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Otsuka-people creating new products
for better health worldwide

Environmental Report 2021



Otsuka Holdings Co., Ltd.

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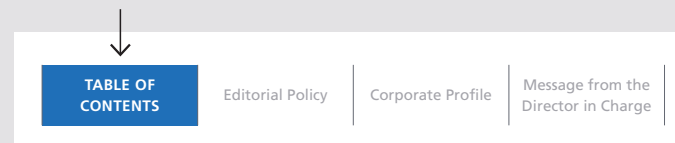


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Editorial Policy

Editorial Policy

The editorial policy of this environmental report is to ensure accuracy of information, comprehensiveness, and response to requests from stakeholders. In terms of the environment, the report is based on specific numerical targets and progress in the results of initiatives.

For information on social (S) and governance (G) initiatives, please refer to the Integrated Report or our website.

 [Integrated Report](#)

Information on the environment is available on our website.

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Reporting Period

Data for FY 2021 (from January 1 to December 31 of 2021) are used.

Initiatives reported include the most recent ones.

Scope of Reporting

In principle, all Otsuka group consolidated production sites are covered.

In case of any limit on the scope of initiatives or data, a note on the details is provided in this report.

Issuing Date

August 2022 (once a year)

Guidelines Referenced

- International Integrated Reporting Framework, International Integrated Reporting Council (IIRC)
- GRI Sustainability Reporting Standards, Global Reporting Initiative (GRI)
- ISO 26000
- Environmental Reporting Guidelines 2018, Ministry of the Environment, etc.

Disclosure of Information on Otsuka Group



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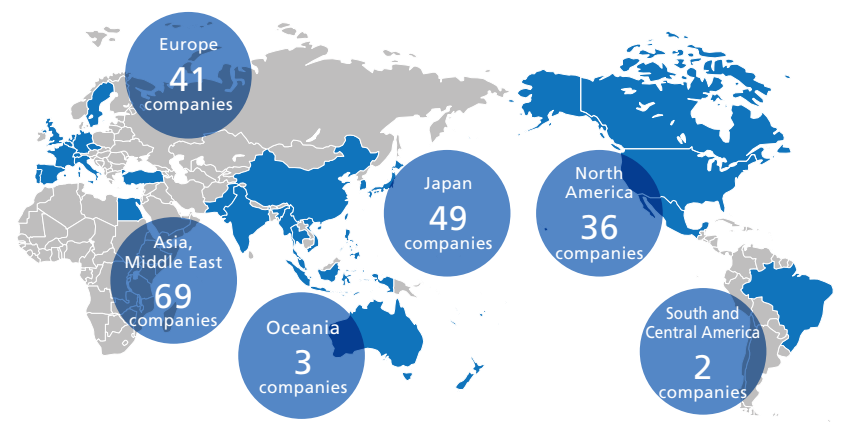
Corporate Profile

Corporate Profile (As of December 31, 2021)

Company Name	Otsuka Holdings Co., Ltd.
Established	July 8, 2008
Capital	¥81.69 billion
Head Office	2-9 Kanda-Tsukasamachi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 101-0048, Japan
Tokyo Headquarters	Shinagawa Grand Central Tower, 2-16-4 Konan, Minato-ku, Tokyo 108-8241, Japan
Telephone	+81-3-6717-1410
Number of Employees	137 (Consolidated: 33,226)
Business Description	Control, management and related activities with respect to the Company's subsidiaries and affiliates operating in pharmaceutical, nutraceutical, consumer product, and other businesses

Global Network (As of December 31, 2021)

Otsuka operates in **33** countries/regions



Approach to Sustainability

Corporate Philosophy

Otsuka-people creating new products for better health worldwide

Otsuka's Goal

To become an indispensable contributor to people's health worldwide

Sustainability Mission

Address social issues such as the evolution toward a healthier and more sustainable society, while simultaneously achieving growth. These activities are all supported by a comprehensive governance system.

Contribution to a More Sustainable Society



Message from the Director in Charge of the Environment Affairs

2050 Environmental Vision of “Net Zero” Zero environmental impact of all our business activities.

We aim to contribute to making people and the earth healthier.

Based on its corporate philosophy of “Otsuka-people creating new products for better health worldwide,” the Otsuka group works to solve social issues through its businesses and contribute to the creation of a healthy and sustainable society, while achieving its continued growth. As a unique total healthcare company that contributes to maintaining and improving people's health through innovative and creative products, we are committed to reducing the impact of our businesses on the global environment and contributing to a sustainable society that leads to prosperous future.

The Otsuka group aims to help resolve social issues through its business activities. Amid the increasing seriousness of climate change and various other environmental issues, we have adopted the 2050 Environmental Vision, “Net Zero,” which calls for us to reduce the total environmental impacts of our business activities to zero. We identified three environmental material issues: “carbon neutrality,” “circular economy,” and “water neutrality”; set new medium-term targets that include “reducing 50% in CO₂ emissions compared to 2017 levels by 2028”; and raised the target of the Otsuka Group Plastic Policy to 100% use of recycled and plant-derived raw materials in our PET bottles by 2030.

In addition, we joined the international RE100 initiative, which asks companies to commit to using 100% renewable energy in their business activities. As a new initiative that maximizes the Otsuka group synergy, we have established an integrated energy service structure, with the aim of efficient power supply and maximization of energy efficiency.

The Otsuka group will work as one to achieve its 2050 Environmental Vision, “Net Zero,” by pursuing unique initiatives, and will continue to carry out environmental management that will lead to a society in which people and the earth can coexist in the future.

Yoshiro Matsuo

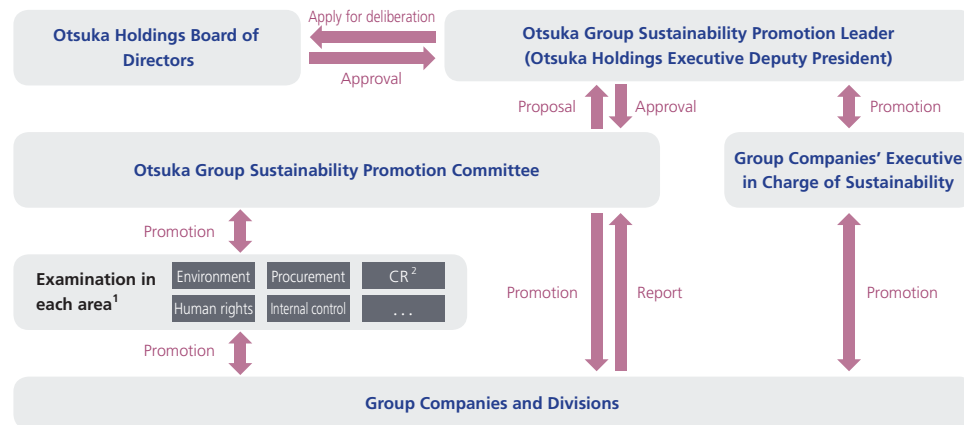
Executive Deputy President and Director
Otsuka Holdings Co., Ltd.

Environmental Management

Sustainability Management

The Otsuka Group Sustainability Promotion Committee was established in 2018 and is chaired by the director in charge of sustainability promotion at Otsuka Holdings. The committee promotes sustainability for the entire Otsuka group, acting as an engine for discussions and decision-making regarding the direction of sustainability-related activities, plans, and other measures. Committee meetings are held regularly to discuss direction and evaluate activities, develop systems in each area of sustainability promotion, and update promotion plans, as necessary. Committee members comprise group officers in charge of various areas such as supply chain, environment, human resources, corporate governance, compliance risk management, and public relations. The Committee, together with persons in charge from group companies, carries out close examination, with the Sustainability Promotion, IR and Corporate Planning Departments of Otsuka Holdings functioning as the secretariat.

Sustainability Management Structure



1. Activities are promoted through various conference bodies, WGs, TFs, and others (including time-limited PJ)
 2. Consumer Relations: Activities to build trust between companies and consumers

Otsuka Group's Environmental Policy

The Otsuka group strives to advance as an essential company that contributes to the health of people and global environment. We will help to realize a society in which people and the earth can coexist in the future by continuing to work on the issues with creativity.

Guidelines

1. Carbon Neutrality

We are committed to carbon neutrality throughout our business activities, aiming to create a decarbonized society.

2. Circular Economy

We are committed to the elimination of fossil resources-derived materials and the achievement of zero waste, aiming to create a circular economy society.

3. Water Neutrality

Promote sustainable use of water through conservation, recycling and clean return.

4. Environmental Compliance

Continue to improve our environmental management system, increase effectiveness of compliance, and reduce risks.

5. Communication

We will proactively disclose environment-related information in a transparent manner, and promote communication with stakeholders.

(Revised June 2022)

Environmental management system

Acquisition of Integrated ISO 14001 Certification for the Otsuka Group

To strengthen group-wide efforts toward more efficient and effective environmental activities, the Otsuka group began acquiring ISO 14001 integrated certification in August 2020. In 2021, the certification expanded to include six companies* in Japan and Otsuka Holdings, the supervising organization. Under the integrated environmental goals and management systems outlined in the certification, we will further strengthen our environmental initiatives and make group-wide efforts to achieve the goals.

