

KYOHO ENGINEERING CO.,LTD.
COMPANY PROFILE

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**Our desire to expand
delicious Japanese rice
world-wide.**

Rice has been a foundation of Japanese culture prehistorically. Our passion to spread this delicious rice Japan is known for on a more global scale, is the reason why we take our work very seriously.

We love our work because we love our rice.

Kyoho Engineering's mission is to be a professional team that is to be trusted by all.

We believe in preserving Japanese traditions and fostering craftsperson, which lead to building strong local communities. We devote our full efforts to creating systems full of our dreams from a customer-oriented perspective.



Passion

We are passionate about protecting and passing our tradition.

Japanese traditions have come a long way – we feel them in our hearts and are excited to pass them onto our future.



People

We care about our customers.

Our interaction with every single customer is important to us. We aim to offer them a speedy yet precise and sincere response each time.



Industry

We challenge ourselves to get creative to develop and tackle the latest technologies.

Our R&D team are devoted to work on improving as well as refining our products to fulfill today's customers' needs. This also contributes to developing our ties to strong local communities.



**Our Passion
for
Perfect Rice**

Thorough quality management, maintenance, and rice cooking after-sales service.

Our rice cooking system can constantly provide delicious rice, no matter who cooks it or when.

Our system can offer different ways of cooking rice to suit your needs.

Greetings

The differences between each grain of rice are also the differences between food around the world.

As the times change, so do people's needs. As needs change, so do what is provided. The only thing that hasn't changed with us since our founding is our flexibility to change.

“I want to eat tasty rice.” For Japanese, who eat rice as a staple, that's an obvious request. We have responded to that wish by providing amounts and qualities that go beyond expectations, suiting each era.

If it's tasty, it's good. But that goodness is hard to achieve realistically.

The post-war “economic miracle.” Changing food policies created a major new starting point in terms of needs by business that supplied food.

The need back then was for machines that could cook large amounts of rice to provide hungry children with delicious and nutritious meals. However, things are changed today. We have diverse lifestyles. We all have different tastes, too. How can we get rice into that narrow “strike zone” of what consumers consider tasty? As a business with no answers, we are required to carry out engineering to maximize the common factors.

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To make a point, rice is actually no longer the staple in Japan. Different cuisines have developed with more choices like bread and noodles. The average annual per capita consumption of rice has dropped from its peak of 100 kg to 50 kg, a 50% decline. When we realized things were changing, we decided to look at things in a larger scale and expand our vision. In worldwide, rice is being consumed in amounts incomparably greater than in Japan. Furthermore, these places don't have the infrastructure for preparing tasty rice in large quantities. Variations in quality are inevitable.

We follow the trends of society, and of the world.

We are the only specialized manufacturer of automated rice cooking systems in Japan. That has allowed us to have Japan's leading market share in terms of total production volume. However, we cannot rest on our laurels. Changing times demand new responses. We shall continue to be a leading company within the industry that becomes aware of these changes before anyone else. As a company in a country where the daily meals are literally called “rice”. I hope to continue to develop our Vision around the world.

President and CEO

HIROKAZU KURAGAKI
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Businesses

The development, manufacture, sales, and export of automated rice cooking systems.

Since our founding in 1978, we have specialized in the development, manufacture, and sales of continuous rice cooking systems. With a long history in this expertise, we have accumulated an impressive track record of technological sophistication, which allows us to provide high quality products and system solutions that cater the needs of today's customers. Kyoho's systems allow us to fulfill any requirement, no matter the scale, making us the only private brand that offers automated rice cooking systems in the world. That is how we can create the best quality possible.

Cooking methods, new technology research, product development

There is no limit in the midst of rapid growth in technology. New cookers, burners, Teflon coatings etc. are created directly to fulfill requests from the customers. We work to ensure both efficiency and quality; increasing energy efficiency and reducing costs. We develop technologies in every field.

We can offer rice cooking systems to suit your needs

Kyoho's strengths lie in our ability to provide original automated rice cooking systems to suit our customers' needs in all situations; the types of products produced, detailed distribution temperatures, sales outlets, etc. We try to understand all details, too: from scale of the factories to the brand of rice, even the water that's been used can be a consideration.

Rice cooking after-sales support and maintenance

We provide full support after delivery as well. With in-house rice sommeliers, we can set each process to provide delicious rice each time, no matter who cooks it or when.

