

# TPR

# **TPR Integrated Report 2024**

For the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2024

TPR Co., Ltd.



Founded on Technology, Passion, and Reliance, **Create Tomorrow's World** 

TPR

TPR is derived from the key words **Technology**, **Passion**, and **Reliance**, and these are the values we hold dear in our Corporate Philosophy, Management Attitude, and Guiding Principles.

This reflects our determination that "with unmatched technology and passion we will attempt to create valuable products to answer our customers' reliance on us."

**Technology** 

TPR is deploying its superior technological capabilities to respond to innovations in engines and new fuels. We are also engaged in multifaceted R&D and new business development. By further enhancing and combining the technologies we have cultivated, we will respond to various needs and nurture seeds in the market by offering products with superior environmental performance.

**Passion** 

All of us at TPR are pursuing excellence in production, engineering, development, sales, or administration with vigor and enthusiasm, embracing new challenges. The global network we have built with our customers in regions worldwide is the fruit of TPR's passion.

Reliance

The trust of our customers around the world in TPR's commitment to monozukuri and quality is an irreplaceable asset that we have earned over a long period of time as attested by our proven track record. With that trust as our lodestar, we will strive to meet our customers' expectations and further deepen their trust as an enterprise with the flexibility and agility to win in the global market.

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# **Editorial Policy**

This integrated report is a communication tool designed to provide shareholders, investors, business partners, employees, and other stakeholders with easy-to-understand information on TPR's management policies, business strategies, and financial information, as well as on TPR's various activities, including CSR activities aimed at realizing a sustainable society, to help them understand our corporate value, growth potential, and business continuity.

Fiscal 2023 (from April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024), in principle. (This report also introduces activities outside the period covered.)

TPR Co., Ltd. and its consolidated subsidiaries (The content also covers other TPR Group companies in Japan to some extent.)

# Disclaimer

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# Realizing a Clean and High-quality Global Society

# **Corporate Philosophy**

With our origins in sophisticated powertrains,
we shall try to achieve unlimited potential, and contribute to realizing a clean
and high-quality global society by offering unmatched technologies
and products with superior value.

# **Management Attitude**

We will create and meet expectations to win the highest trust of our customers.

We will expand and deepen our technologies to offer world-leading products.

We will develop and learn from people, and realize a meaningful and rewarding workplace together with our employees.

# **Guiding Principles**

With passion, we see things through to the end.
Challenge with passion. Pursue with passion.
Create with passion. Discuss with passion.



**Corporate Message** 

# **TPR: Your World in Motion**



Delivering "Motion" and "Emotion" to the world

# Vision

Realizing a comfortable and sustainable future through our products and services



Supporting the global society with Technology, Passion and Reliance

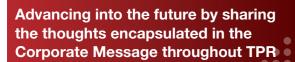




We will continue to expand the range of value we offer to support society by delivering "motion" and "emotion" to the world.

TPR will accelerate its "two-wheeled management" by making vigorous investments over the next three years to maximize profits of the Powertrain Business and expand the Frontier Business.

Guided by our newly established Corporate Message, we will lay the foundation for growth to realize a prosperous future.



As stated in our Corporate Philosophy, with its origins in sophisticated powertrains, TPR has been contributing to realizing a clean and high-quality global society by offering unmatched technologies and products with superior value. This Corporate Philosophy, along with the Management Attitude and the Guiding Principles, was established on the occasion of the 50th anniversary in 1991. Now, nearly 35 years later, these principles remain a firm foundation, and we will continue to share and uphold them as our unchanging commitment.

At the same time, the social and market environment around us has been evolving rapidly and dramatically. In the automotive industry, TPR's primary customer base, the "CASE revolution," including the shift to EVs, is progressing amid increasing environmental awareness centering on carbon neutrality, shifting consumption trends, and diversification of values. Recently, the COVID-19 pandemic and the rise of geopolitical risks have led to disruptions in supply chains and production cutbacks due to semiconductor shortages and other factors. Even as these issues are addressed, the outlook remains uncertain, exacerbated by rising interest rates, currency fluctuations, and a deteriorating cost

environment.

In light of these changes, we reflected on the value TPR will offer, the challenges we will address to contribute to society, and what our mission will be to ensure our continued presence in the world. We discussed each element anew, which led to the development of our Corporate Message, which serves as the premise of our new Medium-Term Management Plan. We have also clearly articulated the framework consisting of our Mission, Vision, and Value.

TPR: Your World in Motion. This Corporate Message embodies our aspiration to be an enduring company that is sought after by the world, delivering "motion" and "emotion." By leveraging our technologies rooted in powertrains, we will continue to expand the range of value we offer. Every one of our employees will translate this vision into action and continue to advance boldly into the future.

In the past four years, we have initiated "two-wheeled management" in response to the changing environment, establishing a pathway that will lead to the next stage of TPR's development

In the previous four-year Medium-Term Management Plan (2023 Medium-Term Management Plan), which concluded in fiscal 2023, we implemented a growth strategy with



four pillars: "secure a commanding position in powertrain products," "speed up our active development of new business," "thoroughly maintain safety, environmental, and disaster prevention standards," and "create a motivating work environment." In fiscal 2021, the second year of the plan, we began promoting "two-wheeled management" as part of our long-term vision toward 2040—the year marking our 101st anniversary. This approach set the direction for the diversification business beyond the engine area and for the early commercialization of the new business, while maximizing profits of our core powertrain business.

As a result, whereas the final year targets were net sales of 178.5 billion yen, ordinary profit of 21.0 billion ven, ROE of 10% or more, and an equity-to-asset ratio of 45% or more, our financial performance for fiscal 2023 greatly exceeded the targets for net sales and the equity-to-asset ratio. However, we fell short of the targets for ordinary profit and ROE. In the first half of the period covered by the plan, our sales and marketing activities were constrained by the market stagnation caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, and various impacts continued thereafter. This led to rising costs, which affected profits. With regard to the decline in profit margins, we recognize that issues concerning product and sales capabilities also need to be addressed.

In promoting two-wheeled management, the

powertrain business faced a challenging business environment and, as a result, fell short of its profit target. However, I think it is commendable that we were able to continue gaining market share. Regarding the other wheel, the diversification business and new business, we made notable progress. In the diversification business, we forged ahead with "selection and concentration," including the decision to withdraw from the copper business and concentrate resources on the rubber and resin business. In new business, we established a new R&D center, TPR ARN (Anhui) New Energy R&D Co., Ltd. (TANE) in Anhui Province, China, as a joint venture in March 2022, and received orders and started mass production of EV-related components.

Regarding two-wheeled management, in order to clarify the direction of the diversification business and new business, as well as the positioning of the automotive exterior business handled by our Group company Faltec, we have consolidated them as the "Frontier Business." To strengthen the value we offer in the non-powertrain field, we will continue to focus on this integration. Going forward, with the Powertrain Business and the Frontier Business as the two wheels of management, we intend to allocate resources appropriately and effectively while pursuing collaboration across the Group.

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# Over the next three years, we will accelerate the two-wheeled management and lay the foundation for sustainable growth

Under the new three-year Medium-Term Management Plan (2026 Medium-Term Management Plan), launched in fiscal 2024, we will accelerate two-wheeled management, looking to the future with the theme of "Preparing for Further Growth." Performance targets for fiscal 2026 are net sales of 210.0 billion yen, ordinary profit of 22.0 billion yen, profit attributable to owners of parent of 12.5 billion yen, and ROE of 8.0%. For the Frontier Business, we aim to increase its share of net sales to over half and its share of ordinary profit to 15% by fiscal 2026.

Furthermore, as part of our medium- to long-term vision, we aim to achieve net sales of 230.0 billion yen and ordinary profit of 24.0 billion yen by fiscal 2030. Additionally, we plan to increase the Frontier Business's share of net sales to more than 60% and the share of ordinary profit to more than 40%. The performance targets set in the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan, mentioned above, were determined by backcasting from our fiscal 2030 targets.

Regarding the key strategy of the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan, for the Powertrain Business, the transition to EVs has slowed, and demand for internal combustion engine parts is expected to persist for the foreseeable future. There will also be a need to address the development of new engines. We will capture these needs without fail and expand our sales channels beyond those for finished vehicles. Simultaneously, we will focus on reducing costs, optimizing our cost structure, and adjusting prices to reflect cost increases, in an effort to maximize profits.

We plan to allocate capital investment totaling 14 billion yen to the Powertrain Business over the three



years of the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan, in order to enhance technological capabilities for new engine development, while working to increase order-taking, and forge ahead with initiatives for production efficiency enhancement, manufacturing innovation, and quality improvement.

In the Frontier Business, we aim to further expand the rubber and resin business, which has been a pillar of our diversification efforts. Our focus will be on cultivating new markets, strengthening product rollouts, and developing innovative products leveraging our nanomaterial technology.

Within the new business, TANE, our new R&D center in China, will spearhead our efforts to expand EV-related products and drive global business development. As a new initiative, we established an EV-related parts production company in Mexico in March 2024 in collaboration with a Chinese company, which is our joint-venture partner for TANE. The new parts production company will start supplying U.S. customers by the end of the year. Regarding early commercialization of nanomaterials, individual carbon nanotube projects have progressed to the mass-production stage, and we will continue to build on our track record.

Faltec's automotive exterior business will concentrate on expanding its customer base and creating group synergies. By advancing the development of products for next-generation mobility and strengthening collaboration within the Group, we aim to address emerging needs as part of the Frontier Business.

So far, TPR's R&D functions have been dispersed throughout its production sites in Japan. To bolster R&D capabilities for the Frontier Business, we plan to establish a new technology center in Tokyo, consolidating the development units for the diversification business and new business. The aim is to foster a collaborative development structure where resources are shared across companies to maximize synergies. Additionally, locating the technology center in Tokyo is expected to facilitate collaboration with external parties, including customers, while enhancing our ability to attract excellent researchers and engineers.

In order to promote these initiatives and to prepare for further growth, we plan to allocate a total of 44 billion yen in capital investment and growth investment to the Frontier Business over the three years of the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan. This amount is more than three times the investment planned for the Powertrain Business. We will vigorously invest from a long-term perspective, with a view to executing M&A and strategic investments.

# Human capital strategies to increase employee engagement and corporate value

Employees are our most important asset, and for us, a human capital strategy that increases employee engagement and leads to increased corporate value is a top management priority.

Internally, management is striving to enhance communication with all employees through townhall meetings. Top management visits sites in Japan and overseas and holds townhall meetings with 20 to 30 participants. In fiscal 2024, 60 townhall meetings were held by July to promote understanding of the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan.

At a townhall meeting, management explains company policies and business strategies, and directly grasps employees' opinions, requests, and workplace challenges in a question-and-answer session. A questionnaire survey is conducted after the meeting and insights gathered from the participants are shared with management. Additionally, a follow-up meeting with the board member in charge is held six months later. The cycle of biannual meetings—a townhall meeting and a follow-up with the board member—continues at each site.

Through these initiatives, we believe we are fostering an organizational culture where employees have a deeper interest in and understanding of the company and its operations, while being encouraged to think and act independently.

The 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan calls for investments of a total of 2 billion yen in human capital over the three years. This investment will not only fund the enhancement of education and training, the promotion of reform of human resources systems, and strengthened recruitment, but will also focus on improving and upgrading the workplace environment, a frequent request from employees during townhall meetings.

In August 2024, we launched the Human Capital Management Project Teams, led by the President. The objective is to overcome the weaknesses revealed by the engagement survey and increase employee engagement in order to realize "a meaningful and rewarding workplace together with our employees." All board members in charge are participating in the project, which is divided into four teams: the Personnel System Reform Team, the Human Resources Development Team, the Human Resources Recruitment Team, and the Working Environment Improvement Team.



# Expand shareholder returns while investing aggressively for the future

Looking to the future, we expect to generate a cumulative operating cash flow of 69.0 billion yen over the three years. By utilizing this operating cash flow, as well as cash inflows from the reduction of cross-shareholdings, disposal of idle assets, and effective use of Group funds, we intend to allocate the generated cash to capital investment of 14.0 billion yen in the Powertrain Business, capital investment and growth investment of 44.0 billion yen in the Frontier Business, investment in human capital of 2.0 billion yen, and returns to shareholders.

With respect to shareholder returns, our basic policy is to maintain a dividend payout ratio of 40% or more and to flexibly purchase treasury shares. In line with this policy, we plan to pay an annual dividend of 100 yen per share (interim 50 yen and year-end 50 yen) for fiscal 2024, an increase of 30 yen from the previous fiscal year, for a dividend payout ratio of 40.1%. In December 2023, we revised our shareholder benefit program to provide greater benefits to shareholders who have held TPR shares for an extended period.

Going forward, we will strive to enhance profitability and capital efficiency to achieve an ROE of 8%, which is the target of the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan. We will also emphasize communication activities with our shareholders and investors. By providing persuasive explanations of our initiatives aimed at achieving long-term growth, we hope to gain positive evaluations in the stock market.

We will continue to evolve and develop as a company that seeks happiness and shares prosperity with all stakeholders.

**Net Sales** 

The TPR Group has established a global production and sales network and achieved growth based on the Corporate Philosophy: "With our origins in sophisticated powertrains, we shall try to achieve unlimited potential, and contribute to realizing a clean and high-quality global society by offering unmatched technologies and products with superior value."

Leading the way in technological development, we provide unique powertrain products with superior value at low cost and have been contributing to the "manufacture of environmentally friendly engines." At the same time, we have actively diversified our business and offer customers worldwide automotive exterior parts, as well as the resin and rubber products, which have received high praise.

The automotive industry is in an era of great change. Global environmental and energy challenges are reshaping the business landscape, and demands on companies are becoming increasingly diverse.

