

Strengthening group management

Our aim in managing the OEPC Group as a whole is to expand our sphere of business activities, as well as to maximize the enterprise value of the group through the efficient allocation of management resources such as equipment and personnel, and the sharing of technological expertise. With regard to the opening up of new business fields, we take care to ensure that such moves are backed by a consensus of approval among both our shareholders and the community at large. In addition, we also focus on businesses that help contribute to the growth of our core electric power business and to the development of customer industries in Okinawa Prefecture. In these ways, we select new businesses that expand and enhance the service we provide to our customers.

Group companies serve as invaluable partners in our provision of a reliable power service

The overriding concern of all companies in the OEPC Group is to assist the parent Company in its provision of a reliable electric power service to the people of Okinawa. To help make the supply of power by OEPC go smoothly, the seven companies of the OEPC group engage in the businesses of power plant and transmission/distribution facility construction and maintenance, facility inspection, and the procurement of essential facilities such as transformers, switchboards, power distribution lines, and electricity meters for the parent company. Utilizing their accumulated expertise in the construction of electric power facilities, they are also engaging in various public works projects and private-sector construction projects, so as to help promote the growth of the local economy.



Employees of Okinawa Denki Kogyo Company, Incorporated check power meters.



Staff from Okinawa Plant Kogyo Company, Incorporated disassemble a turbine at Makiminato Thermal Power Plant for a regular inspection.



Okienco Company Incorporated installed the exterior lighting for the National Theater Okinawa.

Lifestyle support services

Telecommunications services

The OEPC Group's activities in this area are based on a vision of society in the near future in which the roles of computers and telecommunications will be enormously expanded by comparison with the present. For example, people will be able to view or download publicly accessible data held on file at their local government offices. They will be able to view movies selected from an almost infinitely wide choice range, via broadband Internet connection in their own homes, or participate in teleconferencing via their own PCs. In the near future, it is expected that all computers — at public facilities, private companies, and ordinary households — will be interconnected via one information technology network or another.

The companies in the OEPC Group are working on the design and practical creation of secure systems that will facilitate the establishment of new types of ties between individuals, between individuals and communities, and between different regional communities.



The iDC Building — This building features highly reliable broadband Internet access services, provided by First Riding Technology Company, Incorporated.



IT Expo — Companies in the OEPC Group show off their wares and services.



Okinawa Telecommunication Network Company, Incorporated has begun offering an Internet access service utilizing a proprietary optical fiber network.

Operation of on-site power generators

We aim to meet our customers' needs for reduced costs, energy conservation, and a smaller environmental burden from their business operations by providing them with comprehensive, "one-stop" solutions for efficient, cost-effective, and environmentally-friendly power generation. These services range from diagnostic facilities for IPP/cogeneration systems and water-cleansing systems, through design, installation and operation of facilities, to monitoring, fuel supply, and maintenance and repair services.



Employees of Progressive Energy Corporation (PEC) install a small-scale power generator, part of a "distributed generation" network.

Nursing care facilities

Kanucha Community Co., Inc. is developing a retirement complex with nursing care facilities located in an extensive area of unspoiled nature, providing the highest level of nursing and medical facilities and amenities and capable of responding to the bodily changes that occur as we grow older. The Company enables residents to enjoy their daily lives in every way.



Artist's impression of the Kanucha Community, a retirement community complex with nursing care facilities

In-house venture system

In the year 2000, the Group established the MOVE2000 Program as a means of fostering new businesses. Under this program, employees of OEPC and its Group subsidiaries are encouraged to put forward proposals for new business ventures. Those deemed commercially viable after careful study are put into practice, and thus far, five new companies springing from such suggestions have been established.



Pork has always played an important role in Okinawan cuisine. Ganju Company, Incorporated upholds very high quality standards in its production of tasty pork.



Aqua Culture Okinawa Co., Inc. sells decorative corals that are artificially cultivated in its tanks.

Okinawan Rum is made from sugar cane (for which Minami-Daito Island is renowned) and molasses. This delicious drink, made by Grace Rum, contains no artificial aromatics or coloring.

