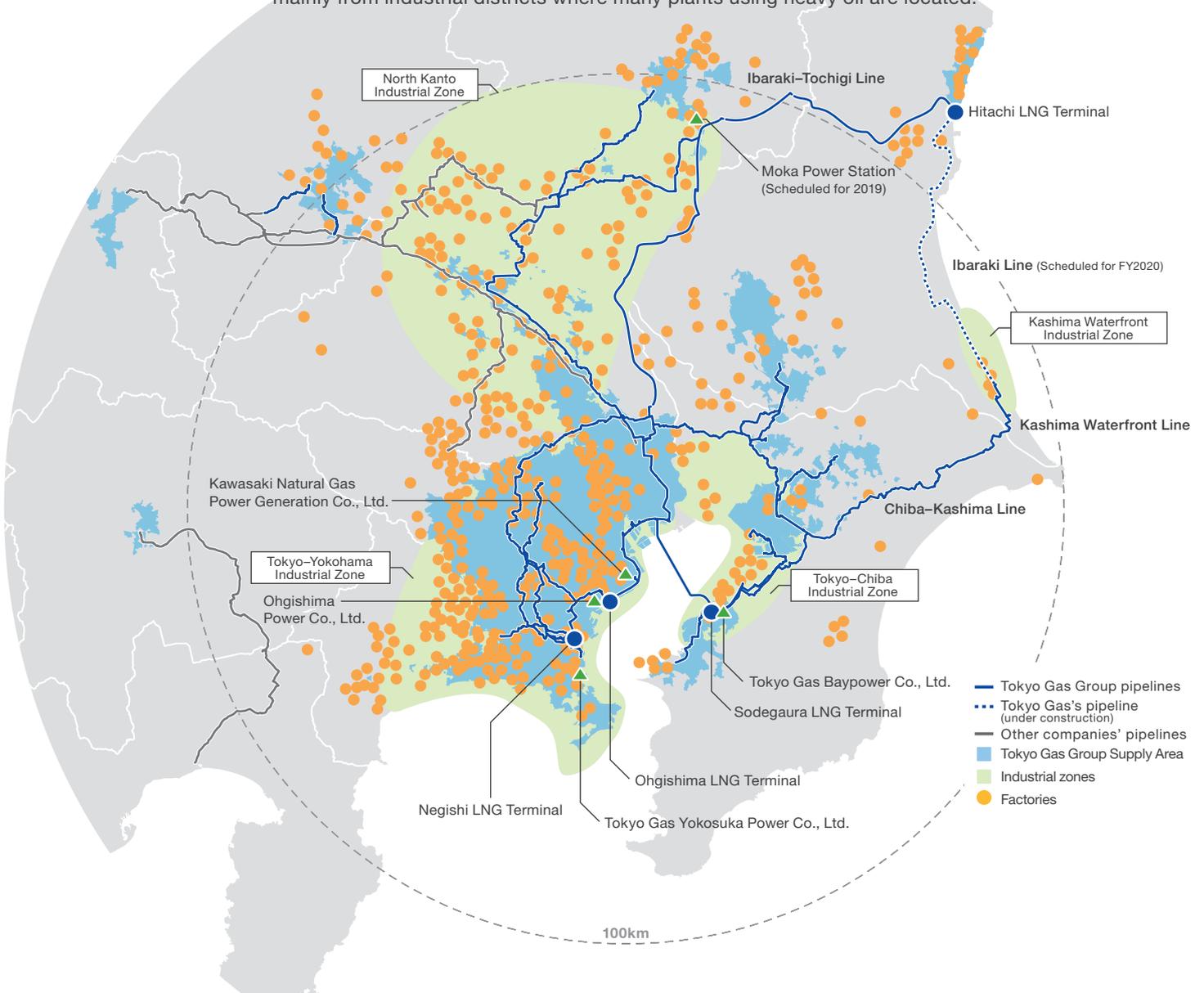


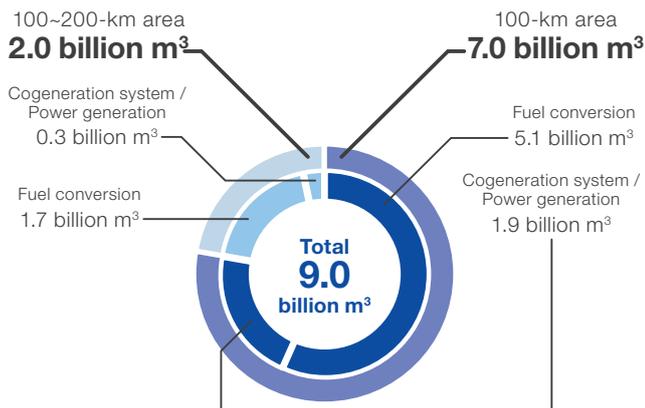
Our Potential

Energy demand concentration in the Kanto Region

We are extending our pipelines across the Kanto region, our market area, to meet the huge potential demand for natural gas mainly from industrial districts where many plants using heavy oil are located.



Potential for Industrial and Commercial Demand in the Kanto Region (200-kilometer radius around Tokyo)



Gas handling volume target revised upward

