

Office Activities

We are striving to reduce copy paper use and save energy. Moreover, each and every Murata employee is aware of the importance of environmentally friendly practices to be followed in everyday work.

Activities to Reduce Environmental impact in Offices

Beginning in fiscal 2005, Murata introduced ISO14001 standards for activities in offices, including the Head Office, Tokyo Branch and sales branches. On the basis of these standards, initiatives are under way for copy paper reduction, waste separation and energy saving. By reviewing copying needs and using the back side of scrap paper, in fiscal 2005 copy paper consumption was collectively reduced by 30% from fiscal 2004 levels at the Head Office, Tokyo Branch and other sales branches.

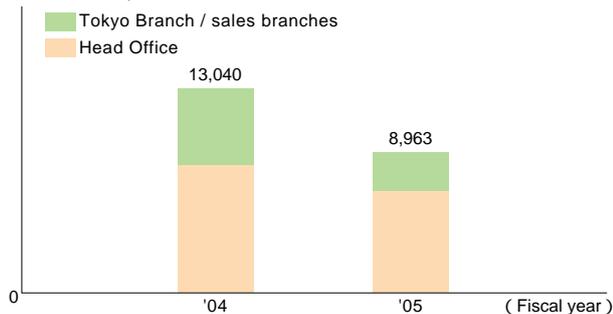
At sales divisions, we encourage customers to convert to RoHS-compliant products, and promote sales of smaller products. The Functional Staff Division promotes environmental activities in the industry group, while always seeking what we can do, together with our stakeholders, to positively influence the environment in our day-to-day operations.

DATA CO₂ Emissions in Offices



Waste separation at office

Use of copy paper
(One thousand)



Introduction of Low-emission Vehicles

Murata has implemented measures to switch vehicles for business use to low-emission vehicles. In fiscal 2005, we introduced 11 hybrid vehicles. We will further promote the changeover to hybrid cars and other types of low-emission vehicles, and are planning to complete this conversion by the end of fiscal 2010.



Low-emission vehicles

Introduction of low-emission vehicles
(Unit)

