

# Policy/Communication

## Mitsubishi Electric Group Environmental Policy Updated in Nov. 2021

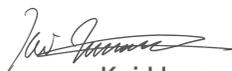
Based on its Purpose, "We, the Mitsubishi Electric Group, will contribute to the realization of a vibrant and sustainable society through continuous technological innovation and ceaseless creativity," the Mitsubishi Electric Group clearly states its contribution to the realization of sustainability as one of its key management policies. Our aim is to realize both a sustainable global environment and a safe, secure, and comfortable society. To find solutions to environmental problems such as climate change, resource depletion, and the loss of biodiversity, contributing to the protection of the environment is positioned as one of the most important issues that the Group must address.

Utilizing our accumulated and newly developed state-of-the-art technologies, and in accordance with "Environmental Vision 2050," we will provide products and services through a wide variety of businesses that contribute to resolving climate change issues and creating a recycling-based society. At the same time, we will draw on strengths, both within and outside of the Group, and with the passion of all employees, focus on creating innovative technologies, products and services while proposing new values that will support future generations. Particularly, in view of the global trend towards rapid decarbonization, we are addressing the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions throughout our value chain while also promoting the recycling of resources globally and making efforts to preserve biodiversity.

As a good corporate citizen, the Group will continue to work with its employees, their families, and local communities to foster environmental awareness and expand the sphere of its activities that are contributing to society. We will actively disseminate information on our environmental initiatives in an effort to promote a mutual understanding with society. In doing so, we will comply with laws and social norms, change the ways we think and act with a keen sensitivity to changes in society, and always conduct business activities while giving continuous consideration to protecting the environment.

Under the Environmental Declaration, "Protect the air, land, and water with our hearts and technologies to sustain a better future for all," all employees of the Mitsubishi Electric Group will contribute with pride and passion to enrichen people's lives and improve the global environment.

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**Kei Uruma**  
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## Biodiversity Action Guidelines

The Earth's ecosystem is made up of diverse living organisms. All aspects of human civilization benefit from this ecosystem, but at the same time, we affect it in both direct and indirect ways. Today, damage to the ecosystem is said to be driving many species to extinction and otherwise eroding biodiversity.

In recognition of this, the Mitsubishi Electric Group has established Biodiversity Action Guidelines, which add the perspective of biodiversity as a means for living in harmony with nature to the Group's conventional measures against climate change and environmental activities aimed at achieving resource recycling. These guidelines define the role of business activities in preserving biodiversity, and outline the Group's efforts toward the development of a sustainable society through its business activities.

### Resources & Procurement

Recognizing that we utilize globally procured natural resources such as minerals, fuels and plants, we shall aim to preserve biodiversity in Japan and around the world by carrying out green procurement activities.

### Product Design

In designing our products and services, we shall promote the effective utilization of resources and the efficient use of energy, as well as aim to prevent the emission of substances that pose a risk to the environment.

### Manufacturing & Transportation

When commencing or making changes to land use, such as when constructing factories or warehouses, we will give due consideration to protecting the biodiversity of the land in question. In manufacturing and transportation, we aim to minimize energy use, waste generation and the emission of chemical substances.

### Sales, Usage & Maintenance

In our sales activities, we will work to promote better understanding among our customers of the impact that product/service usage and maintenance can have on biodiversity.

### Collection & Recycling

We will actively develop recycling technologies and apply them to collected end-of-life products.

### Understanding & Action

We will deepen our understanding of the importance of biodiversity and our relationship to it, and will actively and voluntarily take actions necessary to coexist in harmony with nature.

### Cooperation

All companies in the Mitsubishi Electric Group, including overseas affiliates, will act as one, in cooperation with local communities, NGOs and governments.