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## **Environmental Data**

## Initiatives for Reducing CO2 Emissions

Greenhouse Gas Emissions

Unit: kt-CO<sub>2</sub>

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA	147.6	150.9	139.7	128.5	122.5
Group companies in Japan	14.0	15.5	14.1	13.6	12.4
Overseas companies	91.6	90.8	85.3	78.2	76.3

Greenhouse Gas Emission Intensity Index (from energy consumption)

Unit: t-CO<sub>2</sub>/t

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA (the manufacturing division)	0.428	0.428	0.435	0.457	0.454
Group companies in Japan (the manufacturing divisions)	0.364	0.411	0.388	0.427	0.369

Breakdown of Greenhouse-Gas Emission Volumes in FY2024 (CO<sub>2</sub> equivalents)

Total			21	1.2 kt-CO <sub>2</sub>
Percentage	Electric power	40.4%	Non-energy sources	4.4%
breakdown	Steam	17.6%	Arising from production processes	4.6%
	Gas	20.8%	Fluorocarbons	0.3%
	Heavy oil and other fossil fuels	11.8%		

## CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions and Scope 3 Breakdown

Our consolidated group companies

Unit: kt-CO2

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Scope and category		Emissions
Scope 1		88.7
Scope 2		122.5
Scope 3*		916.5
Category1	Purchased goods and services	612.0
Category2	Capital goods	29.2
Category3	Fuel- and energy-related activities not included in Scope 1 and 2	49.8
Category4	Transportation and distribution	72.7
Category5	Waste generated by operations	18.3
Category6	Business trips	1.0
Category7	Employee commuting	2.2
Category9	Transportation and distribution (downstream)	9.4
Category12	End-of-Life Treatment of Sold Products	121.9

 $<sup>^{\</sup>star}$  Scope 3 does not include our six domestic subsidiaries without manufacturing facilities.

### **Resource Utilization**

Raw Materials/Manufacturing Volume

Unit: t

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Raw material input	192,519	198,710	181,423	178,704	175,134
Manufacturing volume	469,989	483,711	444,539	414,426	412,537





## **Energy-Saving Activities**

**Energy Consumption** 

Unit: thousand kL

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA	67.0	70.0	67.6	64.2	63.2
Group companies in Japan	7.9	8.6	9.8	7.0	6.4
Overseas companies*	27.9	30.0	27.8	27.1	28.6

<sup>\*</sup> Excluding Nihon Nohyaku's overseas subsidiaries

**Energy Consumption Intensity** 

Unit: thousand kL/t

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA (the manufacturing division)	0.1927	0.1970	0.2024	0.2132	0.2129

Breakdown of Energy Consumption in FY2024

Total			63.	2 thousand kL
	Electric power	47.4%	Gas	24.9%
breakdown Steam	19.7%	Heavy oil and other fossil fuels	7.9%	

## Preventing Water Pollution

Usage of Water

Unit: thousand m<sup>3</sup>

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA	11,657	12,280	11,943	11,359	11,077
Group companies in Japan	531	615	370	328	775
Overseas companies	455	470	461	455	457

Usage of Water (by source)

Unit: thousand m<sup>3</sup>

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Tap water	640	616	594	590	586
Groundwater	6,048	6,897	6,197	5,841	6,004
Brackish surface water/Seawater	2,745	2,952	3,384	3,154	3,035
Surface water (rivers, lakes, etc.)	0	0	0	0	0
Industrial use water	2,953	2,672	2,368	2,339	2,458
Other (pure water)	256	229	231	219	226

Water Discharge

Unit: thousand  ${\rm m}^{\rm 3}$ 

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA	9,388	10,130	10,643	9,910	9,605
Group companies in Japan	415	518	336	304	722
Overseas companies	295	338	270	269	286

By Drainage Destination

Unit: thousand m<sup>3</sup>

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Rivers, lakes, etc.	6,038	6,441	6,391	5,897	6,156
Seawater	3,021	3,223	3,631	3,393	3,286
Discharge to a third party	1,039	1,322	1,227	1,194	1,170





