

ZEON Group (Overseas)

Zeon Advanced Polymix Co., Ltd. (ZAP)

Introduction to Zeon Advanced Polymix Co., Ltd.

Zeon Advanced Polymix produces rubber compounds in Thailand as part of Zeon Corporation's global synthetic rubber operations. With Thailand growing in importance as a production center for Japanese automakers, the company supplies automotive parts and industrial products to customers from Japan and Southeast Asia.



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Environmental and Safety Activities

1. Work Safety Initiatives

The company is currently focusing on safety activities in an attempt to reach 1,000 consecutive days without accident. In addition, a Safety Week is organized every year with companies from the industrial park, local residents, and local government officials invited to attend alongside employees. Each workplace sets up a booth to explain their ideas on safety and report on safety initiatives. We also regularly invite external lecturers to offer instruction on emergency treatment measures for injuries. We are striving to raise safety awareness by proactively dispatching staff to external safety courses.



Safety week



Evacuation training



Safety training from an external lecturer

2. Environmental Data

Zeon Advanced Polymix Co., Ltd.		FY2009	FY2010	FY2011	FY2012	FY2013
Industrial waste	Amount generated (before volume reduction) (tons)	741	1,007	1,216	427	235
	Amount sent to landfill (tons)	61	65	241	0.0	0.0
Water resources (Industrial water + Ground water + Waterworks) consumption (1,000 m ³)		18	29	30	32	32
CO ₂ emissions (tons)		4,898	6,500	6,220	7,270	6,090
Energy consumption (crude oil equivalent, kL)		2,210	2,933	2,807	3,277	2,948

Contributing to the Local Community

ZAP aims to coexist with the local community by inviting residents to its company health checkup, making donations of stationery supplies to surrounding elementary schools, and other activities. In fiscal 2013, we made a donation to the construction of an elementary school building, and we received a Thank-You letter from the school. The company is active in many ways, holding blood donation drives, cleaning up the area around the factory, engaging in afforestation work, and making donations to hospitals, temples, and schools. We are systematically implementing CSR training within the company in order to ensure that all employees are thoroughly aware of our CSR policy.



Thank-you letter from an elementary school



Donation to a nearby elementary school (Children's Day)



Blood donation activities



Clean-up activities around the plant