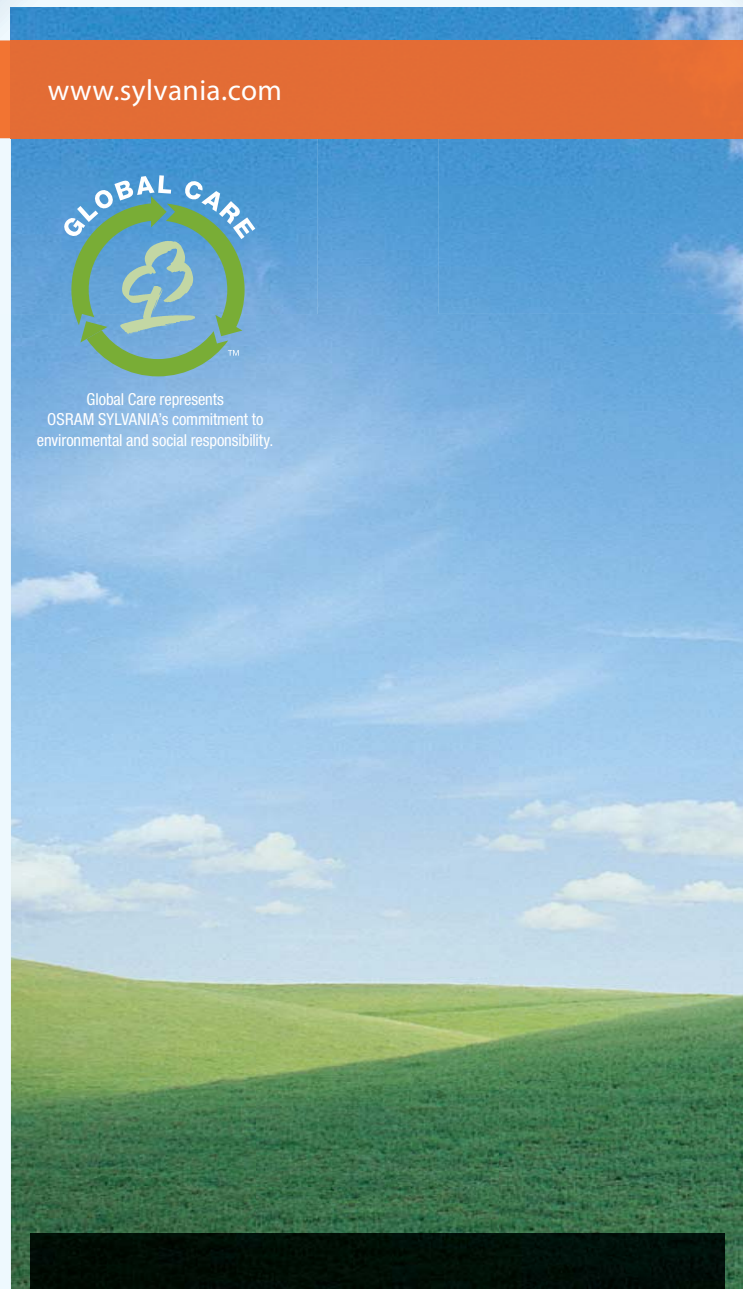




Global Care represents OSRAM SYLVANIA's commitment to environmental and social responsibility.



What comes first,  
the community  
or the environment?  
Actually, both.

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## We're on a Mission.

Global Care is OSRAM SYLVANIA's ongoing commitment to corporate responsibility in our business practices. Global Care represents our commitment to environmental and social responsibility worldwide. As a leader in innovative lighting solutions, we are dedicated to products and processes that help solve global sustainability challenges, address economic needs and protect our environment today and in the future.



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The smaller footprint we leave,  
the larger impact we've made.



Being a good neighbor—to our communities and to our environment—is a fundamental part of our business ethic at OSRAM SYLVANIA. We're proud of the way we integrate environmental responsibility into every area of our product design, production, distribution and sales practices. We increasingly use fewer natural resources, save energy in our manufacturing, reduce power plant emissions and recycle lamps and other materials to ultimately avoid adding millions of pounds of waste per year to landfills. We integrate caring into our everyday practices as well, helping to improve the well-being of our employees, our communities and our nation. Because at OSRAM SYLVANIA, protecting our environment and caring for our communities aren't just the right things to do, they're the only things to do.

## Protecting Our Environ-

### PRODUCTS OF A BETTER ENVIRONMENT

#### Energy Efficiency

- o Since we invented the OCTRON® T8 lamp 25 years ago, we've saved our customers over \$27 billion and enough energy to light the Las Vegas strip for 156 years. Saving that much electricity means we've avoided the amount of air pollution equivalent to that of 23 million cars.
- o It's hard not to find a SYLVANIA compact fluorescent lamp (CFL) that doesn't carry the ENERGY STAR® label for energy efficiency. These bulbs use 75% less energy, last up to 10 times longer and are 70% cooler to the touch than the incandescent light bulbs they replace. We offer over 50 different types to help our customers save energy in their homes.

