Malaysia Green Procurement Seminar

Green Purchasing Activities of Osaka Gas

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Summary History, Recognition and Future plans

Key facts

Osaka Gas

Operation start: 1905

No. of customers: 7 million customers
 (30% of the total gas market in Japan)

·LNG purchase: 7 million tons

Revenue: US\$ 10 billion
 (consolidated basis, FY ended March 2007)

Natural Gas Value Chain











LNG Receiving Regasification

Transmission/ Distribution

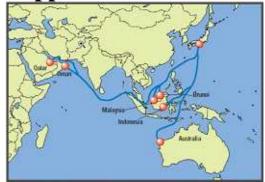


Service area in Kansai region





Suppliers to Osaka Gas



LNG: Liquefied Natural Gas

Key facts Osaka Gas' Relationships with Malaysia

1. Import LNG from Malaysia

Partner: Malaysia LNG Sdm.Bhd.

Volume: 0.7 million ton per year(2006) max 1.7 million ton per year(2009-)

2. Procurement of pipe materials (2001-)

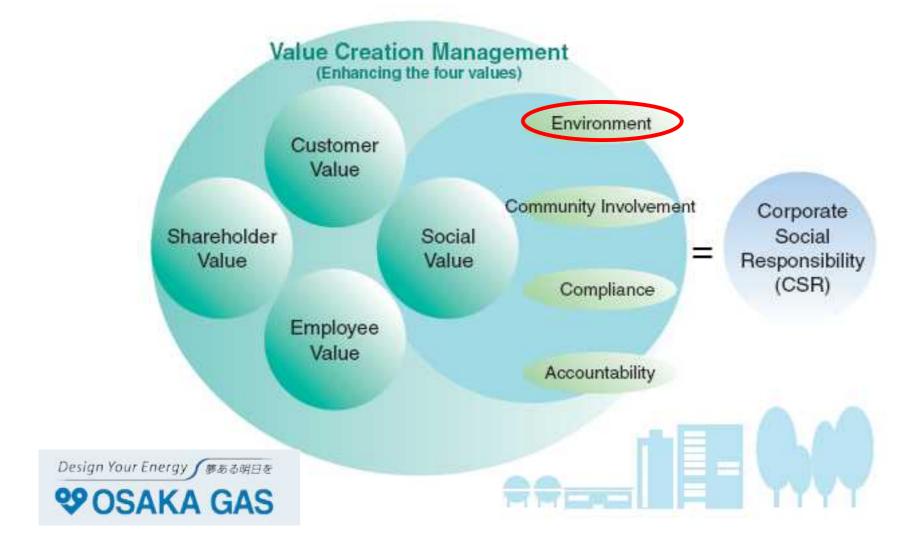
3. Grant programs





Value Creation Management

Environment is the most important factor in social value creation.



Outline

Green purchasing Activities in City Gas Business

Products

Services

Stationeries

Papers

Vehicles

NGVs

Pipe materials

Pipeline installation **Building** work

Waste PE pipe











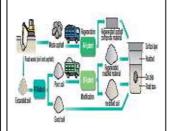


Hazardfree materials





Road Waste Recycling **System**



Saving Office **Building**

Energy



OG EA21 School

Guidelines Green Purchasing Guidelines and Company Manuals

Osaka Gas Group Environmental Activities Philosophy



Osaka Gas Group Environmental Activities Policy



Eco-friendly purchasing

Green Purchasing Guidelines established in 2000 for 1200 suppliers

http://www.osakagas.co.jp/purchase/us/green_e.html



compliance enforced

Guidelines revised, incorporated into company manuals in 2005

Supplier Meetings (including explanation of green purchasing)

Osaka Gas' EMS Certification Programs

Three programs for suppliers' EMS certification

- (1) Green Partner Initiative for pipe materials suppliers
- (2)Osaka Gas EA21(EMS) School for smaller suppliers
- (3)OG-EMS for suppliers of Osaka Gas Group

Program 1 Green Partner Initiative - for pipe material suppliers -

Evaluating 40 major suppliers' environmental efforts

(EMS acquisition, manufacturing of eco-products)



March 2005 Surveys, Hearings

As of November 2007 Registration (17 suppliers)

By March 2008 (target date) 20 suppliers to be registered

After April 2008 Purchasing priority to EMS suppliers

Program 2

Osaka Gas EA21 School - for smaller suppliers -

Eco Action 21

simplified EMS for smaller companies in Japan

"Partner Companies Greening Program" by government

for promotion of Eco Action 21

March 2006 The program was launched by government.

June 2006 Osaka Gas applied for the program with its suppliers.

July 2006 Authorized as one of the 3 model companies

2006-07 Osaka Gas EA21 School



15 suppliers got EA21 and the remaining 5 to be certified shortly

Program 3 Osaka Gas EMS - for suppliers of Osaka Gas Group

Osaka Gas EMS

simplified EMS granted by Osaka Gas for group suppliers

Four Requirements

1.CO2 reduction 2.copy paper reduction

4.green purchasing 3.waste management

March 2005 Osaka Gas EMS established

Initial registration Dec. 2005



15 suppliers certified At present

Cases

Cases of Green purchasing Products & Services

Products

Services

Stationeries

Papers

Vehicles

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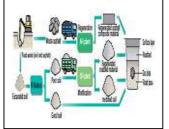
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Road Waste Recycling

