



Reducing the Environmental Impact of Business Activities

Environmental Risk Management / Safety Management

Environmental risks can be regarded as “the probability of grave effects on the environment.” In addition to activities to cut the emission of environmental pollutants, the OKI group conducts regular measurements, carries out maintenance work for its facilities and conducts emergency drills to prevent the pollution of air and water – both environmental risks – in advance.

Preparedness and Response to Emergency Situations

Prevention of Environmental Risks

The OKI group takes preventive measures and conducts emergency response drills to reduce environmental risks at each site.



Fire-extinguishing activity by the fire-fighting team (Miyagi Oki Electric)



Training in the handling of chemical substances (Oki Data)



Fire-fighting drill by the private fire-fighting brigade (Oki Erfolg)



Safety training for semiconductor material gas (OKI Hachioji district)



Drill for response to gas leaks (OKI Hachioji district)



Training to prevent the leak-out of heavy oil (Nagano Oki Electric)



Drill for a leakage of semiconductor material gas (Miyazaki Oki Electric)



Drill for a leakage of chemical-containing waste water (Miyazaki Oki Electric)



Drill to respond to a leakage of hazardous objects (Shizuoka Oki Electric)

Underground Water Pollution / Soil Pollution

The OKI group has installed observation points in more than 100 locations, also covering all production sites including group companies, to monitor underground water at regular intervals. The concentration of hazardous substances at the borders of each of our premises satisfies environmental standards.

At a production site where the measurements at some observation points on the premises showed values slightly exceeding the environmental standards (Honjo city, Saitama prefecture), we have put adequate recovery measures in place upon the guidance and advice of the related community.

As for soil pollution, we found some during a soil pollution investigation conducted on the basis of law after the abolishment of legally designated facilities in Shibaura, Tokyo. However, following the instructions of the competent authorities, we finished replacing the polluted soil in fiscal 2004. In fiscal 2005 and 2006, no new soil pollution occurred.

Penalties / Claims

There were no environment-related penalties or claims in fiscal 2006. We process claims that we receive in an adequate way, isolating the cause and implementing measures to solve the problem.