

# Fujitsu Components Group Environmental Report FY2015

The Fujitsu Components Group has been working its environmental management policy that aims for an eco-friendly and human-friendly society by offering components that provide energy savings, utilization of renewable energies and bringing our business activities more eco-friendly.

## 1. Greeting

FY2014 was the second year of the 6<sup>th</sup> Stage of the “Fujitsu Components Group Environmental Protection Program” and we successfully achieved all targets aiming to “development and offer of eco-friendly products”, “collaboration with society”, “activities as good corporate citizens”, “reduction of green house gas”, “improvement of energy efficiency”, “promotion to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emission of business partners”, and “hold down of waste generation”.

In this fiscal year, PDU (Power Distribution Units \*1) which contribute to reduce the power loss during AC/DC conversion was assessed its safety and effectiveness and won the 59<sup>th</sup> Shibusawa Award\*2. Also the deliveries of the relays were started for smart meter, which enables the effective use of electricity, and for regeneration system which improves fuel efficiency on vehicles.

The Fujitsu Components Group recognizes the role and responsibility toward the environment and biodiversity conservation, and contributes to a sustainable environment and society along with the FUJITSU Group’s “Environmental Policy” and mid-term environmental vision of the “Green Policy 2020”.

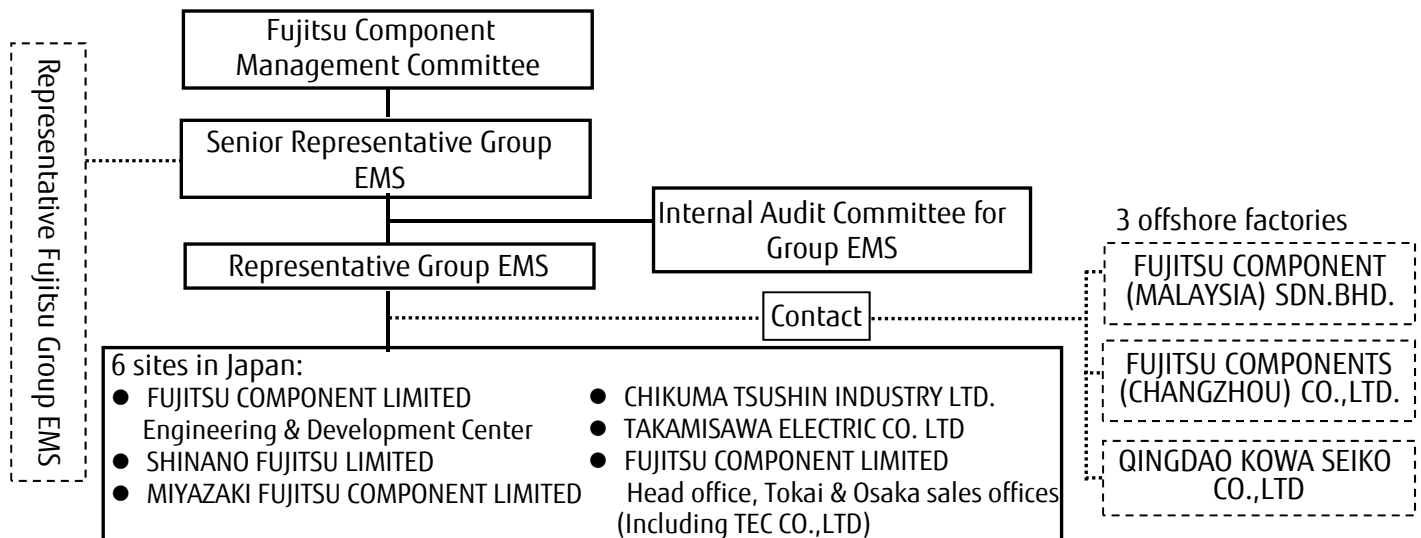


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\*1 : PDU was collaboratively developed with NTT FACILITIES, INC.

