

Introduction



At ADNOC, we are taking this challenge head-on

Elimination at source is the best approach when it comes to Pollution Prevention and Resource Conservation

However, it is much easier said than done. Numerous studies on human behavior and motivation for change have established that resource conservation in a relatively affluent society is a difficult concept to implement.



ADNOC Group Companies





Air Protection

Reduction of Air Emission Through reduction of consumption of Fuel Gas

Replacing captive Replacing compressor low-efficiency Gas Gas Turbines with Turbines with more Variable Speed Electric efficient Grid Power Motors



Water Resources Conservation

Reduction of Wastewater Generation through reduction in consumption of Freshwater

Modification of systems
Replacing old pumps with self seal flushing

Minimizing Leaks/ spills
Identifying alternate applications
of wastewaters (e.g. use of dust
suppression)

Maximizing reuse of wastewater (irrigation)





Land Protection

Reduction of Waste Generation through resource conservation

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Minimizing Wastage

'Love Food & Hate Waste' Campaign

Maximizing Reuse

Paper, Wood Metal scrap

Maximizing Resource Recovery

Waste oil, batteries and empty drums



Energy Conservation



Waste Steam Utilization Vapor Absorption and Refrigeration Fuel Consumption Automation of Control Systems





Challenges



Human Behavior / Motivation

Resistance to change.
Appreciation of the impact on the Global Environment.

Cost / Benefit calculation with subsidized energy.

Technological

Scarcity of recycling facilities within UAE.
Technological Solution Availability





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