

It is important for an environmental management system to publish environmental information in a positive manner so that opinions and feedback can be collected from people within and outside the company, and to promote continued improvements of the system. For this reason, environmental information is being published in various ways.

Issue of Environmental Report 2001

“Environmental Report 2001” was made available on Oki’s web site to introduce the way in which the Oki group is conducting environmental protection programs and activities for people within and outside the company. Both Japanese and English versions are available, and these provide information of environmental efforts at Oki, centered on the results of such efforts.

The scope of our environmental accounting data was expanded including efforts in distribution and safety audits in addition to other items already included in the Environmental Report 2000.



Publication of Environmental Reports for Six Oki Sites

“Site Environmental Reports” providing summaries of detailed environmental efforts and results at six Oki sites were prepared and made available on the Oki’s web site: (<http://www.oki.com/jp/Home/JIS/Profile/ECO/2001/top.html>).

The reports are intended to publish detailed information, such as environmental impact data compliant with the local regulations and unique environmental efforts at individual production plants, to residents of the local communities as well as local governments in order to seek their understanding.

Reports of the following six districts were disclosed this time:

- ◆ Hachioji District (Hachioji City, Tokyo)
- ◆ Tokyo/Makuhari District
(Minato-ku, Tokyo and Mihama-ku, Chiba City)
- ◆ Takasaki District (Takasaki City, Gunma Prefecture)
- ◆ Tomioka District (Tomioka City, Gunma Prefecture)
- ◆ Honjo District (Honjo City, Saitama Prefecture)
- ◆ Numazu District (Numazu City, Shizuoka Prefecture)

Site environmental reports of the Oki group companies are planned to be published starting in 2002.

Exhibitions and Lectures

■ Lectures on the recycling of ATMs

Lectures on the recycling of automated teller machines (ATMs), intended for corporate and student audiences, were given at the “Seventh Environmental Symposium for Electronics Assembly” (in Osaka and Tokyo) sponsored by the Japan Welding Society.

■ Product exhibition at “Miyagi limono Techno Fair”

Oki Environment Technologies Inc. exhibited their automated ion monitoring equipment “Suimonban®”, which enables real-time remote monitoring of water quality using a personal computer, at the “Miyagi limono Techno Fair 2001.”

■ Lecture on “lead-free mounting technology”

A lecture on Oki’s technologies and efforts for lead-free mounting of electronic components on printed circuit boards was given at the technology seminar session sponsored by the Magazine House.

■ Participation in the “Environmental ISO Certified Site Exhibition”

The “Environmental ISO Certified Site Exhibition” sponsored by Numazu City was held at “Numazu Kira Messe” in January 2002. The Oki Electric Numazu District participated in this event and introduced examples of their environmental efforts.