



Sustainability Report

2009



Our Company

Skyworks Solutions, Inc. is an innovator of high reliability analog and mixed signal semiconductors. Leveraging core technologies, Skyworks offers diverse standard and custom linear products supporting automotive, broadband, cellular infrastructure, energy management, industrial, medical, military and mobile handset applications. The Company's portfolio includes amplifiers, attenuators, detectors, diodes, directional couplers, front-end modules, hybrids, infrastructure RF subsystems, mixers/demodulators, phase shifters, PLLs/synthesizers/VCOs, power dividers/combiners, receivers, switches and technical ceramics.

Headquartered in Woburn, Massachusetts, Skyworks is worldwide with engineering, manufacturing, sales and service facilities throughout Asia, Europe and North America.

Serving the world's leading mobile handset manufacturers, and meeting a diverse set of analog applications, Skyworks "enables mobile connectivity through semiconductor innovation."



Our Sustainability Efforts

Skyworks Solutions is committed to operating under business practices that "meet the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs"¹. Our sustainability efforts include policies and

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programs that encompass a wide variety of elements ranging from environmental to labor, health and safety, and ethics. This report is intended to provide a brief overview of our Sustainability Programs, along with a review of our progress since 2005, our established baseline year. For additional information on Skyworks' Sustainability Programs, please visit *http://www.skyworksinc.com* and click on the "Green InitiativeTM" leaf.

Note: This report is the first update to the inaugural Sustainability Report released in 2008 and is based on a biennial reporting schedule. Moving forward, Skyworks will provide annual updates.





1. "Sustainability" definition: 1987 World Commission on Environment and Development (the Brundtland Commission).

Environmental

Skyworks continuously strives to reduce its impacts from business operations on the environment. We employ environmental improvement programs that address all life cycle stages of our products, from design and development, to manufacturing, everyday use, and product end of life.

We rely on established metrics to measure our performance. Skyworks measures its performance in key impact areas by evaluating efficiency. Improved efficiency results in a reduced impact to the environment for each product manufactured.

All manufacturing sites maintain environmental improvement teams chartered with identifying and implementing projects to improve environmental performance.

Skyworks and the Environment Product Life Cycle Improvements



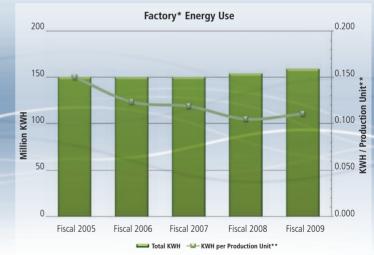
Energy

Gross energy use has remained essentially flat (constant) since 2005 despite significant increases in production levels. This means Skyworks has made more products using relatively the same amount of overall energy. A 26% energy efficiency improvement since 2005 has **avoided the use of over 190,000,000 KWH**. That's enough energy for 17,500 households for one year.

The overall improvement in energy efficiency over the past five years can be largely attributed to the following improvements made at our manufacturing sites:

- Clean-room air flow balancing
- Manufacturing facility infrastructure improvements

The slight increase in overall energy use from 2008 to 2009 was the direct result of two factors: 1) lower production activity given the global recession, and 2) a factory substrate conversion project that had two parallel production lines running most of the year. In early 2010, the substrate conversion project will be completed and we therefore expect a corresponding decrease in overall energy use. Looking ahead, Skyworks expects continued improvement in energy efficiency, even with expected increases in production.



*Newbury Park - CA, Irvine - CA, Woburn - MA, Mexicali -B.C. **Production Unit calculated based on global production output changes from 2005 baseline year



Water

300

250

200

150

100

50

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Gallons (millions)

Skyworks has decreased its overall water consumption since 2005 despite overall increases in production. In fact, water use efficiency (gallons of water used per production unit) has improved by 44%. The improved efficiency means Skyworks uses less water today for each product manufactured. This has avoided the use of nearly 400,000,000 gallons of water since 2005, enough water for 4,200 households for one year.