Chemical Oxygen Demand Emissions

Unit: t

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA	23.9	24.9	26.6	26.2	23.1
Group companies in Japan	3.4	16.4	1.9	15.5	17.9
Overseas companies	339.6	321.6	219.6	303.1	548.6

Biological Oxygen Demand Emissions

Unit: t

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA	29.4	33.6	33.1	35.8	29.0
Group companies in Japan	1.3	10.5	1.3	22.6	9.6
Overseas companies	4.1	4.9	6.8	8.6	98.7

## Preventing Air Pollution

SOx Emissions

Unit: t

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.9
Group companies in Japan	1.3	0.6	0.5	0.1	0.4
Overseas companies	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	13.7

NOx Emissions

Unit: t

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	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024		
ADEKA	53.6	69.7	96.2	33.5	36.6		
Group companies in Japan	10.0	4.4	0.9	5.6	5.0		
Overseas companies	1.6	1.1	2.3	1.3	15.1		

Soot/Dust Emissions

Unit: t

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA	4.2	3.6	2.7	2.2	2.6
Group companies in Japan	0.0	6.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
Overseas companies	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	31.1

## Appropriate Management of Chemical Substances

Discharge of PRTR Substances Scope: ADEKA and one domestic chemical manufacturing subsidiary

Unit: t

J. Comments	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA (Air)	14.2	20.4	11.1	27.5	23.0
ADEKA (Water)	3.0	3.0	3.0	5.9	4.7
Group companies in Japan (Air)	3.8	4.1	4.8	5.2	4.9

Transfer of PRTR Substances Scope: ADEKA and one domestic chemical manufacturing subsidiary Unit: t FY2020 FY2023 FY2024 FY2021 FY2022 ADEKA 164.8 244.4 113.0 157.6 154.1 Group companies in Japan 9.0 9.8 11.2 1.2 11.3





## Discharge and Transfer of Chemical Substances

Scope: ADEKA and one domestic chemical manufacturing subsidiary

Unit: t

Ordinance Designation Number	Substance		Disch	narge		Transfer		
		Air	Public Waters	Soil	Landfill Waste	Sewage	External Transfer	
53	Ethylbenzene	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	
56	Ethylene oxide	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
80	Xylene	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	16.0	
125	Chlorobenzene	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	16.0	
127	Chloroform	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	
128	Methyl chloride	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
157	1,2-Dichloroethane	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	24.0	
186	Dichloromethane	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	34.0	
207	Dibutylhydroxytoluene	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	
257	Decanol	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
272	Copper salts (water-soluble, except complex salts)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	
277	Triethylamine	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	14.0	
300	Toluene	16.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	23.1	
302	Naphthalene	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	
318	Carbon disulfide	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
392	Hexane	2.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.9	
395	Water-soluble salts of peroxodisulfuric acid	0.0	4.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	
405	Boron compounds	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	
438	Methyl naphthalene	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
453	Molybdenum and its compounds	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	
458	Tris (2-ethylhexyl) phosphate	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9	
591	Ethyl cyclohexane	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	
594	Butyl cellosolve	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	
603	Peracetic acid	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	
627	Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.3	
629	Cyclohexane	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	
691	Trimethyl benzene	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
708	(1-hydroxyethane-1,1-diyl) diphosphonate and its potassium and sodium salts	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
731	Heptane	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	
736	Acetic anhydride	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	0.1	
737	Methyl isobutyl ketone	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.0	
754	Dimethyl sulfate	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	
Sub-to	tal	27.7	4.7	0.0	0.0	2.0	166.7	
Other:	substances (54 types)	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	
Total		27.9	4.7	0.0	0.0	2.0	167.0	





## Appropriate Management of the Disposal of Industrial Waste

Industrial Waste Generated

Unit: kt

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA	46.4	49.0	45.1	39.9	42.0
Group companies in Japan	9.4	9.4	11.5	7.0	5.2
Overseas companies*	12.2	13.0	12.7	11.6	9.8
Total	68.0	71.4	69.3	58.5	57.1

