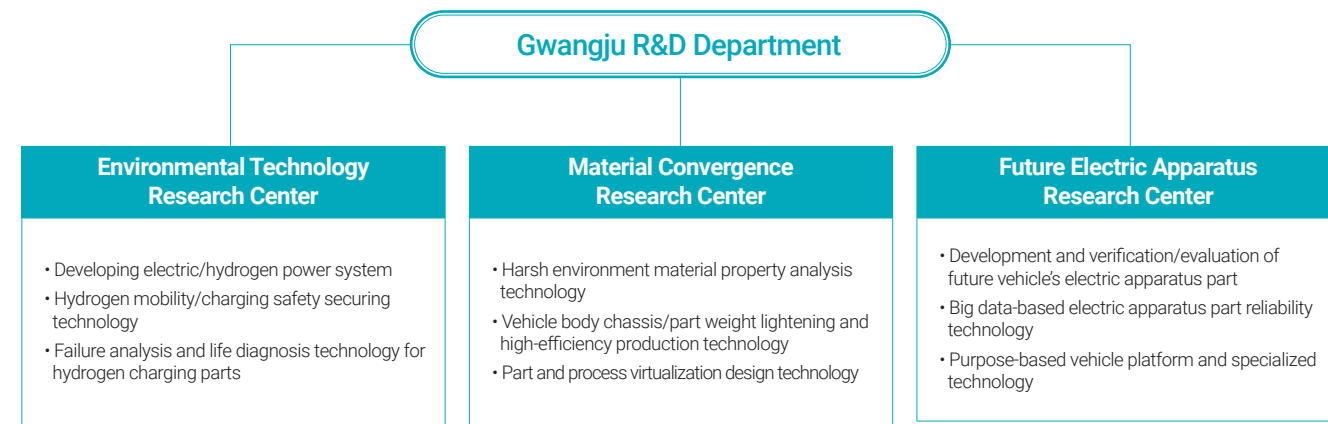
Daegu-Gyeongbuk R&D Department supports the advancement of the tuning parts industry through empirical research of core modules of autonomous driving automobiles and design/evaluation of electric automobile electrification module core components (motor, inverter, reducer) and parts related to tuning technology.

It endeavors to convert future automobile parts for the local automotive industry through planning research projects and carrying out technical support and joint research of automobile parts manufacturers for the Daegu-Gyeongbuk.

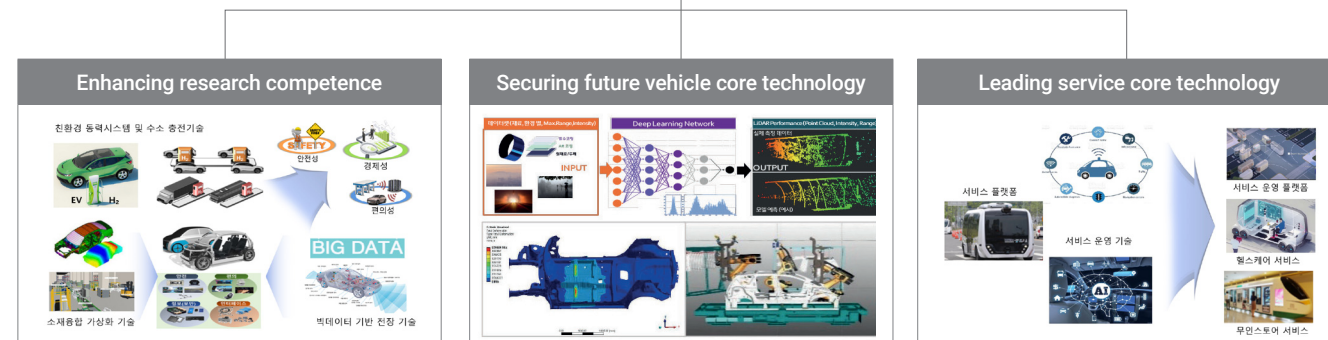


Gwangju R&D Department

Gwangju R&D Department carries out technology development of eco-friendly (hydrogen/electric powertrain, e-vehicle) parts and lightweight material parts, test evaluation and certification, technical support and human resource training for the local automotive industry and sustainable growth.