The Otsuka group has acquired ISO 14001 certification including integrated certification at 10 companies in Japan and 13 overseas (as of the end of December 2021).

* Otsuka Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory, Taiho Pharmaceutical (including its subsidiary, Okayama Taiho Pharmaceutical), Otsuka Chemical, and Otsuka Foods, Otsuka Techno



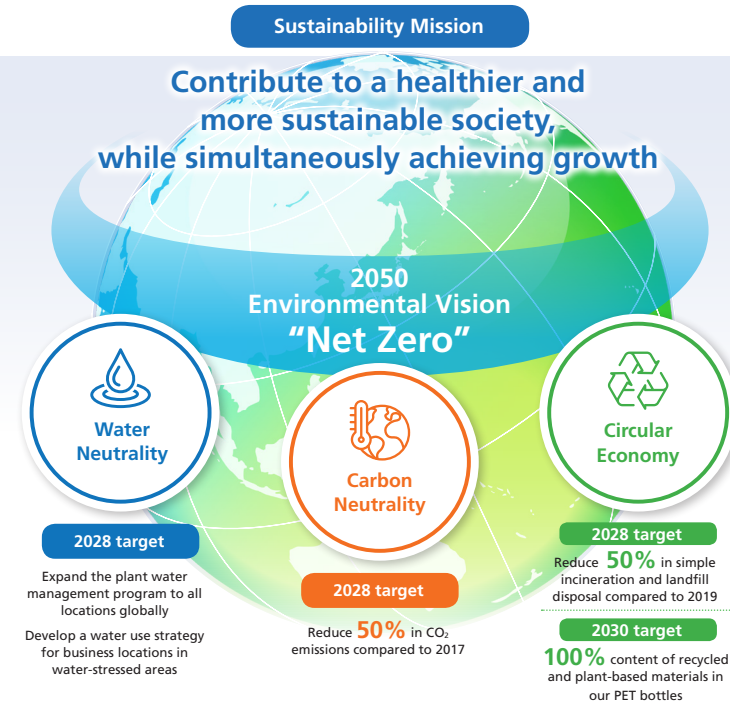
ISO 14001 Certification

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2050 Environmental Vision of "Net Zero"

The Otsuka group has established a 2050 Environmental Vision, "Net Zero", which aims to reduce the total environmental impact of our business activities to zero.

Under this vision, we identified three environmental material issues: "carbon neutrality," "circular economy," and "water neutrality." As global action aimed at a decarbonized society gathers speed, we have established a new set of medium-term targets with the aim of being more proactive in our own initiatives. We will promote activities to improve employees' understanding and recognition of environmental issues through environment-related training, generate synergy among Otsuka group companies, and act from a unified standpoint.



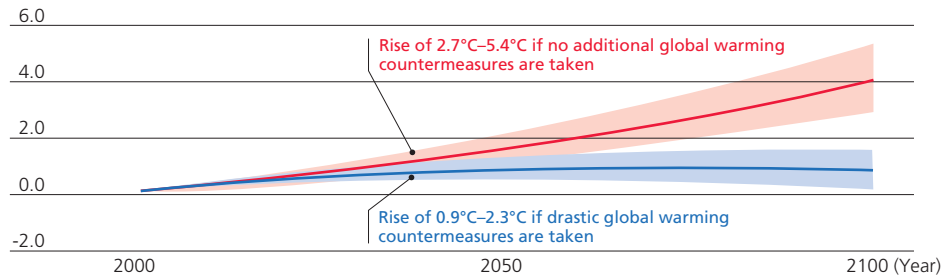
	Social Issues	Our Goals	Our Activities	FY 2021 Progress	Related SDGs
Carbon Neutrality ¹	Global warming	2028 target • Reduce 50% in CO ₂ emissions compared to 2017	• Reduce CO ₂ emissions throughout the value chain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Joining the RE100 Initiative • Installation of co-generation system equipment and fuel conversion equipment • Introducing CO₂-Free Electricity at Four Indonesian Group Companies • Building a New Integrated Energy Service Structure 	
Circular Economy ²	Environmental load increase	2028 target • Reduce 50% in simple incineration and landfill disposal compared to 2019 2030 target • 100% content of recycled and plant-based materials in our PET bottles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduce environmental impact by improving resource efficiency • Promotion of business activities aimed at sustainability for both society and the earth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Containers and Packaging for a Sustainable Society • Launch of PET Bottles Made Using Recycled Materials 	
Water Neutrality ³	Reduced freshwater availability due to water resource risks	2028 target • Expand the plant water management program to all locations globally • Develop a water use strategy for business locations in water-stressed areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Risk analysis and understanding of sustainable water use • Management and effective use of water resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop a plan to establish a water management program 	

1. To reduce CO₂ emissions from business activities to substantially zero (calculated by subtracting uptake from emissions)
 2. To establish an economic system that recycles resources by reusing waste discharged from business activities as new raw materials
 3. To reduce the impact of water intake and discharge from business activities on water resources to zero

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Climate-related scenarios

Change in Global Mean Surface Temperature



4°C Scenario

A scenario in which development is dependent on fossil fuels and climate change measures are not introduced. Rising temperatures cause an increase in natural disasters, negative impact on crops, and loss of biodiversity.

Below 2°C Scenario

A scenario in which development is sustainable and climate change measures are proactively implemented to keep the temperature rise below 2°C. Measures to achieve a decarbonized society are enhanced, including the introduction of CO₂ emissions regulations and expansion of the renewable energy market.

Based on the Ministry of the Environment's Japanese translation of Summary for Policymakers, Working Group II Report, Fifth Assessment Report published by the IPCC Main Scenarios Referenced

- IEA World Energy Outlook 2020 (Sustainable Development Scenario, Stated Policy Scenario)
- IPCC (RCP2.6, RCP8.5)
- OECD-FAO Agricultural Outlook 2021-2030

Measures to Deal with Risks and Opportunities

The Otsuka group carried out the first scenario analysis for each business sector to reduce risks and expand opportunities. Transition risks include energy shortages as well as steep rise in energy prices due to increased demand for renewable energy and other forms of energy.

To deal with these risks, we are promoting the introduction of CO₂-free electricity, mega solar power systems, fuel conversion, and so forth, at all locations globally.

In Japan, we established the Otsuka group integrated energy service structure to maximize energy use utilizing new power sources. In this way, the Otsuka group will strive to promote both business growth and improving environmental issues, and will strive to enhance its resilience against climate change.

[Building a New Integrated Energy Service Structure](#)

Financial Impacts and Responses Associated with Climate-Related Risks and Opportunities

Category	Contents	Business/Financial Impacts		Our Response/Resilience	
		Below 2°C	4°C		
Transition Risks	Policies and regulations	• Increased costs due to tightened regulations such as carbon pricing	Large	Large	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction of internal carbon pricing • Introduction of CO₂-free electricity • Introduction of solar power generation systems including mega solar power systems • Improving energy efficiency through energy saving and fuel conversion • Investment in environmental facilities in Japan and overseas
	Market	• Steep rise in renewable energy prices	Large	Large	
		• Steep rise in energy prices	Large	Large	
Reputation	• Reputation risk and investment-related risk associated with inadequate response to climate change and water resource risks	Large	Medium		
Physical Risks	Acute	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Risks of damage to production and other facilities due to intensification of extreme weather, and cost increases to prepare for extreme weather events • Risks in raw material procurement such as disruption to supply chains and stable procurement 	Medium	Large	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decentralized production of major products • Formulation, disclosure, and sharing of procurement policies and guidelines with suppliers • Strengthening communication with our supply chains (expanding the number of suppliers that are subject to our supply chain questionnaires, improving and enhancing contents of the questionnaires, and holding discussions)
	Chronic	• Increased energy costs associated with temperature rise	Large	Large	
		• Effects of climate change on drug discovery using crop and other natural products	Medium	Medium	• Collection of information about the impacts on drug discovery using crops and other natural products, risk assessment, and examination of countermeasures
Opportunities	Resource efficiency	• Reduction of operating costs through the introduction of energy-efficient equipment	Large	Medium	• Collection of information on new technologies (such as membrane water treatment technology that does not require steam) and examination of introduction of such technologies in a timely manner
	Energy sources	• Reduction of energy procurement risk due to proactive introduction of renewable energy	Large	Small	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction of internal carbon pricing • Collection of information on next-generation energy sources (such as hydrogen and ammonia) and examination of introduction of such sources in a timely manner
	Products and services	• Increased revenue from increased demand for products that mitigate or address climate change (e.g., products for preventing heat stroke and the spread of infectious diseases)	Large	Large	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Formulation of the Otsuka Group Plastic Policy (in 2020) that aims at reducing reliance on fossil fuel-derived materials • Examination of introduction of recycled PET resin or plant-based bio-PET resin for PET bottle beverage containers • Examples: Expand sales of products for preventing heat stroke, and expand sales of products with low environmental impact throughout their lifecycles
	Market	• Increased revenue from expansion into new market categories with products that address climate change	Medium	Medium	• Development of products that mitigate or address climate change (e.g., plant-based products)
	Resilience	• Strengthening business continuity planning (measures against disaster and supply chain disruptions)	Medium	Large	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengthening of promotion of energy saving and renewable energy through internal carbon pricing • Business continuity plan measures at manufacturing sites (anti-seismic measures and measures against flooding)

Assessment of business/financial impacts

Large: One billion yen or more (equivalent to 1% of operating income assuming a minimum operating income of 100 billion yen)

Medium: From negligible to less than one billion yen

Small: Negligible

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Risk Management

The Otsuka group examines and assesses climate-related risks that have the potential to impact its financial affairs and strategies. The Otsuka Holdings Environmental Committee considers related risks, and committee members in charge of environmental management report on any matters that are deemed to be significant in the risk assessment process to the Board of Directors. Resolutions on matters approved by the Board of Directors are communicated to each company in the form of Otsuka group policies, and the whole group works to minimize climate-related risks.