<sup>\*</sup> Excluding Nihon Nohyaku's overseas subsidiaries

### Breakdown of Industrial Waste

Scope: ADEKA and Group companies in Japan

Total				47.2 kt
Percentage breakdown	Waste oil	36%	Various waste plastics	2%
breakdown	Waste acid	12%	Animal and plant wastes	1%
	Sludge	13%	Other	1%
	Waste alkali	35%		

## Outsourced Disposal of Industrial Waste

Unit: kt

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
ADEKA	18.5	17.8	15.5	11.3	13.1
Group companies in Japan	7.8	7.2	2.8	3.9	2.7
Overseas companies*	11.9	12.7	12.7	11.5	9.8
Total	38.2	37.8	31.0	26.7	25.7

<sup>\*</sup> Excluding Nihon Nohyaku's overseas subsidiaries

## Breakdown of the Total Volume of Waste Treated by External Contractors

Scope: ADEKA and Group companies in Japan

Total				15.8 kt
Percentage breakdown	Waste oil	18%	Various waste plastics	7%
breakdown	Waste acid	9%	Animal and plant wastes	3%
	Sludge	27%	Other	2%
	Waste alkali	33%		

### Zero Emissions Rate for Landfill Disposal of Industrial Waste

Scope: ADEKA and Group companies in Japan

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Final landfill volume (Unit: t)	44.0	42.5	127.0	36.7	40.7
Zero emissions rate (Unit: %)	0.09	0.08	0.26	0.09	0.09

## Recycling Rate

Scope: ADEKA and Group companies in Japan

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Recycling rate (Unit: %)	36.7	41.9	45.2	51.5	49.6





## **Environmental Accounting**

## **Environmental Conservation Costs**

Unit: Millions of yen (rounded to the nearest unit)

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Category Description of Main Initiatives	Environmental Conservation Cost	Amount of Environmental Investment				
(1) Business area cost						
Prevention of air, water and soil pollution and of noise, vibration, stench and land subsidence	1,776	227				
2) Global environmental conservation costs  Preventing global warming (conserving energy), preventing damage to the ozone layer	533	442				
3) Resource recycling costs  Reducing and recycling resources and minimizing the generation of waste material	689	47				
Green procurement, reducing the environmental burden imposed by containers and packaging, collecting and re-commercializing products	9	0				
Environmental ISO, disclosure of environmental information, environmental impact monitoring, greening	94	4				
(4) R&D cost R&D expenses for environmental conservation	641	102				
(5) Social activity cost  Greening and beautification of areas outside the offices and plants, donating and supporting environmental conservation organizations	4	2				
(6) Environmental remediation cost Purification efforts to improve water quality and remove soil pollution, restoration of nature	2	0				
Total	3,750	823				

### Environmental Conservation Effect

Classification	Environmental Performance Indicators	Unit	FY2023	FY2024	Year-on-year
Resources for business activities	Quantity of specific managed substances input	t	18,559	19,533	105.2%
Goods and services produced by	Quantity of used products, containers and packaging circulated and used	t	857	931	108.6%
business activities	Quantity of containers and packaging used	t	4,990	5,300	106.2%
Other	Emissions of environmentally hazardous substances from logistics	t	77,157	76,460	99.1%



Economic Effects with Environmental Conservation Measures

Unit: Millions of yen (rounded to the nearest unit)

Details of Effects	Amount
Income earned by recycling, profits from the sale of valuable resources, etc.	157
Reduction in costs through introducing resources from the environment into business activities	349
Reduction in the burden imposed by business activities on the environment and costs related to the generation of waste material	11
Total	516
Degree of effects (Calculated by dividing the economic effects resulting from environmental conservation activities by the costs of these activities)	11.3%

Cost of Environmental Initiatives and Amount Invested

Unit: Millions of yen (rounded to the nearest unit)

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Environmental conservation cost	2,413	3,776	2,657	2,376	3,750
Amount of environmental investment	1,100	964	755	553	823