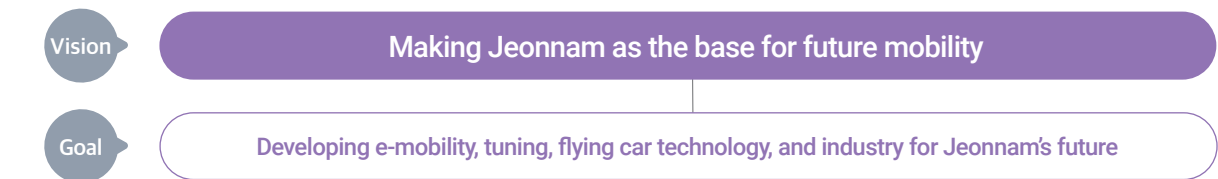
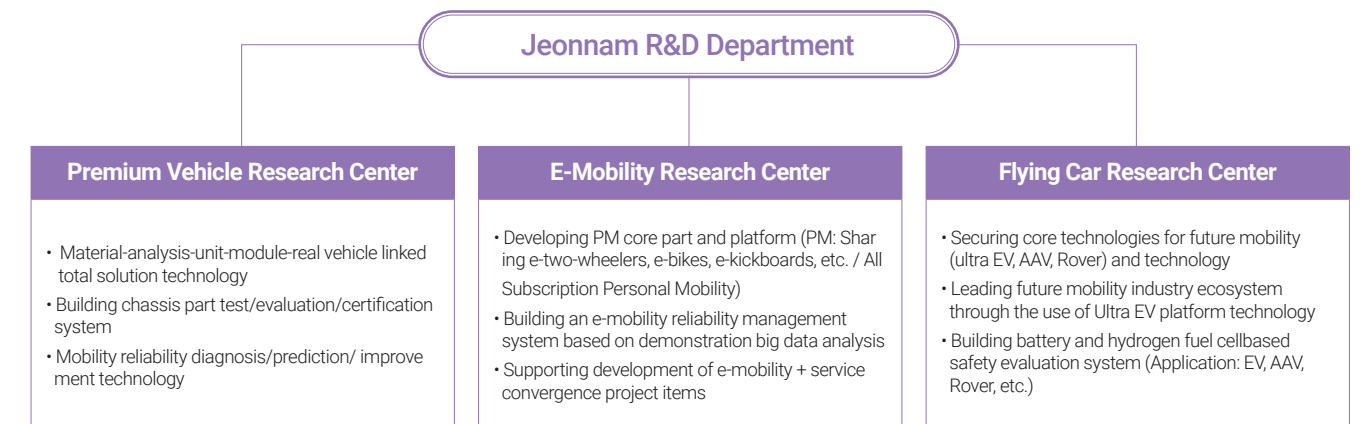
- Enforcing research competence through part corporate technology R&D cooperation
- Securing part company's future vehicle transition technology and virtualization technology
- Leading AI convergence future mobility service core technology



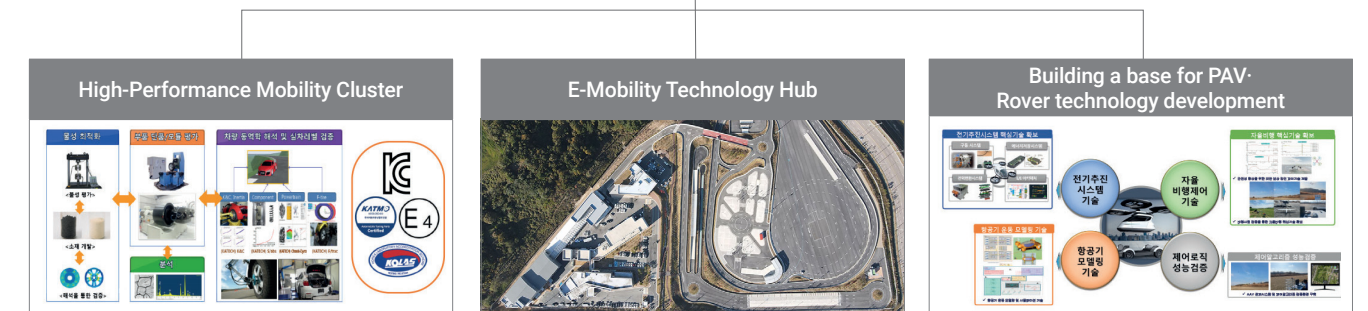
Jeonnam R&D Department

It carries out various national and regional projects related to the development of e-mobility, tuning, and flying car technologies, which are the future growth engines of Jeollanam-do.