# accelerating cultivation of new fields and creation of new business, applying our core technologies. Leveraging our strengths, we are making a Group-wide effort to contribute to realization of continuous growth and a sustainable society. (Million yen) 200,000 150,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 100,000 1

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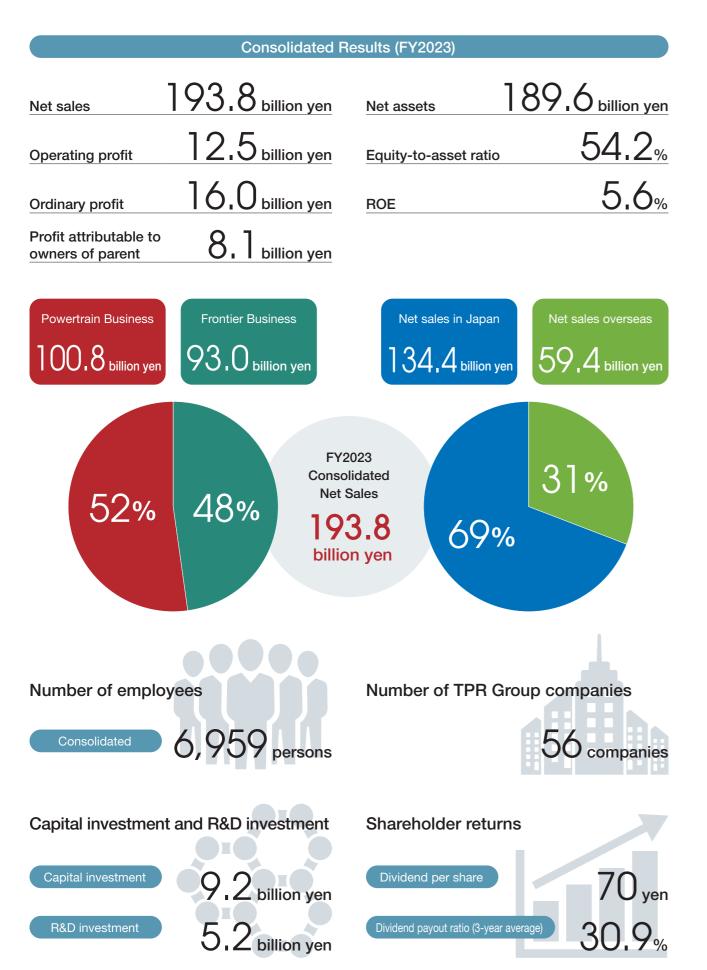
To prosper in such a challenging business environment, we are

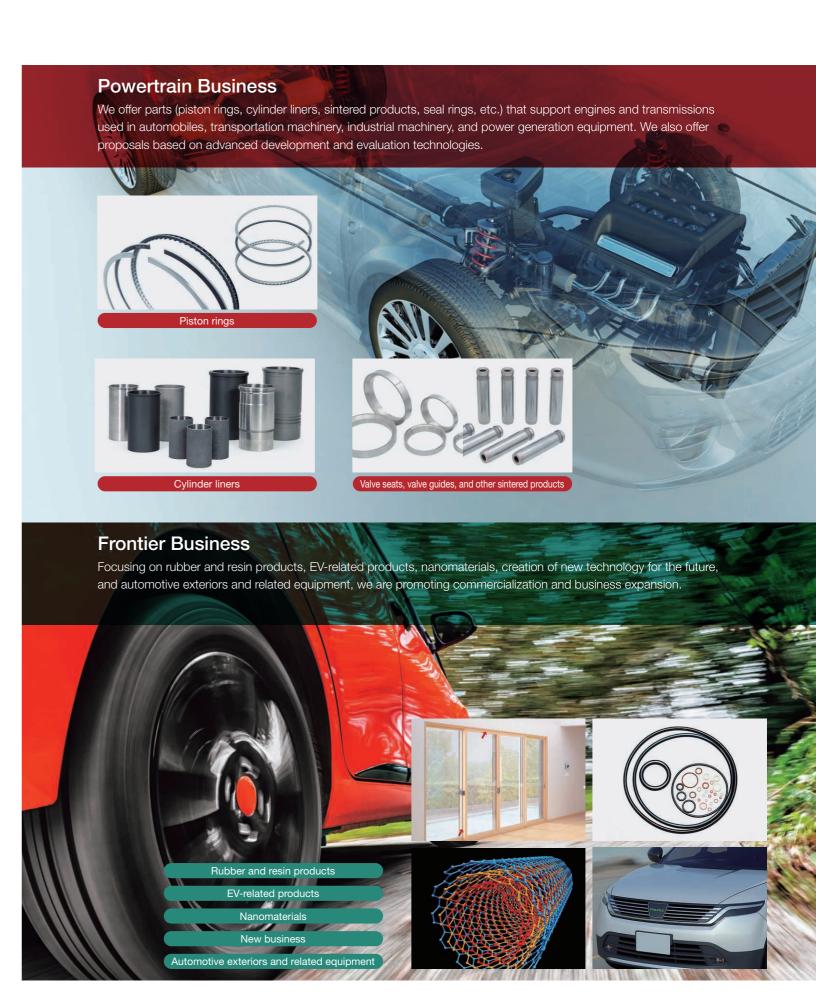
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# History of Technological Development and Value Provided

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	Chrome-plated piston rings for aircraft highly evaluated  Entered the automotive field with piston rings  Started production of rings for heavy-duty diesel engines Superior durability and economy		Developed wear- and seizure-resistant rings Providing products that meet the needs of the automotive industry	Developed ion nitride oil ring Contributing to engine weight reduction and environmental friendliness	Developed 1.5 mm-width oil ring and innovative ring using DLC Contributing to further weight reduction and improved seizure resistance	Advances in DLC processing technology Established PCF03 thick film processing technology Greatly contributing to satisfaction of low-friction needs	Developed outer circumference eccentric technology Achieved further enhancement of engine performance, including improved oil consumption	
Powertrain Business		Developed porous chrome plated liner Used in all types of internal combustion engines, contributing greatly to improved engine performance		Promoted improvement of cylinder liner technology High seizure resistance and wear resistance realized	Developed cast-in liners	Developed AsLock cast-in liners Significant contribution to weight reduction, fuel efficiency, and durability improvement, resulting in an overwhelming market share	Started full-scale mass production of aluminum thermal spray liners Responding to heat management	Developed a cylinder liner with two-stage surface roughness for diesel engines
				Developed sintered valve seats		Promoted development of sintered valve seats Improved wear aresistance	Developed sintered valve guide material and started mass production Adopted by major customers	
Frontier Business					Strengthened automatic temperature control valve business  Developed infrared equipment  Contributing to satisfaction of various industrial needs		Rubber sealing rings parts technology records technology records technology records re	loped injection molded resin seal, etc.; evolved nanomaterial nology for application in mass uction; created application-specificuts; developed EV-related productively invested in growth areas an area on the productively invested in growth areas and new businesses.

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# **TPR's Vision** for Growth

# **Corporate Message**

TPR: Your World in Motion

# Medium-Term Management Plan

Looking to the future, "Preparing for Further Growth" Leveraging its superior technological capabilities, global monozukuri strengths, and a broad network with our customers, the TPR Group strives to contribute to realization of continuous growth and a sustainable society based on the Corporate Philosophy: "With our origins in sophisticated powertrains, we shall try to achieve unlimited potential, and contribute to realizing a clean and high-quality global society by offering unmatched technologies and products with superior value."

# Social Issues

Response to environmental issues and climate change

Reinforcement of human capital

Enhancement of awareness about safety and security

Stricter governance and compliance

# **Business Issues**

Uncertainty of the global economy

Geopolitical risks

Shift to EVs

Progress of technological innovation

# Materiality



See "Materiality and

# Input

# Human capital

Number of employees:
 778 persons on a non-consolidated basis
 6,959 persons on a consolidated basis

# Manufactured capital

- Number of production sites:
  - 8 sites in Japan 19 sites overseas
- Capital investment: 9.2 billion yen

# Social capital

- Stakeholder engagement
- Industry-academia collaboration
- Contribution to local communities and society

# Intellectual capital

- R&D investment:Major R&D sites:
- 5.2 billion yen

# Financial capital

- Equity-to-asset ratio:
- Operating cash flow: 24.3 billion yen

# Natural capital

- Water and electricity consumption
- Waste emissions

# **Business Model**

R&D Procurement Production / Quality Control

# Business Two-wheeled

**Powertrain** 

Piston rings
Cylinder liners
Sintered parts

# Frontier Business

Order-

taking /

Sales

Rubber and resin products
EV-related products
Nanomaterials
New business
Automotive exteriors and related equipment

# TPR's strengths

Core technologies

Broad customer base

Global network

# Value Offered to Stakeholders and Society

### Environment

- Reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions
- Development of environmentally friendly products

### Shareholders and investors

- Enhancement of shareholder value over the medium to long term
- Stable and sustainable shareholder returns

# Customers

 Provision of high-quality products and services

# **Employees**

- Comfortable workplace culture
- Diverse human resources demonstrating their capabilities

# **Suppliers**

Sustainable, fair, and equitable transactions

# Local communities

- Contribution to local communities
- Contribution to education, culture, sports, and welfare

# Outcome/ Economic Value

Net sales 193.8 billion yen

Ordinary profit 16.0 billion yen

ROE 5.6%

Dividend 30.9% payout ratio (3-year average)

Corporate Governance

Risk Management

Quality and safety

Human capital management

Response to environmental issues

Compliance

\*Figures presented are for fiscal 2023.

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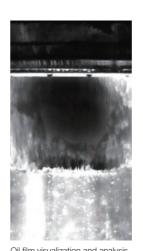
### **Value Creation by Utilizing Capital** Creation of Outcome and Strengthening of Capital by Addressing Key Issues **TPR's Capital and Strengths Value Creation Process Input Outcome and KPIs Key Issues** (FY2023 Based on the idea that "human resources are our greatest asset and enhancing their power is the source of value • Number of employees: creation," we have identified "Realize a rewarding and diverse 778 persons Development of human resources Employee engagement survey workplace that develops people and learns from them" as one on a non-consolidated basis Promotion of DF&I "Health and productivity management" Human aspect of our materiality. We are striving to reinforce human 6,959 persons Enhancement of employee engagement capital by creating a working environment where diverse on a consolidated basis capital human resources can demonstrate their capabilities globally. Ongoing enhancement of workplace Based on our business sites around the world, we are • Number of production sites: Promotion of cost reduction capabilities and technological capabilities enriching high-efficiency facilities, promoting businesses 8 sites in Japan Promotion of optimization of the global Global productivity improvement that accurately and quickly capture customer needs, 19 sites overseas production system High-quality products and creating competitive products that contribute to Capital investment: 9.2 billion yen Transformation of manufacturing processes Supply stability improvement **Manufactured** the environment. through DX promotion capital We have built stable and deep relationships of trust with Stakeholder engagement Enhancement of customer loyalty through our customers across a wide range of industries and • Fair and equitable transactions Industry-academia collaboration high quality sectors and have collaborated closely with suppliers and Reinforcement of relationships Contribution to local communities Provision of solutions to social and industrial issues Social overseas partners. We are also vigorously engaged in with stakeholders Number of various commendations received and society contribution to local communities and society. capital Based on our guiding principles, "Create, Challenge, Evolution of technology in the Powertrain Pursue, and Discuss with Passion," we are working to Business and application and development Development of environmentally conscious products • R&D investment: 5.2 billion ven develop products, expand business, and create new of technology in the Frontier Business Development of products in response to CASE Major R&D sites: 4 sites Intellectual technologies, utilizing the technologies and know-how Promotion of social implementation of a Tackling new businesses we have accumulated over the years. new business by utilizing IP landscaping capital With a solid financial base, stable cash flow generation Maintaining the financial base that • Equity-to-asset ratio: 54.2% capabilities, and funding capabilities, we have achieved supports growth Improvement of ROE Operating cash flow: global growth that allows us to actively invest in Optimized cash allocation to growth Stable dividend **Financial** 24.3 billion yen growth fields. investment and shareholder returns capital As various types of natural capital are relevant to the Group's business activities, we are promoting Reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions decarbonization through our business and working to Water and electricity consumption Development of environmentally Promotion of carbon neutrality reduce environmental impacts through the development friendly products Waste emissions Resource conservation Natural and manufacture of environmentally friendly products, Waste reduction and reuse with the aim of realizing a sustainable society and capital developing our business.

Ever since its founding in 1939, the TPR Group has been pursuing unlimited potential and offering products with superior value to the world. We have cultivated strengths including core technologies, a broad network with our customers, and global monozukuri strengths. By leveraging and further evolving these strengths, we will continue to provide high-value-added products globally.

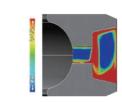


Strength Core technologies .

Leveraging our superior technological capabilities cultivated for internal combustion engines, we contribute not only to the sophistication of environmentally friendly powertrains but also to the creation of products in the diversification business and new business fields through proposals that meet customer needs.





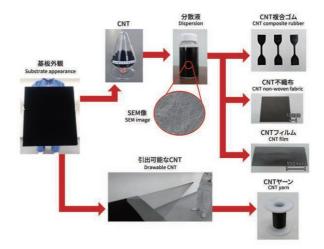


Oil ring CFD analysis





Rubber seal parts



# Powertrains: evaluation, measurement, and analysis technologies

Our engine evaluation, measurement, and analysis technologies have evolved along with the development of internal combustion engine and automotive technologies over the years. Based on the evaluation results so far, we are promoting the transition to analytical simulation technology as DX technology to contribute to global environmental protection and CO<sub>2</sub> emissions reduction.

# Various material sliding seal technologies

Centering on piston rings, which are critical functional parts of an engine block, we possess various surface treatment technologies corresponding to the sliding environment of internal combustion engines. By applying chromium nitride (CrN) and diamond-like carbon (DLC) using the physical vapor deposition (PVD) method, which is a dry coating method, in recent years, high durability and low fuel consumption have been achieved.

Cylinder liners are also critical functional parts of an engine block. AsLock® liners with bundled protrusions on the outer circumference achieved by the centrifugal casting method are used by customers around the world.

We also offer sealing parts made of polymer materials for applications other than internal combustion engines, such as seal rings made of engineering plastic materials for sliding environments in high-temperature oil and O-rings for pneumatic seals made of rubber materials.

# Nanostructured materials technologies

Carbon nanotubes manufactured by TPR are long and have thin layers.

We are also developing technologies for various applications, including bioelectrodes, power generation elements, and electromagnetic shielding for use in various products

Strength **Broad customer** base

Capitalizing on superior technological capabilities to offer unique products with superior value at low cost and global monozukuri strengths, we have earned a high reputation from customers around the world.

Strength Global network

We began overseas business development in the 1990s, built a global production and sales network spanning six regions across the globe, and have achieved continuous growth.

