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"Sustainable Monozukuri (Manufacturing)" at the Gunma Prefectural Office Introduction to Supplier Support Examples for Achieving Carbon Neutrality at a Decarbonization Support Seminar



At the seminar (Back left: Speaker from Sanden)

On June 13, 2025, Sanden Corporation (headquartered in Isesaki City, Gunma Prefecture), hereinafter referred to as "Sanden," participated in the "2025 Gunma Decarbonization Support Service Kickoff Seminar," hosted by Gunma Prefecture. The seminar was held at the Gunma Prefectural Office, where Sanden introduced its initiatives toward achieving carbon neutrality.

This seminar was held as part of the Gunma Carbon Neutral Promotion Council's initiatives, based on the Gunma Decarbonization Support Service project, which is aimed at small and medium-sized businesses. The seminar aimed to share information on methods and support to help businesses in the prefecture promote decarbonization management.

On the day of the event, our sustainability representative presented our initiatives focusing on our support for suppliers and the importance of cooperating with local governments to address Scope 3 (greenhouse gas emissions in the supply chain), a particular challenge in our efforts to achieve carbon neutrality.

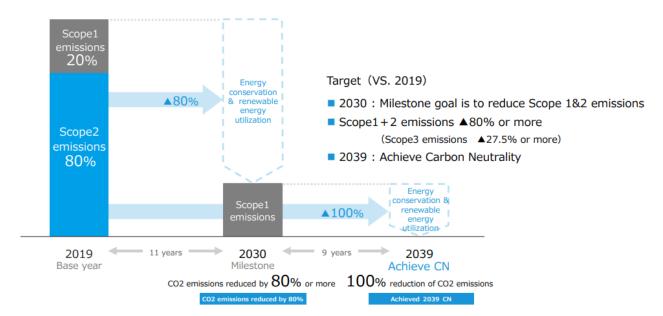
For example, we reported on the results of our business partners' Scope 2 (electricity) CO₂ reduction efforts, which we carried out in collaboration with Gunma Prefecture last year as part of our efforts to reduce Scope 3 emissions.

During the Q&A session, the audience asked specific questions, such as, "What are Sanden's criteria for selecting suppliers?" This demonstrated a high level of interest in the topic. This seminar also brought to light the challenges of aligning the awareness of companies and local governments. Going forward, we will continue to strive for more effective local collaboration-based decarbonization initiatives through energy-saving diagnostic support, clear communication of support measures, and opportunities to share results.

Scope1 (Direct Emissions)		Burn:Greenhouse gas emissions from sources (On site)
Scope2 (Indirect Emissions)		Buy:Emission from energy/utilities (electricity, heat, steam)
Scope3 (Other Emissions)	Upstream	Cat1:Purchased goods and services Cat2:Capital goods Cat3:Fuel- and energy-related activities (Exclude Scope 1 & 2) Cat4:Upstream transportation and distribution Cat5:Waste generated in operations Cat6:Business travel Cat7:Employee commuting Cat8:Upstream leased assets
	Downstream	Cat9: Downstream transportation and distribution Cat10: Processing of sold products Cat11: Use of sold products Cat12: End-of-life treatment of sold products Cat13: Downstream leased assets Cat14: Franchises Cat15: Investments

Scope Details (Categories of Corporate CO₂ Emissions)

Sanden's Carbon Neutral Initiatives



Sanden's Carbon Neutral Plan

As part of our efforts to achieve a decarbonized society, we are committed to becoming carbon neutral by 2039. This is 11 years ahead of the government's target date of 2050 and demonstrates our proactive stance.

Additionally, in accordance with the scientific scenarios outlined by the Science Based Targets (SBT) initiative, we have set goals aligned with the Paris Agreement's objective of limiting the global average temperature rise to 1.5°C compared to pre-industrial levels for milestone target by 2030. Our efforts have been recognized, and we received SBT certification in October 2023.

Sanden will continue to expand opportunities for collaboration and learning to realize "Sustainable Monozukuri (manufacturing)" through partnerships with local governments and other companies. Sanden will grow alongside society.

[Reference Links]

 2025 Gunma Decarbonization Support Service Kickoff Seminar https://www.pref.gunma.jp/page/701231.html

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