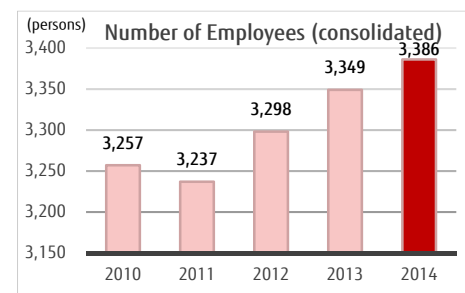
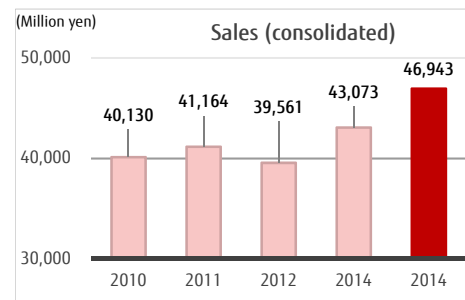
\*2 : Shibusawa Award is the only private award in electrical safety field in Japan.

## 2. Organization of Environmental Activities



### 3. Group Profile

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President	Koichi Ishizaka
Founded	September 17, 2001
Main Business	Manufacturing and sales of connecting components (relays and connectors), input/output devices (touch panels, thermal printers), wireless modules and other applied electrical devices
Capital	6,764 million yen (as of March 31, 2015)
Sales	46,943 million yen (consolidated, FY2014)
Financial Year End	March 31
Employees	3,386 (consolidated, as of end of March 2015)
Equity Market	Second Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, code 6719
Group Composition	The Group is composed of total 14 companies; 6 Japanese companies including 1 sales company, and 8 overseas companies including 5 sales companies



### 4. Environmental Policy, Environmental Protection Program

#### ■ Fujitsu Components Group Environmental Policy

##### Philosophy

The FUJITSU COMPONENTS Group, member of the FUJITSU Group, recognizes the value and importance of protecting the global environment as one of the most important issues. Our environmental philosophy is:

"We shall keep the best corporate activities while improving our coexistence with the environment."

As an enterprise that develops, designs, manufactures and sells electrical components, we promote environmental management to realize low carbon and affluent society in accordance with ISO14001.

##### Action Plans

- We continuously improve our environmental management system and promote the prevention of environmental pollution by affirming environmental aspects of our activities, products and services.
- We offer products that contribute to achieve both environmental and economical goals.
- We comply with various environmental laws which involve our activities, products and services and other requirements.
- We continue to ban of hazardous substances in our products as specified by Fujitsu Components Group. We do not use or include any hazardous substances in our products, nor do we discharge any hazardous substances into the environment.
- Every staff shall strive to improve the environment including climate control and biodiversity conservation through their work and as private citizens and try to diffuse enlightenment.

##### Accentuation Items

We promote the following as the most important aspects of our environmental management policy in regards to our activities, products, and services:

1. Development and provision of eco-friendly products
2. Co-operation with society and contribution to social activities as a good corporate citizens
3. Reduction of greenhouse gas (GHG) emission
4. Improvement of energy efficiency
5. Promotion of reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> emission in partner companies
6. Limitation of waste emission

##### Supplements

1. This policy is documented and made public to our employees, our group members and other parties concerned
2. The Environmental Control Division is responsible for the policies mentioned above.

## 5. The 6<sup>th</sup> Stage Group Environmental Protection Program (FY2013 to FY2015)

This Environmental Protection Program states the action plan to be implemented by our group Environmental Policy and important control items. It is the medium term action plan to be achieved by FY2015.

### Development and provision of eco-friendly products

Each product family to develop at least one new eco-friendly product by FY2015.

- I. Product has leading energy-efficiency. <sup>\*1</sup>
- II. Product's resource efficiency is increased by 10% or more compared to FY2011. <sup>\*2</sup>

### Cooperation with society

We promote resource provision through collection of used stamps, eco-cap recovery etc. for the activities addressing resolution of social and environmental issues such as biodiversity conservatory.

### Activities as a good corporate citizen

We continuously enhance social contribution activities that corporate members can take back to their communities.

### Reduction of greenhouse gas (GHG) emission

We will reduce total emission amount of energy origin CO<sub>2</sub> by 27%<sup>\*3</sup> compared to FY2000 (22,777t-CO<sub>2</sub>)<sup>\*4</sup> by FY2015.

### Improvement of energy efficiency

We will improve specific energy consumption<sup>\*5</sup> in a facility by an average of 1% per year.