# **Customers**

# Value offered by TPR

Automotive manufacturers

EV manufacturers

Two-wheeled vehicle manufacturers

Construction machinery manufacturers

Agricultural machinery manufacturers

**Outboard** motor manufacturers

General-purpose equipment manufacturers









- Contribution to improved thermal efficiency, high durability, and low fuel consumption through various materials and surface treatment technologies
- Improved development efficiency (reduction of development time and significant reduction of fuel consumption during testing) by utilizing computer aided engineering (CAE)
- Provision of high-quality products at low cost
- Provision of socially and environmentally conscious products, cleaner exhaust gas
- Contribution to design through forming and decorating technologies

Equipment manufacturers

Automotive manufacturers

EV manufacturers



- High durability for peace of mind
- Provision of products that support industry at sites around the world

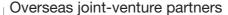
Housing equipment manufacturers



- Design conveying traditional beauty
- Thermal insulation for comfort and functionality
- Contribution to people's lifestyles in various scenes (offering of value)



\*Number of companies and number of employees are those for consolidated subsidiaries.





Anhui ARN Group Co., Ltd. (China)

**TENNECO** Tenneco, Inc. (U.S.)



Yoosung Enterprise Co., Ltd. (South Korea)



Manoyontchai Co., Ltd. (Thailand)

Nanjing Navigation and Navigation Mark Equipment General Factory (China)

SRG Global, LLC (U.S.)

Guangdong TGPM Automotive Industry Group Co., Ltd. (China)

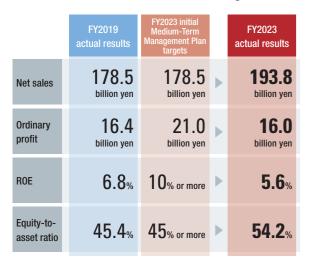
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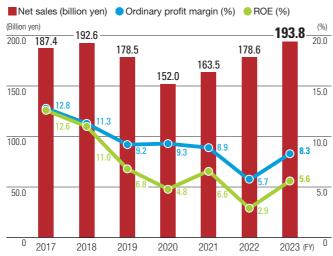
# Looking Back on 2023 Medium-Term Management Plan

During the four years from fiscal 2020 to fiscal 2023, net sales remained steady owing to brisk orders, but ordinary profit and ROE were below the targets of the Medium-Term Management Plan because of changes in the business environment, including the COVID-19 pandemic, a worsening trade environment between the U.S. and China, regional conflicts, semiconductor shortages, and rising resource and energy prices, which were not anticipated when formulating the Medium-Term Management Plan. In particular, we faced increasingly fierce competition in the automotive market in China, and were affected by soaring labor costs in North America.

# Evaluation of 2023 Medium-Term Management Plan







# **Issue Awareness**

In the powertrain business, although we were able to reflect cost increases in prices, we need to further address the strengthening of earning power. In the diversification business and new businesses, we promoted "selection and concentration" and have achieved some success in the response to EV parts, including establishment of an R&D center in China. However, issues remain concerning expansion of the rubber and resin business and acceleration of new businesses. Profit of the exterior business of the Faltec Group was affected by production fluctuations caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. We recognize the issue going forward is the need to build a more robust profit structure.

# Major initiatives and issues by business

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	Looking back on FY2020–FY2023	Issue awareness
Powertrain business	Reflected cost increases in prices, saw strong orders for spare piston rings	Issues in strengthening earning power, improve overall product competitiveness
Diversification business	Promoted "selection and concentration," exited the copper business	Improve profitability of existing businesses, further expand rubber and resin
New businesses	Set long-term targets, established TPR ARN (Anhui) New Energy R&D Co., Ltd.	Respond to EVs, speed up commercialization
Faltec	Strengthened sites in Japan and overseas, reflected cost increases in prices	Build a lean and profitable structure, strengthen new products and technologies
E Environment	Promoted hydrogen development, set long-term targets for initiatives toward carbon neutrality	Respond to various types of fuels, develop environmental products, tackle CN Scope 3
S Society	Began measures to create a comfortable and fulfilling workplace	Human capital management, re-build quality structure, strengthen procurement function
G Governance	Strengthened IR/SR activities, responded to BCP risks	Evolve internal/external dialogue, BCP for cyberattacks, promote M&A

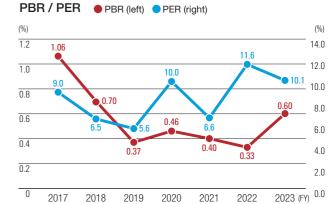
# Management with an Awareness of Cost of Capital and Share Price

Based on the recognition that our ROE level currently does not exceed the cost of shareholders' equity required by the market, we will strive to improve profitability and capital efficiency to achieve capital profitability that exceeds the cost of shareholders' equity. In addition, we will strengthen dialogue with stakeholders and implement the following initiatives to achieve ROE of 8% and PBR of more than 1 in fiscal 2026. First, we will implement priority measures in the Powertrain Business and Frontier Business to increase profitability, and aim for sustainable growth through aggressive cash allocation to growth areas. Specifically, we will invest 14 billion yen in the Powertrain Business and 44 billion ven in capital investment and growth investment in the Frontier Business. Next, to improve capital efficiency, we will review the operating status of assets and the significance of holdings, reduce low-profit assets such as cross-shareholdings by up to 10 billion yen, and promote the effective use of funds within the Group. Furthermore, we will strengthen shareholder returns, pay stable and ongoing dividends, raise the dividend payout ratio from 30% to 40% or more, and flexibly execute the purchase of treasury shares to control equity. We will also strengthen dialogue with shareholders, investors, and the market, expanding information disclosure to enhance corporate value and increase the share price.

### Awareness of current status

Cost of shareholders' equity	Approx. 7% (CAPM basis)
ROE	FY2022: 2.9%, FY2023: 5.6%, below the cost of shareholders' equity
PER	Currently around 10 times earnings, lower than industry average
PBR	Currently, approx. 0.5 times. To enhance corporate value and ROE, efforts to improve profitability and reduce capital costs are necessary.

# Share prices / ROE • Share prices (yen) • ROE (%) (Yen) (%)

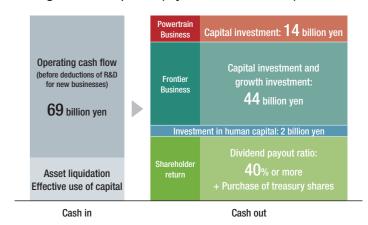


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# Measures to be taken

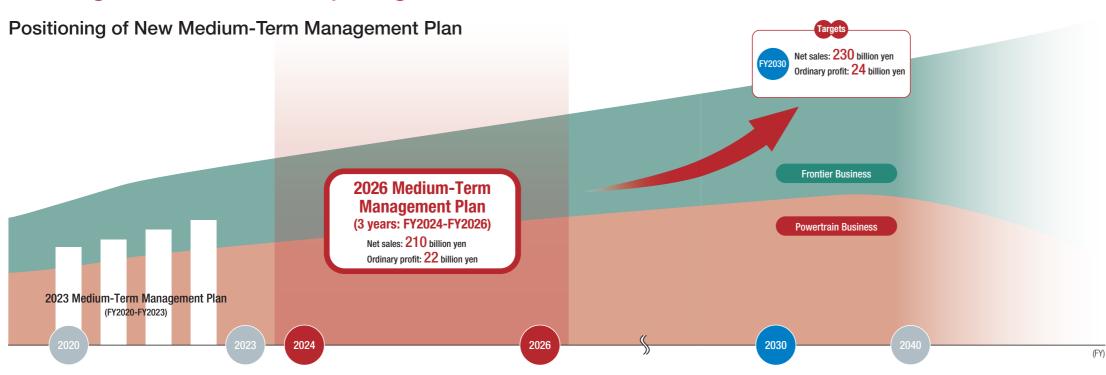
# 1) Implementation of the measures for the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan 2 Aggressive investment in growth areas **Enhancement of capital efficiency** 1 Reduction of low-profit assets (e.g., cross-shareholdings and non-business assets) $\Rightarrow$ up to 10 billion ven (during the 2026) Medium-Term Management Plan period) 2 Effective use of funds within the Group Strengthening shareholder return 1) Raising the dividend payout ratio (from the previous 30% to 2 Control of equity through the agile implementation of acquisition of treasury shares 1) Enhancing dialogue with shareholders and investors 2 Expansion of information disclosure

# Cash allocation for the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan period (3-year cumulative total)



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# 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan: Looking to the future, "Preparing for Further Growth"



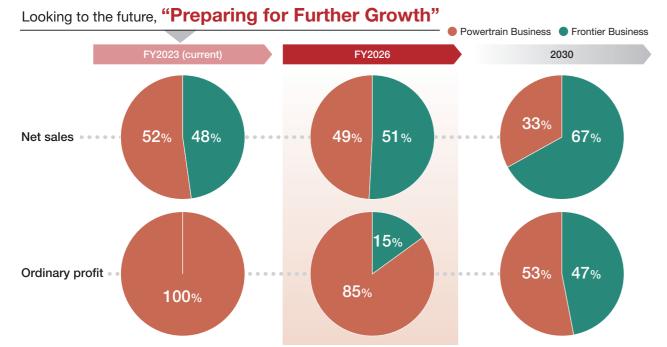
The period covered by the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan is for "Looking to the future, 'Preparing for Further Growth'."

The figure depicts the outlook for the Medium-Term Management Plan period. The Powertrain Business is expected to grow for the time being but peak during the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan and then gradually decrease.

On the other hand, in the Frontier Business, we are preparing for anticipated future growth by investing resources and personnel during the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan period. We target net sales of 230 billion yen and ordinary profit of 24 billion yen by fiscal 2030, and we position the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan period as one in which we will prepare for further growth.

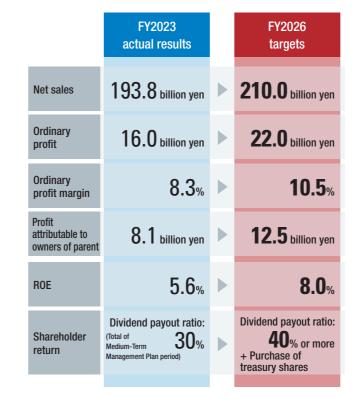
# 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan and Medium- to Long-Term Outlook

At present, although the Powertrain Business and the Frontier Business each account for roughly 50% of TPR's net sales, the Powertrain Business accounts for 100% of ordinary profit. Although a part of the Frontier Business is profitable, it requires significant upfront investments, and only the Powertrain Business contributes to overall profits. During the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan period, the sales structure will undergo a shift. By making the new business profitable, the Frontier Business is expected to account for 15% of ordinary profit and the Powertrain Business is expected to account for 85% of ordinary profit. By 2030, we expect the two businesses to contribute roughly equally to ordinary profit.



# **Management Goals**

We target incremental growth of net sales, ordinary profit of 22.0 billion yen, ordinary profit margin of more than 10%, profit attributable to owners of parent of 12.5 billion yen, and ROE of 8%. Regarding shareholder returns, while the current dividend payout ratio is 30%, we intend to maintain a dividend payout ratio of 40% or more and flexibly purchase treasury shares.



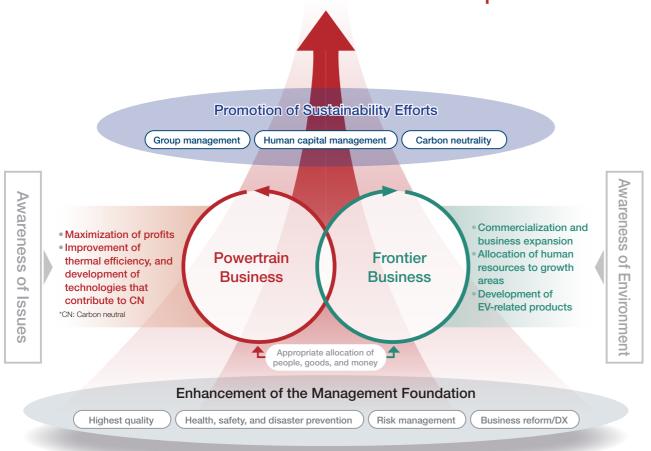


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# 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan: Basic Policy

We will strongly promote "two-wheeled management"—a strategy focused on maximizing profits of the Powertrain Business, which manufactures piston rings, cylinder liners, and sintered products for engine components, while expanding and driving growth of the Frontier Business, which comprises businesses other than the Powertrain Business. At the same time, by enhancing management foundation and engaging in sustainability management, we aim to achieve sustainable growth and enhance corporate value.

# Sustainable Growth & Enhancement of Corporate Value



# **Promotion of ESG Management**

Our target for CO<sub>2</sub> emissions is to achieve carbon neutrality including Scope 3 in 2050, and we aim to reduce emissions by 50% or more in fiscal 2030 compared to fiscal 2013 and by 32% in fiscal 2026. We will also invest in human capital to foster a richly diverse workplace, promote contributions to the regional community, and strengthen a fair and highly transparent governance system, while reinforcing our responsibilities in the supply chain and as a supplier.

ESG	Materiality (Critical issues)	Key efforts in 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan				
Environment	Provide products/services that contribute to realizing a clean and high-quality global society	Development of powertrain products that improve fuel efficiency and support multi-fuel compatibility     Development of clean technologies and products				
	Promote monozukuri that is considerate to the Earth's environment	Commitment to medium- to long-term carbon neutrality targets, including Scope 3     Education on compliance with laws and regulations, raising awareness among all employees of our Group				
Casisty	Realize a workplace that develops people, learns from people and is rich in diversity, and contribute to the regional community	Human capital management, diversity, respect for human rights     Initiatives for health and productivity management and creating a fulfilling workplace				
Society	Provide high-quality products/services that meet customers' expectations and trust	Highest quality activities (initiatives taking a return-to-basics approach)     Strengthening group procurement				
0	Enhance a fair and highly transparent governance system	Evolution of group management     Enhancing dialogue with stakeholders				
Governance	Risk management for continuity of business that is globally robust and stable	Strengthening safety, disaster prevention, and business continuity planning (BCP)     Information security management				

# **Powertrain Business**

Objectives during the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan period

# Realizing industry-leading manufacturing

# **Environment surrounding the business**

- Further customer needs such as new engine development and carbon-neutral (CN) fuel compatibility
   \*CN fuel: Carbon neutral fuel
- Trends toward the transition to EVs by region and customer
- Markets where engines remain viable, such as for repair and commercial use
- Changes in the business environment due to industry restructuring and the rise of Chinese automakers

# Business strategy

- Responding to the development of new models
- Focusing on markets where engines remain
- Promoting cost reduction and optimizing the cost structure
- Reflecting cost increases in prices
   Passing down technology to the part
- Passing down technology to the next generation

# Priority measures during the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan period

- Promoting the development of products compatible with hydrogen and multiple fuels
   Technology development focusing on HEVs
- and PHEVs
- Strategies by product, region, and customer
- Optimizing the cost structure
   Considering and implementing global
- optimal allocation
- Strengthening cost competitiveness in terms of
- Quality, Cost, Delivery, Development, Safety, and Environment
- Improving and innovating yield, manufacturing, and logistics using DX
- Measures for passing down technology to the next generation

In the Powertrain Business, with the aim of "realizing industry-leading manufacturing," in addition to our mainstay products such as piston rings, cylinder liners, and sintered products, we will respond to development of new models and focus on markets where engines remain.