#### Notes on environmental data:

- \*Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions for FY2019 through FY2022 are under review at some business locations.
- \* Environmental data covers companies covered by our consolidated financial results excluding our overseas sales subsidiaries, and the figures for FY2019 and beyond have been revised due to the inclusion of Nihon Nohyaku and its group companies in the scope of data.
- Nihon Nohyaku and its domestic group companies are included in the scope of data for greenhouse gas emissions from FY2019 onward. Its overseas group companies are also included from FY2020 onward.
- Nihon Nohyaku and its domestic companies are included in the scope of data for SOx emissions, NOx emissions and soot/dust emissions from FY2020 onward. In addition, its overseas group companies are also included from FY2023 onward.
- Nihon Nohyaku and its group companies are not included in the scope of data for usage of resources, usage of water, wastewater discharge, discharge and transfer of PRTR substances, zero emissions rate, and recycling rate.
- ADEKA, three ADEKA domestic manufacturing subsidiaries and the Nihon Nohyaku Group (excluding overseas subsidiaries) are included in the scope of data for environmental accounting.





## **Human Rights and Human Resources**

## **Expanding Opportunities for Utilizing Human Resources**

Human Resources Data

Scope: ADEKA

ltem	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Non-prescribed work time (per month)	14.6hours	13.7hours	13.4hours	13.3hours
Number of employees working Male	1	1	0	2
shortened hours Fema	e 34	32	48	24
Percentage taking annual paid leave	69.6%	70.7%	79.9%	76.5%
Percentage taking refreshment leave*	13%*	79%	81%	79%
Children Land tilinting	37.5%	49.1%	57.4%	86.8%
Childcare leave utilization rate	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of employees taking Male	27	26	31	46
childcare leave Fema	12	15	8	8
Number of employees taking nursing care leave of absence	2	2	0	1
Number of employees taking nursing care leave	14	16	18	29
Percentage returning Male	100%	100%	100%	100%
to workplace after childcare leave Fema	100%	100%	92%	92%
Job retention rate after childcare Male	100%	100%	100%	100%
leave	100%	100%	100%	100%
Percentage receiving health check-up	100%	100%	100%	100%
Repeat health check-up rate	97.0%	99.9%	99.9%	99.3%
Stress Checks: Rate of uptake Company-wide	99.9%	100.0%	100%	100%
Training Costs per Employee (thousand yen)	5.5	5.7	7.7	6.8
Average hours of annual training/education per employee	262.1min	179.8min	539.3min	221.8min

 $<sup>^{\</sup>star}$  Due to the impact of the worldwide COVID-19 pandemic, the rate of uptake of refreshment leave declined significantly.

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### Human Resources Data

Scope: ADEKA (Excluding consolidated employees)

Number of consolidated employees  Overall	FY2021 5,466	FY2022 5,494	FY2023	FY2024
Overall	,	3,474	5,512	5,453
	1,808	1,796	1,815	1,810
Number of non-consolidated Male	1,522	1,507	1,519	1,507
employees Female	286	289	296	303
Overall	38.9	39.6	39.9	40.2
Employee average age Male	39.2	39.8	40.2	40.6
Female	37.6	38.1	38.1	38.2
Overall	16.0years	16.5years	16.8years	17.1years
Average length of employment Male	16.3years	16.9years	17.3years	17.7years
Female	14.1years	14.6years	14.3years	14.4years
Women as percentage of employees	15.8%	16.1%	16.3%	16.7%
Women as percentage of managers	3.5%	4.6%	5.4%	5.8%
Overall	45	34	53	60
Number of new graduates hired Male	32	24	39	41
Female	13	10	14	19
Overall	3.4%	3.4%	3.1%	3.5%
Employee turnover rate Male	3.5%	3.3%	2.4%	3.2%
Female	2.7%	4.0%	7.6%	5.0%
Overall	2.5%	2.5%	2.3%	2.7%
Voluntary retirement rate	2.4%	2.4%	1.9%	2.4%
Female	3.0%	3.0%	5.3%	4.6%
Average monthly wage	379,260yen	382,399yen	394,601yen	416,761yen
New graduate starting salary (university graduates, includes housing allowance)	238,290yen	241,290yen	251,290yen	264,290yen
Number of foreign employees	9	11	14	16
Percentage of foreign employees	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%	0.9%
Number of employees with disabilities	34	35	43	43
People with disabilities as percentage of employees	2.13%	2.11%	2.43%	2.54%
Number of retirees rehired (End of fiscal year)	32	36	47	57
Number of retirees rehired (Fiscal year under review)	16	20	13	29
Percentage of retirees rehired (Fiscal year under review)*	100.0%	93%	92.9%	96.7%
Number of temporary employees	0	0	0	0

