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## Sanyo Chemical Consecutively Selected for the FTSE Blossom Japan Index and FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index

Sanyo Chemical announced that it has been selected for the FTSE Blossom Japan Index and the FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index. FTSE Blossom Japan Index marks the second consecutive year of selection since June 2023. Additionally, we have been selected for the FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index for consecutive terms since December 2023.

The FTSE Blossom Japan Index and FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index are the indices created by global index provider FTSE Russell. These indices reflect the performance of Japanese companies that demonstrate outstanding Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) practices.

The indices are considered to be important investment criteria for Investors around. They have been also adopted by the Government Pension Investment Fund (GPIF), which is the world's largest public pension fund, as a benchmark for ESG passive management.

Sanyo Chemical has been included in four ESG indices that apply to Japanese companies and are adopted by GPIF: FTSE Blossom Japan Index, FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index, and S&P/JPX Carbon Efficient Index.

Based on our corporate mission to "Establish a better society through our corporate activities," We are working on sustainable management that considers sustainability in the environment, society, and economy. We will continuously work on sustainable management to contribute to the realization of a sustainable society and disclose them to improve corporate value.

For more information about the FTSE Blossom Japan Index and FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index, please visit

https://www.lseg.com/en/ftse-russell/indices/blossom-japan

For more information about the ESG indices adopted by GPIF for Japanese equities, please visit

https://www.gpif.go.jp/en/investment/pdf/ESG indices selected.pdf https://www.gpif.go.jp/en/investment/20220330 esg adopt en.pdf

https://www.jpx.co.jp/english/markets/indices/carbon-efficient/

For more information about the Sanyo Chemical for sustainability, please visit https://www.sanyo-chemical.co.jp/eng/sustainability

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## **About Sanyo Chemical**

Sanyo Chemical established in 1949 in Kyoto, Japan, is a global manufacturer and seller of performance chemicals. Beginning as a manufacture of soap and texture agents we have since diversified our product portfolio to meet the needs of the market, Today, we feature over 3,000 different types of products and have established an international presence. Our portfolio of chemicals spans a variety of industries and types, from automotive components to daily-use electronics, as well as cosmetics and medical equipment, all with the aim of creating ore safe and environmentally friendlier offerings, improving lives and societies across the world. We aim to contribute to realize a sustainable society through our corporate activities. https://www.sanyo-chemical.co.jp/eng