

## Scope of Report

This environmental report contains information regarding the impact of Nikon Corporation's facilities on the environment, and measures undertaken for fiscal year 2005 (April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2004 to March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2005) at Nikon Corporation. It encompasses the head office, as well as the Ohi, Yokohama, Sagami, Kumagaya and Mito plants. The report also includes information on activities during the term, plans for future activities, and information on group companies.

## Reference

"Environmental Reporting Guidelines (2003)" by the Japanese Ministry of the Environment

## Web

Environmental preservation  
<http://www.nikon.co.jp/main/eng/portfolio/eco/index.htm>  
Corporate profile  
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## Major Features

- The rate of Eco-glass utilisation in optical designs has climbed to 100% in consumer products, and 96% in industrial products. (See pages 10, 13)
- All plants, along with five major Japanese manufacturing subsidiaries, developed zero emission systems with the goal of eliminating emissions that eventually become landfill. (See pages 10, 22)
- We introduced a new three-year plan, "Nikon Environmental Action Plan for Fiscal 2008," that covers fiscal 2006 through fiscal 2008. The new plan targets increased reductions in greenhouse gas emissions by fiscal 2011 and adds the "distribution" category (page 11).
- Nikon is pursuing Group-wide integration of ISO 14001 certification activities in order to expedite adoption of the "Nikon Environmental Action Plan" and more efficient operations (pages 8, 11).
- Data on five major Japanese manufacturing subsidiaries has been added to the sections on Energy Conservation (page 19), Promotion of Reduction and Recycling of Waste (pages 20, 21), and Control of Chemical Substances (page 23).

Four new sections have been added : Charter of Corporate Behaviour (page 34), Activities for Product Safety (page 36), Environmental Questionnaire (from those outside Nikon) (page 36), and Nikon Group Major Business Locations (page 37).

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The cover design expresses a world where Nikon's corporate activities are in harmony with nature. The lens, the foundation of Nikon corporate activity, projects air, water and earth onto a green leaf symbolising life.