

SS (Service Stations)

サービスステーション

We introduced the Environmental Management Point (EM Point) System to the SS operations in order to quantify risk. We are constantly seeking creative ways to harmonize the service stations with the environment.



Environmental Management Point (EM Point)

In April 2003, as one of the goal realization indicators of Cosmo Oil's service stations sales promotion program "NAVI", we introduced the Environmental Management Point (EM Point) system that relates to such matters as leak management, inspection of facilities, and industrial waste management as a means of environmental risk management at the service stations.

The EM Point inspection is conducted twice a year at approximately 5,000 service stations nationwide. In Fiscal 2003 and 2004, a total of 4 such inspections were conducted, and each time, the recovery rate and scored points showed improvements. We will continue to ascertain the actual state of safety management at our SS facilities and strive to improve management conditions.

Eco Friendly Service Stations

• Installation of Solar Panels

One way in which we are striving to make our service stations cutting-edge facilities that are environmentally conscious is the installation of solar panels (a photovoltaic power system). In Fiscal 2004, we newly installed them at 12 stations, and a total of 37 locations now use solar energy.

• Introduction of Hydrocarbon Vapor Recovery Equipment

In order to control diffusion of hydrocarbon vapor, we are installing hydrocarbon vapor recovery units, at our service stations.

Educational Activities

We offer our authorized agents and service station operators an original risk management training program created by our company that focuses on environmental management for service stations at 9 locations nationwide. We have also produced and distributed a training video.

We have also added an Environmental Management Manual to the SS Facilities Safety Inspections Records that is distributed to all of Cosmo Oil's service stations (approximately 5,000 locations). This manual discusses the check points that allow for early discovery of oil spills and the resulting environmental impact, as well as the emergency response procedures that should be taken when an oil spill is confirmed, so as to ensure that each service station is equipped with this general knowledge.

Hydrocarbon Vapor Recovery Unit