The overall improvement in water efficiency over the past five years can mostly be attributed to the following improvements at our manufacturing sites:

- Cooling tower improvements (manufacturing facility infrastructure improvements)
- Backside grind process closed loop water filtration and reuse
- Wafer fabrication and assembly process improvements

Waste

Both gross hazardous waste (total hazardous waste generated by weight) as well as hazardous waste generation efficiency (the quantity of hazardous waste generated per production unit) have improved dramatically. Since 2005, gross hazardous waste has decreased 75% and efficiency has improved by 84%.

The overall improvement in hazardous waste over the past five years can be mostly attributed to the following improvements made at our manufacturing sites:

- Backside grind process closed loop water filtration and reuse
- Dry "lift-off" process expansion (substitutes gases for wet solvent chemistry)

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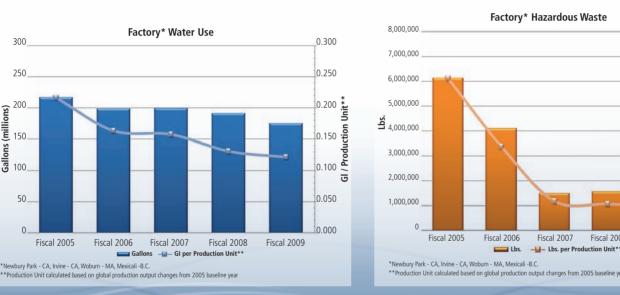
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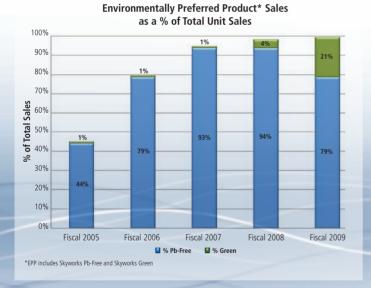
- Improved process controls on solvent use
- Wafer fabrication and assembly process improvements





Environmentally Preferred Products

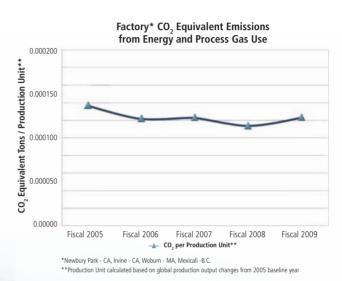
In addition to our own efforts, Skyworks' customers demand products that meet stringent global environmental regulatory requirements. Beginning in 2006 with the European Union's Restrictions of Hazardous Substances (RoHS) standard, productbased environmental requirements have become ever more stringent in an effort to reduce, or remove, materials that can potentially impact the environment at a product's end of life. As evidence of Skyworks committment, more than 99% of Skyworks' products sold in 2009 were considered Environmentally Preferred Products (EPP). Skyworks' EPP meet lead (Pb)-free and RoHS standards, among a host of other global regulatory requirements. In more recent years, Skyworks portfolio has further progressed towards products that are "Green". Skyworks Green™ products go beyond all applicable regulatory requirements and are "halogen free." Though halogens by themselves do not pose a hazard in electronics products, improper disposal and burning that occurs throughout the world in efforts to recover metals, can result in the formation of toxins harmful to humans and the environment. By eliminating these materials in the products we sell, Skyworks removes the opportunity for these toxins to form.



In 2009, on average, approximately 21% of Skyworks' products were Green. However, Skyworks exited its final quarter of 2009 with more than 35% of its products Green. As customers' requirements for Green products grow, Skyworks will ensure its product portfolio meets their needs. Skyworks, through the products we sell, enables our customer base to make environmental improvements to their products and to reduce the overall impact of those products at product end of life.

Carbon Dioxide (C0₂)

Skyworks calculates its greenhouse gas emissions from the sum total of energy use and process gas used in manufacturing, converted to CO_2 equivalent pounds. CO_2 emissions per production unit have decreased by 10% from 2005 levels. The savings have resulted from the energy efficiency improvements (refer to Energy section) offset by an increase in CO_2 from greenhouse gases used in production processes. Given a shift in 2009 away from those manufacturing processes using the most greenhouses gases, and planned greenhouse gas abatement programs, Skyworks expects further efficiency improvements in the coming years.





