

Societal Contributions

Based on our principle of respect for humanity, we strive to preserve the environment and contribute to society, in cooperation with governments and local communities.

Stance on Societal Contributions

At the core of TEL's business is the respect of humanity that has been part of the corporate philosophy since the company was established. The Tokyo Electron Group Credo and Principles on Environmental Preservation state, "TEL actively participates in environmental protection activities practiced by our customers, suppliers and communities." Each company and facility in TEL undertakes a variety of activities to preserve the environment and contribute to society, while building relationships of trust with governments and local communities. In the future, we would like to advance further in this along with customers and society direction along with customers and society. As we expand our activities as a part of our corporate mission.

Sponsorship for the Mount Fuji Restoration Campaign

TEL took up the challenge of helping to preserve the environment of Mount Fuji by becoming a sponsor of the "Live with Mount Fuji for a Week" event organized by the Mainichi Shimbun newspaper. This event was held as a part of the "Mount Fuji Restoration Campaign," which aims to restore the natural conditions of this mountain, a symbol of Japan's spirit and culture. A variety of events were held, including concerts and lectures, and the profits were used to purchase and install bio-toilets that use cedar chips in an effort to help preserve the environment and beauty of Mount Fuji.

Assistance for Rescue Operations

TEL donated approximately \$250,000 in emergency relief funds to the American Red Cross for victims of the terrorist attacks that occurred in New York on September 11, 2001. In addition, employees and families of our American subsidiaries donated a total of \$26,570 to the American Red Cross and the United Way September 11th Fund, and Tokyo Electron America, Inc. made a matching donation. In total, TEL donated more than \$300,000 for relief efforts. Few companies headquartered outside the United States made donations on this scale, and the American Red Cross sent a letter of appreciation to TEL headquarters. Through such donations, we hope that the hardships faced by the victims can be reduced, even if only in a small way.



Letter of Appreciation from the American Red Cross

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Tokyo Electron America's Societal Contributions

Support for Nature Protection

As a part of its support for environmental protection activities, Tokyo Electron America, Inc. (TEA) became a sponsor of a permanent research and educational display at the Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center. For the past twenty years, the Center has been introducing people to the beauty and richness of the natural world and conveying the message of the need to preserve wild plants and ecosystems.

In addition, employees of TEA participated in Wildflower Walk 2002, organized by the Center. Donations collected are used for environmental education and restoration of natural landscapes.



Energy Green Choice Champion

TEA, Inc. registered for the Energy Green Choice program of Austin Energy, a local power utility in Texas. As a "Green Choice Champion," TEA has become a pioneer in purchasing clean and renewable energy.

In the autumn of 2001, TEA made an agreement to purchase 100% of the electricity it uses from renewable energy sources. This was a first for any high tech company in Austin. Each year over the next 10 years, the company will purchase about 6.5 million kWh of electricity generated from wind power, solar power, and methane gas generated from landfills. This is equivalent to the electrical consumption of about 550 households.



Certified as an Energy Green Choice Champion

Societal Contributions of Our Major Plants in Japan

At each plant, a variety of activities are being conducted through close ties with the local community.

● Tokyo Electron Limited, Fuchu Technology Center

- Blood-donation drive in cooperation with the Japanese Red Cross Society
- Donations of used postage stamps to the Fuchu Volunteer Center (to raise funds for facilities at a home for the aged)
- Cooperation with and donations for the Fuchu City Welfare Society
- Support for the Accident Prevention Campaign organized by Asahi Photo News
- Participation in outdoor activities for the National Traffic Safety Campaign
- Support for the First Joint Concert of Fuchu Citizens and the Tokyo Fire Department Band, organized by the Fuchu Fire Station



Sponsorship for the Fire Department's Joint Concert

● Tokyo Electron AT Limited, Yamanashi Plant (two facilities)

- Participation in model project to prevent illegal dumping
- Neighborhood beautification in the Fujii and Hosaka areas
- Environment and Safety Award from the Labour Standards Inspection Office
- Summer work-study programs for local students
- Factory tours for local students
- Support and cooperation for local events and celebrations

- Blood-donation drive in cooperation with the Japanese Red Cross Society
- Donations and collections (public welfare organizations, Akaihane Community Chest charity campaigns, welfare societies, fire brigades, and sports associations)



Environment and Safety Award from the Labour Standards Inspection Office

● Tokyo Electron Tohoku Limited, Tohoku Plant

- Participation in the Iwate Prefecture South Region Resource Recycling System Project, aiming for zero emissions at the regional level
- Participation in the Green Campaign of the Esashi Industrial Park Occupant Committee
- Awareness campaign to stop unnecessary idling of vehicle engines
- Factory study and tour programs for technical college and high school students
- Blood-donation drive in cooperation with the Japanese Red Cross Society
- Other activities include donations to the Esashi City Welfare Society and implementation of traffic safety activities

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Participating in Paper Recycling System Design—the Tohoku Plant

In the southern region of Iwate Prefecture, local governments (regional business promotion bureaus) are playing a pivotal role in tackling the issue of paper recycling. They have created a committee to study resource-recycling systems with the participation of paper manufacturers, waste treatment businesses, and other local corporations. Tokyo Electron Tohoku Limited, Tohoku Plant participated in the paper recycling system sub-committee and cooperated to help develop a paper recycling system.

During fiscal 2001, the company carried out a trial paper recycling initiative for three months during a test of the system, and helped to identify problem areas. This project started full-scale operations in fiscal 2002.



Pamphlet promoting recycling of office paper

● Tokyo Electron Kyushu Limited, Kumamoto and Koshi Plants

- Garbage clean-ups and beautification in areas around the plants during Environment Month in June each year
- Blood-donation drive in cooperation with the Japanese Red Cross Society
- Cooperation in local events
- Cooperation and donations to Earth Week Kumamoto, which organizes No Car Day and symposiums to protect the global environment
- Cooperation with Akaihane Community Chest charity campaigns



Clean-up activities

● Tokyo Electron Kyushu Limited, Saga Plant

- Clean-ups and weed removal in public parks near the plant
- Promotion of campaign to stop unnecessary idling of vehicle engines
- Blood-donation drive in cooperation with the Japanese Red Cross Society
- Donations of used postage stamps and telephone cards



Eco-Office Letter of Commendation



Eco Office Certificate

The Saga Plant has been actively working to promote recycling and reduce the amount of garbage produced, and since 1998 has been recognized as an Eco Office by Tosu City. The plant undergoes regular inspections and aims to maintain this certification.