



Japan Environmental Management Association for Industry

# Greetings

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The Japan Environmental Management Association for Industry (JEMAI) was founded in September 1962 and became a public corporation in 1963, after receiving central government approval. JEMAI celebrated its 50th anniversary in September 2012.

During the years where industrial pollution was a big social issue, we acted aggressively, focusing on the development of environment-protecting technologies, investigation and research on environmental issues, and the assessment of environmental conditions. Since 1987, we have been working as a body that performs the National Certification Examination for Pollution Control Managers, while supporting the establishment of the pollution

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control manager system in other Asian countries.

In recent years, we have expanded the scope of our activities further, moving into the area of promoting the general environmental management of businesses, such as the evaluation and registration of environmental management system auditors and the hosting of the "Eco-Product" exhibition. In addition, we also supported the environmental preservation activities of industries and other sectors, including the development and popularization of life-cycle assessment (LCA) methods and the promotion on a global basis of chemical substance management. In April 2012, in order to expand our activities further, we took over the primary operation of two organizations involved in environmental issues: the Clean Japan Center and the Japan Association of Industries

We took a role in providing platforms for academic, industrial and government bodies with a view to supporting the solution of various environmental issues faced by industry. In April 2013, we became a general corporation. As a general organization that specializes in environmental management, we have made various efforts in the public interest, focusing on the dissemination of environmental preservation technologies. Since then, we have been carrying out various activities demanded by the times.

In 2019, we transferred some of our activities, such as region-related ones and the evaluation and registration of environmental management system auditors, to related organizations. On the other hand, we have expanded our activities related to measures for reducing plastic trash, all the while also improving the efficiency of our organization.

In the future, we are committed to extending further efforts in the direction of promoting the support of corporate environmental management, such as finding solutions for accumulating plastic marine trash and achieving internal standardization, in addition to the implementation of our existing activities.

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JEMAI contributes to environmental management for businesses in a variety of ways.

# Business Introduction

## National Examination and Qualifications Training

We have been conducting authorized lectures for the Certification of Pollution Control Managers and Supervisors since 1972 as a trustee operator of the government (we have been registered as a training organization from 2005). In 1987, we were commissioned by the Minister of International Trade and Industry to be the organizing body of National Examination for Environmental Pollution Control Managers and Supervisors.

## Human Resources Development

After introducing our lecture course for the National Qualification Examination for Pollution Control Managers in 1971, we began offering correspondence courses in 1993.

We have introduced training courses over time in such areas as environmental management, risk assessment of soil contamination, and waste management.

We also provide other assessment services based on clients' needs in order to improve environmental skills through in-house training or on-site lectures.

This includes the introduction, maintenance, sustainable improvement, and operation of the EMS (ISO14001).

## Research on Environmental Technology

The research and development of environmental technologies for the prevention of pollution are conducted on commissions from such entities as the government, public corporations, and enterprises. We develop International Standards (IS) and Japan Industrial Standards (JIS) concerning the measurements of air and water quality based on the needs of industry.

## Publication

We publish various books and magazines such as Environmental Management (bulletin) and a variety of other books for pollution control managers, etc.

## International Cooperation

In order to establish environmental management systems and pollution control manager systems in developing countries, we dispatch experts and provide training courses for developing human resources for pollution prevention. We manage standardization in ISO/TC146 (air quality), ISO/TC147 (water quality) and ISO/TC207 (environmental management) as a national standard body on behalf of JISC.

## Chemical Substances Management

We aim to support industries in achieving the chemicals management goals agreed on at the 2002 Johannesburg World Summit on Sustainable Development. To support industries and companies, especially SMEs (small and medium enterprises) in the field of chemicals management, we are working hard to help them to establish totally sound chemicals management in cooperation with government agencies and industries.

We have been working hard to investigate the actual situations of companies and their manufacturing facilities in terms of chemical issues such as environmental pollution control and occupational safety management, and chemical management in products. Based on the investigation results, we provide textbooks, seminars for human resources development, and consulting assignments utilizing our wide range of skills, experience and knowledge.

Furthermore, JAMP (Joint Article Management Promotion-consortium) has been promoting guidelines, tools, and systems for chemicals management through global manufacturing supply chains. We also provide IT services, JAMP-GP (JAMP Global Portal), which achieves secure and high performance automatic data exchanges between customers and suppliers.

And our iCHEM (International Support Center for Chemical Management) provides solutions for the successful delivery of technical, legal, and commercial issues that arise due to chemical regulatory issues. iCHEM is a competent team that provides the highest quality, up-to date advice on technical, legal, and strategic aspects of the regulations. iCHEM's services are comprised of regulatory and strategic consulting, GHS services, and more.

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## Resources and Recycling

With over 36 years of expertise and experience with the “3Rs” initiative by the Clean Japan Center (incorporated foundation), we endeavor to reduce waste generation, reuse goods and packaging, and recycle waste and by-products in order to promote waste prevention and the effective use of resources.

## Meetings for Enterprises and the Environment

With the purpose of advancing total understanding and implementing measures to assist industry with smoothly resolving environmental problems, we gather relevant and up-to-date information at home and abroad, hold meetings for the purpose of exchanging information between administrative officers and private sector experts and organizing things like study groups and committees for counseling purposes.

## Measures to Reduce Marine Plastic Litter As CLOMA Secretariat

With a view to resolving problems posed by plastic marine trash, a big global issue, The The Japan Clean Ocean Material Alliance (CLOMA) is carrying out a variety of activities to accelerate innovations in public-private collaboration, while promoting the sustainable use of plastic products and the development and introduction of substitutes for these.

