Editorial Policy

We publish our Sustainability Report with the aim of delivering an explicit message to our stakeholders that Mitsui & Co. commits to creating new values through a wide range of business activities, and contributes to societal and corporate sustainability. As an annual report that complements the Integrated Report, our Sustainability Report 2020 emphasizes comprehensiveness and continuity, and provides detailed environmental, social, and governance (ESG) information.

In accordance with Mitsui & Co.'s Materiality, which was revised in April 2019, the Sustainability Report 2020 reports on our activities in line with the ESG factors, and introduces our actual cases of value creation toward finding solutions to societal issues, as "Our Stories." We set "Sustainability Management; Evolution of ESG" as one of the six corporate strategies for achieving the Medium-term Management Plan 2023— Transform and Grow, which we announced in May 2020. From the perspective of potential impact on our business and growing demand from society, we have identified climate change, circular economy, and business and human rights as three key issues which we prioritize in promoting initiatives. The Sustainability Report 2020 also provides our current initiatives on these three key issues.

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Reports	Contents	Media		
		Booklet	PDF	HTML
Sustainability Report	The Sustainability Report is prepared to cover detailed non-financial ESG-related information of Mitsui. The report is aimed at our multi-stakeholders and is published annually.			
Integrated Report	Mitsui issues the Integrated Report in order for every stakeholder to gain an understanding of Mitsui's management strategies, business overview, and initiatives for sustainable value creation.	•	•	•
Annual Securities Report	The Annual Securities Report is prepared pursuant to Article 24, Section 1 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act and is required to be submitted to the Kanto Finance Bureau. Please refer to this report for more detailed financial information. It is issued in late June of each year.	•	•	
Corporate Governance Report	In accordance with Japan's Corporate Governance Code, Mitsui publishes a Corporate Governance Report that provides details on Mitsui's basic corporate governance approach and structure. Mitsui is also required to submit this report to the Tokyo Stock Exchange. Please refer to the PDF link for more detailed information related to Mitsui's organizational design, operational status, and evaluation of Board of Director effectiveness.		•	

A Cautionary Note on Forward-Looking Statements:

This material contains statements (including figures) regarding Mitsui's corporate strategies, objectives, and views of future developments that are forwardlooking in nature and are not simply reiterations of historical facts. These statements are presented to inform stakeholders of the views of Mitsui's management but should not be relied on solely in making investment and other decisions. You should be aware that a number of known or unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors could lead to outcomes that differ materially from those presented in such forward-looking statements. These risks, uncertainties and other factors referred to above include, but are not limited to, those contained in Mitsui's latest Annual Securities Report and Quarterly Securities Report, and Mitsui undertakes no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements.

Scope of Coverage in the Sustainability Report	Mitsui and major consolidated subsidiaries and associated companies. The scope of coverage for numerical data is provided individually in appended notes.		
Covered Period	The Sustainability Report 2020 mainly covers our initiatives carried out in the period from April 2019 to March 2020 (the fiscal year ended March 2020, "FY2020"), as well as part of our policy and initiatives for the fiscal year ending March 2021.		
Independent Practitioner's Assurance	The star ("★") indicates that the sustainability information concerned has been given limited assurance, for the purpose of increasing its reliability, by Deloitte Tohmatsu Sustainability Co., Ltd. in its independent practitioner's assurance report.		
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Guidelines	 GRI (Global Reporting Initiative) Sustainability Reporting Standards Our Sustainability Report has been prepared in accordance with the Core option of the GRI Sustainability Reporting Standards. 		
	In addition to presenting the material issues of Mitsui & Co.'s Materiality in association with initiative themes and the GRI Sustainability Reporting Standards in this Sustainability Report, we have also released on our website ESG-related policies and data, and the GRI Standards Comparison Chart.		
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