

Flat Glass Manufacturers Association of Japan



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Supporting Modern Life and a Sustainable Future

In the modern era, flat glass serves as a fundamental material across a wide spectrum of applications, including residential architecture, commercial buildings, and automobiles. Japan's flat glass industry has become an indispensable pillar of daily life, continuously evolving to meet the multifaceted demands of society through ongoing technological advancement. As a result, product diversity has expanded and quality standards have reached new heights.

Looking to the future, expectations for the flat glass sector are poised to grow even further. A prominent example is the widespread adoption of eco-glass, which contributes significantly to energy conservation and the realization of carbon neutrality in both residential and commercial settings. In addition, the industry is actively promoting disaster-resistant and security glass to address increasing concerns surrounding natural disasters such as earthquakes and typhoons, as well as the need for enhanced crime prevention.

Flat glass is also expected to play a vital role in emerging fields, including building-integrated photovoltaic systems and automotive electronics. As part of its commitment to environmental stewardship, the industry has already developed methodologies for calculating the carbon footprint of flat glass products and is laying the groundwork for reducing CO₂ emissions throughout the entire product lifecycle.

Furthermore, efforts are underway to advance glass recycling initiatives in pursuit of a circular economy, thereby contributing to the creation of a more sustainable society. By continuing to respond proactively to the evolving needs of the times, the flat glass industry remains dedicated to driving innovation, fostering growth, and shaping a resilient future.

Objective

The objective is to foster the sound development of Japan's flat glass industry and to contribute to the realization of a sustainable society.

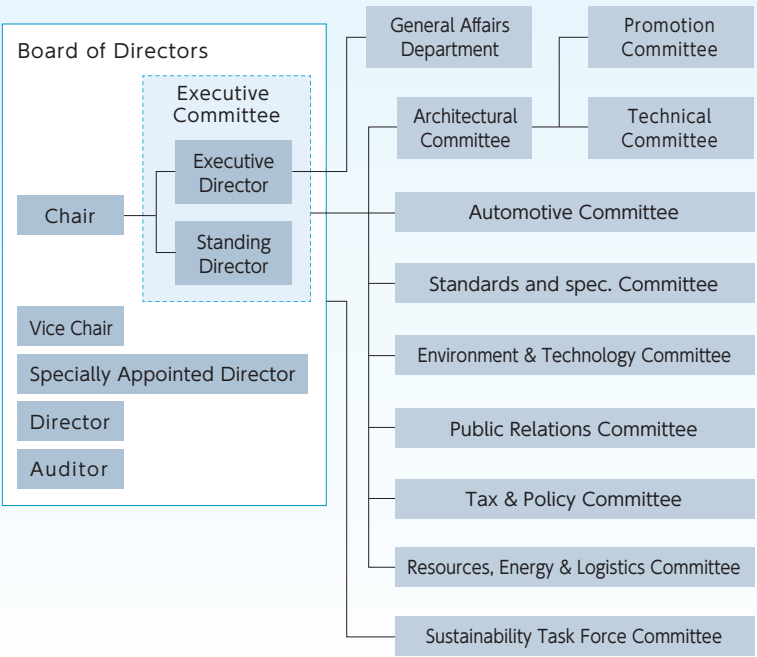
Role of the Association

The core responsibilities of the Association include the collection of statistics and information related to flat glass, conducting research and studies, establishing standards and specifications, promoting the adoption of high-performance glass, providing technical support, engaging in public relations activities, serving as a liaison with government agencies, and collaborating with other industry organizations. Through these efforts, the Association contributes to the advancement of the glass industry and the creation of more comfortable and enriched living environments, while maintaining effective communication with the government, other industry bodies, and society at large.

History

The Flat Glass Manufacturers Association of Japan was established on September 1, 1947, as an industry organization formed by domestic flat glass manufacturers. On April 1, 2023, the Association was reorganized as a general incorporated association. It is currently composed of three member companies: AGC Inc., Nippon Sheet Glass Co., Ltd., and Central Glass Products Co., Ltd.

Organizational structure



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