It is responsible for supporting specialized R&D research for companies in the Jeollanam-do and conducts test evaluation, certification, demonstration of free trade zones, and support for trial production.

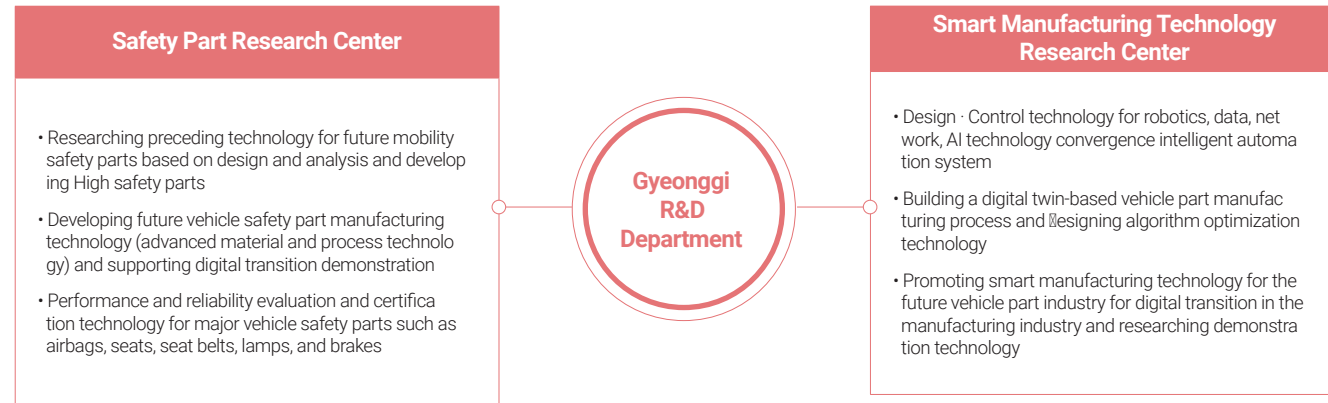


- Premium Vehicle** Building cluster focused on small and medium-sized enterprises related to highperformance mobility and tuning
- E-Mobility** As an e-mobility technology hub, developing core technology and projects based on demonstration research
- Flying Car** Building a base for future mobility (AAV · Rover) and core part development



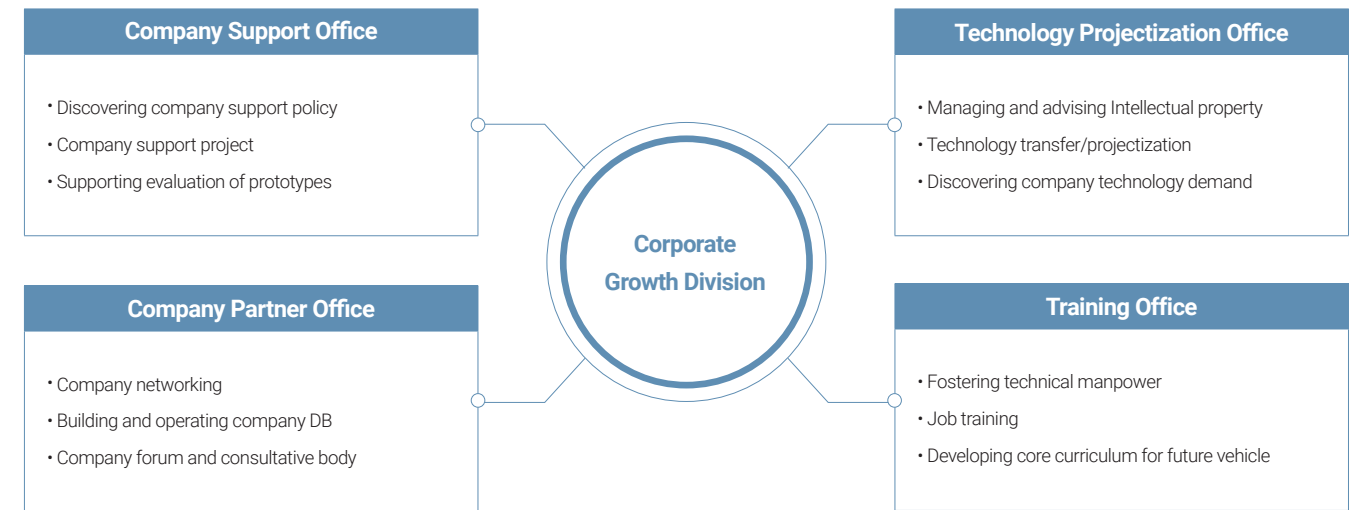
Gyeonggi R&D Department

Gyeonggi R&D Department is for future mobility safety parts and smart manufacturing technology to promote the digital transition of vehicle part companies.