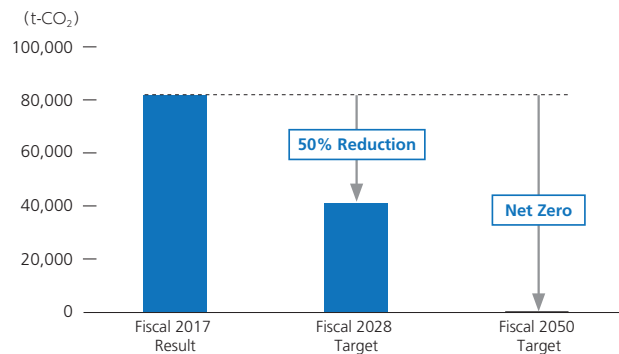
Metrics and Targets

The Otsuka group has established 2050 Environmental Vision, "Net Zero," with the aim of reducing the total environmental impact across all its business activities to zero. In addition to revising our CO₂ emissions reduction target upward (from a 30% reduction by 2030 to a 50% reduction by 2028; compared to 2017), we have joined the international RE100 initiative and continue to promote activities aimed at decarbonization. Looking ahead, we will maximize group synergy and proactively engage in efforts to achieve carbon neutrality.

 [Our Goals of Carbon Neutrality](#)

 [Joining the RE100 Initiative](#)

Target Values of CO₂ Emission



	Fiscal 2017 Result	Fiscal 2021 Result		2028 Target
			Compared with 2017	
CO ₂ Emissions Scope 1, 2	818,000t-CO ₂	683,000t-CO ₂	-16.5%	50% reduction compared with 2017

Initiatives to Reduce CO₂ Emissions

Increasing Utilization of Renewable Energy and Maximizing Energy Efficiency

The Otsuka group has set the target of reducing CO₂ emissions by 50% (compared to 2017) by 2028. To achieve this target, we are increasing our renewable energy usage through the introduction of CO₂-free electricity and solar power generation equipment, and maximizing our energy efficiency through the adoption of co-generation systems¹.

In 2021, we introduced CO₂-free electricity at all 23 manufacturing sites of five² Otsuka group companies, and as a result reduced our annual emissions by approximately 109,800 t-CO₂.³

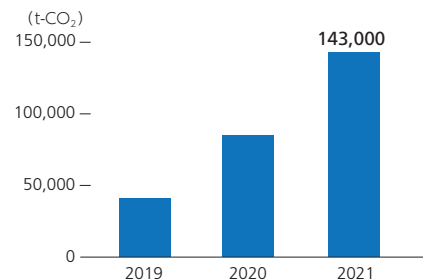
In addition, the introduction of renewable energy reduced CO₂ emissions by 143,000 metric tons.

In Tokushima Prefecture, which is home to many Otsuka group production facilities, we have begun upgrading the co-generation facility at Otsuka Chemical's Tokushima Factory. This will enable us to supply electricity and steam to neighboring Otsuka group manufacturing sites and improve our energy efficiency. The new co-generation system is scheduled to begin operation in 2024, and is expected to cut annual emissions by approximately 8,000 t-CO₂. In addition, we have introduced a new co-generation system and changed boiler fuel at Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory's Naruto Factory, which should result in an annual reduction of approximately 4,800 t-CO₂.

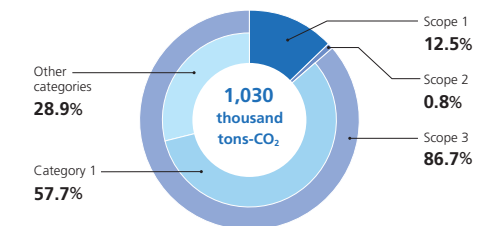
To assess the environmental impact of the entire supply chain, we calculate greenhouse gas emissions across the entire value chain, including emissions from our business activities (Scope 1 and 2) as well as emissions from the activities of suppliers and customers (Scope 3), and promote initiatives for grasping emissions trends and improving the situation.

- The engines, turbines, or fuel cells of co-generation systems generate electricity from natural gas, LPG, or other fuel sources. At the same time, the systems collect the waste heat, thereby achieving efficient use of both heat and electricity
- Otsuka Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory, Taiho Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Chemical, and Otsuka Foods
- Compared to 2017

Reduction in CO₂ Emissions Through Adoption of Renewable Energy



GHG Emissions throughout the Value Chain



Scope: Five group companies: Otsuka Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory, Taiho Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Chemical, and Otsuka Foods

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Joining the RE100 Initiative

In April 2022, the Otsuka group joined the international RE100 initiative, which asks companies to commit to using 100% renewable energy in their business activities. As the world transitions to a decarbonized society, under our 2050 Environmental Vision, "Net Zero," through which we aim to reduce the total environmental impact across all business activities to zero, we will continue to proactively implement measures to reduce CO₂ emissions.



Introducing CO₂-Free Electricity at Four* Indonesian Group Companies

Among our overseas businesses, the highest generator of CO₂ emissions after Japan is Indonesia, where we are engaged in the pharmaceutical, nutraceutical, and chemical businesses. In Indonesia, we have introduced CO₂-free electricity from geothermal power, which we forecast will reduce CO₂ emissions by approximately 94,000 ton per year, which is approximately 60% of the plants' annual CO₂ emissions. Moving forward, we will continue increasing our use of renewable energy and maximizing energy efficiency both in Japan and around the world, and make use of group synergy to contribute to a decarbonized, more sustainable society.

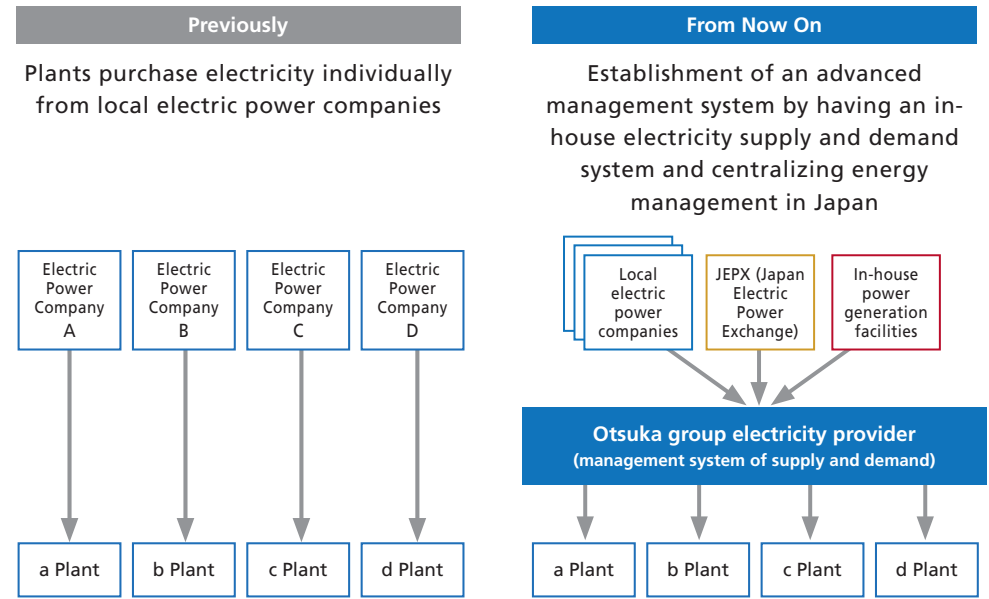
* PT Otsuka Indonesia, PT Amerta Indah Otsuka, PT Widatra Bhakti, and PT Lautan Otsuka Chemical



Sukabumi Factory, PT Amerta Indah Otsuka

Building a New Integrated Energy Service Structure

The Otsuka group established the Energy Support Department in Otsuka Business Support Co., Ltd., which aims to procure renewable energy from power producers and to more efficiently supply electricity generated within the Otsuka group to group business sites. By centralizing energy management in Japan and establishing an advanced management system of supply and demand, we will pursue the optimal energy mix in the Otsuka group while expanding renewable energy use, and work to both contribute to business growth and solve environmental issues.



