



EIZO Completes Construction on Test and Evaluation Center for Compliance with MIL Standard

Hakusan, Japan, April 3, 2017 - EIZO Corporation (TSE: 6737) announced that it has completed construction at its global headquarters in Hakusan, Japan on a test and evaluation center for compliance with the MIL Standard. Construction on this facility began in September 2016.



The MIL Standard is the United States Department of Defense's standardization and evaluation guidelines for procuring materials. It mandates materials that can be used remain stable under conditions of extreme temperatures, humidity, vibration, and shock. Having a facility that conforms to this standard will also contribute to the development of commercial-off-the-shelf (COTS) products that can withstand use under harsh conditions.

As per the mid-term business plan which EIZO announced in 2015, one of EIZO's priorities is to expand its monitor business in specialty markets. To develop and manufacture MIL Standard-visual display systems that are compliant with the United States Department of Defense's MIL Standard, EIZO built this test and evaluation center at its headquarters.

Test evaluation for compliance with the MIL Standard is generally carried out at a dedicated external facility because of the severe testing conditions required. To boost development efficiency and reduce production costs, EIZO built its own facility.

The test and evaluation center includes equipment such as vibration, decompression, and particle testing machines that meet the strict requirements of the MIL standard. EIZO will continue to invest in establishing fundamental technologies and building development and production environments to meet the MIL Standard's strict requirements for reliability testing.

This facility has a total floor space of 667 m² (7,180 ft²) and is made of reinforced concrete and steel. Operations are to begin in April 2017. EIZO invested approximately 700 million Japanese yen (6.3 million US dollars) in this facility.

About EIZO

EIZO (TSE:6737), which means image in Japanese, is a visual technology company that develops and manufactures high-end display solutions. EIZO integrates hardware and software technologies with consulting, web hosting, and other services to help customers in business, graphics, gaming, medicine, maritime, air traffic control, and other fields work more comfortably, efficiently, and creatively. Headquartered in Hakusan, Japan, EIZO has R&D and manufacturing facilities in Japan, China, Germany, and the US, and representation in more than 80 countries.



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