## **Security Export Control**

## • What is Security Export Control ?

Security Export Control is a framework, based on the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act (FEFTA)<sup>1</sup>, to maintain international peace and security by preventing weapons<sup>2</sup> and goods and technologies that could potentially be used for military applications from falling into the hands of terrorists or states that may be a security risk.

<sup>1</sup> Penalties under FEFTA: 【Criminal Penalty】 *Imprisonment:* No more than 10 years; *Fines:* <u>Individual</u> No more than JPY 30 million, <u>Company</u> No more than JPY 1 billion 【Administrative Penalty】 Prohibition of exports for no more than 3 years

<sup>2</sup> "Weapons" means both conventional weapons and weapons of mass destruction (WMD), including nuclear weapons, chemical weapons, biological weapons, and missiles which carry WMD

• If you are thinking about doing any of the following activities, first consult with your academic supervisor. You may be required to follow Security Export Control procedures before proceeding.

## 2) Communicating with 1) Going overseas<sup>3</sup> 3) Leaving Tokyo Tech<sup>3</sup> those overseas<sup>3</sup> Transferring undisclosed technical Providing undisclosed technical Taking undisclosed technical information from your laboratory information overseas information (data for a thesis/paper, \* Providing information via SNS is also subject to • Taking items (samples, equipment, USB etc.) out of Japan after graduation Security Export Control procedures. memory) out of Japan \* Most laboratories prohibit the provision of • Taking samples of research material \* Check with your supervisor before sending items technical information from the lab to non-lab out of Japan after graduation abroad. The value of the item is not relevant. members.

<sup>3</sup> In the case of international students, this includes returning to or communicating with those in their countries

Academic supervisors: When your students are to conduct any of the activities above, you are required to verify whether or not the activity in question is subject to Security Export Control. If internal examination is required, please fill out and submit the Consultation Form (available from the <u>Security Export Control website</u> for faculty members) to the section in charge of Export Control. https://www.titech.ac.jp/english/0/about/policies/efforts/export-control



If you have any questions, consult the section in charge of Security Export Control. Email: stc.soudan@jim.titech.ac.jp



