Mitsui has enhanced its reporting of Environment, Society, & Governance (ESG) through improving Sustainability information of an annual report as of 2012 with the aim of increasing understanding among stakeholders concerning our concept of CSR and our CSR activities.

Comprehensive information about the concepts, various data, environmental management, and social contribution activities related to Mitsui’s CSR is introduced in an easy-to-understand format on our website. This report fully encompasses the information included on our website and is complemented by the Sustainability information in our Annual Report.

We believe anticipating various social issues and creating a sustainable society by providing Yoi-Shigoto to realize an ideal Japan and world in the future is the purpose of CSR at Mitsui & Co. This report presents the concepts and activities for our CSR as a vital communication tool to create a dialogue with our stakeholders to achieve a better society. We would like to use feedback from readers of this report as a reference for future business activities, so please access the Mitsui website to share with us your opinions and impressions.

Scope of Coverage in the Sustainability Report:
Mitsui & Co., Ltd., and major consolidated subsidiaries and associated companies. The scope of coverage for numerical data is provided individually in appended notes.

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Reference Guidelines
For a comparison of the GRI guidelines and the content of Mitsui’s report, please visit the following website:
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Environmental Accounting Guidelines (2005 version) established by the Ministry of the Environment of Japan ISO 26000 (Guidance on Social Responsibility)

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