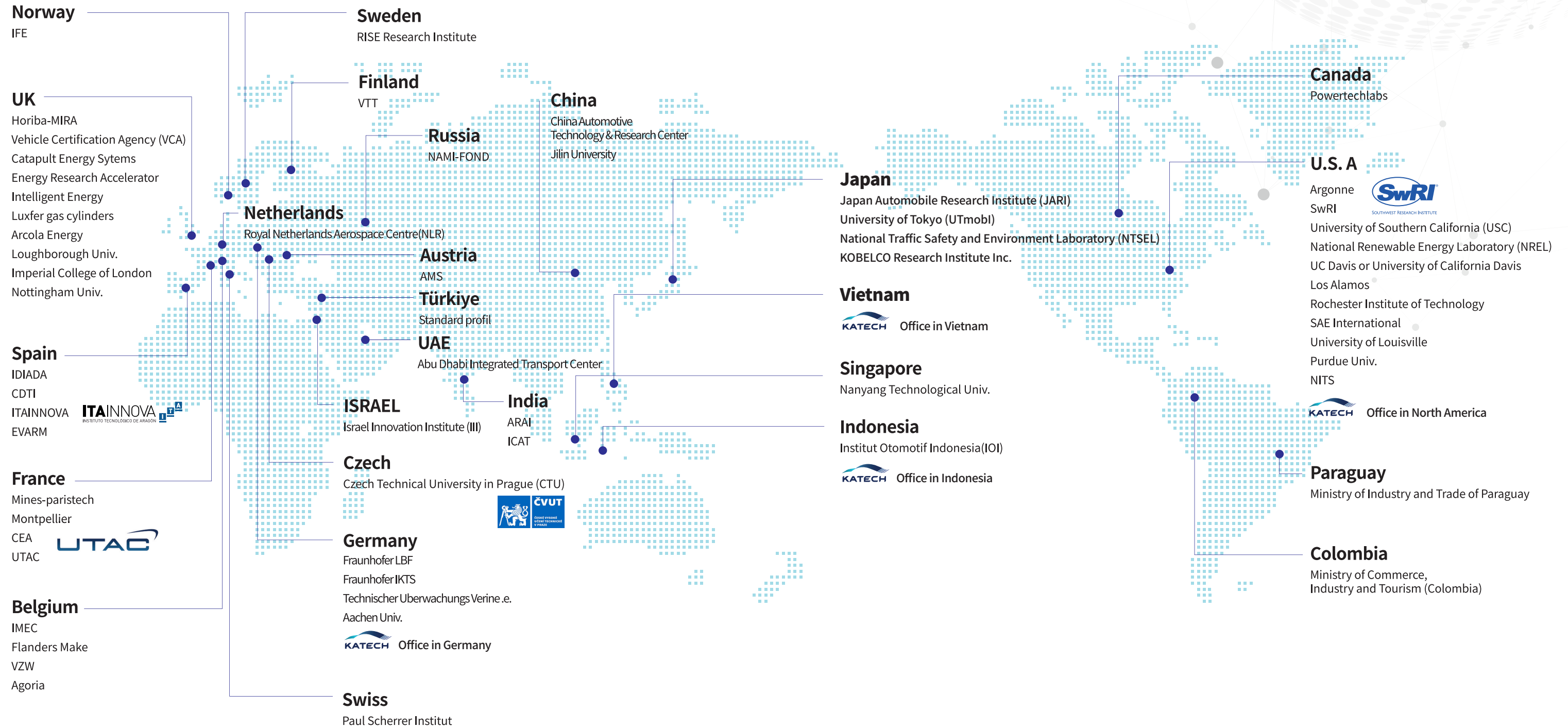


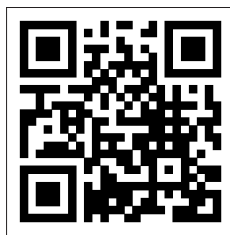
Corporate Growth Division

The Corporate Growth Division communicates with companies, and provides customized growth support to respond to the rapidly changing future vehicle transition preemptively.



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