Evaluation by Society

FTSE4Good Index Series · FTSE Blossom Japan Index

ITOCHU has been selected as an index constituent of FTSE4Good Index Series and FTSE Blossom Japan Index.

The FTSE4Good Index Series is designed to measure the performance of companies demonstrating strong Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) practices.

The FTSE Blossom Japan Index is adopted by the Government Pension Investment Fund (GPIF) of Japan as a core ESG benchmark for its passive investments.







FTSE Blossom Japan

FTSE Russell (the trading name of FTSE International Limited and Frank Russell Company) confirms that ITOCHU Corporation has been independently assessed according to the FTSE4Good criteria, and has satisfied the requirements and become a constituent of FTSE4Good Index and FTSE Blossom Japan Index. Created by the global index provider FTSE Russell, the FTSE4Good Index Series is designed to measure the performance of companies demonstrating strong Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) practices. Also, FTSE Blossom Japan Index is specifically designed to assess the performance of Japanese companies demonstrating strong ESG practices using the globally established FTSE4Good Index Inclusion Rules. The FTSE4Good Indices are used by a wide variety of market participants to create and assess responsible investment funds and other products.

MSCI Japan Empowering Women Index (WIN)

ITOCHU Corporation has been selected as a constituent of MSCI Japan Empowering Women Index (WIN).

MSCI Japan Empowering Women Index (WIN) was created as a benchmark for social themes within the framework of ESG by U.S. company MSCI. Index figures are calculated using data disclosed under the Act on Promotion of Women's Participation and Advancement in the Workplace, with constituents comprised of those companies which earn a high gender diversity score.



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Dow Jones Sustainability Indices

ITOCHU Corporation has been selected as an index component of the World and Asia Pacific Index of the Dow Jones Sustainability Indices, a global stock ESG index, for 7th consecutive year.

The DJSI revises the indices every September by an independent survey of economic, environmental and social practices. In FYE 2020, 318 companies including 33 Japanese companies were selected as DJSI World Member among 3,519 targeted companies around the world.

ITOCHU achieved the best score in "Trading Companies & Distributors" Industry (one of the 61 Industries), and has been named as the Industry Leader for the 5th consecutive year. (As of September 2019)



SAM Sustainability Award

ITOCHU Corporation was awarded Gold Class at the SAM Sustainability Awards 2020, winning the recognition of RobecoSAM, a Swiss research institution that evaluates companies making efforts in sustainability and offers information to investors. ITOCHU has become the top for the fifth consecutive year in the Trading Companies & Distributors sector. (As of February 2020)

* "Industry Leader" which was provided to the top scoring company in each sector, is integrated with Gold Class from 2017.



S&P/JPX Carbon Efficient Index

The S&P/JPX Carbon Efficient Index is a global environmental stock index adopted by Government Pension Investment Fund (GPIF). Using TOPIX as the universe, this index of S&P Dow Jones Indices, the world's leading independent index provider, overweights companies that have high carbon efficiency within their industry as calculated by Trucost on a market value basis and companies that disclose information on greenhouse gas emissions. It consists of 1,725 companies, including ITOCHU (As of March 2020).



CDP Climate Change

CDP Climate Change evaluates corporate action on climate change. In FYE 2020, we scored a B.

CDP Water

CDP Water evaluates corporate efforts related to water stewardship. In FYE 2020, we scored a ${\sf B}.$

CDP Forests

CDP Forests evaluates corporate action on risks related to forest destruction within the supply chain. In FYE 2020, we scored a B in Timber, B- in Palm oil, D in Cattle, C in Soy.



SNAM Sustainability Index

Itochu Corporation has been selected as "SNAM Sustainability Index" by the Sompo Japan Nipponkoa Asset Management Co., Ltd. (hereinafter "SNAM") for the second consecutive year. This index is used as a unique active index in "SNAM Sustainable Management", for pension funds and institutional investors, which invests widely in ESG-rated companies that SNAM started operation in August 2012.



Evaluation by Stakeholders

2020	Jun.	ITOCHU was selected as an index component of SNAM Sustainability Index for the second consecutive year
	Feb.	ITOCHU won a Bronze Award at the Ministry of Environment's 1st ESG Finance Awards
	Feb.	ITOCHU was selected as the Gold Class of the SAM Sustainability Awards 2020
2019	Dec.	ITOCHU has been selected as an index constituent of FTSE4Good Index Series and FTSE Blossom Japan Index
	Dec.	ITOCHU Corporation has been selected as a constituent of MSCI Japan Empowering Women Index (WIN)
	Sep.	ITOCHU Represented as Industry Leader 2019 in the Dow Jones Sustainability Indices