

The Ricoh Group's Environmental Conservation Activities in Fiscal 2007

■ Fiscal 2007 (from April 2007 to March 2008)

	The Ricoh Group's Activities		Society's Recognition of the Ricoh Group's Activities
2007 May	Ricoh Americas Corporation (RAC) presents the Ricoh Sustainable Environment Award in the International Science & Engineering Fair (ISEF), one of the largest science contests for high school students.	2007 April	The Ricoh Group Sustainability Report (Environment) is given an Excellence Award at the 10th Environmental Report Awards.
May	The European Environment Conference is held in Halderen, the Netherlands.		Ricoh Fukui Plant's 2006 Environmental Report is given a Continued Excellence Award for the Site Report at the 10th Environmental Report Awards.
June	Ricoh Global Eco Action is held at all Group companies around the world to think about the global environment and take action.	June	The Ricoh Group receives the highest AAA environmental rating by the Tohmatsu Evaluation and Certification Organization, Japan, for the third consecutive year.
June	Ricoh signs Caring for Climate: The Business Leadership Platform of the United Nations Global Compact.	June	Miyazaki Ricoh is recognized by the Miyazaki Environmental Council as a great contributor to environmental conservation in Miyazaki Prefecture in 2007.
June	Ricoh organizes the Wonders of a Photocopier Exhibition held at the National Museum of Emerging Science and Innovation (the exhibition lasts until August).	June	Ricoh Asia Industry receives the Guangdong Eco-Friendly Manufacturer Award from Guangdong Province, China.
July	Construction of Ricoh's new manufacturing plant for P&P toner (polymerized toner) starts on the premises of Ricoh Numazu Plant. The new plant is scheduled to begin operation in August 2008.	June	Ricoh receives the Grand Pearl Prize in the environmental management section of the Fifth Japan Sustainable Management Awards
October	The 24th Ricoh Nature Seminar Elementary Course is held at Higashimatsuyama Training Center. The total number of environmental volunteer leaders reaches 395.	July	Ricoh Asia Pacific is once again recognized by the Singapore Environment Council as a corporation promoting eco offices.
November	The 1st Chinese Environment Conference is held at Ricoh China in Shanghai.	2008 January	Ricoh is chosen as one of the Global 100 Most Sustainable Corporations in the World for the fourth consecutive year.
November	The 25th Ricoh Nature Seminar Elementary Course is held in Shibata-machi, Miyagi Prefecture. The total number of environmental volunteer leaders reaches 411.	January	Ehime Branch of Shikoku Ricoh is accredited as an Ehime Prefecture Resource-Recirculating Model Office
November	Ricoh Asia Pacific holds the 5th Asia Pacific AP Environment Meeting in Hong Kong.	January	Ricoh is given the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry Award in the Global Environment Awards.
November	Ricoh acquires CO ₂ emission credits of 30,632 tons for its CDM projects (wind power generation in India).	February	Ricoh Keiki is recognized by Saga Prefecture as a contributor to the prefectural campaign to promote environmental activities.
December	GREEN ADVANTAGE, an environment conference in the Americas, is held in RAC's Head Office.	February	South Plant of Ricoh Numazu Plant receives the Kanto Bureau of Economy, Trade and Industry Director-General's Award as an excellent energy management plant.
December	Ricoh holds a briefing session on RICO ₂ RET (Ricoh CO ₂ Reduction & Evaluation Tool), with 64 suppliers attending.	February	Sanai Logistics System (Kyushu) is accredited as a Fukuoka Prefecture Eco-Office.
December	Ricoh's imagio MP C7500/6000 is launched, featuring a new low-temperature fixing P&P toner (polymerized toner) with greater energy-saving capability.	February	Ricoh Group's 2007 sustainability reports (Environmental Report, Corporate Social Responsibility Report, and Annual Report) and Ricoh Fukui Plant's 2007 Environmental Report are given Excellence Awards in the 11th Environmental Communication Awards (organized by the Japanese Ministry of the Environment and others).
2008 February	Environmentally-friendly multifunctional digital copier, imagio Neo 753RC/603RC series, is launched.		
February	The 14th Ricoh Group's Sustainable Environmental Management Conference is held at Ricoh Ohmori Office.		
February	The 7th Ricoh Green Procurement Meeting is held, with 274 suppliers attending.		

* For the chronology of our activities before April 2007, please visit <http://www.ricoh.com/environment/global/all/index.html>