Furthermore, promoting cost reduction and optimizing the cost structure, and reflecting cost increases in prices are also integral to the business strategy. We have established new priority measures to be implemented during the Medium-Term Management Plan period.

We will promote development of products compatible with hydrogen and multiple fuels, and technology development focusing on HEVs and PHEVs.

# **Frontier Business**

# Objectives during the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan period

# Proactively investing in growth areas and nurturing new core businesses

Expand the rubber and resin business

Develop EV-related products and commercialize them globally

Accelerate
3 commercialization of nanomaterials

Create technologies to support a beautiful and prosperous future

Strengthen the automotive exterior and related equipment business

By proactively investing in growth areas, we will develop new businesses in five areas in the Frontier Business and aim to increase their sales so that they become core businesses. The 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan calls for capital investment and growth investment amounting to 44 billion yen to promote R&D in EV-related products, nanomaterials, the application of existing technologies, etc. while also establishing a Technology Center for Frontier Business. We will also focus on shifting and reskilling of "people" and strengthening of recruitment.

# Priority measures

- Proactively investing in growth areas
- Shifting and reskilling of "people" and strengthening of recruitment

# Capital investment and growth investment

FY18–FY20 FY21–FY23 Planned for the 2026 Medium-Term Management Plan period

18.0 billion yen 19.5 billion yen 44.0 billion yen

- Investments contributing to the expansion of growth businesses
- Promotion of R&D in EV-related products, nanomaterials, the application of existing technologies, etc.
- Establishment of a Technology Center for Frontier Business
- Creation of new technologies to support the future
- M&A and strategic investments

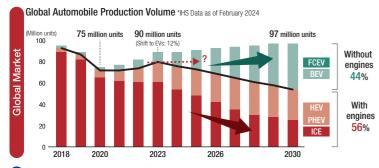
# **Powertrain Business**

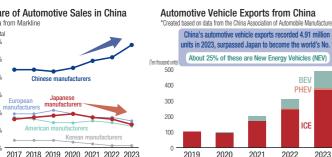
# Line of Business

The main products of TPR's Powertrain Business include piston rings, cylinder liners, valve seats, valve guides, and other critical parts for automotive engines, as well as various sealing parts and other parts widely used in transportation machinery, industrial machinery, and power generation equipment.

Capitalizing on advanced evaluation, measurement, and analysis capabilities, as well as various technological expertise cultivated over many years, we are involved in design from the customer's development phases, and propose high-performance, high-precision surface treatment technologies and environmentally conscious products that excel in low friction, heat resistance, and wear resistance, thereby contributing to the realization of engines whose higher performance and lower fuel consumption are environmentally beneficial.

# **Business Environment Analysis**





- Supply constraints due to semiconductor shortages have been resolved, and automobile production has recovered to pre-COVID-19 levels.
- The shift to EVs is irreversible.
- Trends toward the transition to EVs vary by region and customer.
- Most recently, the transition to EVs has slowed.
- Needs for development of dedicated engines for HEVs and PHEVs and of products compatible with hydrogen and other CN fuels \*CN fuel: Carbon neutral fuel
- Changes in the competitive environment due to industry restructuring
- Rise of Chinese manufacturers and their acceleration of overseas expansion
- Not only their BEVs but also vehicles with engines are a threat to Japanese manufacturers (especially in China and Southeast Asian markets).

# Strengths

Threats and **Opportunities** 

# Strategy

- Product superiority in terms of environmental performance (unique product, high market share) • Development and evaluation technology capabilities (simulation technology, etc.) cultivated over the years
- Involved in design from the development phase and trusted by a wide range of customers
- Providing highly functional and high-quality products
- Global supply covering six regions across the globe and an alliance and collaboration structure
- Shrinking market for conventional internal combustion engine parts due to the ongoing transition to EVs
- Decline in global automobile production and sales
- Stricter environmental requirements, fuel regulations, etc.
- Providing highly functional and high-quality products
- Intensifying competition for the existing business
- Vigorous development of diversified next-generation CN fuels such as hydrogen, synthetic fuels (e-fuel), and ammonia
- Expansion of market share for aftermarket parts
- Application of sliding analysis, anti-wear and sealing function technologies
- Promoting the development of products compatible with hydrogen and multiple fuels; technology development focusing on HEVs and PHEVs
- Strategies by product, region, and customer; focusing on markets where engines remain
- Optimizing the cost structure
- · Considering and implementing global optimal allocation
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# **Piston Ring Business**

Piston rings control lubricating oil while maintaining airtightness in the cylinders, and because they are used in high-speed-motion engine parts, they are critical functional parts demanding high precision and high durability.



# **Business Strengths**

# 1 Wide lineup

Design, development, manufacturing, and management of thousands of parts ranging from those for small general-purpose, twowheeled vehicle and four-wheeled vehicle engines to those for large general-purpose engines and engines for transportation machinery.

# Development of unique technology to meet the development needs of various engines

# Gasoline engine

As lighter and more fuel-efficient gasoline engines are in demand, reducing wear loss around pistons is also pursued. In addition to offering thin-width, low-tensile piston rings to accommodate compact pistons, we have improved PVD coating, and developed technology for making a special asymmetric outer circumference shape as well as hydrogen-free thick film DLC coating technology, and have succeeded in mass-producing piston rings with these new features.

Diesel engines that meet stringent emission regulations and achieve higher output, longer life, and fuel efficiency are in demand. We have added a radius to the corner of the oil ring outer circumference surface shape, changed the window pitch, and so on. We propose these diesel engine piston rings for customers who place importance on reducing friction, oil consumption, and wear loss.

### Multiple-fuel compatibility

Based on know-how cultivated for more than half a century, we have been engaged in joint development with our customers to optimize CN engines ready for hydrogen, synthetic fuels (e-fuel), ammonia, etc.

# Global supply structure

In addition to the Nagano Factory in Japan, TPR has seven production sites in China, Indonesia, Vietnam, India, the U.S., and Germany.

# Production technology and manufacturing capabilities that realize low costs

In order to handle a wide variety of products in small quantities, we have developed and introduced a proprietary fully automated setup line and automated inspection equipment.

# Key Issues and Initiatives

In addition to long-term decline in demand for internal combustion engine parts, consolidation within the industry has further intensified market competition. The issues we face in these challenging times are manifold.

First, it is essential to further strengthen cost competitiveness. Through the establishment of an efficient production system and optimal allocation of resources, we will achieve cost performance unrivaled by competitors. Moreover, since development of engines is still ongoing, it is important to respond quickly to the development of new models and meet the market needs. Furthermore, regarding the passing of technology to the next generation, we will promote measures to pass on to the next generation of engineers the knowledge and skills we have cultivated over the years. In addition, we will take on the challenge of creating new markets by leveraging our existing surface treatment and sliding technologies, while expanding into the frontier business. Through these initiatives, we aim to achieve sustainable growth.

# Topics

In the post-processing of steel compression rings at the Nagano Factory, we started operation of a highly efficient line for mass production based on a conventional fully automated setup line, which was developed in-house with the concept of improving production capacity, saving space, saving energy, and reducing hard manual labor. The aim is to consolidate factory space while doubling the production efficiency per line compared with the conventional line.



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# **Cylinder Liner Business**

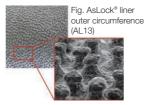
Cylinder liners are integral to the engine block, and are one of the critical functional parts that form the combustion chamber. TPR is the first company in the world to develop AsLock® liners, which are cast-in liners for aluminum engine blocks and succeeded in mass production by a low-cost process.



# **Business Strengths**

# Offering good products at low prices

TPR's patented AsLock® liner has bundled protrusions on the outer circumference, improving airtightness compared to conventional cast-in liners. By controlling the height and density of the protrusions, we are able to further improve heat transfer to the engine block and contribute to more compact engines with higher output.



In terms of manufacturing, the centrifugal casting method, which has matured over the years, enables stable low-cost manufacturing, and our cost competitiveness has been further increased through initiatives to save labor such as automated inspections.

We also mass produce products such as thin-wall dry liners and wet liners, which are widely used in diesel engines and motorsports engines.

# High market share

AsLock® cast-in liners for aluminum engine blocks are used by many Japanese automobile manufacturers for gasoline engines, and we maintain a high market share.

Currently, their use is spreading to non-Japanese manufacturers.

# Global six-region supply structure

Currently, with production sites for cylinder liners in seven countries (China, the U.S., Vietnam, India, Korea, Brazil, and Turkey), we have established a supply structure for "uniform production and quality" not only in Japan but also worldwide.

# Key Issues and Initiatives

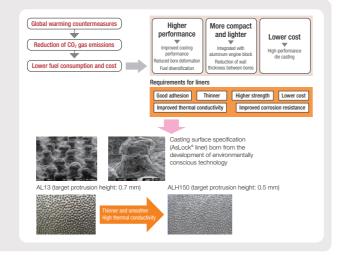
The key issue we face is to implement a flexible strategy from regional and customer perspectives in response to a shrinking market over the medium to long term. Therefore, it is important to establish a structure to meet customer expectations efficiently and promptly in the global market.

Furthermore, in order to strengthen competitiveness, we will promote global cost reduction activities, aiming to reduce production costs and improve the efficiency of worldwide procurement and manufacturing processes, thereby enhancing competitive advantage. Capitalizing on digital transformation (DX), we will improve and innovate manufacturing workplaces to increase productivity and enhance quality, lower the break-even point, and build a resilient structure.

Moreover, by applying the casting technology in which we excel, we will seek new business opportunities in other industries and new markets to expand growth potential and pursue sustainable growth.

# Topics

In addition to weight reduction through the use of aluminum engine blocks, in recent years there is a growing trend toward improved cooling performance, reduced pitch between bores, and reduced wall thickness between bores, reflecting the need for higher performance, lower fuel consumption, and more compact engines. In order to meet these requirements, our cylinder liners offer improved adhesion with the aluminum engine block due to the change of the height of protrusions, and we are also working to reduce their thickness and cost. Furthermore, we have developed thermal-spray-treated cylinder liners offering increased adhesion (bonding strength) with the aluminum engine block and contributing to improved thermal conductivity.



# **Sintered Products Business**

Valve seats and valve guides are our main sintered products. Valve seats and valve guides support the pedestal and stem of the engine intake and exhaust valves, respectively, and durability and high precision are required. Therefore, it is important to select powder metallurgy materials with high wear resistance and high heat resistance.



Our valve seats are made of a material in which hard particles, derived from a special alloy powder developed in-house, are dispersed. They are suitable for environmentally friendly engines with high output and low fuel consumption for both two-wheeled and four-wheeled vehicles. Because of their superior wear resistance at high temperatures, they are also adopted for gas engines that use alternative fuels, such as LPG and CNG, and are subject to a harsh thermal environment.

# Topics

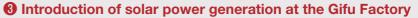
# Start of full-scale mass production of valve guides for engines for the global market

We began full-scale mass production of valve guides for engines, which are made of a high-wear-resistant material capable of withstanding high heat load, for the global market.



# 2 Development of high-precision, high-density sintered products

Using newly introduced high-precision and high-pressure press equipment, we are developing high-precision, high-density sintered parts with complex shapes, in addition to valve guides and valve seats made of a high-wear-resistant material.



To achieve carbon neutrality by 2050, we introduced solar power generation at our Gifu Factory in fiscal 2023, following its introduction at our factories in Yamagata and Nagano. Solar panels at the Gifu Factory



# **Development and Evaluation Technologies**

We have further evolved our advanced analysis capabilities and evaluation technology cultivated in powertrain development.

- We have engine evaluation benches at Nagano and Gifu factories. This enables us to conduct comprehensive evaluations of the combustion system in the piston and to verify the performance of various powertrain components with high precision.
- Moreover, evaluation of various materials using sliding seal technology is effective not only for combustion systems but also for applications beyond internal combustion engines, such as pneumatic components that use rubber and resin materials.
- In recent years, in response to customers' development needs for hydrogen and other carbon-neutral solutions, we have been vigorously promoting optimal product design and technology development for various fuels, and are advancing technological innovation to support the shift to sustainable energy. Regarding hydrogen, we are conducting evaluations to obtain basic data on our hydrogen engine bench and
- linking it to R&D.
- Furthermore, we have invested in i Labo Corporation, a company engaged in R&D of hydrogen engines, and have also entered into a technical alliance for a "hydrogenation conversion" business.
- In view of the transition to EVs, we introduced an EVs motor evaluation facility at the Gifu Factory and began operating the facility in January 2023. We are accelerating R&D of EV-related parts and addition of new items to our product lineup, both in Japan and overseas, by utilizing the actual equipment evaluation knowhow we have cultivated in cooperation with major automobile manufacturers.



- Analysis technology utilizing computer aided engineering (CAE) is one of our major strengths. This technology not only greatly improves development efficiency, but also helps to improve quality in the manufacturing process. By optimizing products through simulation at the design stage by applying CAE, we have realized a shorter development process and improved product quality.
- The intellectual property strategy is also an important element of our technological capabilities. By strategically protecting and managing intellectual property in line with development of new technology, we ensure our competitive advantage. We protect the results of our innovations through acquisition of patents and licensing of technology.

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# Frontier Business

# TPR will vigorously invest in growth areas to develop businesses that will be the new pillar.

With medium- to long-term targets, focusing on rubber and resin products, EV-related products, nanomaterials, creation of new technology for the future, and automotive exteriors and related equipment, we will vigorously promote business expansion. Regarding the rubber and resin business, we will strive to increase our share among major customers and develop new markets and will also engage in strengthening of technology and development of new products. With regard to EV-related products, we are promoting business expansion, including global business development, by demonstrating our strength in development and sales in China, a leading country in EVs. Regarding development of nanomaterials and creation of new technologies to support the future, we will accelerate commercialization by strengthening collaboration with external parties. Regarding automotive exterior and related equipment business, we will strive to expand the customer base, strengthen new products, and promote the response to new mobility.

By establishing a broad network within and beyond the TPR Group through investment in companies with which synergy can be expected, M&A, and other means unconstrained by precedent, we will continue to expand growth areas based on collaboration and co-creation.

The results and progress of the initiatives in the Frontier Business are presented and explained at various exhibitions.