Circular Economy

Approach and Policy

In line with global trends, for us to be able to create a more sustainable society and achieve sustainable corporate growth, we must shift to a circular economy-type business model whereby we can achieve growth without having a serious impact on the environment. We regard the use of fossil resources-derived materials and waste discharge to the natural environment as environmental impacts that must be reduced to zero. We are committed to eliminating fossil resources-derived materials and achieving zero waste* as our vision. We will also continue to increase resource efficiency throughout the value chain and build a harmonious and sustainable relationship with bioresource and other resource sources.

* Approach to reduce waste discharge (simple incineration and landfill disposal) to the natural environment to zero and utilize all resources effectively

Our Goals

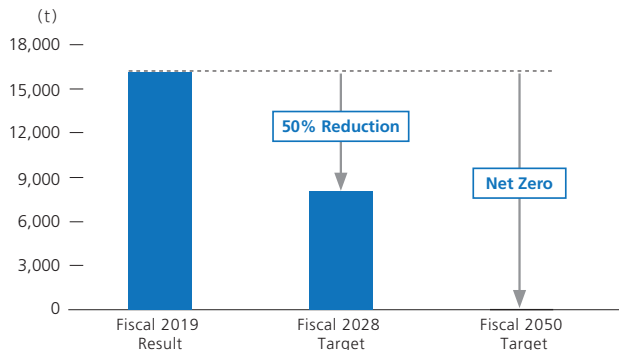
The Otsuka group has established a 2050 Environmental Vision, "Net Zero," which aims to reduce the total environmental impact of our business activities to zero, along with setting the 2028 goal that aims to reduce simple incineration and landfill by 50% compared to FY 2019.

PET bottles for beverages constitute most plastic containers and packaging used for consumer products by Otsuka group companies. For this reason, we have established the Otsuka Group Plastic Policy to achieve 100% use of recycled and plant-based materials in our PET bottles globally by 2030. We are working to achieve this goal.

Our main initiatives include reducing the use of plastic containers and packaging for various products, reducing the use of materials for logistics, and promoting recycling activities to achieve zero waste*.

* Approach seeking to reduce waste generation and waste of resources to zero

Simple Incineration and Landfill Volume Target

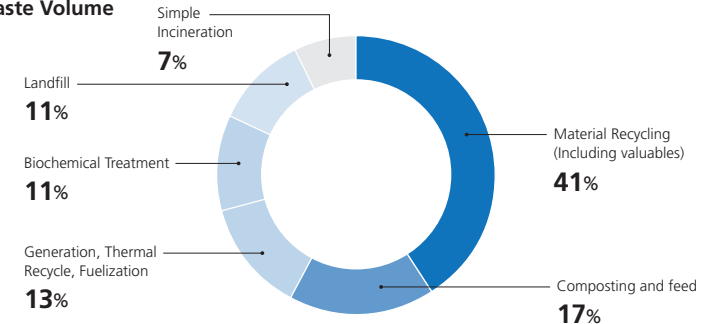


	Fiscal 2019 Results	Fiscal 2021 Results		2028 Targets
			Compared with 2019	
Total Waste Volume	97,400t	90,100t	-7.5%	—
Simple Incineration and Landfill Volume	16,100t	16,400t	+1.9%	50% reduction

Initiatives toward Zero Waste

Global emissions in FY 2021 were 90,100 metric tons, and simple incineration and landfill volume was 16,400 metric ton. The Otsuka group is working with each group companies in Japan and overseas to achieve the 2028 goal of a 50% reduction in simple incineration and landfill compared with FY 2019.

Total Waste Volume



Volume of waste simply incinerated and landfilled

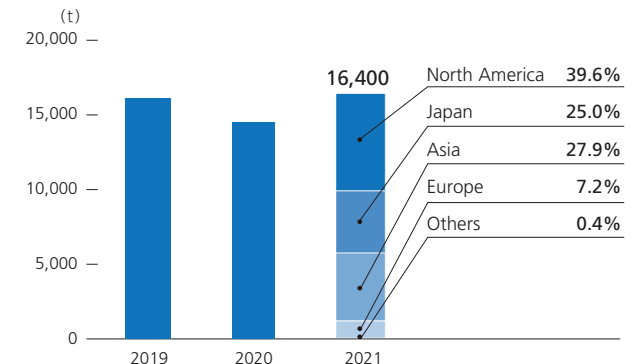


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Otsuka Group Plastic Policy

Fundamental Concept

PET bottles comprise the majority of plastic containers and packaging used for consumer products by our group companies. For this reason, we believe that by promoting PET bottle recycling, we can reduce our reliance on fossil fuel and thereby contribute to environmental conservation. Our plan is to use PET bottles manufactured from recycled and plant-based materials and increase the percentage of such sustainable resource use in our production processes globally to 100% by 2030 and by 2050, we aim to eliminate the use of petroleum-based raw materials in all consumer products.

Our Vision for 2050

For our entire line of consumer products, we will endeavor to use packaging that supports a sustainable society:

- No use of plastics made from petroleum-based materials
- Promote use of recycled, plant-based, and biodegradable materials
- Promote use of reusable packaging

Our Goal for 2030

- Achieve a 100 percent or higher content of recycled and plant-based materials in our PET bottles.
- Introduce alternative packaging (e.g., paper) and increase use of cans for our drink products.
- Step up promotion of drink bottle recycling by introducing reusable packaging through a zero-waste sales and circular distribution model, which also includes the use of sports bottles for our powder products.
- We will promote the use of alternative packaging and concurrently pursue using more recyclable materials for drink containers.

To advance PET material recycling, it is essential to recycle PET bottles for use as raw material. Together with our various stakeholders, we will advance our global efforts on proper collection and recycling of used PET bottles.

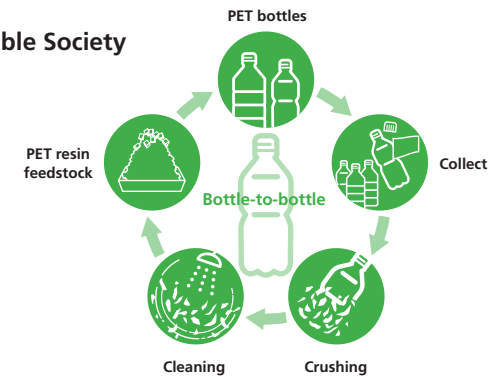
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Guided by the Otsuka Group Plastic Policy, we are taking swift and appropriate actions regarding every aspect of our use of plastic, and thereby contributing to the sustainable use of plastic and effective resource recycling. Specific initiatives include developing an action plan for PET bottles, using recycled and plant-based materials, and examining options for alternative packaging.

Initiatives to Use Packaging that Supports a Sustainable Society

Containers and Packaging for a Sustainable Society

Based on the Otsuka Group Plastic Policy, we are quickly moving forward with measures to reduce the environmental impact caused by our plastic containers and packaging. In doing so, we are contributing to sustainable closedloop recycling for plastics and other resources.



Launch of PET Bottles Made Using Recycled Materials

We launched a PET bottle made using 50% recycled PET resin for Crystal Geyser in April 2021, and a 30% recycled PET bottle for POCARI SWEAT in March 2022. While moving forward with further technological development, we will gradually extend the use of recycled PET bottles to other products.



2021 Amount of Plastic Containers and Packaging Used for Consumer Products* (Metric Tons/Year)

*16 Companies

Otsuka Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory, Otsuka Foods, Taiho Pharmaceutical, Shanghai Otsuka, Interpharma Praha, N&S, PT Amerta Indah Otsuka, Pharmavite, Ridge, Crystal Geyser, Korea Otsuka Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Sims (Guangdong), Tianjin Otsuka, FoodState, and Daiya Foods

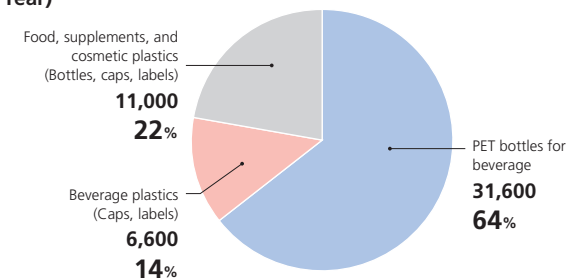


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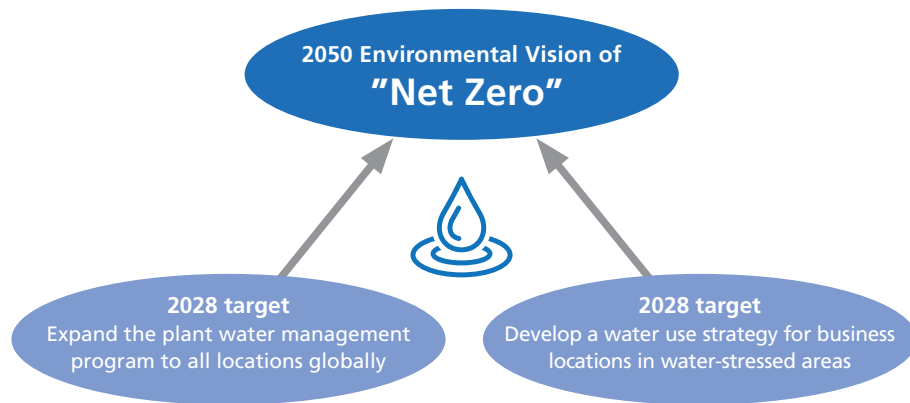
Water Neutrality

Approach and Policy

Since its establishment, the Otsuka group’s operations have had a deep connection to water, a resource essential to life. Through products that use water as a raw material, we have actively contributed not only to the treatment and prevention of diseases, but also the maintenance and promotion of health. We therefore recognize the importance of water to us as a resource, and consider its conservation to be a critical global issue. Moreover, water resources are unevenly distributed across different countries and regions, each of which faces different risks. We cooperate with all stakeholders, and conduct ongoing water conservation initiatives from intake to discharge (including cultivation of water resources, conscientious use and clean return), in the aim of sustainable water use.