### Promotion of reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> emission by partner companies

We will promote reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> emission by all our partner companies.

### Waste emission limits

We will generate less waste that will not exceed an average of FY2007 to FY2011 totals (839t) by FY2015.

<sup>\*1</sup>: Leading products (world-first, industry-first, world-best, industry-best) in and other products which meet the criteria that requires to rank in the top 25% in the market in energy efficiency.

<sup>\*2</sup>: Improvement of product's resources (smaller, lighter, thinner, reducing number of parts) or resource circulation (reducing waste amount, recycle).

<sup>\*3</sup>: Target value was amended due to GHG emission increase resulting from new line adder.

<sup>\*4</sup>: CO<sub>2</sub> conversion coefficient: 0.407ton-CO<sub>2</sub>/MWh at FY2002 is used for power conversion coefficient.

<sup>\*5</sup>: Specific energy consumption means energy consumption amount per unit such as per sales amount, per production quantity, etc.

## 6. Fujitsu Components Group Environmental Targets and Achievements

Item	The 6 <sup>th</sup> Stage Group Environmental Protection Program Goals	FY2014			FY2015
		Targets	Results	Rating	Target
Social contribution activities	<b>Development and provision of eco-friendly products</b> Each product family should develop at least one new eco-friendly product by FY2015. i. Product having a leading energy-efficiency. ii. Product's resource efficiency is increased by 10% or more compared to FY2011.	Develop min. 2 products among products family	Developed 6 products among 5 product families	Good	Develop 2 new eco-friendly products
	<b>Cooperation with society</b> We promote the activities addressing resolution of social and environmental issues such as biodiversity conservatory.	Implement min.1 activities at each site (Total:18)	20 activities completed	Good	Implement min. 1 activities at each site (Total:20)
	<b>Activities as a good corporate citizen</b> We continuously enhance social contribution activities that corporate members can take back to their communities.	Implement min.1,501h in total of all sites	2,053h performed	Good	Implement min. 1,658h in total of all sites
Own business activities	<b>Reduction of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions</b> We will reduce total emission amount of energy origin CO <sub>2</sub> by 27% <sup>(1)</sup> compared to FY2000 by FY2015.	Hold it down to below 16,421t-CO <sub>2</sub>	15,617t-CO <sub>2</sub>	Good	Hold it down to below 16,578t-CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>(2)</sup>
	<b>Improvement of energy efficiency</b> We will improve specific energy consumption in a facility by an average of 1% per year.	Improve rate min.1.99% against an average of 3 objective sites of FY2012	Av. 11.3% improvement	Good	Improve rate min. 2.97% against an average of 3 objective sites Of FY2012
	<b>Promotion of reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> emission in partner companies</b> We will promote reduction of CO <sub>2</sub> emission by all our partner companies.	Extend it to 223(91.5%) among total 223 suppliers	Confirmed 208 (92%) supplier carried program	Good	Aim 100% including new suppliers
	<b>Waste emission limits</b> We will generate less waste so that it does not exceed an average of FY2007 to FY2011 (839t) by FY2015.	Reduce it to less than 703.6t	643.5t	Good	Reduce it to less than 650t

## 7. Environmental Activities

### Development of Eco-friendly Products

We, Fujitsu Components Group strive to deliver eco-friendly products which improve the environment and commercial aspect through continuous development of top level products in use of saving energy and renewable energy markets.

Improvements	Products	Products developed
Energy efficiency	Wireless modules	<920MHz band Specified low power wireless module> -2 time longer communication distance compared to existing products materialized. -Top level power saving in the market.
	KVMs	<1U lift-up drawer (8 ports KVM switch built-in model)> -Power saving rate by 5% achieved -Power saving by modifying LCD panel.
	KVMs	<KVM switch DVI model> -Power saving rate by 4% achieved -Low power consumption model
Resource efficiency	Relays	<EV/HEV/PHV relays> -Weight reduction rate by 16% achieved
	Connectors	<High speed connector> -Weight reduction rate by 38% achieved.
	Thermal printers	<Small side panel mount printing unit> -Weight reduction rate by 25% achieved



Specified low power wireless module



Small size panel mount printing unit



EV/HEV/PHV relay

### Management of restricted chemical substances in products

Chemical component information of raw and auxiliary materials used in our products have been controlled based on the reports provided by material suppliers. Products conform to any regulations/laws and customer standards are developed by reflecting such chemical information. Any new chemical substances added by European RoHS directives and REACH regulations are studied immediately after release and the conformity of those adders are reflected on our products .