System



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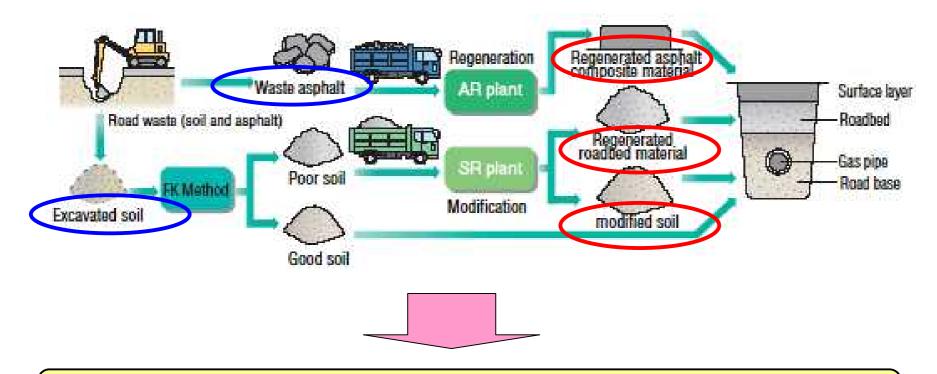
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Recycle of Excavated Soil

Comprehensive Road Waste Recycling System

This plant separates wastes from pipe installation work into waste asphalt and excavated soil, reusing the waste asphalt as regenerated asphalt and the excavated soil as either regenerated roadbed material or modified soil.



The recycling rate has reached 82%

Case 2 Natural Gas Vehicles

Green Vehicles

Promotion within the Company and suppliers:

- (1)Osaka Gas's vehicles
 - •71% are NGVs (Sept. 2007)
 - · Plan to replace all vehicles with NGVs by **March 2011**
- (2)Suppliers' vehicles

Ask suppliers to replace their vehicles to visit our offices with NGVs and other low-emission vehicles

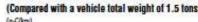
Promotion outside of the Company

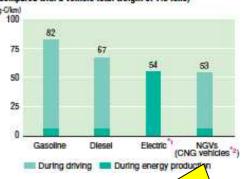
(as of Dec.2007) No. of NGVs **NG Stations**

Kansai area 8,706 (26%) 72 (22%)

33,359 **Nationwide** 324

CO 2 emission





35% lower than that of gasoline-powered vehicles



NGV



FSC Certified Paper &Osaka Gas Recycled Paper

Introduction of FSC certified paper

FSC (Forest Stewardship Council)

Papers originated from properly managed forests under very strict standards considering the entire aspects of environmental, social and economic situations.

2007 Copying paper

Printed matters (CSR Report, calendar etc.)

Expanded use of Osaka Gas Recycled Paper

OSAKA GAS RECYCLED PAPER

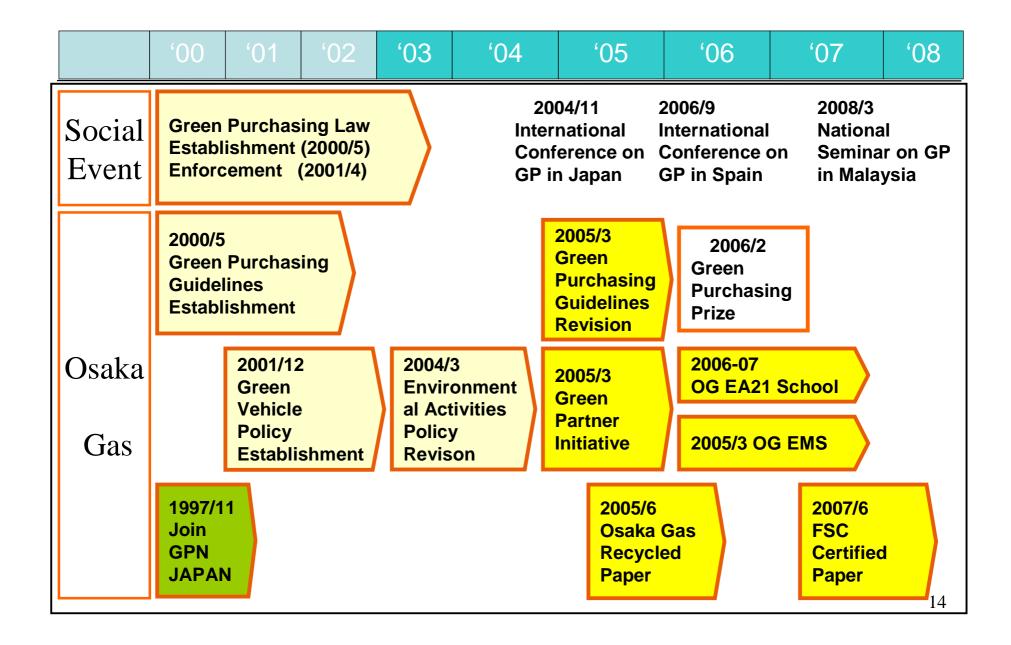
Recycled use of internally used papers in Osaka Gas



2005- Gas appliance catalogues, in-house journals etc.

Summary

History of Osaka Gas' Green Purchasing Activities



Summary Recognition for Green Purchasing by Osaka Gas

Environmental Management Survey" by the Nikkei Newspaper

5 Evaluation items

- 1.administration/objectives 2.contamination measures
- 4. global warming countermeasures 3.waste recycling
- 5. office activities (including green purchasing activities)

Result

Among top 3 of electricity and gas utilities in Japan In 2006, No.1

Summary Future Plans

While encouraging all our suppliers to manufacture and provide eco-friendly products and obtain EMS certification, Osaka Gas intend to draw up and provide new support programs

Further expanding green purchasing through the entire supplier chain

Communication with Green Purchasing counterparts gives us a lot of new idea.

Thank You for Your Kind Attention!



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