# Strategy for the Frontier Business

# Expansion of growth businesses and vigorous investment in technology for future growth

To meet our customers' needs, we will strive to earn even greater trust by expanding investment while also making valuable proposals to potential customers, thereby building new relationships of trust.

# Promotion of R&D and early commercialization by the establishment of a Technology **Center for Frontier Business**

We are considering establishing a new Technology Center for Frontier Business in a strategic location enabling quick and direct access to information, in order to consolidate development units engaged in new areas and enhance our comprehensive development capabilities.

# Shifting and reskilling of "people" and strengthening of recruitment

We will conduct reskilling tailored to growth areas and strategically allocate human resources. At the same time, we will strengthen recruitment to ensure we have the human resources needed to form the foundation for growth.

# M&A and strategic investments

We are seeking M&A and investment opportunities to drive growth, complement our businesses in the Frontier Business, and foster collaboration with other companies.

# **Rubber and Resin Business**

We are working to develop superior products by taking advantage of the sealing technology that TPR has cultivated for piston rings, that is, the know-how related to sliding characteristics and wear resistance, and by applying the mechanism to rubber and resin products.

Moreover, with the aim of commercializing products for new applications, which is a theme that our new business development team is tackling, by combining new materials, such as carbon nanotubes (CNTs), with rubber and resin, we will endeavor to respond to customers' requests.

TPR's rubber and resin business supplies economical, environmentally friendly, high-quality products that meet customer needs based on integrated production from raw materials to finished products.

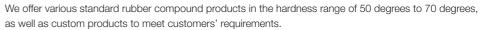
Our rubber products range from pneumatic equipment seal parts, O-rings, gaskets, packing products, and automotive connector packing, to electric/industrial equipment packing and Teflon-using products. We have a supply chain from global production locations focused in Japan, China, and Vietnam. From carbon master batch processing through products such as various types of extrusion sponges, solid products, and anti-vibration pads, we produce/ supply from raw materials through to the finished products.

Regarding resin, we produce/supply not only resin seal parts for automobiles, but also home ancillary equipment with high heat insulation and sophisticated design, such as double-glazed window frames and artificial resin bamboo.

# **Product Strengths**

# Rubber-related upstream products (CMB)

We provide various high-quality rubber compound products based on advanced rubber compounding and rubber processing technologies.





# Rubber-related downstream products (O-rings, various types of seal rings)

Injection molded resin seal rings, etc.

Home ancillary equipment

We provide a wide range of industrial rubber parts such as O-rings, seals, packing products, and PTFE-applied products.

We propose optimal materials with respect to various attributes such as adhesion chemical resistance, cold resistance, friction resistance, heat resistance, weather resistance, and low distortion rate.

Resin seal rings with T-section spiral groove shape invented by TPR for automotive transmissions are made of our proprietary materials based on PEEK and PSS

materials. These seal rings achieve both high sealing performance and wear

Variable extrusions with a width ranging from 10 mm to 500 mm can be formed.

resistance, as well as reduced friction due to their special shape.

(double-glazed window frames, artificial fence)

We have strengths in multi-layer and multi-color molded products.



Industrial rubber parts



Rubber sealing parts



Resin seal rings



Home equipment



Artificial resin bamboo

# Topics

In preparation for future sales expansion and increased production of rubber products, we opened a new factory in Sakura City, Chiba Prefecture, from the viewpoint of optimizing the Group's production.

We are also expanding facilities in Vietnam and promoting production optimization between Japan and Vietnam in anticipation of future growth in demand for the products of the rubber and resin business.



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# **EV-related Products**

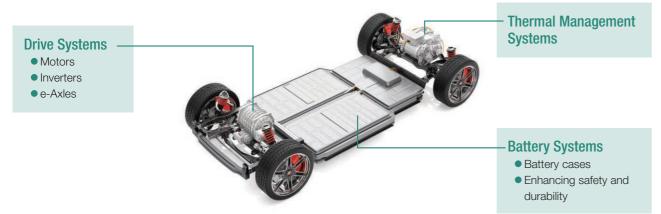
In this once-in-a-century paradigm shift in the automotive industry, we are promoting development of technologies in response to CASE and new products.

We have received many orders for EV-related parts in China, a leading country in EVs, and have started mass production.

# Development of Technologies in Response to CASE and New Products

To improve infrastructure supporting R&D, we are upgrading and expanding analysis and evaluation facilities and testing facilities, improving the efficiency of design and development work, strengthening the engineer training system, and enhancing collaboration with external research institutions and other organizations.

In response to the rapid shift to EVs, we are vigorously introducing new technologies and developing new products, including composite products such as resin/rubber and seal products to reduce weight for drive systems, thermal management systems, and battery systems, and are promoting the search for new business fields.



# Strengthening Technology Development and Sales Activities in China

We are conducting marketing and sales activities based on the trust as an automotive parts manufacturer we have cultivated over many years in the powertrain business in China. Centering on TPR ARN (Anhui) New Energy R&D Co., Ltd. (TANE), which we established, we have received numerous inquiries for parts from EV manufacturers and are rapidly developing and manufacturing prototypes, leading to mass production.

# Topics

# Establishment of EV-related parts production site in Mexico

We are strengthening the supply system to respond to the development of the global EV market.

Our mass production of EV-related parts in China and our track record of supply to customers were highly regarded and we received an order for mass production of EV battery-related parts in North America. Therefore, we have established a new joint-venture company, TPR ARN Manufacturing Mexico S.A. de C.V (TAM), in Mexico.

We will continue to develop new technologies and products for EVs and in response to CASE, and contribute to carbon neutrality and promotion of SDGs management.





Factory building under construction

# **Nanomaterials**

As for the development of new materials, we have started manufacturing nanoporous materials and carbon nanotubes (CNTs) with long length and few layers. We are developing not only materials but also composite products to meet customer needs.

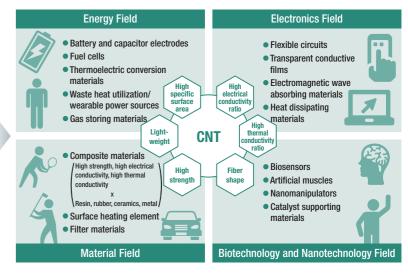
# **Product Strengths**

### Carbon Nanotubes

TPR produces CNTs with long length and few layers. CNTs with long length offer lower resistance and higher strength when applied and are expected to offer higher durability. The few-layer structure allows CNTs to exhibit their properties effectively with minimal additive amounts. TPR has established mass-production technology employing a production method for highly efficiently growing CNTs perpendicularly from a large-surface-area substrate.

### **Features of Carbon Nanotubes**

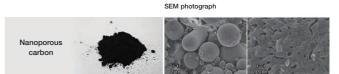
	Fiber Shape										
Hardness	compared to diamond	Twice									
Weight	compared to aluminum	Half									
Tensile shear strength	compared to steel	100 times									
Thermal conductivity	compared to copper	10 times									
Current characteristics	compared to copper	1000 times									
	Weight Tensile shear strength Thermal conductivity Current	Weight compared to aluminum  Tensile shear strength steel  Thermal compared to conductivity copper  Current compared to									



# Nanoporous Materials

Nanoporous materials are porous materials with numerous microscopic pores.

Our nanoporous carbon is characterized by large specific surface area, high crystallization, high electrical conductivity, and low moisture absorption, and is being considered for applications in filters, catalyst carriers, micro sensors, sustained release materials, and adsorbents.



# Topics

# TPR receives Material Award at a nanotechnology exhibition

We participated in seven exhibitions, including those for the automotive industry, nursing care, energy, and materials. In the energy and materials field, we exhibited at nano tech 2024, Fishing Fest 2024 in Yokohama, and the 21st SMART ENERGY WEEK [March]. At nano tech 2024, TPR received the Material Award in recognition of the wide range of applications of the carbon nanotubes produced by TPR. The Material Award is for particularly outstanding nanomaterials technology/products that are equivalent to Grand Prize winners.





nano tech 2024

Material Award ceremony

# Create Technologies to Support a Beautiful and Prosperous Future

We are working to create new business through open innovation in various industry-academia-government collaborations based on insights into the future with a 2050 time horizon. By sharing these insights into the future with all employees, a framework has been established to solicit ideas as needed, with the aim of facilitating generation of ideas through a bottom-up approach.

Various ideas are currently being generated, and we are selecting the most promising ones from among them. We are promoting creation of new businesses while ascertaining which should be commercialized by TPR in view of market and technological trends.

Furthermore, we are actively investing in and acquiring shares of partner companies that can leverage our strengths, with the aim of increasing corporate value through collaboration with each partner company.

# **Partner Companies**

# i Labo Corporation

Conversion of existing diesel engines to run on hydrogen simply and at low cost

# **DUAL MOVE Co., Ltd.**

Development of cross reality (XR) platform for automotive application

# Astroscale Holdings Inc.

Development of on-orbit services, including active debris removal in satellite orbits







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Vertically integrated business operation from production of soybeans

and other grains at plant factories to processing of plant-based foods

Development and construction of the platform system for on-board

Development of Free Piston Linear Engine generators realizing ultra

AQUARIUS Engines (A.M.) Ltd.

compactness, low cost, and high efficiency



# Topics

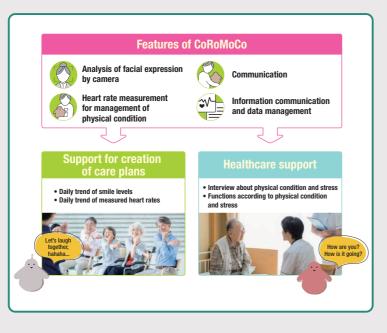
CoRoMoCo™ is a communication support robot for nursing care homes that can measure vital signs and feelings of users when they hold the robot in their arms.

We developed this product based on the idea that holding someone in one's arms is a symbolic act of "love," which enhances the user's peace of mind and sense of self-worth.

CoRoMoCo™ is an integral part of seniors' daily lives, sharing their routines at nursing care homes.

When a user holds CoRoMoCo™ in their arms, it measures the user's vital signs and transmits the conversation content, along with the user's feelings, to caregivers via an administration terminal.

Multiple units of CoRoMoCo™ can be used simultaneously for recreational activities. The robot also serves as a comforting companion for the elderly, easing feelings of anxiety during lonely nights or providing a partner for casual conversation.



# **Automotive Exterior and Related Equipment Business**

The automotive exterior and related equipment business provides superior products, including automotive exterior parts, OEM parts, and automotive-related equipment, by applying its outstanding technological, developmental, and solution-proposing capabilities.

# **Product Strengths**

# Resin Products (Radiator Grilles, Roof Rails, Other Exterior Parts)

From small to large resin parts, we offer products utilizing molding technologies that meet customers' needs.

To reduce losses arising at material input, material changeovers are automated and recycling is promoted.

Surface treatment is applied to resin molding to create aesthetically pleasing radiator grilles and millimeter-wave radar covers.









# Metal Products (Roof Rails, SUS Moldings, Window Moldings, Etc.)

We develop metal products utilizing bend processing, roll forming, and extrusion technologies.

For aluminum roof rails, three-dimensional bend processing is utilized to produce roof rails that follow the roof panel. Resin is adopted instead of aluminum to meet customer needs, contributing to lighter vehicles. Regarding window moldings, we provide roll-formed metal products covered with resin.





Photo top: Made of metal

# Electrical and Electronic Parts (Radiator Grilles with Illumination, Fog Lamps, Remote Control Engine Starters, TCU)

Customers' requirements are constantly changing in line with functionality and design trends, and we supply parts in response to the changes.

Our stylish products, rich in originality and utilizing illumination and lighting, help make cars more appealing. As well as offering many products that leverage electrical and electronic technology, we are striving to enhance safety by utilizing digital technology.





# **Automotive Related Equipment**

We provide vehicle inspection and maintenance equipment used for automobile maintenance, etc. handled by car dealers' service and maintenance shops; automobile manufacturing facilities and equipment for vehicle production lines; and power systems such as emergency power units and gas engines for air conditioning.

# Topics

# Opening of Mikawa Plant, a new site

In response to an increase in orders in the Chukyo region, we established a new site for product assembly and shipping operations in Toyota City, Aichi Prefecture, in order to shorten the distance to the point of delivery. WUHAN TGPM-FALTEC CO., LTD., a new joint-venture company in Hubei Province, China, is scheduled to begin operation in October 2024.



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# Approach to Sustainability and Policy

In accordance with the Corporate Philosophy, "to contribute to realizing a clean and high-quality global society by offering unmatched technologies and products with superior value," the TPR Group is striving to resolve social issues.

With the aim of promoting our initiatives systematically, we have established a sustainability management promotion structure and identified materiality. By pursuing these initiatives throughout the Company, we will contribute to the realization of a sustainable society while aiming for continuous corporate growth.

# Sustainability Management Promotion Structure

Corporate
Philosophy &
Management
Attitude

# **Corporate Philosophy**

With our origins in sophisticated powertrains, we shall try to achieve unlimited potential, and contribute to realizing a clean and high-quality global society by offering unmatched technologies and products with superior value.

### **Management Attitude**

We will create and meet expectations to win the highest trust of our customers.

We will expand and deepen our technologies to offer world-leading products.

We will develop and learn from people, and realize a meaningful and rewarding workplace together with our employees.

Basic approach to sustainability initiatives

By putting the Corporate Philosophy into practice and through behavior based on the Management Attitude, we will enhance company-wide engagement in environmental management, promotion of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion (DE&I), and risk management to contribute to the realization of a sustainable society while aiming for continuous corporate growth.

Engagement in materiality We have identified materiality (ESG) and will address them throughout the Company.

- Responding to climate change, environmentally conscious manufacturing, etc.
- S Quality assurance, securing safety, creating a rewarding workplace, etc.
- G Thorough compliance, enhanced risk management, enhanced corporate governance

Execution of the management plan

Medium-Term Management Plan (Basic concept for corporate behavior)

# Behavior based on the Corporate Philosophy Powerful promotion of two-wheeled management

- Profit maximization in the Powertrain Business and commercialization and expansion in the Frontier Business
- Enhancement of the management foundation and initiatives for sustainability management
- Realization of sustainable growth and enhancement of corporate value
- Execution of the Corporate Philosophy



Response to sustainability issues and contribution to the SDGs through business activities

# Structure

We have established the Sustainability Promotion Committee and are tackling various sustainability issues through meeting forums focused on the environment, quality, safety, etc. To promote the initiatives of the meeting forums more systematically, the Sustainability Promotion Committee identifies critical issues, sets various policies and directions of initiatives, conducts follow-up of activities, and reports to the Board of Directors.