### Green procurement

The procurement of all raw and auxiliary materials are made in line with "Green procurement agreement" and "Environmental common procurement specification" and actual procurement always come with certificate which guarantee non-use of restricted materials specified by Fujitsu Limited and Fujitsu Components group and AIS data\*1.

We also ask all supplier partners the implementation of building the environmental management system as well as prevention of global warming and biodiversity program to further reduce the environmental load throughout supply chain.

#### <Actions to Conflict minerals>

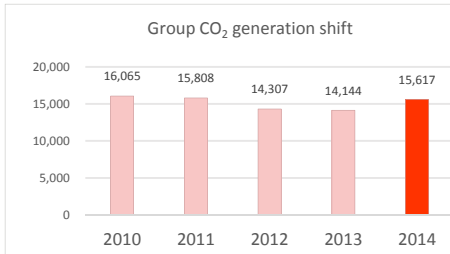
In order to supply reliable information to the customers, the usage of conflict minerals\*2 on our products are investigated in line with OECD Due Diligence Guidance and CFSI (Conflict-free Sourcing Initiative).

\*1 : AIS stands for Article Information Sheet, a standard format recommended by JAMP(Joint Article Management Promotion-consortium) to disclose/transmit information of chemical substances contained.

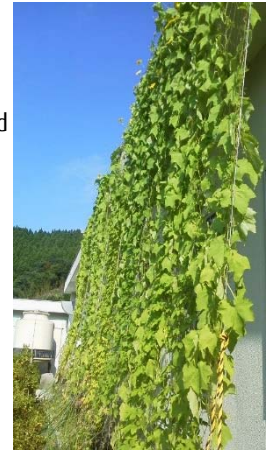
\*2 : 4 minerals ( Tin, Tantalum, Tungsten and gold) mined from the area Democratic Republic of Congo and neighboring countries.

## Global warming prevention activities

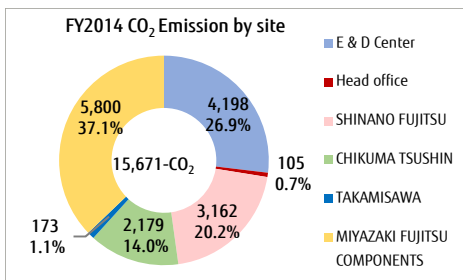
FUJITSU COMPONENTS group has continuously been engaged in energy-saving activities at each site to prevent global warming and reduce costs. Once an activity has been assessed, it is shared among group factories. LED lighting is commonly introduced. Excess energy consumption by air compressors and air conditioners have been minimized by using heat insulators on heat generating machines and exhaust air ducts. Heat exchangers have been introduced to re-use the heat that is generated by the machines to warm the water. We are trying to find and implement these new types of approaches.



Saving energy activity with combination of compressors with inverter and its demand controller (SHINANO FUJITSU)



Green curtain for lowering temperature (MIYAZAKI FUJITSU COMPONENTS)



Introduction of LED lighting (SHINANO FUJITSU)

## Improvement on energy efficiency

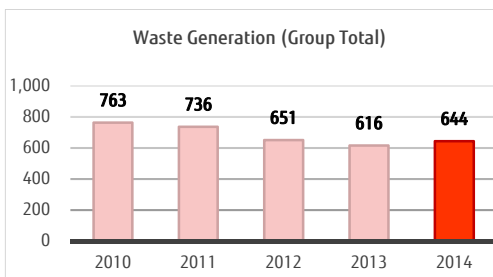
The specific energy consumption management have been performed among FUJITSU COMPONENT Engineering & Development Center, SHINANO FUJITSU and MIYAZAKI FUJITSU COMPONENTS, all of which are specified as Type 2 designated energy management factories \*1. FUJITSU COMPONENT Engineering & Development Center and MIYAZAKI FUJITSU COMPONENTS have added new production lines in FY2014 but their output did not reach to the level where those running lines have. As a result the specific energy consumption ratio have turned lower than last year. Recovery of such ratio in FY2015 are expected by pulling new lines to full capacity and adding additional production shift.

