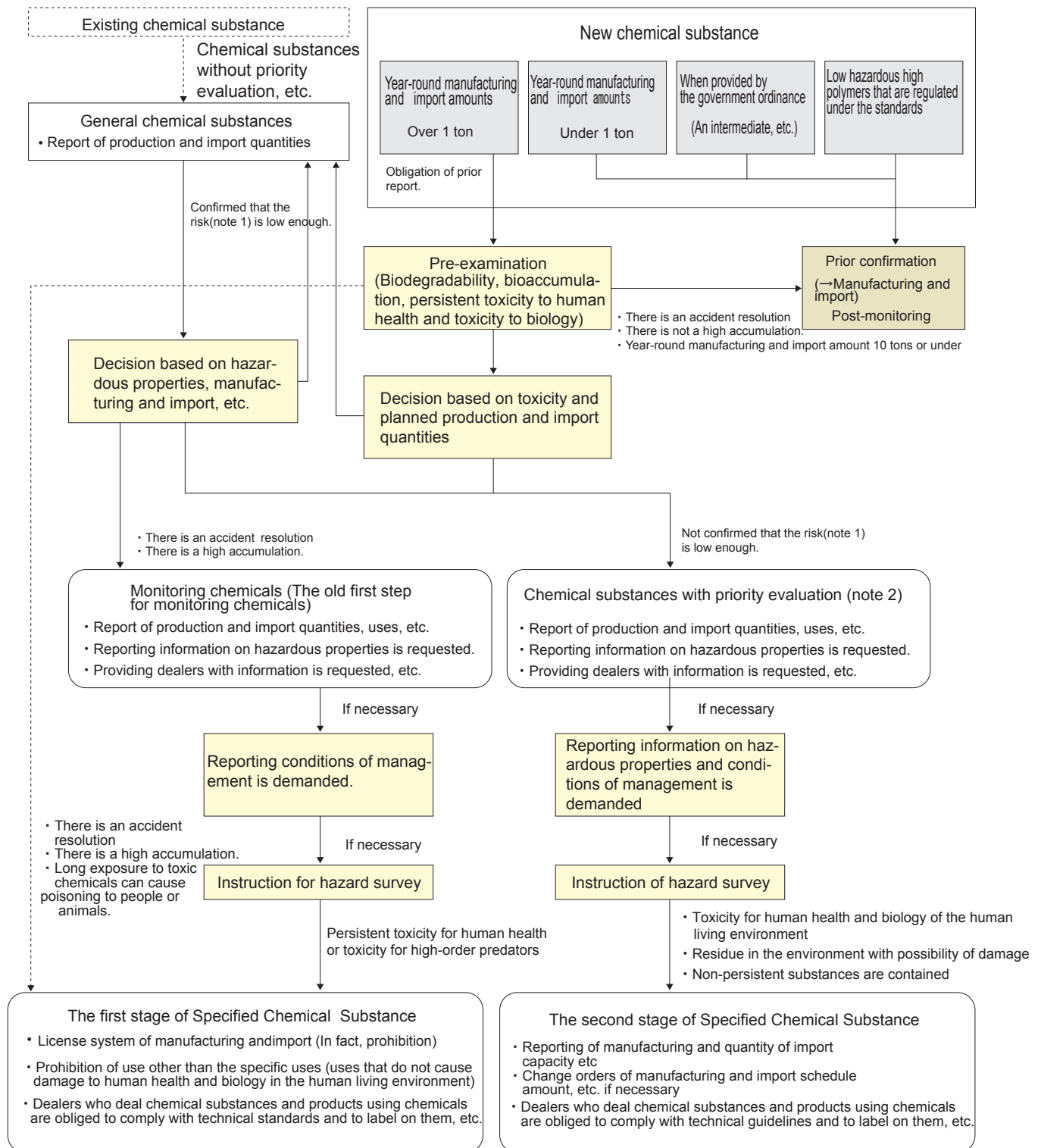


## Overview

# Overview of the revised Act on the Evaluation of Chemical Substances and Regulation of Their Manufacture, etc. (As from April, 2011)



Note 1) The "risk" in this chart indicates that substances may have 'persistent toxicity for human health or ecological toxicity for biology of the human living environment' and 'residue in the environment with possibility of damage' according to the requirement of Class□Specified Chemical Substances.

Note 2) Class□ and Class□ Monitoring Chemical Substances are to be abolished. Substances in these categories are to be designated as Substances with Priority Evaluation, if necessary, considering production and import quantities, uses, etc. .

Note 3) This is also applied for Class□ Specified Chemical Substances.

Note 4) Obligated to report in case of acquirement of new information on hazardous properties (except Class□ Specified Chemical Substances) .

Note 5) Instruction and advice on how to deal substances are given if necessary (Class□ Specified Chemical Substances, Monitoring Chemical Substances and Chemical Substances with Priority Evaluation). .