Board of Directors

Sustainability Promotion Committee

Carbon Neutrality Promotion Meeting

ESG Meeting

# Materiality and KPIs

From among various social issues, the TPR Group has identified sustainability-related critical issues (materiality) through the following process and is addressing them across the Group.

### Materiality identification process

- Step 1: Each department sets their KPIs in cooperation with the secretariat based on the 17 SDGs
- Step 2: Determine the degree of importance of the KPIs set in Step 1 by mapping them in terms of their importance for TPR and for stakeholders, and identify the materiality
- Step 3: The Sustainability Promotion Committee deliberates on the identified materiality and grants approval

ESG	Materiality	KPIs	Targets	Achievement year	FY2022 actual results	FY2023 actual results	Relevant SDGs
	Provide products/services that	Ratio of products utilizing environmentally friendly technologies to OEM parts sales volume	YoY increase	FY2024	60%	62%	3 0000 HEALTH 3 0000 EA
	contribute to realizing a clean and high-quality global society	Number of development themes for environmentally conscious products	YoY increase	FY2024	45 themes	+7 from FY2022	6 CLERS ANTIR AND SANTATION
		Total CO <sub>2</sub> emissions from manufacturing processes	50% reduction in FY2030 vs. FY2013	FY2030	27.0% reduction	24.5% reduction	7 MIGRAWEE NO. OCEN 1945 FO
E		Total water consumption	30% reduction in FY2030 vs. FY2013	FY2030	20.9% reduction	25.9% reduction	9 hillstry instruction
	Promote monozukuri that is considerate to the Earth's environment	Total volume of combustible and landfill waste discharged	30% reduction in FY2030 vs. FY2013	FY2030	32.6% reduction	46.5% reduction	12 RESPONDED DOCUMENTS NOT PRESCRIPE
		Number of serious environmental incidents and cases of regulatory non-compliance	Zero	FY2024	1 incident	2 incidents	13 cuare
		Number of serious cases of non-compliance with internal regulations		FY2024	2 incidents	1 incident	
	Provide high-quality products/ services that meet customers' expectations and trust	meet customers'   Number of major quality   Zero			2 incidents	2 incidents	3 WO ARTHUR
		Number of serious accidents and near-serious accidents	Zero	FY2024	Zero	Zero	4 quality 4 essential
S	Realize a workplace that	Engagement score	5% or more increase YoY	FY2024	_	3.8%	5 censer country
3	develops people, learns from people and is rich in diversity, and contribute to the regional	Ratio of increase in investment in human resources development	50% increase YoY	FY2024	_	52% increase	8 BEEST NOR. AND ECONOMIC GROWTH
	community	Ratio of female managers	20% in FY2030	FY2030	3.1%	3.8%	9 REPUBLICA
		Ratio of childcare leave acquisition by men	100%	FY2024	8.3%	25%	IZ oxiciantisis and predicties
	Enhance a fair and highly	Number of serious violations of laws and regulations	Zero	FY2024	Zero	Zero	12 RESTRICTED OF SERVICES AND PRODUCTION
G	transparent governance system	Report of Compliance Committee's activities to the Board of Directors	2 times/year	FY2024	2 times	2 times	13 chase
G	Risk management for continuity of business that is globally robust	Number of business continuity planning (BCP) drills conducted	6 times/year	FY2024	6 times	9 times	16 MOS JESTEE AND STRONG PETITURES
	and stable	Number of cyberattack education and training sessions conducted	10 times/year	FY2024	2 times	8 times	17 manassurs

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# **Environmental Initiatives**

# **Environmental Policy**

# 1. Provide environmentally friendly products

We are committed to reducing environmental impacts through design and development of mechanical parts and provision of products that contribute to the realization of powertrains with minimal environmental impact.

# 2. Reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions toward realization of a carbon-free society and realize environmentally conscious business activities

In all business activities,

- ① We aim to achieve carbon neutrality by 2045 following our mid-term target of a 50% reduction in fiscal 2030 compared to fiscal 2013. (Scope 1 and 2)
- 2 We aim to achieve carbon neutrality, including Scope 3, by 2050.
- 3 We comply with laws and regulations, save energy, save resources, reduce waste and convert waste into resources, recycle, manage harmful substances, and pursue green procurement.

# 3. As a corporate citizen

To secure the reliance and empathy of society, we will proactively communicate and protect biodiversity.

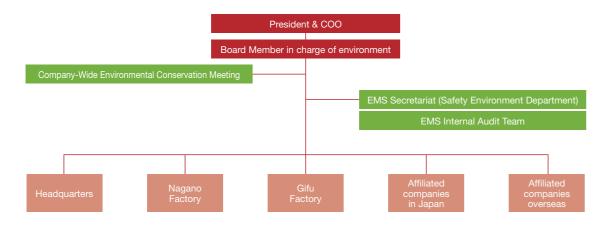
### 4. Realize more effective environmental activities

By carrying out education and training for all employees and affiliated companies, we will endeavor to boost awareness of the criticality of environmental activities and adherence to the law.

# **Environmental Management Structure**

TPR's environmental management is spearheaded by the Company-Wide Environmental Conservation Meeting overseen by the President. The Company-Wide Environmental Conservation Meeting, attended by TPR Board Members, affiliated companies' Board Members, and General Managers of each business, deliberates and determines how best to tackle environment-related matters ranging from current pressing problems to medium- to long-term issues.

Also, at each business site, domestic affiliated company, and overseas affiliated company, a person is selected to be in charge of environmental matters, including the fostering of communication across the TPR Group.



# **Environmental Objectives and Results**

To effectively promote environmental protection, the TPR Group undertakes various initiatives, having set quantitative targets, such as reduction of total  $CO_2$  emissions and total water consumption. Progress is monitored and the extent of target achievement is evaluated through forums like the Environmental Conservation Meeting. (For quantitative targets, see the page on materiality.  $\Rightarrow$ P.38)

# Increased Use of Recycled Materials (Recycling)

By increasing the number of items that reuse waste materials generated in production, we strive to reduce the consumption of procured natural resources and promote production activities that contribute to a recycling-oriented society.

Specific initiatives

- When the jigs used for manufacturing circular piston rings wear out and exceed specification limits, we modify them for reuse in producing piston rings with larger diameters.
- We use waste and heat from factory facilities for small-scale power generation, which is then used to power lighting and supply hot water (for baths) in the factories, combined with heat pumps. This approach allows us to effectively harness exhaust energy.

### Waste Reduction

As a medium-term objective under the Environmental Policy, we are committed to reducing waste emissions. The target is to achieve 30% reduction in combustible and landfill waste by 2030, compared to fiscal 2013, with each site working to achieve this goal.

Specific initiatives

- Waste acids and alkalis generated during the manufacturing process are reused as neutralizing agents in our wastewater treatment facilities, reducing the volume of effluents that require treatment by external vendors.
- While promoting the reuse of jigs, those that can no longer be modified or reused are melted down and reused as materials, rather than being discarded.
- Oily cardboard, previously disposed of as combustible waste, is now converted into refuse-derived paper and plastic densified fuel (RPF), thereby reducing waste emissions.

# Raising Employees' Environmental Awareness and Initiatives for Biodiversity

We are committed to raising our employees' environmental awareness. In line with our environmental management systems, we regularly conduct training in-house and encourage our employees to take the Certification Test for Environmental Specialists (Eco Test) to increase the number of certified environmental specialists (TPR "eco-people").

We are also actively engaging in community-based biodiversity and species diversity initiatives, such as our Nagano Factory's participation in the "Lake Suwa Adapt Program," contributing to the maintenance and conservation of natural capital.

### External Evaluation

For the CDP Climate Change Questionnaire, we received a CDP score of "B-" in December 2023, an improvement of one level from the "C" score in fiscal 2022.

# Responding to Climate Change

Having identified "promotion of environmentally conscious manufacturing" as one aspect of materiality, TPR is responding to climate change. We have declared our support for the recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures (TCFD) and are participating in the TCFD Consortium.

In addition, we disclose information on the impact of climate change-related risks and opportunities on the Group's business activities and earnings, as well as the measures we are taking to address them, in accordance with the TCFD recommendations.

# Governance and Risk Management

For sustainability, we have established the Sustainability Promotion Committee, which identifies critical issues, sets various policies and directions of initiatives, conducts follow-up of activities, and reports to the Board of Directors. We position the response to climate change as a priority management issue. Based on various policies, etc. that the Sustainability Promotion Committee formulates, the Carbon Neutrality Promotion Meeting and various ESG meetings deliberate and determine how best to tackle environment-related matters ranging from current pressing problems to medium- to long-term issues.

At TPR, the Risk Management Committee evaluates and recognizes risks related to the execution of TPR's business, deliberates on risk management at TPR and each Group company, and monitors critical risk matters.

The identification of and response to climate-related risks and opportunities are carried out in line with the framework recommended by the TCFD, based on scenario analysis.

# **Carbon Neutrality**

As a medium- to long-term target under the Environmental Policy, we aim to achieve carbon neutrality. As a milestone, we have set a target of reducing Scope 1 and 2 emissions by 50% or more by fiscal 2030 compared to fiscal 2013, with the goal of achieving carbon neutrality by 2045. To reach this target, we have formulated the CO<sub>2</sub> emissions reduction master plan and are systematically promoting improvement activities. Furthermore, we aim to achieve carbon neutrality across all scopes, including Scope 3, by 2050.

### Materiality

Provide products/services that contribute to realizing a clean and high-quality global society

Promote monozukuri that is considerate to the Earth's environment Promote development of environmentally friendly Scope1.2 products (improved fuel efficiency, products 2050 Achieving carbon compatible with multiple fuels, clean technologies) Energy and resource conservation, waste reduction/ neutrality resource recovery, recycling, and green procurement across all business activities, including upstream and 2045 Scope1,2 Reducing water usage and waste, and promoting Achieving carbon biodiversity initiatives neutrality Education on the importance of environmental activities and legal compliance, and raising the awareness of all Group employees Scope1.2 2030 Reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions Over 50% reduction -25% Result · 2026 Scope1,2 2026 2023 32% reduction \*Compared to BM BM 2013

# Response to Risks and Opportunities

The TPR Group has classified the impact of climate change into "transition risks" and "physical risks" and organized the potential risks and opportunities based on the environmental changes to be considered and their impact on the business. We then consider our response, the degree of impact on our business, and the timing of risk manifestation.

Scenario	Category	Key environmental changes and external environment to consider	Risk	s and opportunities and impact on business	Our response	Degree of impact on business	Timing of risk manifestatio
	Policies / Laws and regulations	Introduction of carbon tax, introduction of emission regulations	Risks	Increase in procurement cost	Reduction of total GHG emissions; implementation of energy conservation and cost reduction activities	Medium	Medium to long
		• Setting of CO <sub>2</sub> emissions target		Increase in capital investment and costs	Systematic capital investment and optimization of manufacturing locations		
		Introduction of a policy for energy conservation		Taxes on exported products	Monitoring of regulatory trends, export of products suitable for export		
			Oppor- tunities	Capturing of opportunities through differentiation as environmentally friendly products	<ul> <li>Development of environmentally conscious products/specifications and expansion of their applications</li> </ul>	Medium	Medium to long
				Reduction in expenditures through energy conservation	Introduction of renewable energy through on-site/ off-site PPAs and non-fossil fuel certificates		
				Increase in sales of products compliant with the regulations	Reflecting costs in product pricing		
	Technology / Market	Decrease in sales of new gasoline and discall vehicles	Risks	Decrease in net sales	Development of new businesses in response to changing social needs	Large	Mediun
		diesel vehicles			Promotion of diversification of products that do not depend on internal combustion engines		
			Oppor- tunities	Transition from fossil fuels to non-fossil fuels	Development of products compatible with non-fossil fuels (hydrogen, bio, etc.)	Medium	Medium
		Acceleration of diffusion of EVs	Risks	Review of business and product portfolio	Development of new businesses in response to changing social needs	Large	Long
Transition risk					Promotion of diversification of products that do not depend on internal combustion engines		
(1.5°C)					Reinforcement of initiatives for new businesses through reorganization and reallocation of personnel		
			Oppor- tunities	Creation of new businesses	Development of products for EVs and expansion of parts supply	Large	Long
		- Ingranging people for	Risks	Expansion of products for EVs     Increase in capital investment	Reflecting costs in product pricing	Medium	Long
		<ul> <li>Increasing needs for energy-saving and environmentally</li> </ul>		and development costs			Long
		friendly technologies	Oppor- tunities	Greater opportunities for environmentally friendly products	Development of environmentally conscious products/specifications and expansion of their applications	Medium	Mediun to long
				<ul> <li>Expansion of products designed to save energy and reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Expansion of application of materials using proprietary technologies and parts for surface treatment to extend component lifespan</li> </ul>		
	Reputation	Change in mindsets of stakeholders/	Risks	Decline in corporate value	Presentation of corporate stance/growth strategy	Medium	Medium to long
		customers		Avoidance of investment, divestment	Enhancing dialogue with stakeholders		
				Deterioration of reputation, difficulty in obtaining financing			
			Oppor- tunities	High evaluation for high- value-added products	Creation of high-value-added products and new businesses in response to changing mindsets	Medium	Mediun to long
				Enhancement of reputation through progressive initiatives and information disclosure	Enhancing dialogue with stakeholders		
	Acute	Frequent occurrence of extreme weather	Risks	Factory shutdown	Implementing comprehensive BCP covering production sites, suppliers, and customers	Large	Short to mediun
				Instability in raw material procurement	Reinforcement of procurement sources; effective use of overseas sites within the Group		
			Oppor- tunities	High evaluation for enhanced BCP response and increased reliability	Presentation of corporate stance/growth strategy	Medium	Short to mediun
					Enhancing dialogue with stakeholders		
Physical					Development of emergency and disaster response products, increase in sales		
risk (4°C)	Chronic	Changes in weather patterns	Risks	Shutdown due to water shortage	Reinforcement of mutually complementary production systems at multiple sites	Large	Short to mediun
				Rising production and transportation costs	Transition to disaster-resistant buildings		
			Oppor- tunities		Production network in Japan and overseas	-	
		Increase in average temperature	Risks	Health hazards, rising costs	Ensuring employee health		
		- Inportatio			Improving the working environment and securing workplaces	Small to medium	Short to mediun

# Social Initiatives

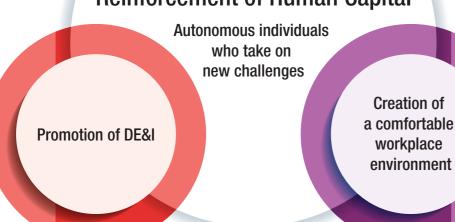
# Reinforcement of Human Capital

The TPR Group has been pursuing the sophistication of powertrains for more than 80 years. As the automotive industry is undergoing a period of transformation, we recognize the importance of actively investing in "people" to meet the challenges of this new era. To rise to the challenges, we ensure that diverse individuals can realize their full potential while maintaining high motivation. Aligned with our sustainability initiatives' materiality policy of "Realizing a workplace that develops people, learns from people and is rich in diversity, and contributing to the regional community," we aim to develop autonomous individuals who take on challenges. Our priority measures include "development of human resources," "promotion of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion (DE&I)," and "creation of a comfortable workplace environment."