Our Goals

The Otsuka group has established a 2050 Environmental Vision, “Net Zero,” which aims to reduce total environmental impact of our business activities to zero. Under the vision, we have revised our targets to include developing and implementing a water use strategy for business sites in water-stressed areas, and expanding the plant water management program to all locations globally, both by 2028. We are working on the realization of sustainable water use by improving water use efficiency and working to preserve water resources from intake to discharge (including cultivation of water resources, conscientious use of water, and return of clean water to the environment).



Evaluating Water Risk at Manufacturing Sites

Considering environmental risks in each region is also important for sustainable growth in the diverse business models of the Otsuka group operating around the world. Since 2017, the Otsuka group has conducted water risk assessments using the water risk assessment tool “Aquaduct,” developed by the World Resources Institute (WRI), so as to understand and minimize the impact of water-related risks on the group’s business activities. In order to conduct a more detailed analysis, we conducted a questionnaire survey of 87 sites of 51 companies (all consolidated manufacturing sites) to evaluate the impact on our business in terms of seven water-related risks in line with our business (water resource risk, groundwater resource risk, drought risk, flood risk, water quality risk, intake risk, and drainage risk) from 2020, and completed water risk assessments. Water resources are unevenly distributed across different countries and regions, each of which faces different risks. Thus, we draw up model cases for water management and water usage targets tailored to each country or region. In the future, we will verify and evaluate the result of this initiative and promote management and effective use in accordance with each region, pursuing conservation and improvement of water resources.

■ Aquaduct Water Risk Atlas and Breakdown by Region of Water Consumption in the Otsuka Group

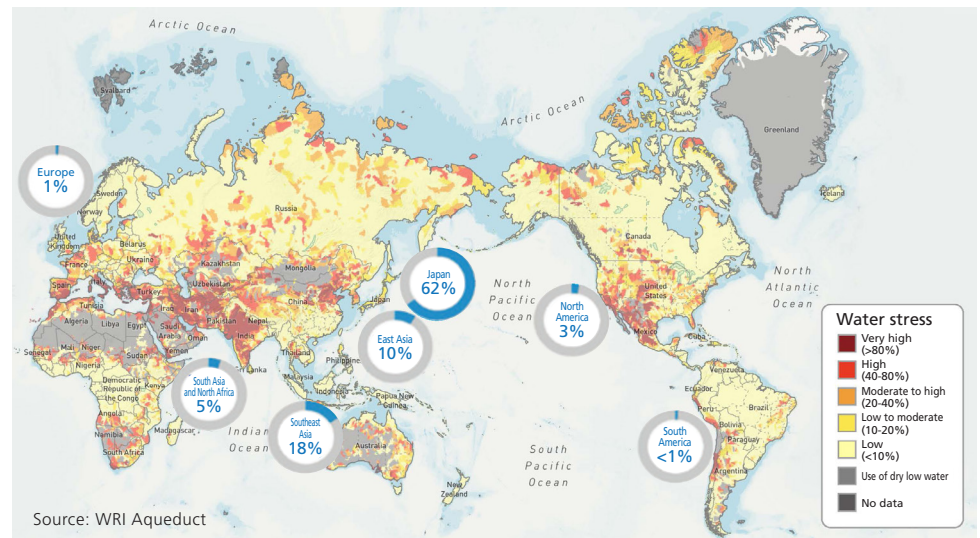


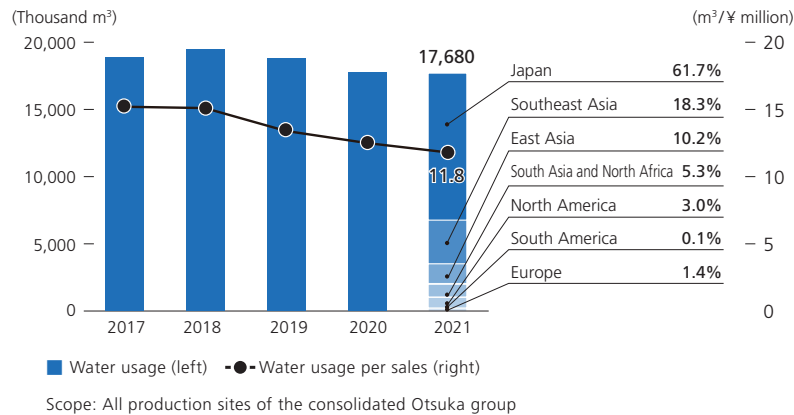
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Initiatives to Reduce Water Usage

About 60% of the water used by the Otsuka group comes from production activities in Japan. The Otsuka group strives to ensure the proper use of water in order to continuously preserve water resources from intake to discharge. In Japan, the Tokushima Factory of the Otsuka Foods improved the water use process on the production line, and the Naruto Factory of the Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory reduced the amount of water used in the treatment of wastewater from the factory to a level that does not affect water quality. As a result, the reduction in water use in Japan reached 696,000 m³ (6% reduction year on year).

 [Limiting Emissions to the Atmosphere and Water Systems](#)

Water Usage, Water Usage per Sales



Initiatives that Protect Water Sources¹ through Forestry

One of our initiatives to preserve water resources uses water conscientiously and returns clean water using water source protection through forestry. Group employees and family members voluntarily participate in conservation drives, such as planting trees, in turn developing a sense of closeness with forests.

Projects

In Japan

The Otsuka group has signed a partnership agreement with Tokushima Prefecture's Tokushima Cooperative Forestry Project, taking part in intensive forest management that is focused on large-scale forests covering 100 ha or more.

Tokushima Forests – Forestry in Collaboration with Tokushima Prefecture

In 2010, Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory and Taiho Pharmaceutical signed partnership agreements with the Tokushima Cooperative Forestry Project, based on Tokushima Prefecture's Ordinance on Promotion of Global Warming Countermeasures. In fiscal 2021, eight group companies² planted broad-leaved trees and others in an area of 21.29 hectares, equivalent to 139.81 metric tons of CO₂ absorbed by forests.



Outside Japan

PT Widatra Bhakti Watershed Conservation in Pasuruan Regency

In the Pasuruan Regency region in Indonesia, employees of PT Widatra Bhakti helped protect water sources by planting 6,080 saplings in Andonosari Village in the Tukur subdistrict.



1. Water source protection means nurturing and maintaining water resources, as well as using the natural capacity of forests to mitigate flooding and droughts. Forests soak up falling rain and snow, then allow that water to slowly flow into rivers as groundwater.
2. Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory, Otsuka Pharmaceutical, Taiho Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Warehouse, Otsuka Chemical, Otsuka Foods, Otsuka Packaging Industries, and Otsuka Techno Corporation

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Biodiversity

Approach and Policy

Otsuka Group's Biodiversity Policy

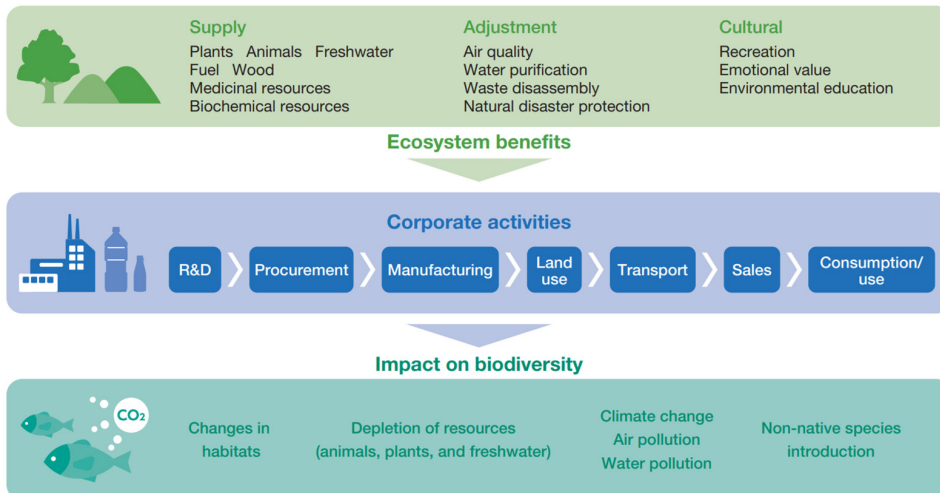
Basic Approach

The Otsuka group recognizes the invaluable benefits provided by the global environment, and thus deeply values the wonder of life. It understands that nature's gifts are the key to our future, and is consequently committed to protecting biodiversity worldwide.

