FY 2022 Targets & Results / FY 2023 Targets

Environmental target Reduce ${\sf CO2}$ emissions caused by the use of products designed to save energy at customers.

Goal&target Theme

Measures to combat global warming	1	to save energy at customers. • Deciding and formulating plans for subject products designed to save energy • Product development based on the plans	Continue activity	to save energy at customers. • Product development based on the plans • Improvement of each product's power consumption
	2	Replace low-temperature refrigerants (R-23, R-508A) with low-GWP substitute refrigerants in three products.	Continue activity	Replace low-temperature refrigerants (R-23, R-508A) with low-GWP substitute refrigerants in five products.
	3	Reduce CO ₂ emissions at suppliers. • Establishment of a results collection system and disclosure of results for the reference year • Holding CO ₂ reduction study workshops for suppliers	• Completed • Held 2 study workshops	Reduce CO ₂ emissions at suppliers. • Reducing CO ₂ emissions by 10% (compared to FY 2019 levels) • Holding CO ₂ reduction study workshops for suppliers
	4	Work to improve the CFC recovery system when products are scrapped. • Identifying CFC recovery results and organizing issues	Completed	Work to improve the CFC recovery system when products are scrapped. • Surveys and studies to expand and improve the CFC recovery system
	5	Reduce total CO ₂ emissions from business activities by 52% (compared to FY 2019)	Reduced by 82%	Reduce total CO ₂ emissions from business activities by 53% (compared to FY 2019)
	5-①	Reduction of leakage when products are charged with CFC	Continue activity	Implementation of measures to reduce leakage when products are charged with CFC
	5-②	Measures for improved energy conservation Replacement of equipment at laboratory testing service sites with energy-saving test chambers Formulation of a plan for investment in energy-saving equipment at our main office Switching from GHP to EHP	Targets not achieved, and reviewed Completed Completed	Measures for improved energy conservation • Replacement of equipment at laboratory testing service sites with energy-saving test chambers • Switching to energy-saving equipment and formulation of an investment plan for next fiscal year at our main offices
	5-③	Investigation and formulation of action plans for improving the ratio of on-site power generation	Completed	Installation and launch of in-house power generation facilities based on action plans
	5-④	Improving the renewable energy introduction rate at offices worldwide • Maintaining a 100% renewable energy usage rate at offices in Japan • Study for renewable energy introduction at overseas offices	Maintained/continued Continue activity	Improving the renewable energy introduction rate at offices worldwide • Renewable energy usage rate at overseas offices: 55%
	5-⑤	Changing company vehicles to EV • Formulation of an investment plan for switching company vehicles to EV	Continue activity	Changing company vehicles to EV • Replacing 10% of domestic group companies' vehicles with EVs (electric vehicles)
Preserving biodiversity	6	Contribute to sequestering CO2 by planting trees through our environmental preservation business. • Number of forest creation projects: 10 per year • Number of trees planted under guidance: 9,750 per year (amount of CO2 sequestered: equivalent to 18.3 t)	• 20 projects/year • 47,714 trees/year (CO ₂ equivalent: 90 tons)	Contribute to sequestering CO2 by planting trees through our environmental preservation business. Number of forest creation projects: 12 per year Number of trees planted under guidance: 11,700 per year (amount of CO2 sequestered: equivalent to 22.0 t)
	7	Work to expand orders for land evaluations, implementation guidance, and contracting related to preserving biodiversity. • Number of orders: 15 per year	• 31 projects/year	Work to expand orders for land evaluations, implementation guidance, and contracting related to preserving biodiversity. • Number of orders: 18 per year
	8	As part of events to commemorate the 75th anniversary of our founding, we hold the first ESPEC 50 Year Forest tree-planting festival in forest land owned by the national government at Eitakuji Temple in Sanda City, Hyogo Prefecture. • Number of trees planted: 4,000	• 4,000 trees	As part of events to commemorate the 75th anniversary of our founding, we hold the 2nd ESPEC 50 Year Forest tree-planting festival in forest land owned by the national government at Eitakuji Temple in Sanda City, Hyogo Prefecture. • Number of trees planted: 4,000
	9	Train human resources through environmental education at ESPEC Green School. • Expanding and carrying out environmental education for employees at consolidated group companies in Japan Number of trainees: 100 per year • Expanding and improving environmental education for local businesses and schools • Enhancing funding from the public trust, ESPEC Foundation for Global Environment Research and Technology Number of projects for funding: 15 or more per year	Completed reorganization of environmental training system Expanded/improved education in regions 18 projects/year	Train human resources through environmental education at ESPEC Green School. Expanding and carrying out environmental education for employees at consolidated group companies in Japan Number of trainees: 200 per year Expanding and improving environmental education for local businesses and schools Enhancing funding from the public trust, ESPEC Foundation for Global Environment Research and Technology Number of projects for funding: 15 or more per year
Other	10	Aim to increase the number of products collected by our product recycling service to 110% of the FY 2019 number.	102% (compared to FY 2019 levels)	Aim to increase the number of products collected by our product recycling service to 120% of the FY 2019 number.
	11	Observe laws related to chemical substances contained in products. • Activities for maintaining EU-RoHS and review of the compliance process for the next RoHS revision • Compliance with REACH • Improvement of company systems for compliance with chemical substances contained in products	Completed Continue activity Completed	Observe laws related to chemical substances contained in products. • Activities for maintaining EU-RoHS and standardization of the compliance process for the next RoHS revision • Compliance with REACH • Improvement of company systems for compliance with chemical substances contained in products
	12	Engage in manufacturing that does not produce pollution or waste in the development, design, or production processes. • Reduction of parts that use plastic by replacing them with alternative parts • Achieving 90% zero emissions of industrial waste at consolidated group companies in Japan (FY 2021: 86.9%)	Continue activity Re-examined definition of zero emissions	Engage in manufacturing that does not produce pollution or waste in the development, design, or production processes. • Reduction of parts that use plastic by replacing them with alternative parts • Achieving 94% zero emissions of industrial waste at consolidated group companies in Japan (FY 2021: 86.9%)
	13	Work to expand information disclosure for purposes such as compliance with CDP and TCFD. • Activities aimed at an environmental management target of an A-score in the CDP climate change report • Disclosing information in accordance with Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures (TCFD)	B score, selected for first time as Supplier Engagement Leader Completed	Work to expand information disclosure for purposes such as compliance with CDP and TCFD. Promoting activities aimed at an environmental management target of an A- score in the CDP climate change report and disclosing more information on biodiversity preservation Disclosing information in accordance with Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures (TCFD)

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