## LCA Society of Japan Information exchange, Research activities on Life Cycle Assessment

In order to get more people to think about the issue of product life cycles, the LCA Society of Japan carries out various activities, including the acquisition and release of a wide range of data, both from Japan and from other countries, and the presentation of training courses and seminars about the introduction of LCA.

## Energy / Environment Manager

We have introduced an examination system to determine the career level of Energy / Environment managers based on a career skill rating system. The system was deployed based on the practical national strategy aiming for human resources development and manpower shifts to potential business areas.

## Organization Mascot “JEMAILE”

On the occasion of the 50th Anniversary of the foundation and the transfer to a general incorporated association, we introduced an organization mascot.

“I am JEMAILE”. JEMAILE is a compound name of ‘JEMAI’ and ‘SMILE’. I am here to protect the blue earth, sprout hopes in society, and harvest a crop called ‘the future’.

JEMAILE brings you a smile and sows the seeds of hope for a clean society.



# History

- Sep. 1962 The Air Pollution Control Industry Association established as a voluntary organization
- Aug. 1963 Status of a public corporation approved
- Jan. 1965 Publication of the journal "Air Pollution" started
- Sep. 1965 Name changed to Air Pollution Control Industry Association (APCIA)
- Nov. 1966 Name changed to Industrial Pollution Control Association of Japan (IPCAJ)  
< Activities extended to include air pollution, water pollution, noise, vibration and others >
- Oct. 1971 Seminar for applicants for Pollution Control Manager qualification examination started
- Mar. 1987 Commissioned by the Minister of International Trade and Industry as the organizing body of the national qualification examination of Pollution Control Managers
- Jun. 1993 Secretariat activity for the Environmental Management Standardization Committee, 2nd Subcommittee (ISO / TC 207) started
- Oct. 1993 Name changed to Japan Environmental Management Association for Industry
- Oct. 1995 Activity for the Japan LCA Forum started
- Apr. 1996 Center of Environmental Auditors Registration started
- Sep. 1997 Evaluation and registration of Environmental Management System Auditors started
- Apr. 1998 LCA National Project started
- Dec. 1999 Eco-Product Exhibition 1999 launched
- Apr. 2002 Type III environmental declarations (Eco-LEAF) program launched
- Apr. 2004 Open the LCA data base to LCA Society of Japan members Evaluation and registration of Environmental Site Assessor started
- Apr. 2004 Environmental site assessors registration for soil pollution-control started
- Apr. 2006 Registration program of Environmental Auditors Training Course started
- Sep. 2006 Joint Article Management Promotion-consortium (JAMP) started
- May. 2007 REACH (Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals) support program started
- Jul. 2007 Environmental Education and Training program started
- Apr. 2008 Training program for Pollution Control Manager qualification examination started
- Apr. 2009 Commencement of Japan's 3 years National Pilot Project of Carbon Footprint
- Jun. 2009 JAMP (Joint Article Management Promotion-consortium) Global Portal started
- Sep. 2009 Carbon Footprint Japan Forum was established
- Apr. 2012 CFP Communication Program started
- Apr. 2012 Resources Recycling Promotion Center was established
- Apr. 2012 Japan Association of Industries and Environment was established
- Sep. 2012 50th anniversary
- Apr. 2013 Transferred to general incorporated association
- Apr. 2017 Established our Regional Industry Support Center
- Jun. 2019 Started secretariat operation for The Japan Clean Ocean Material Alliance (CLOMA).
- Oct. 2019 Integrated the task of evaluating and registering environmental management system auditors into the Japan Standardization Association.
- Oct. 2019 Transferred our Regional Industry Support activities to the Sustainable Management Promotion Organization (SUMPO).

# Organization

## Department of Environmental Business and Technology

Center of Education, Training and Publishing

Center of International Cooperation and Environmental Technologies

• Environmental site Assessors Registration Office

• Registration Office of Energy & Environment manager

## Department of Chemical Management

International Support Center for Chemical Management

• Chemical Management and Information Office

• Regulatory Compliance Support and Consulting Office

JAMP-IT Center

• JAMP-IT Office

## Department of National Examination

Center of National Examination for Pollution Control Manager

Resources Recycling Promotion Center

Japan Association of Industries and Environment

Joint Article Management Promotion-consortium

## Department of General Affairs

• General Affairs Office

• Account Office

• Planning and Public Relations Office

Compliance Office

Japan Clean Ocean Material Alliance (CLOMA) secretariat

LCA Society of Japan(JLCA) secretariat

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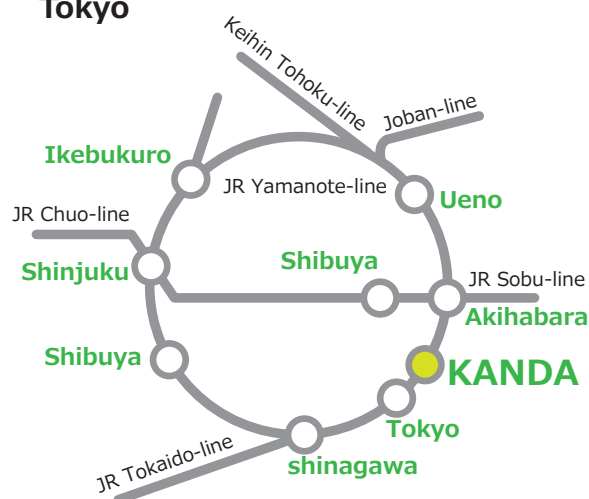
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