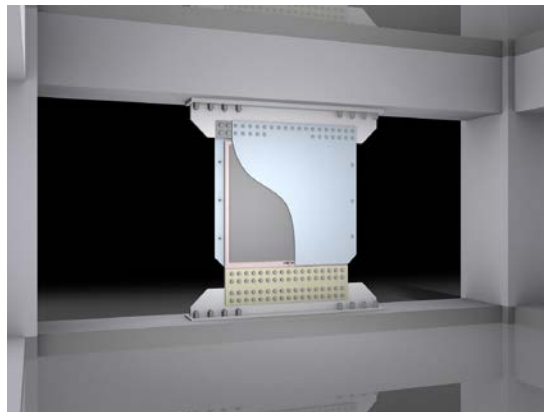


Sumitomo Riko Exhibits at 16th World Conference on Earthquake Engineering

Sumitomo Riko Company Limited (headquarters: Nakamura-ku, Nagoya-shi; President and COO: Tetsu Matsui) will exhibit its TRC Damper seismic control system for buildings at the 16th World Conference on Earthquake Engineering held in Santiago, Chile from Monday, January 9, 2017.



TRC Damper seismic control system for buildings

TRC Dampers are vibration control devices that are an effective earthquake countermeasure for high-rise buildings such as apartment blocks and office buildings. Adopting a special viscoelastic rubber developed using polymer materials technology cultivated since our establishment, they are thin and compact but protect buildings by converting seismic vibrations into heat. A feature of TRC Dampers is that they remain effective even during repeated earthquakes (aftershocks). Sumitomo Riko started to sell TRC Dampers for buildings overseas in 2008. We have a track record of more than 100 projects in Taiwan and China and are currently expanding our sales in Japan and abroad.

The World Conference on Earthquake Engineering is the largest international convention in the earthquake engineering industry, attracting around 4,000 interested parties from countries around the world. While exhibiting our rubber supports for bridges as well as our TRC Dampers for buildings, the Sumitomo Riko booth will also promote the characteristics and benefits of all our seismic control products to industrial opinion leaders, with whom we form connections that will further enhance our global sales.

Event information

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| Conference name | 16th World Conference on Earthquake Engineering http://www.16wcee.com |
| Dates | From Monday, January 9 to Friday, January 13, 2017 |
| Venue | Casa Piedra Convention Center, Santiago, Chile |

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