

Earthquake and Tsunami in Japan

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Yazaki Corporation

At 14:46 JST on March 11, 2011, a massive earthquake hit “Tohoku” and “Kanto” regions (Northern and Eastern part of “Honshu” main land) of Japan, followed by Tsunami strikes. Deepest condolences to the victims of the natural disaster, and heartfelt sympathy to those who have been affected, are offered. Following is a report regarding Yazaki Corporation and its group companies:

1. Casualties

No casualty has been reported.

2. Damages

Tochigi Factory of Yazaki Parts Company, and Miyagi Factory of Tohoku Parts Company have reported certain damages to its buildings and/or equipment. Resumption of operations at Miyagi Factory is unknown due to power outage.

Branch Offices at Sendai, Fukushima, Tochigi, Utsunomiya and Mito of Yazaki Corporation, Fukushima Parts Company, Branch Offices at Sendai and Noda of Arrow Distribution Services have reported minor damages to its buildings and/or equipment.

3. Operations

Some factories and offices located in Tohoku and Kanto regions are forced to suspend operations due to power outage. Logistics in certain regions are heavily affected due to damages to rail, road and sea ports. Employees working in the area adjacent to Fukushima Nuclear Power Plant are evacuated due to the incident. Operational programs are affected in certain factories due to implementation of “Rolling Blackouts” by Tokyo Electric Power Company and Tohoku Electric Power Company.

The associates of Yazaki Group are making all out efforts to support the regional reconstruction paying utmost attention to the security of people. Thank you for your kind understanding and continued support.