- Enhanced training opportunities, including position-specific and specialized education programs
- Support for autonomous career development through initiatives such as the overseas trainee system and the internal open recruitment system

# **Development of Human Resources**

# **Reinforcement of Human Capital**



- Career development programs for female employees and training programs for managers to develop female employees
- Strengthening of recruitment from overseas in cooperation with universities
- Enhancement of employee engagement through continuous improvement of the workplace environment
- Creation of a workplace environment where all employees can maintain and enhance high productivity and motivation

# **Development of Human Resources**

Amid drastic changes of the environment in which companies operate and individuals exist, we aim to foster the motivation to take on the challenges of the next stage and maximize individual performance through the autonomous actions of each employee. For this purpose, we conduct systematic education and training, including position-specific training for young employees, mid-level employees, and managers, as well as education for all employees on compliance, safety, and the environment. As our business continues to develop and grow, we will sharpen our focus on "human resource development" to improve the abilities, skills, and expertise of each employee.

### Metrics

The target for the annual investment in human resource development is an increase of 50% or more compared to the previous fiscal year. In fiscal 2023, investment in education and training rose 52% from the previous fiscal year. We will continue to expand the education and training system in fiscal 2024 with the goal of achieving the annual target.

- 1 New employee training (English, financial, technical, on-site training, etc.)
  - Provide learning opportunities to encourage challenges. Training at technology and manufacturing sites to deepen understanding of TPR products
- 2 Training for new managers
- Develop approaches to dealing with various issues while taking on new roles as managers
- 3 Education using e-learning
  - Provide opportunities for independent study to support employees' career development
- 4 Various types of group training
  - Enhance the expertise and skills of employees at all levels to foster personal growth
- 5 Internal open recruitment system
- Expand opportunities for employees to actively demonstrate their abilities on their own initiative and encourage proactive career development
- 6 Overseas trainee system
- Provide opportunities for young employees to be posted overseas to cultivate a global perspective and expand the scope of their future careers

# Promotion of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion (DE&I)

As part of our DE&I promotion, we aim to create a workplace where diverse individuals can embrace challenges and realize their full potential while maintaining high motivation.

Regarding active participation of women, we are working to improve the environment throughout the TPR Group, enabling female employees to pursue long-term career development while going through various life stages such as childbirth and child rearing.

# Metrics

We aim to increase the ratio of female managers to 20% by fiscal 2030. In fiscal 2023, we increased the number of new female managers and the ratio reached 3.7%. We will continue to promote diverse human resources, including foreign nationals and mid-career hires, to vitalize TPR.

### Measures

- 1) Promotion of active participation of women
  - Promote career development for female employees and hold seminars for their supervisors
- 2 Promotion of foreign human resources
- Recruit new graduates from overseas with an eye to future global human resources
- 3 Promotion of employment of people with disabilities Create employment opportunities through expansion of work styles
- 4 Continued employment of senior employees
- Review the mandatory retirement system and post-retirement systems
- 5 System for promoting fixed-term employees to regular employees



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# Creation of a Comfortable Workplace Environment

To grasp the effect of its investment in people comprehensively, we have been conducting an engagement survey periodically since fiscal 2020 and using its scores as an indicator. By running the cycle of improvement based on analysis of issues, implementation of measures, surveys, and subsequent measures, we identify priority areas and take action to create a comfortable workplace environment.

Additionally, we have set targets for childcare leave and annual paid leave so that our employees can proactively take the leave, to further enhance their work-life balance.

# Metrics

By promoting human capital investment initiatives, our target is to achieve a 5% year-on-year improvement in the engagement score. (Score for fiscal 2023 improved by 3.8% year-on-year.)

With regard to the use of childcare leave, the rate of childcare leave acquisition by female employees has already reached 100%, and that by male employees was 25% in fiscal 2023. Our target in fiscal 2024 is to increase the rate of childcare leave acquisition by men to 50%, and we are promoting ongoing activities to achieve this goal.

As for annual paid leave, our target for fiscal 2023 was 12 days of annual paid leave taken, and more than 95% of employees achieved this target. From fiscal 2024 onward, our target is for all employees to take at least 12 days of annual paid leave.

# Measures

1 Engagement survey

Survey all employees' "expectations" and "satisfaction" concerning factors related to motivation and quantify the results

- (2) Improvement of the rate of annual paid leave acquisition
- Set an annual target and follow up at each workplace to ensure that all employees achieve the target
- 3 Encouraging the taking of childcare leave (men and women) Establish a backup system during leave at each workplace to make it easier for employees to take leave

# **Health and Safety**

We place the highest priority on health and safety in our actions, striving to create a safe workplace for our employees, their families, the community, and our customers.

In all of our operations, we pledge to place the highest priority on safety, focusing on fire and explosion prevention activities, and ensuring the health and safety of our employees.

Through continuous improvement and education, we aim to achieve a safe workplace environment and enhance the awareness of all employees of the importance of ensuring safety, including fire and explosion prevention activities. By doing so, we strive to cultivate a safety culture in collaboration with our employees and to create a working environment where they can work with peace of mind.

# Measures

- 1) Prevention of work-related accidents
- Identify "risks that may cause serious accidents" through the involvement of all employees and systematically implement work-related accident prevention activities by utilizing risk assessments
- Review work standards, clarify safety points, and create a system to provide guidance and confirm implementation without omissions
- Conduct safety patrols by safety experts to identify and address unsafe behavior
- Conduct self-inspections of kiken yochi training (KYT; danger prediction training), near-miss/close-call incidents, and accident cases to raise safety awareness and continuously improve all areas of concern
- 2 Reinforcement of disaster prevention and fire prevention systems
- Conduct on-site fire prevention inspections by top management and establish a company-wide fire prevention. system as part of activities to prevent fires and explosions
- Reinforce the initial fire extinguishing system and implement drills
- Establish manuals for assumed contingencies as part of the BCP, conduct systematic training, and continuously remediate defects
- 3 Prevention of occupational diseases
- Create a safe working environment by implementing working environment measurements and making necessary improvements
- 4 Workplace culture that promotes traffic safety and good driving behavior
- Ensure compliance with the rules of society and raise awareness of the importance of legal compliance

# **Health and Productivity Management**

We have established a Health Declaration and are implementing health and productivity management initiatives to resolve health issues, such as employees' physical and mental health issues and decreased production due to illness, while promoting the creation of a meaningful and rewarding workplace.

We empower individual employees to objectively grasp their own health conditions, helping them manage their health so that they can work with vigor and vitality.

# **Policy**

Health Declaration: TPR declares that it will promote health and productivity management toward "realization of a meaningful and rewarding workplace" as stated in the Management Attitude, and strive to create a workplace environment where employees can work with greater dynamism and enthusiasm and in good physical and mental health.

- ① We will strive to resolve health issues through health management initiatives.
- ② Increased health awareness prevents ill health and productivity loss caused by disease, which are key health issues.

### Metrics

In promoting health and productivity management, we have set targets for the following health-related data: (1) periodic health checkups (examination participation rate), (2) persons requiring detailed medical examination (implementation rate), (3) specified health guidance (implementation rate), (4) stress checks (implementation rate), and (5) employees working long hours (percentage of employees working 30 hours or less of overtime per month) and absenteeism (number of days off due to illness during the past year) and presenteeism (evaluation of one's own work performance over the past four weeks, assuming that one's work performance when one is not ill or injured is 100%).

# Implemented Items

- ① Regarding overtime hours and annual leave acquisition, implementation of measures by each department and followup by the Human Resources & General Affairs Dept.
- 2 With the target of maintaining 100% implementation of periodic health checkups, strengthened follow-up for those who need to undergo detailed medical examination and those who are subject to specified health guidance
- 3 Feedback on results of the engagement survey and stress checks for improvement and implementation of workplace
- (4) Holding of various health-related education to improve health knowledge (for all employees, for smokers, for women, etc.)
- (5) Holding of health-related events (walking, offering healthy menus in the cafeteria, etc.)

# **Engagement with Local Communities**

The TPR Group addresses social issues in various fields and regions and contributes to the sustainable development of society as a whole.

# **Environmental Protection**

• TPR is involved in community cleanup activities and biodiversity protection, and also holds meetings to exchange information on the environment with local communities and local government.

### Social Welfare

Support for single-parent households

We support single-parent households through donations to Single Mothers Forum, a certified NPO.

# **Education and Research**

- · Social technology exchange with universities and research institutions
- We continuously donate to schools, contribute to scholarships, and have social technology exchange with universities and research institutions, etc.

### Support for Culture and Sports

· We support the arts and sports through donations.

**VC NAGANO TRIDENTS** (V1 League member) official sponsor







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# **Quality Control**

# **Basic Approach**

Based on the Corporate Philosophy, we will continuously strengthen customer trust in the TPR Group and customer satisfaction, through pursuit of the highest quality, making the best and the most in the world, quickly and affordably.

For this purpose, we are executing operations based on the Quality Way, the guiding principles, indicated below.

# **Quality Way (Guiding Principles)**

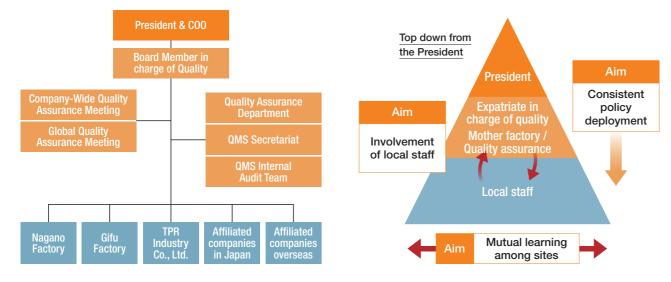
- 1 Genchi-genbutsu (actual place, actual thing) (scientific approach)
  - Increase quality-related skills, adopt a scientific approach
- Continuous improvement (hard and soft)
  - Continue hard and soft improvement to continuously increase product quality and work quality
- 3 Own process completion (The next process is done by the customer)
  - Resolve concerns in your own process, only pass good products onto the next process
- 4 Full participation by all members (autonomy)
  - Take ownership of all concerns and issues

# **Quality Control Promotion Structure**

Our quality management is spearheaded by the Company-Wide Quality Assurance Meeting and the Global Quality Assurance Meeting overseen by the President.

At the Company-Wide Quality Assurance Meeting, attended by TPR Board Members, heads of each site, and the quality control departments, the results of activities of each site and key measures are reported and improvement is pursued.

The Global Quality Assurance Meeting is held to strengthen the quality foundation of overseas sites, and TPR's sites are working to achieve uniform quality worldwide. Based on these two meetings we are striving to continuously improve the TPR Group's reliance and customer satisfaction.



# **Quality Awards Received**

- In Japan, we received six awards, including the Outstanding Achievement Award of Toyota Motor Corporation's Quality Control Award and the Quality Excellence Award from Yamaha Motor Co., Ltd.
- Overseas, we received 11 awards, including the Outstanding Supplier Award from Changan Mazda Engine Co.,
   Ltd. and the Award of Excellence in Delivery 2023 from PT. Yamaha Indonesia Motor Manufacturing.

\*Awards for various activities in fiscal 2023

# **Procurement Management**

# **Basic Approach**

The TPR Group engages in various transactions with over 3,700 suppliers. To achieve medium- to long-term growth, establishing a robust supply chain is essential. We carry out procurement activities in accordance with the TPR Group Procurement Policy, which stipulates compliance with laws, regulations, and social norms; fair and equitable business opportunities; mutual trust with suppliers; and adherence to promotion standards.

Additionally, we communicate the TPR Group Procurement Policy to our suppliers and request their agreement to comply with it. We emphasize building mutual relationships and fostering open and fair procurement practices, aiming to achieve sustainable manufacturing and a sustainable society.

# **TPR Group Procurement Policy (Summary)**

To effectively manage the increasingly complex and diverse risks within the supply chain and to promote compliance and sustainable procurement, we have established the TPR Group Procurement Policy, which integrates both the Policy and Guidelines. Through this and other initiatives, we are strengthening supply chain management.

- Basic Procurement Policy
- (1) We will conduct procurement activities based on a relationship of mutual trust with our business partners.
- (2) We will comply with laws, regulations, social norms, etc., and conduct procurement activities with a high sense of business ethics.
- (3) We will work with our business partners to fulfill our corporate social responsibilities and engage in sustainable procurement activities.
- (4) We will provide our business partners (including potential partners) with opportunities for fair and equitable transactions.
- Compliance with Promotion Standards
- Selection of Business Partners
- Procurement Action Guidelines



For the full text of the TPR Group Procurement Policy, please visit our website. URL: https://tpr.co.jp/tp\_e/csr/society/procurement/management.html

# **Selection of Business Partners**

In conducting procurement transactions, we will select suppliers who agree with and implement the following (1) through (8) below.

- (1) Open and fair trade
- (2) Compliance with laws, regulations, and social norms, as well as prevention of corruption
- (3) Consideration for the environment
- (4) Consideration for human rights and occupational health and safety
- (5) Sound business management and information disclosure
- (6) Ensuring superior quality
- (7) Information security and protection of intellectual property
- (8) Establishment of a stable supply system and uninterrupted supply in the event of unforeseen disasters, etc.

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# Corporate Governance

# **Basic Approach**

We believe that increasing corporate value through improved management efficiency and optimized allocation of management resources is key to maintaining and continuously expanding the interests of stakeholders, including shareholders, employees, business partners, and local communities. Accordingly, we believe the cornerstone of corporate governance to be the effective supervision and monitoring of management to support the long-term growth of corporate value.

Specifically, we are working to raise the effectiveness of corporate governance through the basic policies set forth below.