\*1: Factories of which energy consumption greater than 1,500kl but under 3,000kl oil equivalent are specified by the law.

Site name	Method	FY2012 (Base)	FY2013 Results	FY2014 Results	FY2012 Ratio	Major activities
FUJITSU COMPONENT Engineering & Development Center	Energy consumption/sales amount	0.7710	0.5689	0.6602	-22%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cooling electricity reduction by using heat exchanging with water pool.</li> <li>Electricity reduction by raising temperature of coolant water of module chillers</li> </ul>
SHINANO FUJITSU	Energy consumption/sales amount	1.633	1.574	1.562	-4%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reduction of electricity with the combination of air-compressors with inverter and its demand controller.</li> <li>Shut down of distributing switchboard in factory on non working day</li> </ul>
MIYAZAKI FUJITSU COMPONENTS	Energy consumption/production qty	0.01577	0.01437	0.0146	-7%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reduction of compressor electricity by taking corrective action on air leakage</li> <li>Replacement of air-conditioners to power saving type</li> </ul>

## Industrial waste reduction management

Fujitsu Components group strive to reduce their industrial waste and cost of disposal by exchanging information such as route for collection, buyers for waste and the segregation methods. Small cut glasses and sludge after plating process which cannot be recycled are the ones we have to continuously study.



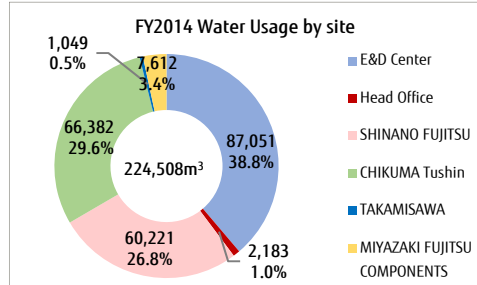
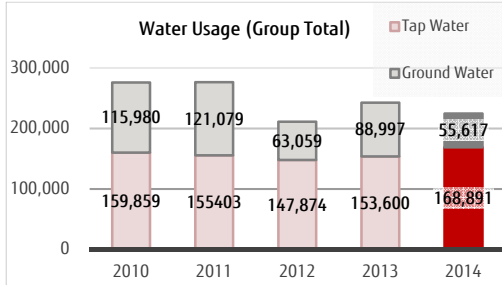
Recycling of Nitrile gloves used in clean room (FUJITSU COMPONENT Engineering & Developing Center)



Recycle of thinner waste (SHINANO FUJITSU)

## Water usage reduction activities

Engineering and Development center has been using pure water in their production process. We have added purification process on the part of drained water for reuse and also have made tight control on water valves on week end so that water usage proportion to the production volume. As a result of those actions, approx. 7%(18,000m<sup>3</sup>) water saving compared with those of FY2013 was achieved.



## Status of Social contribution activities "Cooperation with society" "Activities as good corporate citizen"

Each site of our group engages in social contributions, in which not only our employees but also their family members join to work closely with regional administrations.