Guidelines

- 1 The group will deepen its understanding of the relationship between business activities and biodiversity.
- 2 The group will strive to reduce the environmental impact of business activities that impact biodiversity.
- 3 The group will strive for sustainable use of resources (including ecosystem services), and for fair and equitable distribution of genetic resources in accordance with international arrangements.
- 4 The group will work on conservation of biodiversity by communicating, cooperating and collaborating with stakeholders worldwide.
- 5 The group will help foster public awareness of biodiversity.

Relationship between Biodiversity and Business Activities



Business Activities That Take Local Ecosystems into Account

Initiatives for Nature Conservation

The Otsuka group is committed to protecting the natural environment at each of its business sites and conserving animals and plants based on laws and regulations. We have been conducting our environmental survey of globe-spanning operating companies to monitor the status of compliance with laws and regulations on animals and plants to be protected that are defined by laws and others (IUCN protected area management categories, the Ramsar Convention, domestic laws and regulations) and conservation activities for them. We will continue to grasp ecological risks in the areas surrounding our plants, and take measures against them.

Creating Biotopes*

A biotope at the Tokushima Itano Factory of Otsuka Pharmaceutical was created in 1998 when the plant was built under the theme of "symbiosis with nature." The biotope, with a total length of about 450 m, is fed by cooling water from the plant and provides an environment for diverse aquatic creatures to flourish, including dragonfly larva, water scorpions, and pygmy water lilies.

The Okayama Taiho Pharmaceutical plant created a biotope in 2011. Reusing the water (purified water) used for cleaning and sterilizing glass bottles of the Tiovita Drink series and the cooling water, the water is discharged into ditches that reproduce the natural environment. Freshwater fish such as Japanese Medaka (killifish) breed in the biotope creek, seasonal flowers bloom around the water, and insects and wild birds also fly in.

* Biotope : Restoring ecosystems that have been lost due to the establishment of factories, etc., and creating an environment for plants and animals that originally lived in the area can return.



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Management of Chemical Substances

Approach and Policy

Chemical substances used and emitted in business activities of our group companies and our manufacturing contractors are appropriately managed. Our policy is as follows.

1 Prevent the adverse effects of chemical substances on humans and ecosystems

2 Comply with laws and regulations in each country and further promote voluntary initiatives

We will comply with the laws and regulations of each country regarding the use and discharge of chemical substances and will further promote voluntary initiatives.

3 Monitoring

We will monitor the amount of chemical substances used and emitted in our business activities, check the status of compliance and progress of voluntary initiatives regularly, and take necessary corrective actions.

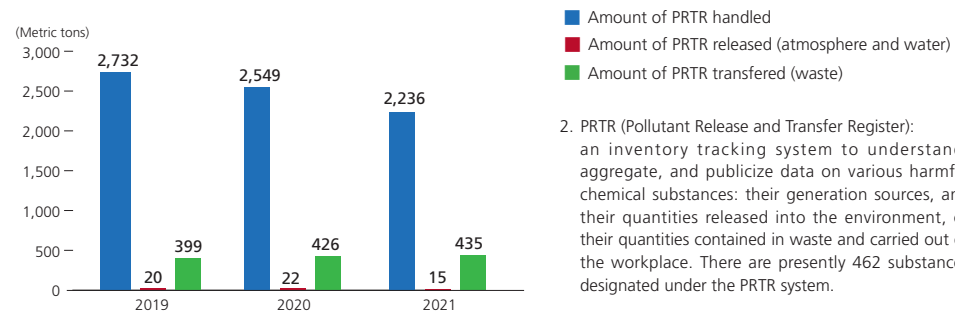
4 Response in the event of violations or disasters

We prepare the procedures for dealing with violations and disasters, and share them with relevant employees to prevent the occurrence of chemical contamination even in a state of emergency.

Proper Management of Chemical Substances¹

We handled 2,236 metric tons of PRTR substances² in our business activities. We will continue to strive for proper management of chemical substances.

Changes in Handling, Release of PRTR Substances



2. PRTR (Pollutant Release and Transfer Register): an inventory tracking system to understand, aggregate, and publicize data on various harmful chemical substances: their generation sources, and their quantities released into the environment, or their quantities contained in waste and carried out of the workplace. There are presently 462 substances designated under the PRTR system.

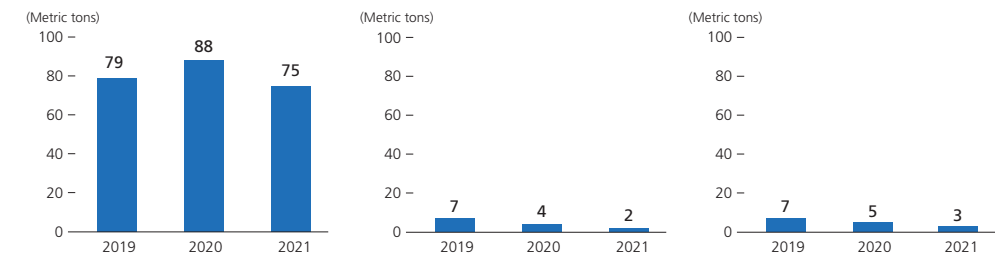
1. Five group companies: Otsuka Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory, Taiho Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Chemical, and Otsuka Foods

Limiting Emissions to the Atmosphere and Water Systems¹

Prevention of Air Pollution

Emissions of nitrogen oxides and sulfur oxides from our business activities amounted to 75 metric tons and 2 metric tons, respectively. We will continue to consolidate boiler facilities, switch to cleaner fuels, and continue to improve its energy efficiency in an effort to minimize emissions of NOx (nitrogen oxides) and SOx (sulfur oxides) into the atmosphere.

NOx (Nitrogen Oxides) Emissions SOx (Sulfur Oxide) Emissions Dust and Soot Emissions



Prevention of Water Pollution

The total amount of wastewater discharged during business activities was 11,844,000 m³, COD (chemical oxygen demand), which indicates the environmental impact of water quality, was 52 metric tons, and SS (suspended solid) emissions were 41 metric tons.

Total Amount of Wastewater COD (chemical oxygen demand) Emissions SS (Suspended Solids) Emissions

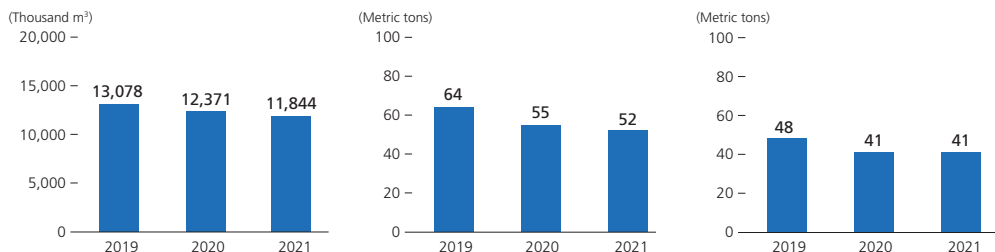


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Supply Chain

Initiatives for Sustainable Procurement

Across the entire value chain, the Otsuka group engages in business activities that are safe, reliable, socially acceptable, and in compliance with laws and regulations. When commencing transactions with a supplier, we perform screening and checks to ensure the quality of raw materials and to guarantee stable procurement. We also conclude a basic transaction agreement. In the case of a new supplier, transactions are determined only after we have carried out due diligence.

We aim for mutually sustainable development through fair, equitable, and transparent procurement and the establishment of healthy relationships with business collaborators. To further these initiatives, we formulated the Otsuka Group Procurement Policy, which considers factors such as human rights, labor issues, the environment, and anti-corruption measures, and the Otsuka Group Sustainable Procurement Guidelines to promote the initiatives with the aim of embedding sustainable procurement. Starting in 2022, the Otsuka group has also begun focusing on a new area—stability of supply, which addresses natural disasters and geopolitical risks—in addition to the four existing areas of attention: human rights, labor, the environment, and anti-corruption.

Otsuka Group Procurement Policy

The Otsuka group of companies, in accordance with our corporate vision, “Otsuka-people creating new products for better health worldwide”, and international norms, conducts procurement activities in a responsible way. Otsuka delivers innovative, safe, secure, and high-quality products in order to contribute to the construction and maintenance of a sustainable society, as well as to the health of people around the world.

1. Relationships with suppliers

As a collaborator with many suppliers, the Otsuka group aims to build good relationships for mutual sustainable development through shared understanding, based on a fair exchange of appropriate information and opinions.

2. Supplier selection

The Otsuka group selects suppliers in a fair, and transparent manner based on comprehensive assessments of supplier quality, costs, quantity, delivery terms, compliance with laws and regulations, promotion of environment preservation, etc.

3. Responsibilities toward society

For the realization of sustainable society, the Otsuka group strives to maintain procurement activities that reflect consideration for human rights, labor, the environment, and non-tolerance of corruption.

4. Compliance

The Otsuka group of companies observes all applicable laws and rules, and all Otsuka employees and supplier employees must act at all times with the highest level of ethics, consistent with social norms.

