

Environmental Conservation Activities

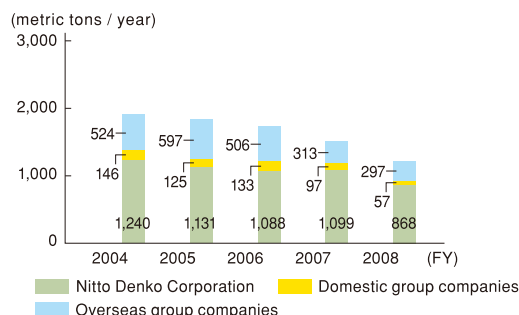
Proper Management of Chemical Substances (consolidated)

The Nitto Denko Group uses various chemical substances. By elevating awareness of employees who deal with such chemical materials of the influence that such substances may have on humans, the global environment and ecosystems, we manage and deal with these materials safely and responsibly through the adoption of a voluntary management standard which is stricter than legal requirements.

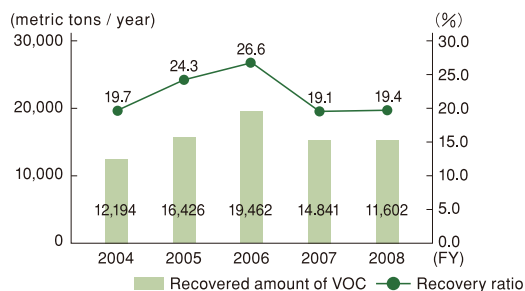
At the Chemical Substances Control Center established in 2007, we aim to implement uniform management of the information relating to chemical substances and raw materials used by the Group in the manufacturing of our products by means not only of enhancing our management system but also through advance anticipation of overseas legal control limits. It will become possible to respond to demands from customers and suppliers promptly and precisely by means of establishing a unitary Nitto Denko Group criteria.

As a deluge of inquiries from customers regarding REACH in addition to existing RoHS and ELV regulations are projected in the future, we are implementing concretization of disclosure rules and preparation of disclosure documents relating to chemical substances contained in our products.

■ Amount of VOC Emissions (consolidated)



■ Amount of VOC Recycling (consolidated)



Beginning of Full-scale Operation of Nitto Denko Group Chemical Substances Management Database

The Nitto Denko Group launched the operation of the Nitto Denko Group Chemical Substances Management Database (NCM) on December 28, 2008. NCM provides a vehicle by which to unify management of information as to chemical substances, from raw materials to finished products, through the adding of information such as product composition to previously existing information on raw material composition and the like in the database.

Employees are able to search for and view data such as information on chemical substances or regulations and administrative information on chemical substances. Furthermore, NCM possesses a quantity counting function which can be applied to composition of each product or each country, and is able to respond promptly to the disclosure of data requested from various business fields such as IMDS, JAMA, MSDS plus, which is projected to increase in the future.

