History of Fujitsu

Our history dates back 68 years to a time when our plant was located in a natural, park-like setting

Since its establishment, the Fujitsu Group has consistently placed a priority on conducting business in harmony with nature and society. Today, we continue to advance on the cutting edge of IT, while remaining fully aware of the need to contribute to a sustainable future for society. Our activities, conducted in consideration of the relationship among the environment, economy and society, will continue to bear rich fruit in the future as well.

1935
- Park-style design adopted for the Kawasaki Plant at the suggestion of Fujitsu's founder, President Yoshimura.
- Fuji Tsushinki Seizou Co., Ltd. established.

1954
- Japan's first relay computer, FACOM 100, developed.

1961
- FACOM 222 large-scale general-purpose computer using transistor developed.

1967
- Corporate name changed to Fujitsu Limited.

1972
- Environmental control sections established at each plant.

1980
- Japanese word processor OASYS 100 introduced.

1981
- Personal computer FM-8 launched.

1987
- Ozone Layer Protection Committee established.
- Business PC FMR Series launched.

1989
- Environmental Committee established.

1990
- Environmental management evaluation system implemented.

1991
- Environmental Engineering Center established.

1992
- Fujitsu's Commitment to the Environment formulated.
- Use of CFCs and carbon tetrachloride for cleaning eliminated.

1993
- Fujitsu Environmental Protection Program (Stage I) formulated.
- Product Environmental Assessment Guideline formulated.
- Domestic Affiliated Companies' Environmental Protection Council established.

1994
- First issue of Eco-Plaza environmental bulletin published.
- Use of 1,1,1-trichloroethane eliminated.
- Fujitsu Environmental Emblem designed.
- All-in-one model personal computer FMV DESKPOWER released.

1995
- Recycling system established and implemented.
- Fujitsu Group Worldwide Environmental Conference established.
- New GS8000 series global server employing the world's fastest CMOS general-purpose processor and concurrent processing technology launched.
- World's first 42-inch color plasma display panel (PDP) marketed.
- World's first 3.5-inch two and four gigabyte magneto-optical disks developed.

1996
- Fujitsu Environmental Protection Program (Stage II) formulated.
- First Environmental Report published.

1997
- Environmental homepage established.
- All domestic manufacturing sites certified ISO14001 compliant.

1998
- Forestation activities conducted in Thailand.
- Green Product program launched.
- UNIX server GP7000F Family launched.

1999
- Environmental accounting introduced.
- Forestation activities conducted in Vietnam.
- @nifty Internet service provider with 3.5 million subscribers launched.

2000
- Four development and service sites in Japan certified ISO14001 compliant.
- Corporate Environmental Affairs Group established.
- First desktop PC awarded Eco-mark.

2001
- Fujitsu Environmental Protection Program (Stage III) formulated.
- Calendar using paper from sustainable forest published.
- Forestation activities conducted in Malaysia.

2002
- A world's first: Tin-zinc-aluminum lead-free solder developed.
- A world's first: Biodegradable plastic parts with lower environmental burden employed in notebook computers.
- Fujitsu Group Environmental Policy established.
- A world's first: Magnesium alloy recycled in-house applied in notebook computers.

2003
- Support for reforestation activities employing Rhythm Forest reforestation network game initiated.
- Zero waste emission achieved by all 13 plants in Japan.