

First-time Selection as an Environmentally Sustainable Company at the ESG Finance Awards Japan

Denka Company Limited (Headquarters: Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Representative Director and President: Ikuo Ishida) has been selected for the first time as an Environmentally Sustainable Company at the 7th ESG Finance Awards Japan (the “Awards”) organized by the Ministry of the Environment.



The Awards were established by the Ministry of the Environment in 2019 with the aim of promoting and expanding ESG finance. Within the Awards, the Environmentally Sustainable Companies category is designed to highlight to investors and companies specific examples of companies that are incorporating responses to key environmental opportunities and risks into their management strategies, thereby producing positive environmental impacts while leading to enhanced corporate value.

Under the Management Plan “Mission 2030,” which began in fiscal 2023, we have positioned the pursuit of sustainability as the cornerstone of our management. To achieve its goal of becoming carbon neutral by 2050, Denka has set a target to reduce CO₂ emissions by 60% by 2030 compared to fiscal 2013. We are also endeavoring to enhance the utilization efficiency of our own hydroelectric power plants, introduce other forms of renewable energy, drive process innovation, and reduce emissions throughout the entire product lifecycle. These efforts aim to increase long-term corporate value and deepen our ESG management. The award received this time represents holistic recognition of these initiatives.

Denka will continue contributing to people’s daily lives and society by applying its world-class chemistry know-how based on its Purpose: “Make the world a better place as specialists in chemistry.”

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