#### Recycling

- o We've always recommended lamp recycling as the most responsible method for lamp disposal. SYLVANIA Lighting Services (SLS), our service and maintenance subsidiary, includes recycling in every contract and sends over 8.5 million lamps to certified recycling facilities each year.
- o In 2006, we launched a program with VEOLIA Environmental Services to make it easier for our customers to recycle. Pre-paid recycling kits can be purchased and delivered right to your door by going to [www.sylvania.com/recycle](http://www.sylvania.com/recycle). One price includes the kit, FedEx delivery charge, lamp recycling and a certificate of recycling.

We're leading the lighting industry by committing to reduce energy use, eliminating PVC plastic from packaging and taking lead out of lighting ballasts.



#### Packaging

- o We package many of our lamps in recycled and recyclable materials, and use soy inks. We reduce the amount of plastic used where possible, and many of our lamps are packaged with 100% recycled paperboard, like our Smart Pack for compact fluorescent lamps (CFLs), a package made from 100% recycled paperboard with no plastic at all.

### CONSERVATION STARTS AT HOME

#### No Truck Idling

- o In 2006, we instituted a policy to stop unnecessary idling of delivery trucks at all our facilities. In doing so, we're keeping emissions out of our buildings and the air clean for our employees.

#### Environmental Management at Our Facilities

- o All our facilities will be ISO 14001 certified.
- o The ISO 14001 certification ensures corporate compliance and accountability by requiring systematic documentation, monitoring and review of all environmentally relevant data in the development, manufacturing and supply of SYLVANIA lighting products. To date, our US and Canadian facilities have been certified, and our goal is to certify all our NAFTA facilities by 2008.

#### Energy Use

- o We're reducing energy at all of our manufacturing facilities.
- o Using less energy throughout our manufacturing process reduces the amount of fossil fuel that power plants need to burn to generate electricity. This means less air pollution from those power plants.

## Caring for Our Communities



Beyond continually looking for ways to do more with less, reducing our own environmental impacts and helping our customers save energy and reduce their electric bills, we're working to give back to our communities and our country.

### United Way

- o The United Way campaign has been an important tradition at OSRAM SYLVANIA for decades, and we are proud that an increasing number of our employees participate each year.

### Disaster Assistance

- o In response to the devastation incurred by victims of Hurricane Katrina, OSRAM SYLVANIA provided light bulbs for new homes built by Habitat for Humanity.

### Affinity Groups

- o Our seven affinity groups represent the diversity of OSRAM SYLVANIA and participate actively in educational and cultural events in the community, throughout the country and within our own organization.

### National Parks Foundation

- o We're proud to light many of the historic sites throughout the country. In 2001, we made a gift to the nation in honor of Thomas Jefferson's 300th anniversary of his presidency by relighting the Jefferson Memorial in Washington, DC. We have also relit the Old State House in Boston and the Bunker Hill Monument in Charlestown, MA.

### Investing in Education

- o Each year we sponsor 12 four-year scholarships awarded by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation, and 12 two-year scholarships awarded by Scholarship America. Our Matching Grants to Education program matches employee donations to schools.

### Investing in Our Communities

- o We're volunteers! On average, we annually volunteer 70,000 hours in our communities, and we match those hours with dollars to those agencies, including volunteer fire departments, rescue squads, sports organizations, services for the homeless and emergency relief efforts.

## We're Goal Oriented

We're proud of everything that we've accomplished. But our job is far from done. We're committed to constantly finding new and better ways to protect our environment and make our communities better places to live.

### Product Improvements

- o Lead-free ballasts — OSRAM SYLVANIA has eliminated lead in many of our lighting products, having avoided the use of close to 1.4 million pounds of lead from our incandescent, halogen and HID lamps. We have pioneered the use of lead-free welded bases, and now we're aiming to completely eliminate the use of this hazardous material in our ballasts.

### Packaging Improvements

- o We plan to eliminate PVC packaging. PVC, polyvinyl chloride, is a plastic that requires special equipment in order to recycle it. This equipment is not very common, which means that, in most cases, PVC plastic packaging must be thrown away. We are working to eliminate this material from our packaging by switching to alternative, more easily recyclable plastics, or other recyclable and recycled materials.

### Sustainability Saves More Than Money

- o For more information about OSRAM SYLVANIA's commitment to environmental and social sustainability, please visit our Energy and Environment web page at [www.sylvania.com](http://www.sylvania.com).

### OSRAM SYLVANIA: Our Legacy of Light

OSRAM SYLVANIA is the North American lighting operation of OSRAM GmbH. Servicing more than 140 countries, we manufacture and market a wide range of lighting products, precision materials, components, installation and maintenance services under the SYLVANIA and OSRAM names.

One of the world's largest lighting manufacturers, OSRAM SYLVANIA's history has paralleled the evolution of electrical lighting and its technological advances over the course of the 20th century.

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