**Engineering & Development Center:**  
Thinning the forest and cleaning up the town of Suzaka



**SHINANO FUJITSU:**  
Removal of invasive plants such as yellow rocket and tall goldenrod



**CHIKUMA TSUSHIN & TAKAMISAWA:**  
Cleaning the road around factories



**MIYAZAKI FUJITSU COMPONENTS:**  
Cleanup of spawning coast of loggerheads turtles

## 8. Environmental Law Compliance

### ■ Measured items and results

FY2014 Measuring data								
	Laws	Items	Unit	Legal threshold	Local threshold	Voluntary threshold	Result	
Engineering & Development Center	Air Pollution Control Act	Dust concentration	g/Nm <sup>3</sup>	0.3	0.3	≤0.1	0.005	
		Sulfur Oxide concentration	Nm <sup>3</sup> /h	-	-	≤2.5	0.043	
		Nitrogen Oxide	ppm	260	180	≤150	56	
	Noise Regulation Act	Morning, evening time	dB	55-65	60	≤55	49.5	
		Noon time	dB	60-65	60	≤55	49.6	
		Night time	dB	50-55	50	≤47.5	46.9	
	Vibration Regulation Act	Noon time	dB	65-70	65	≤60	36.4	
		Night time	dB	60-65	60	≤55	35.8	
	Sewerage Act	Hydrogen-ion concentration	pH	5.0~9.0	5.0~9.0	5.1~8.9	7.2~7.4	
		Biochemical Oxygen Demand	mg/l	600	600	≤300	92	
Suspended Solids		mg/l	600	600	≤300	7		
n-hexane extraction (mineral oil)		mg/l	5	5	≤4	1.1		
SHINANO FUJITSU	Air Pollution Control Act	Dust concentration	g/Nm <sup>3</sup>	-	-	≤0.18	0.005	
		Nitrogen Oxide	ppm	-	-	≤108	65	
		Noise Regulation Act	Morning, evening	dB	-	-	≤70	56.9
	Noon time		dB	-	-	≤70	58.4	
	Night time		dB	-	-	≤65	57.1	
	Vibration Regulation Act	Noon time	dB	-	-	≤70	41	
		Night time	dB	-	-	≤65	36	
	Sewerage Act	Hydrogen-ion concentration	pH	5.0~9.0	-	5.5~8.5	8.0	
		Biochemical Oxygen Demand	mg/l	600	-	≤550	84	
		n-hexane extraction (animal/vegetable oil)	mg/l	30	-	≤15	8.4	
MIYAZAKI FUJITSU COMPONENTS	Noise Regulation Act (Obi plant)	Noise Regulation Act	dB	50	-	≤49	48.6	
		Noise Regulation Act	dB	55	-	≤53.9	48.9	
		Noise Regulation Act	dB	45	-	≤44.1	43.8	
	Water Pollution Control Act (Hidakajima plant)	Hydrogen-ion concentration	pH	-	-	6.0~8.4	6.2~7.8	
		Biochemical Oxygen Demand	mg/l	-	-	≤108	4.9	
		n-hexane extraction (Mineral oil)	mg/l	5	-	≤4.5	0.5	
	Private Sewerage System Act (Main plant)	Hydrogen-ion concentration	pH	-	-	4.0~8.4	6.0~7.4	
Biochemical Oxygen Demand		mg/l	-	-	≤23	17		
CHIKUMA TSUSHIN Nozawa plant	Water Pollution Control Act (Hidakajima plant)	Hydrogen-ion concentration	pH	5.8~8.6	-	6.0~8.4	7.1~7.5	
		Biochemical Oxygen Demand	mg/l	160	-	≤108	0.9	
		Tetrachloroethylene	mg/l	0.1	-	≤0.09	less than 0.001	
		Trichloroethylene	mg/l	0.3	-	≤0.27	less than 0.001	
		Cis-1,2-dichloroethylene	mg/l	0.4	-	≤0.36	less than 0.01	
TAKAMISAWA Shinshu plant	Noise Regulation Act	Morning, evening	dB	-	-	≤70	49	
		Noon time	dB	-	-	≤70	50	
		Night time	dB	-	-	≤65	44	
	Vibration Regulation Act	Noon time	dB	-	-	≤70	36	
		Night time	dB	-	-	≤65	35	
	Sewerage Act	Hydrogen-ion concentration	pH	5.0~9.0	-	6.0~8.9	8.4	
		Biochemical Oxygen Demand	mg/l	600	-	≤300	5.4	
		n-hexane extraction (Mineral oil)	mg/l	5	-	≤4.5	less than 1.0	
	Measurement based on soil contamination Countermeasures Act	Laws	Tetrachloroethylene	mg/l	0.01	*Max. value at site	Max. value at observation well (located downstream of ground water)	Less than 0.005
			Trichloroethylene	mg/l	0.03	0.3	less than 0.0005	
Cis-1,2-dichloroethylene			mg/l	0.04	1.1	less than 0.0005		

\*Status of ground water contamination

As to contamination of ground water with chlorine organic compounds having been found through our investigation, continuous elimination works of VOC from the water and air in the ground have been performed. We confirmed that no VOC has outflowed to outside of factory area and also no claims from neighborhood has been received. We are trying to reduce the environmental contamination risks by studying new technologies available.

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