After-sales service

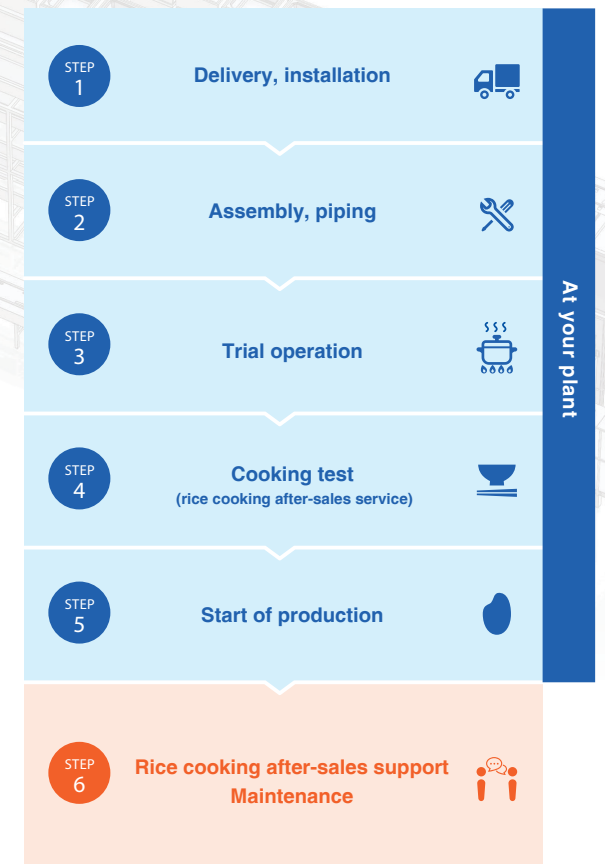
- 24 hours/365 days a year maintenance
- Remote maintenance
- Regular inspections

Steps to Delivery

Rice cooking line design and manufacture (Inquiry to Shipping)



Site installation work (Installation to Operation)



Company Profile

Company Name	KYOHO ENGINEERING CO.,LTD.
Founded in	April, 1978
Capital	30 million yen
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Number of employees	53
Trading banks	Kyoto Shinkin Bank, Kisshoin Branch Kansai Mirai Bank, Limited, Biwako Sales Department MUFG Bank, Kyoto Ekimae Branch Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation, Kyoto Branch

Businesses Development, manufacture, sale and export of automated rice cookers and related equipment; consultation related to the above.

Qualified persons 11 Rice Sommeliers certified by the Corporation of Rice-Cooking of Japan and the Japan Grain Inspection Association

Corporate History

- 1978 Kyoho Engineering founded. Started manufacture and sales of automated rice cooking systems.
- 1981 Incorporated as Kyoho Engineering Co., Ltd. Capital: 2 million yen.
- 1986 Started sales of fully automated rice cooking systems for convenience stores.
- 1992 Increased capital to 30 million yen.
- 1999 Started developing single-bowl automated rice cookers.
- 2000 Started sales in Taiwan.
- 2006 Relocated head office to Fushimi Ward, Kyoto.
- 2008 Constructed new factory next to head office.
- 2011 Started sales in Korea.
- 2015 Established JING LI MACHINERY CO.,LTD. In Taiwan.
- 2016 Awarded an Oscar by Kyoto City.
- 2017 Opened Tokyo Sales Office
- 2017 Certified as a Driving Company for the Regional Future by METI.



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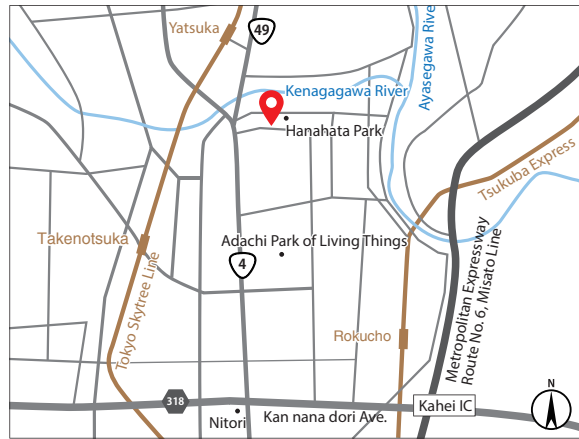
Head Office (Kyoto)



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- 20 minutes by taxi from Kyoto Station

Tokyo Sales Office



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- 12 minutes by car from Kahei IC on the Metropolitan Expressway Route No. 6, Misato Line
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We want everyone to be able to
eat real, delicious rice.

This pure, honest desire is what
drives **Kyoho Engineering.**

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