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Related Information



[Basic Policy](#)



[Implementation of Briefings](#)



[Promotion System](#)



[Implementation of SAQ](#)

Otsuka Group Sustainable Procurement Guidelines

(Excerpts involved environment)

We require the following in accordance with the Otsuka Group Environment Policy:

1. Observance of environmental law as well as international treaty as well as in the countries and areas of business activities
2. Pursuing activities such as chemical management, reduction and appropriate disposal of waste and the prevention of pollution, to consider the health and safety of local communities and environments
3. Consideration of the impacts of activities on the global environment, such as reduction of greenhouse gas emissions, responses to climate change, and environmental load reduction
4. Recycling, efficient usage and reduction in the consumption of resources such as energy, water, and raw materials
5. Promotion of comprehensive conservation activities for biodiversity considering the diversity in ecosystems, species, and genetics. Fair and equitable allocation of benefits resulting from utilization of genetic resources

Briefings on Sustainable Procurement Practices

By 2021, we had held briefings for 126 suppliers on sustainable procurement practices. Attendees are expected to comply with the Otsuka Group Procurement Policy and the Otsuka Group Sustainable Procurement Guidelines. Also, we had training sessions where the attendees had opportunities to stay up to date on human rights and environmental issues and share the significance of improving sustainability.

Suppliers that agree to uphold our policies sign a pledge affirming their intention to cooperate in achieving sustainable procurement as business partners.

Self-Assessment Questionnaire (SAQ) on Sustainable Procurement

Suppliers that sign the pledge conduct a self-assessment, which consists of the common SAQ* published by Global Compact Network Japan, and the Human Rights SAQ and Environmental SAQ that we have developed taking into account characteristics of the Otsuka group business activities. Based on the results, we conduct interviews with suppliers, and promote sustainable procurement with them.

*SAQ (Self-Assessment Questionnaire)

	2019	2020	2021
Number of implemented SAQ	34 companies	46 companies	57 companies

Initiatives with Business Partners

The Otsuka group is making concrete efforts to build relationships of trust with various stakeholders, including business partners



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Engagement

Initiatives That We Are Engaged In

Participation in TCFD

The Otsuka group has announced its support for recommendations issued by TCFD in October 2021. Scenario analysis assesses climate-related risks and opportunities, including carbon taxes, physical risks, and crop demand. We promote various measures based on the assessment result.



[Initiatives for TCFD Recommendations](#)

Joining the RE100 Initiative

Otsuka Holdings has endorsed RE100, an international initiative that aims for 100% use of renewable energy for business operations, and joined it in April 2022.



Support for Climate Change Initiatives

Otsuka Holdings supports for Japan Climate Initiative that declares "joining the front line of global push for decarbonization from Japan," and participates in various activities.



Certification by Science Based Targets (SBT)* Initiative

Greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions reduction targets set by Otsuka Pharmaceutical and Taiho Pharmaceutical have been certified by the Science Based Targets (SBT) initiative. In order to achieve these new goals, we will optimize energy use and introduce renewable energy, and continue to promote reduction of GHG emissions throughout the value chain.



*An international initiative led by the United Nations Global Compact (UNGC), World Resources Institute (WRI), and World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF). It certifies the CO₂ emission reduction targets of companies that are in line with emissions reduction scenarios based on scientific facts, for achieving the Paris Agreement-mandated objective of limiting the average global temperature rise to below 2°C.

External Recognition

CDP Evaluation

In 2021, CDP, an international NGO that works on environmental issues, scored the Otsuka Holdings "A-" for climate change and water resources respectively, which means we are at the leadership level for these fields.



Communication with Local Communities

Participation in "the Adopt an Eco-School Program," an Initiative through a Public-private and University Partnership

Concluded agreements with local schools; Otsuka Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Chemical, and Taiho Pharmaceutical have been participating in the Adopt an Eco-School program since 2008. As the name of this initiative represents, three group companies adopt local schools as foster parents to support environmental learning activities. In spite of the COVID-19 pandemic, the companies continued their activities and provided support activities, including a remote tour of the Tokushima Itano Factory of Otsuka Pharmaceutical (introduction of the factory environment from the air using images taken by a drone, introduction of the factory, explanation of the manufacturing line, live broadcasting of the biotope). We hope that the Adopt an Eco-School program will serve as an opportunity for students to pay attention to environmental issues around them.



Relationship with Stakeholders

The Otsuka group is promoting environmentally conscious efforts to build relationships of trust with various stakeholders.

[Stakeholder Engagement](#)

Environmental Data

Materiality	Classification	Sources	Scope	Unit	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	
Carbon Neutrality	Energies	Electricity	Global total		800,413	736,508	533,095	503,399	
			Japan	thousand kWh	381,748	311,456	127,521	93,177	
			Outside Japan		418,665	425,052	405,573	410,221	
		CO ₂ free electricity	Global total			82,549	201,858	265,242	
			Japan	thousand kWh		74,805	194,051	226,690	
			Outside Japan			7,744	7,807	38,552	
		Natural gas & City gas	Global total			75,892	72,075	71,600	68,084
			Japan	thousand m ³		32,812	32,014	31,498	31,153
			Outside Japan			43,080	40,061	40,101	36,930
		Coal	Global total			58,695	67,707	57,968	60,203
			Japan	t		0	0	0	0
			Outside Japan			58,695	67,707	57,968	60,203
		Steam	Global total			374,805	363,460	343,067	355,317
			Japan	t		163,871	158,207	152,076	152,010
			Outside Japan			210,934	205,253	190,991	203,307
		LNG	Global total			12,061	13,337	14,104	16,142
			Japan	t		11,887	13,055	13,823	15,729
			Outside Japan			174	282	281	413
		A HFO	Global total			10,350	9,516	7,945	5,025
			Japan	kL		10,113	9,516	7,945	5,025
			Outside Japan			237	0	0	0
		LPG	Global total			5,486	6,046	5,870	5,990
			Japan	t		5,154	5,776	5,596	5,664
			Outside Japan			332	270	274	327
Diesel	Global total			968	543	436	452		
	Japan	kL		54	69	58	20		
	Outside Japan			914	474	378	432		
Kerosene	Global total			148	145	130	133		
	Japan	kL		148	145	130	133		
	Outside Japan			0	0	0	0		
Gasoline	Global total			56	50	115	48		
	Japan	kL		56	50	115	48		
	Outside Japan			0	0	0	0		
Steam (non industrial)	Global total			988	1,033	1,084	1,198		
	Japan	GJ		988	1,033	1,084	1,198		
	Outside Japan			0	0	0	0		
Hot water	Global total			193	2,408	2,567	1,371		
	Japan	GJ		192	163	173	138		
	Outside Japan			1	2,245	2,393	1,233		
Cold water	Global total			5,842	11,400	11,774	3,897		
	Japan	GJ		5,842	11,400	11,774	3,897		
	Outside Japan			0	0	0	0		

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Materiality	Classification	Sources	Scope	Unit	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	
Carbon Neutrality	Renewable Energies	Solar power	Global total	thousand kWh	420	1,674	3,869	6,727	
			Japan		342	356	1,409	4,069	
			Outside Japan		78	1,318	2,459	2,658	
		Solar water heater	Global total	GJ	271	222	222	0	
			Japan		0	0	0	0	
			Outside Japan		271	222	222	0	
		Biomass power	Global total	thousand t	7	1	7	13	
			Japan		0	0	0	0	
			Outside Japan		7	1	7	13	
	CO ₂	CO ₂ emissions	Global total	thousand t-CO ₂	842	821	706	684	
			Japan		324,162	282,243	207,281	188,999	
			Outside Japan		518,329	538,525	498,754	494,704	
		CO ₂ emissions per sales	Global total	t/¥ million	0.65	0.59	0.50	0.46	
		GHG emissions throughout the value chain			thousand t-CO ₂	1,399	1,320	1,118	1,030
		Scope1				98,308	138,583	125,038	128,464
		Scope2				179,389	92,444	36,647	8,255
		Scope3 breakdown	Category 1			748,933	730,219	635,542	592,537
			Category 2			84,157	85,119	52,402	38,763
			Category 3			31,518	29,633	45,579	34,167
			Category 4			82,176	79,981	70,621	70,519
Category 5					12,143	11,851	12,836	13,535	
Category 6			Japan ¹	t-CO ₂	11,677	10,882	6,030	5,413	
Category 7					5,801	5,888	5,773	5,917	
Category 8					9,121	8,463	6,356	7,258	
Category 9	22,936				22,484	20,407	20,736		
Category 10						N/A			
Category 11	78,554				81,034	80,209	79,452		
Category 12	34,766		23,681	20,751	21,163				
Category 13			N/A						
Category 14			N/A						
Category 15			N/A						
Water Neutrality	Water	Water usage	Global total	thousand m ³	19,463	18,756	17,732	17,680	
			Japan		13,010	12,274	11,605	10,909	
			Outside Japan		6,453	6,482	6,127	6,772	
		Water use efficiency	Global total	t/¥ million	15.1	13.4	12.5	11.8	
		Water intake by water source	Municipal water (including industrial water)	thousand m ³	14,110	13,561	12,793	13,548	
			River water		1,417	1,382	1,312	125	
			Ground water		3,936	3,813	3,627	4,007	
		Wastewater by destination	Rivers, lakes and marshes	thousand m ³		12,345	11,717	11,194	
			Underground seepage		61	60	4		
			Area of ocean		1,267	1,002	1,051		
Third-party processing (municipal sewage, etc.)	3,109		2,886		2,873				
Total Amount of Wastewater			thousand m ³	16,782	15,666	15,122			

