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BusinessWeek, Climate Group, and a panel of judges compiled this ranking based on total reduction of greenhouse gases (GHGs), results relative to company revenues, and management's leadership on environmental issues over the past ten years

Company	2004 Sales \$ Billions	Metric Tons	% Reduction
1 DuPont	\$27.5	65 million	72
Reduced energy consumption 7% below 1990 levels, saving more than \$2 billion -- including at least \$10 million a year by using renewable sources			
2 BP	\$285.1	12.8 million	10
Reached its 2010 GHG reduction target in 2001. Increased valuation by \$650 million through improvements in operating efficiency and energy management			
3 Bayer	\$36.7	4.9 million	63
Boosting energy efficiency also avoided \$850 million in investments that otherwise would have been required, because production grew 22%			
4 BT	\$18.5	1.6 million	71
Low-carbon and renewable sources provide 98% of its electricity in Britain, saving \$1.1 billion. Adding 38% reduction in vehicle emissions almost doubles savings			
5 Alcoa	\$23.5	8.9 million	26
Slashed emissions of perfluorocarbon (PFC) gas from aluminum smelters by 80%. Expects annual cost savings to reach \$100 million next year			
6 IBM	\$96.3	1.7 million	38
Tonnage cuts are from just higher energy efficiency. The reduction triples if other CO2 and PFC cleaning-solvent emissions are included. Total savings: \$791 million			
7 Catalyst Paper	\$1.9	280,000	61
Substantially lower CO2 emissions stem from efficiency initiatives that have netted savings of more than \$17 million over the past 10 years			
8 STMicroelectronics	\$9.5	850,000	50
Since 1994, CO2 emissions have been progressively curtailed with better energy practices. Efficiency savings now exceed \$100 million a year			
9 3M	\$20.0	1.85 million	12.8
By cutting energy consumption, 3M has saved more than \$190 million since 1990			
10 Iberdrola	\$12.0	3.9 million	n.a.
Tonnage was avoided with renewable fuels, but total emissions grew in 2004. Biomass investments -- \$12.7 billion since 2001 -- will yield 5,500 megawatts in 2008			

Data: Climate Group, Innovest, Panel of Judges, BW