<sup>\*</sup> Including transfers of employees to posts at affiliated companies

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## Occupational Health and Safety

Number of Accidents by Year

Scope: ADEKA, ADEKA Group subsidiaries (excluding the Nihon Nohyaku Group) and subcontractors

	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Accidents with lost workdays	4	5	8	9	8
Accidents without lost workdays	8	3	8	5	5
Accidents with fatalities	0	0	0	0	0

### Promoting Upgrading of Work Environments

Key Labor-Management Meetings

Scope: ADEKA

Labor-management councils	Management councils	ADEKA Group labor-management conference	Management conference	
12 times a year	Twice a year	Once a year	Once a year	

### Response to Labor Standards Act Violations

When we receive guidance on a Labor Standards Act violation, we contact the relevant department and also make a report to the executive management. Upon consulting with the relevant department, we establish how we will rectify the identified issue and the time by which we will complete its rectification. We then manage progress until the issue has been rectified.

In addition, we share non-compliance issues company-wide to raise awareness of them and to prevent their recurrence.

# Governance



## **Corporate Governance Overview**

## Organizational design/Frequency of committee meetings (FY2024)

	Board of Directors	Audit and Supervisory Committee	Nomination and Remuneration Committee
Chairperson/Committee Chair	President and Chief Executive Officer	Internal director	External director
Structure		1 Internal director, 2 External directors	
Number of times held	Regular: 12, Extraordinary: 5, Total 17	6	5

## **Board of directors**

	As of June 30, 2022	As of June 30, 2023	As of June 30, 2024	As of June 30, 2025
Number of directors	16	10	10	10
Number of independent external directors	6	5	5	5
Number of female directors	1	1	1	2
Ratio of female directors on the Board of Directors	6%	10%	10%	20%
Ratio of women among Operating Officers	0%	0%	0%	0%

## Number of meetings

	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Board of Directors	17	17	17	17
Nomination and Remuneration Committee	4	3	4	5
Audit and Supervisory Committee	Audit & Supervisory Board: 2 Audit and Supervisory Committee: 4	6	6	6

## Governance



## Board of Directors' meeting status and attendance rate (FY2024)

Position and Name	Meeting Status and Attendance Rate
Hidetaka Shirozume, President and Chief Executive Officer, Representative Director (Chairperson)	100% (17 out of 17 meetings)
Haruhiko Tomiyasu, Representative Director and Senior Managing Executive Officer	100% (17 out of 17 meetings)
Youji Shiga, Director and Operating Officer	88% (15 out of 17 meetings)
Kiyoshi Masamune, Director and Operating Officer	100% (13 out of 13 meetings)
Shigeru Endo, External Director	100% (17 out of 17 meetings)
Makoto Horiguchi, External Director	100% (17 out of 17 meetings)
Naoya Takahashi, External Director	100% (13 out of 13 meetings)
Koichi Taya, Director, Full-time Audit and Supervisory Committee Member	100% (17 out of 17 meetings)
Akio Okuyama, External Director, Audit and Supervisory Committee Member	100% (17 out of 17 meetings)
Ikuko Hirasawa, External Director, Audit and Supervisory Committee Member	100% (17 out of 17 meetings)

<sup>\*</sup>Titles are those as they were at the time

### Audit and Supervisory Committee meeting status and attendance rate (FY2024)

Position and Name	Meeting Status and Attendance Rate
Koichi Taya, Director, Full-time Audit and Supervisory Committee Member (Chairperson)	100% (6 out of 6 meetings)
Akio Okuyama, External Director, Audit and Supervisory Committee Member	100% (6 out of 6 meetings)
Ikuko Hirasawa, External Director, Audit and Supervisory Committee Member	100% (6 out of 6 meetings)

