

## Profile

Okinawa Electric Power Company, Incorporated (OEPC), is one of the 10 electric power companies that form part of the energy industry which supports Japanese society. The Company supplies electricity to all of Okinawa Prefecture, which lies in the extreme southern part of Japan and is comprised of 40 inhabited outlying islands stretching for 1,000 km east to west and 400 km north to south. The geographical characteristics of the prefecture pose difficulties to supplying electricity. In order to overcome these difficulties, OEPC has constructed a system that can supply round-the-clock stable electricity to all of the prefecture's inhabited islands.

While developing new power generation sources and continuing to build up its power supply network from a long-term perspective, the Company is making concerted efforts to preserve the environment and reduce supply cost, by, for example, depending less on oil while establishing coal as its main fuel source and introducing wind power generation and photovoltaic power generation, which make use of the Prefecture's climatic features. Furthermore, as an energy company that develops together with its region, we endeavor to contribute to a diverse range of activities within Okinawa, including promoting the economy, culture, arts, and sports of the region, in order to create a stronger bond of trust with the region and its people and gain their increased support.



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