Supply Chain

Skyworks utilizes a robust program for supplier qualification and monitoring. Suppliers are evaluated to ensure their conformance to Skyworks requirements with regard to product quality, price, and performance, as well as the sustainability elements of ethics, labor, environment, health, safety, and management systems. We encourage our suppliers to align their programs with the **Electronics Industry Code of Conduct (EICC)**, which address Sustainability and Corporate Social Responsibility requirements.

Health and Safety

Skyworks operates all facilities in a compliant, responsible manner that provides and maintains safe and healthy working conditions. The safety of our employees is a matter of primary importance exceeded by nothing else. In keeping with this commitment, we maintain an Occupational Health and Safety (OH&S) management system to consistently provide the following:

- Compliance with all applicable safety and health regulatory requirements
- Integration of safety considerations into strategic business decisions, engineering design, procurement, facilities management and production
- Cultivation of safety responsibility by employees at all organization levels
- Mechanisms to promote continuous improvement of the OH&S management system and its objectives



Transparency Through Information Availability

Skyworks makes available to its customers and the general public, environmental and materials content information for every product in our portfolio. Via the Green Initiative page at *www.skyworksinc.com*, interested parties can retrieve this information simply by entering a part number. Customers can immediately determine the compliance of any part at the touch of a button.



Stewardship

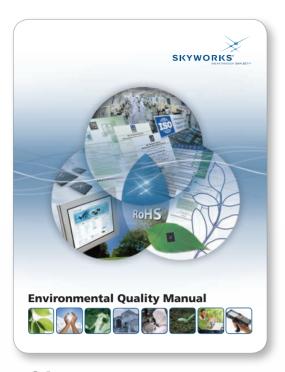
Stewardship is about responsible use and wise care of natural resources to benefit communities, businesses, countries, and the world. At Skyworks, we aim to deliver Environmentally Preferred Products, as well as improve our efficiency, examine the impact we have on the environment, and reduce overall waste. We are also responsible global citizens and members of our community, particularly in areas where we operate. Our charitable contributions are often directed toward science and engineering education, but Skyworks and its employees have

also participated in global natural disaster relief and rebuilding efforts, provided scholarships, donated computers, clothing and toys, and raised money for several charity events.









Management Systems

Skyworks' business operations run according to established management systems. These systems cover all elements of our Sustainability Programs including ethics, labor, health and safety, and the environment. Implementation of our programs through our established management systems ensures effective operation and regular feedback to support continuous improvement. Skyworks maintains management system certifications including ISO 9001, ISO 14001, and TS16949.







Ethics

Skyworks seeks to foster and maintain a culture of compliance with applicable laws, rules, and regulations, and the highest standards of ethics and business conduct. Employees are expected to help promote this culture of compliance, and to know, understand and live up to this code. Employees are required to review and acknowledge our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics annually. Additionally, employees have a duty to report any known or suspected violation of this Code, or of any laws, rules or regulations applicable to the Company. Reporting such violations helps to safeguard the reputation and integrity of the Company and its employees.



CODE OF BUSINESS CONDUCT AND ETHICS

-- A Statement of Company Policy for All Employee

CONDUCTING BUSINESS WITH INTEGRITY, HONESTY AND ACCOUNTABILITY

SKYWORKS WILL NOT RETALIATE AGAINST, NOR WILL IT TOLERATE ANY RETALIATION AGAINST, ANYONE WHO REPORTS SUSPECTED VIOLATIONS OF THIS CODE IN GOOD FAITH.

Note: This Code and the matters contained herein are neither a contract of employment nor a guarantee of continuing Company policy. We reserve the right to amend, supplement or discontinue this Code and the mattern addressed herein, without prior notice, at any time.



Labor

All Skyworks' sites adhere to international, national, regional, and other applicable laws and regulations that apply to the country in which we operate. Skyworks adheres to all local, state, federal and international child labor and safety laws and does not employ anyone under the age of 18. Skyworks is committed to a work environment in which all individuals are treated with respect and dignity. Each individual has the right to work in a professional atmosphere that promotes positive relationships among employees in an environment free of bias, prejudice and harassment.









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