## Nomination and Remuneration Committee meeting status and attendance rate (FY2024)

Position and Name	Meeting Status and Attendance Rate
Hidetaka Shirozume, President and Chief Executive Officer, Representative Director	100% (5 out of 5 meetings)
Shigeru Endo, External Director (Chairperson)	100% (5 out of 5 meetings)
Makoto Horiguchi, External Director	100% (3 out of 3 meetings)

### Violation of the law

	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Serious legal and reporting violations	0	0	0	0

## Compliance violations, etc.

	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Number of internal reports	9	4	10	14
Number of serious environmental accidents	0	0	0	0
Number of serious environmental laws and regulations violations	0	0	0	0
Fines and penalties related to violations of environmental laws and regulations	0yen	0yen	0yen	0yen

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## Prevention of corruption

	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023	FY2024
Number of disciplinary dismissals due to bribery and anti-corruption violations	0	0	0	0
Fines, penalties, and settlements attributable to bribery and anti-corruption violations	0yen	0yen	0yen	0yen

### Compliance Promotion Committee meetings (FY2024)

#### Compliance Promotion Committee

Meeting No.	Meeting Date	Contents
80th	April 15, 2024	Report on the activities by the Compliance Promotion Committee in FY2023 Compliance leader training policy Introduction of a global whistleblowing hotline
81st	July 29, 2024	Overview of the overseas affiliated company (seconded employee) compliance awareness survey Leadership training policy and guidelines for training by theme/law Report on the compliance activities by each department in the previous fiscal year and the issues to be addressed in the current fiscal year State of progress on the global whistleblowing hotline Report on other activities by the Compliance Promotion Committee since the last meeting
82nd	October 22, 2024	Guidelines for the FY2024 compliance seminar Interim report on the activities by the Compliance Promotion Committee in FY2024
83rd	February 3, 2025	FY2025 Compliance Promotion Committee Activity basic policy (draft) Report on the compliance awareness survey for employees seconded overseas Internal controls system check sheet (draft) report etc.

#### Group Compliance Council

Meeting No.	Meeting Date	Contents
40th	September 11, 2024	Report on the status of compliance efforts by each company
41st	March 12, 2025	Educational materials to promote awareness and understanding of the ADEKA Group's Code of Conduct Establishment of a global whistleblowing hotline Promotion of the use of simple e-learning Operational optimization and annual schedule for the Group Compliance Council and Group Risk Management Council

## Compliance-related education and training

- Education and training activities: level-based training, compliance leader training, theme and law-based training, in-workplace training, seminars and e-learning, etc.
- Information management and information security: revision of information management and security-related regulations and standards, and education and training
- Measures to prevent harassment: harassment prevention policy formulation and rollout to subsidiaries, and education and training
- Annual briefing on insider trading regulations
- Annual briefing on the Anti-Monopoly Act
- Preparation and distribution of educational materials using the results of a bribery risk assessment

# **Acquisition of Management System Certification**



## Scope: ADEKA and ADEKA group subsidiaries (excluding the Nippon Nohyaku Group)

#### ISO 22301(Business Continuity Management Systems (BCMS))

Head Office relevant departments, Soma Plant and ADEKA LOGISTICS CORP. (Nov. 2013)

#### BS25999 (Business Continuity Management Systems (BCMS))

ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL TAIWAN CORP. (Aug. 2008)

## ISO 9001 (Quality Management Systems)

Mie Plant (Jun. 1993)

Kashima Chemicals Plant and Kashima Foods Plant (Apr. 1996)

Fuji Plant (Jan. 1997)

Chiba Plant (Jul. 1997)

ADEKA POLYMER ADDITIVES EUROPE SAS (Jul. 1997)

OXIRANE CHEMICAL CORP. (Oct. 1997)

Soma Plant (Aug. 1998)

ADEKA CLEAN AID CORP. (Oct. 1999)

ADEKA KOREA CORP. (Jan. 2000)

AMFINE CHEMCAL CORP. (Oct. 2001)

ADEKA ENGINEERING & CONSTRUCTION CORP. (Mar. 2002)

KUKDO CHEMICAL (KUNSHAN) CO., LTD. (Mar. 2004)

ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL (CHANGSHU) CO., LTD. (May 2005)

TOKYO ENVIRONMENTAL MEASUREMENT CENTER CO., LTD. (Aug. 2005)

ADEKA (SINGAPORE) PTE.LTD. (Apr. 2006)

ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL TAIWAN CORP. (Jul. 2006)

ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL (THAILAND) CO., LTD. (Dec. 2006)

AM STABILIZERS CORP. (Mar. 2013)

ADEKA AL OTAIBA MIDDLE EAST LLC (Sep. 2018)

ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL (ZHEJIANG) CO., LTD. (Oct. 2020)

#### ISO 14001 (Environmental Management Systems)

Mie Plant (Dec. 1996)		
Kashima Chemicals Plant and Kashima Foods Plant (Mar. 1998)	Coverage rate of obtaining	
Fuji Plant (Apr. 2000)	ISO 14001 certifica	ition
Chiba Plant (May 2000)	ADEKA	100%
Soma Plant (Aug. 2000)		
Akashi Plant (Mar. 2001)		(7/7)
OXIRANE CHEMICAL CORP. (Mar. 2001)	ADEKA Group	30%
TOKYO ENVIRONMENTAL MEASUREMENT CENTER CO., LTD. (Feb. 2003)	subsidiaries	(11/36)
ADEKA KOREA CORP. (Jan. 2006)		
ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL (CHANGSHU) CO., LTD. (Jul. 2006)		
ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL TAIWAN CORP. (Feb. 2007)		
AMFINE CHEMCAL CORP. (Sep. 2007)		
ADEKA FOODS (CHANGSHU) CO., LTD. (Aug. 2009)		
ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL (THAILAND) CO., LTD. (Jan. 2010)		
ADEKA POLYMER ADDITIVES EUROPE SAS (Aug. 2010)		
ADEKA AL OTAIBA MIDDLE EAST LLC (Dec. 2019)		
ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL (ZHEJIANG) CO., LTD. (Oct. 2020)		

# **Acquisition of Management System Certification**



#### FSSC 22000 (Food Safety System Certification)

Kashima Foods Plant West Site (Dec. 2011)

Kashima Foods Plant East Site (Dec. 2014)

Akashi Plant (Mar. 2015)

ADEKA FINE FOODS CORP. (Apr. 2016)

ADEKA (SINGAPORE) PTE.LTD. (May 2016)

ADEKA FOODS (CHANGSHU) CO., LTD. (Sep. 2016)

ADEKA FOODS (ASIA) SDN.BHD. (Oct. 2017)

#### TPM Award (Total Productive Maintenance)

Chiba Plant: 1994 Excellence Award Mie Plant: 1995 Excellence Award

OXIRANE CHEMICAL CORP.: 1995 Excellence Award

Akashi Plant: 2000 Excellence Award

Kashima Chemicals Plant and Kashima Foods Plant: 2007 Excellence Award-Special Award for TPM Achievement

Fuji Plant: Award for TPM Excellence, Category A (2010)

### ISO 45001/OHSAS 18001 (Occupational Health and Safety Management Systems)

Mie Plant (Sep. 2000)  Kashima Chemicals Plant and Kashima Foods Plant (Nov. 2002)  Soma Plant (Dec. 2002)	ISO 45001 certification covera	ge
Akashi Plant (Mar. 2003) Chiba Plant (Oct. 2003)	ADEKA	100%
Fuji Plant (Dec. 2003)  ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL TAIWAN CORP. (Jun. 2007)  ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL (CHANGSHU) CO., LTD. (Jul. 2009)	ADEKA Group subsidiaries	(7/7) <b>19</b> %
ADEKA FOODS (CHANGSHU) CO., LTD. (Aug. 2009)  ADEKA KOREA CORP. (Apr. 2010)  ADEKA POLYMER ADDITIVES EUROPE SAS (Dec. 2013)		(7/36)

ADEKA POLYMER ADDITIVES EUROPE SAS (Dec. 2013)

ADEKA AL OTAIBA MIDDLE EAST LLC (Sep. 2018)

ADEKA FINE CHEMICAL (ZHEJIANG) CO., LTD. (Oct. 2020)