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Materiality	Classification	Sources	Scope	Unit	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	
Circular Economy	Material	Material	Japan ¹	t	127,473	125,289	114,847	114,771	
		Packaging material	Plastics	PET	16,888	14,376	11,963	12,028	
				Others	17,660	17,783	16,028	14,998	
			Paper and cardboard		37,465	36,388	33,149	32,481	
		Others		97,843	95,658	89,826	88,949		
	Waste ²	Total amount of waste	Global total				97,441	88,878	90,147
			Japan	t	38,378	43,083	35,723	35,246	
			Outside Japan			54,358	53,155	54,901	
		Recycled materials	Global total				74,618	64,027	64,395
			Japan	t	34,930	38,805	30,647	30,352	
			Outside Japan			35,813	33,380	34,043	
		Global Breakdown	Material Recycling				42,236	39,243	36,804
			Thermal Recycle	t	12,121	9,528	11,911		
			Composting and feed ⁴			20,261	15,256	15,680	
		Total (Including valuables)	Global total				5,048	4,841	6,171
			Japan	t		4,163	4,068	3,983	
			Outside Japan			885	773	2,188	
		Final disposal	Global total				11,075	9,632	10,226
			Japan	t	166	115	99	112	
			Outside Japan			10,960	9,533	10,114	
	Bio-processing and chemical processing	Global total					10,379	9,355	
		Japan	t			909	799		
		Outside Japan				9,470	8,556		
	Hazardous ³	Total amount of waste	Global total				9,761	9,793	10,703
			Japan	t	4,250	3,771	3,836	4,513	
			Outside Japan			5,990	5,958	6,190	
		Recycled materials	Global total				5,318	4,549	5,450
			Japan	t	2,480	1,638	1,653	2,174	
			Outside Japan			3,680	2,897	3,276	
		Global Breakdown	Material Recycling				2,634	96	2,257
			Thermal Recycle	t		2,441	1,556	3,193	
			Composting and feed ⁴			243	0	0	
		Final disposal	Global total				2,389	2,443	2,694
Japan			t		2,124	2,047	2,235		
Outside Japan					265	396	459		
(landfill)		Global total				1,572	1,824	2,137	
		Japan	t	2	9	2	1		
		Outside Japan			1,563	1,822	2,136		
Bio-processing and chemical processing	Global total					978	421		
	Japan	t			135	102			
	Outside Japan				843	319			

1. Five group companies: Otsuka Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory, Taiho Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Chemical, and Otsuka Foods 2. Since 2019, the scope of disclosure has expanded from Japan to Global.
 3. Hazardous waste by Japanese regulations; in other countries, the classification is based on the respective national standards. 4. Composting and conversion to feed in FY 2019 include other wastewater treatment.

Reporting of Violations of Environmental Laws and Regulations

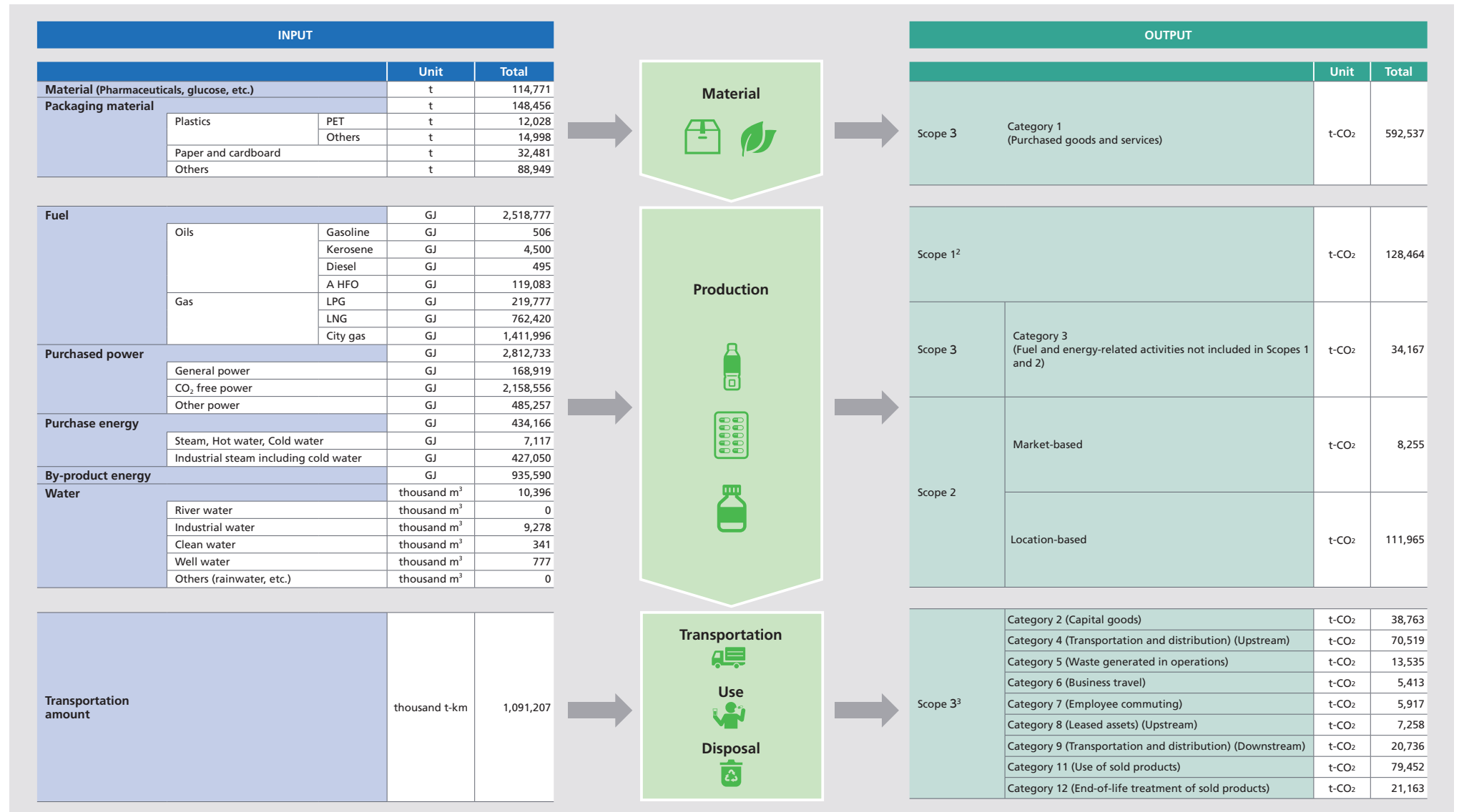
In FY 2021, we did not have any serious accidents, violations, or environmental fines related to water quality or hazardous chemical substances.

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Material balance over the life cycle of the business¹



1. Five group companies: Otsuka Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory, Taiho Pharmaceutical, Otsuka Chemical, and Otsuka Foods 2. Indirect emissions from energy sources and indirect emissions from freon leak volume and during the production of carbonated beverages, etc. 3. Categories 10 and 13 to 15 are not applicable

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Otsuka Group's subsidiaries' acquisition of ISO 14001 certification

Acquisition rate 55.3 (Japan77.8%, Outside Japan34.7%)

* All production sites of the consolidated Otsuka Group

Japan:10 Companies (Certified Companies)

Integrated certification as Otsuka Holdings (Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd., Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory, Inc., Taiho Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd., Otsuka Chemical Co., Ltd., Otsuka Food Co., Ltd., Otsuka Techno Corporation)
 EN Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd.
 Otsuka Packaging Industries Co., Ltd.
 Higashiyama Film Co., Ltd.
 J.O. Pharma Co., Ltd.

Tianjin Otsuka Beverage Co., Ltd.
 Korea Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd.
 Nutrition & Sante SAS
 Nutrition & Sante Iberia SL
 Otsuka Pakistan Ltd.
 PT Amerta Indah Otsuka
 PT Otsuka Indonesia
 Zhejiang Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd.
 Egypt Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co., S.A.E.
 PT Widatra Bhakti
 P.T.Lautan Otsuka Chemica
 Zhangjiagang Otsuka Chemical Co., Ltd.
 Hebron S.A.

Outside Japan : 13 Companies (Certified Companies)

As of December, 2021

Third-Party Verification

In order to improve the transparency and reliability of its environmental data, the Otsuka group has its GHG emissions Scopes 1 and 2 (CO₂ emissions from energy sources, including energy consumption), and Scope 3 (Category 1) verified by third-party organizations. This helps us identify emissions trends and implement improvements. We will continue to expand the scope of verification and further enhance the reliability of our data.