- Respect the rights of shareholders and ensure fairness.
- (2) Cooperate appropriately with all stakeholders, including shareholders, employees, business partners, and local communities.
- (3) Ensure transparency by appropriately disclosing corporate information.
- (4) Ensure directors and audit & supervisory board members recognize their fiduciary responsibility and accountability to shareholders and appropriately fulfill the respective roles and obligations expected of them.
- (5) Make efforts to engage in constructive dialogue with shareholders.

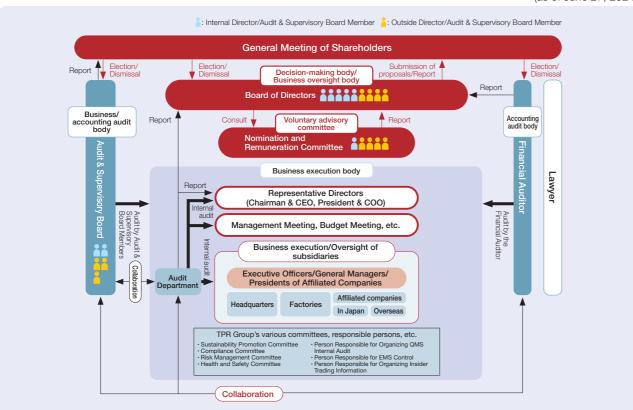
# **Corporate Governance Structure**

The Company has adopted a company with an Audit & Supervisory Board structure as its organizational framework and it is striving to build a corporate governance system that ensures management transparency and soundness and that facilitates sustainable growth.

We have strengthened the transparency, objectivity, and oversight from an external perspective of the Board of Directors by appointing multiple highly independent Outside Directors and outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members, and by establishing a Nomination and Remuneration Committee, of which more than half the members are independent Outside Directors, as an advisory body. We have also established various committees, including the Sustainability Promotion Committee, Compliance Committee, Risk Management Committee, and Health and Safety Committee, to enhance the soundness of management. As an organization which is independent from the Board of Directors, the Audit & Supervisory Board audits the execution of duties by Directors and coordinates closely with the Internal Audit Department and Internal Controls Department to carry out audits as appropriate.

We have also introduced an Executive Officer System to speed up decision-making and make management practice more efficient by separating management supervision and business execution functions.

(as of June 27, 2024)



# Role of Each Body

### Board of Directors

The Board of Directors comprises nine Directors, including four independent Outside Directors with diverse backgrounds in the financial and manufacturing industries, the legal profession, and foreign companies, to strengthen the Company's corporate governance.

The Board of Directors recognizes its fiduciary responsibility and accountability to shareholders, and shall appropriately fulfill its roles and obligations, which include promoting the Company's sustainable growth, enhancing corporate value over the medium to long term, and improving profitability, capital efficiency, etc.

# Audit & Supervisory Board

The Audit & Supervisory Board comprises five members, three of whom are independent outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members to ensure a neutral and objective audit structure.

The Audit & Supervisory Board cooperates with the Internal Audit Department and also periodically carries out exchange of opinions with the financial auditor to perform suitable and appropriate audits in order to enhance corporate governance. Moreover, Audit & Supervisory Board Members conduct audits in line with the audit policy and division of duties defined by the Audit & Supervisory Board.

### Nomination and Remuneration Committee

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee shall consist of at least three members, with a majority being independent Outside Directors. As of June 2024, the committee consists of five Directors, of whom four are Outside Directors.

As an advisory body for the Board of Directors, the committee's objective is to enhance the transparency and objectivity of nomination and remuneration of senior management.

The committee deliberates on matters regarding nomination and dismissal of Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members, matters regarding the composition of the Board of Directors, matters regarding the policy on composition of compensation, etc., matters regarding remuneration limits, and other matters.

### Management Meeting

Chaired by the Representative Director, Chairman & CEO, the Management Meeting consists of the Representative Director, President & COO, Directors, and board members in charge of the relevant departments (including Overseas Operations, Sales, Production, Administration, and Technology).

To increase the efficiency and vitality of deliberations at Board of Directors meetings, the Management Meeting discusses important matters and, in principle, submits only agreed-upon items to the Board of Directors.

# Activities of the Board of Directors, Nomination and Remuneration Committee, and Audit & Supervisory Board

The table below indicates the number of and attendance at meetings of the Board of Directors, Nomination and Remuneration Committee, and Audit & Supervisory Board held in fiscal 2023.

			Number of meetings held and attendance							
	Name		Board of Directors	Board of Directors Nomination and Remuneration Committee						
	Hiroshi Suehiro		16/16	8/8	_					
	Kazumi Yano		16/16	_	_					
Takehiko	Takehiko Karasawa		15/16	_	_					
	Akihiko li		16/16	_	_					
Directors	Noriaki Ayuzawa		13/13	_	_					
	Masataka Honke (Outside)		15/16	8/8	_					
	Toshihisa Kato (Outside)		16/16	8/8						
	Kanako Osawa (Outside)		16/16	8/8	_					
	Kenji Muneto (Outside)		13/13	6/6	_					
A 1'1 O	Hiroshi Kato		16/16	_	17/17					
Audit &	Yutaka Sukegawa	'utaka Sukegawa (Outside)		_	17/17					
Supervisory - Board -	Masahiro Kitahara	Masahiro Kitahara		_	13/13					
Members	Takashi Yonekawa	Takashi Yonekawa (Outside)		_	17/17					
	Shinya Tanaka	(Outside)	16/16	_	17/17					

# Analysis and Evaluation of Effectiveness of the Board of Directors

To ensure the effectiveness of the Board of Directors as a whole, a questionnaire survey of Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members is conducted.

# Evaluation items in the questionnaire

- ① Effectiveness of the composition ② Effectiveness of the operation ③ Effectiveness of the agenda
- 4 Effectiveness of the support system 5 Other matters

# Evaluation results

Regarding the effectiveness of the Board of Directors, we conducted a survey of all Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members individually, followed by analysis and evaluation. The evaluation results confirm that the effectiveness of the Board of Directors is ensured. We will continue our efforts to further enhance the effectiveness of the Board of Directors.

# **Policy on Election of Directors**

Under the Articles of Incorporation of the Company, the number of Directors is set as ten or less, which is believed to be an appropriate size for the continuous promotion of swift decision-making.

When nominating a Director candidate, we create a matrix that lists each candidate's skills, work experience, and expertise, and comprehensively review individuals from the perspective of assigning the right person to the right position regardless of nationality or gender, giving consideration to the knowledge, experience, capability and so forth of the candidate, such as their capability for accurate and swift decision-making in the Board of Directors, their capability to conduct appropriate business management from a global standpoint, their capability to monitor the business execution of other Directors, and their capability to take charge of the general operations of the business division under their control.

# Independence Standards and Qualification for Independent Outside Directors

The Company appoints Outside Directors and Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members who are independent officers, in accordance with the "Independence Standards for Independent Outside Directors" established by the Company based on the requirements for outside directors and outside company auditors stipulated in the Companies Act and the independence standards established by financial instruments exchanges.

### • Independence Standards for Independent Outside Directors

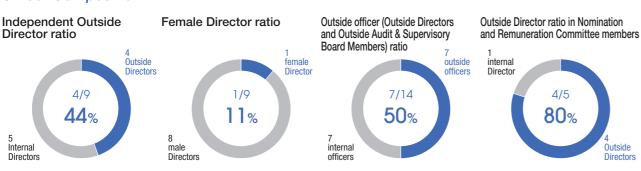
In order for the Outside Directors and Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members of the Company to be judged as being independent, such Outside Directors and Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members must not fall under any of the following items.

- (1) An executive director, executive officer (shikkoyakuin) or other employee of the Company and its subsidiaries
- (2) A party whose major client or supplier is the Company or an executive thereof
- (3) Major client or supplier of the Company or an executive thereof
- (4) A consultant, accounting professional or legal expert who receives a substantial amount of cash and/or other assets from the Company besides officer compensation (when a person who receives such assets is an organization such as a corporation or an association, a person who belongs to such organization)
- (5) A party who fell under any of the items (2) to (4) in the past year
- (6) A spouse or relative within the second degree of kinship of a party who falls under any of the items (1) to (5) above (excluding unimportant positions)
- \*1. "A party whose major client or supplier is the Company" is one who received payment from the Company during the latest fiscal year at least equivalent to 2% of the party's annual consolidated net sales or 100 million yen, whichever is greater.
- \*2. "Major client or supplier of the Company" is one who made payment to the Company during the latest fiscal year at least equivalent to 2% of the Company's annual consolidated net sales or 100 million yen, whichever is greater.
- \*3. "Receives a substantial amount of cash and/or other assets from the Company besides officer compensation" means receiving from the Company during the latest fiscal year monetary consideration or property at least equivalent to 2% of net sales or total revenue of such party or 10 million yen, whichever is greater, in addition to officer compensation.

# Skills Matrix of Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members (as of June 27, 2024)

			Fields of expertise							
Name	Position	Corporate Management	Finance	Production, Engineering and/or IT	Sales	Global	Legal Affairs and/or Risk Management	Remuneration Committee		
Hiroshi Suehiro	Representative Director, Chairman & CEO	•					•	•		
Kazumi Yano	Representative Director, President & COO			•	•					
Goji Fujishiro	Director, Deputy President and Executive Officer	•	•		•	•				
Akihiko li	Director, Senior Managing Executive Officer			•	•	•				
Noriaki Ayuzawa	Director, Executive Officer			•	•	•				
Masataka Honke	Director (Outside)	•	•				•	•		
Toshihisa Kato	Director (Outside)			•		•	•	•		
Kanako Osawa	Director (Outside)		•			•	•	•		
Kenji Muneto	Director (Outside)	•		•	•	•		•		
Yutaka Sukegawa	Full-Time Audit & Supervisory Board Member (Outside)		•	•			•			
Masahiro Kitahara	Full-Time Audit & Supervisory Board Member				•	•	•			
Ryoji Kojima	Full-Time Audit & Supervisory Board Member		•				•			
Takashi Yonekawa	Audit & Supervisory Board Member (Outside)		•		•		•			
Shinya Tanaka	Audit & Supervisory Board Member (Outside)	•	•				•			

# Officer Composition



# Officer Remuneration

The Company's basic policy is to ensure that the Director remuneration is linked to the Company's business performance and medium- to long-term corporate value so that it can fully function as an incentive for the sustainable enhancement of corporate value, and to determine the remuneration of individual Directors at an appropriate level based on their respective responsibilities and achievements. The remuneration of executive Directors shall consist of ordinary remuneration, variable remuneration, and share-based remuneration for officers granted by the Board Benefit Trust as an incentive to raise awareness about enhancing corporate value. In contrast, non-executive Directors receive ordinary remuneration and share-based remuneration while Audit & Supervisory Board Members receive only ordinary remuneration.

# Breakdown of Director remuneration

### (1) Ordinary remuneration (monetary remuneration)

Ordinary remuneration is a fixed monthly salary, determined by considering the position, the level of compensation for similar duties at other organizations, performance of the Company, and the level of employee salaries from a broad perspective.

# (2) Variable remuneration (monetary remuneration)

Variable remuneration aims to increase a Director's incentive to enhance business performance each year. The amount is calculated based on the business environment, the Company's performance in the previous fiscal year, and the contributions to the performance by each executive Director, divided by 12, and then paid together with the ordinary remuneration. Based on the business environment, the Company has established the targets for business performance such as the consolidated ordinary profit laid out in the Medium-Term Management Plan or proper indicators according to the duties of each executive Director when preparing plans. Such targets or indicators are appropriately revised based on the report of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, in which independent Outside Directors constitute the majority, according to changes in the business environment.

### (3) Share-based remuneration (non-monetary remuneration)

Non-monetary remuneration is share-based remuneration through the Board Benefit Trust and is paid in accordance with the "Officer Stock Benefit Rules" in order to ensure that the remuneration system is linked to medium- to long-term corporate value enhancement. Specifically, non-monetary remuneration shall be a point system based on position wherein points are assigned according to a table at a certain time each year. In addition, the timing of payment shall be at the end of the Director's term of office, with each point earned during the term of office being converted into one share, which shall be paid at the time of retirement. In the event that shares are paid out during the term of office of a Director, the transfer or other disposition of such shares shall be restricted until the retirement of said Director by entering into a restricted transfer agreement. Directors who engage in certain illegal or inappropriate acts shall lose their rights to receive the provision of the Company share, etc.

# Determination of the ratio of remuneration by type

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee considers the ratio of each type of Director remuneration based on a standard level of remuneration in reference to corporate groups with approximately the same business scale or in the relevant industry, so that Directors in higher positions receive higher proportion of the remuneration which links with the Company's business performance and corporate value. The Board of Directors shall respect the report of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and determine the ratio of each type of remuneration as indicated in the report.

# Determination of remuneration for each Director

The specific details about the amount of remuneration for each Director shall be delegated to the Representative Director, Chairman & CEO by resolution of the Board of Directors, and his authority shall be to decide the amount of ordinary remuneration and the amount of variable remuneration based on the evaluation of the business performance of each Director.

The Board of Directors shall consult with the Nomination and Remuneration Committee on the original proposals prepared by the Representative Director, Chairman & CEO to ensure the Representative Director, Chairman & CEO is appropriately exercising this authority, and the Representative Director, Chairman & CEO shall make a decision in accordance with content of that report.

# Total amount of remuneration, etc. by officer classification, total amount of remuneration, etc. by type, and number of eligible officers

	Total amount of	7	)	Number of			
Officer classification	remuneration, etc. (Million yen)	Ordinary remuneration	Variable remuneration	Performance-linked remuneration	Retirement benefits	Share-based remuneration	eligible officers (Persons)
Directors (excluding Outside Directors)	259	174	41	-	-	44	6
Audit & Supervisory Board Members (excluding Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members)	37	37	_	-	-	-	3
Outside officers	69	63	_	_	_	6	7

# Compliance

# **Basic Approach**

The Company has established the TPR Group Compliance Basic Rules and TPR Compliance Rules. Based on these rules, we promote the maintenance and improvement of Group-wide compliance structures.

In accordance with the TPR Group Compliance Basic Stance described below, our employees execute their day-to-day business activities.

# **TPR Group Compliance Basic Stance**

TPR and TPR Group companies share the belief that engaging in sincere corporate activities is essential with respect to responding to the trust of all stakeholders, including customers, shareholders, employees, business partners, and local communities.

In addition, each and every employee, etc. of TPR and TPR Group companies shall recognize that compliance is one of the most important corporate foundations, alongside quality, environment, safety, and disaster prevention, and shall strive to conduct sincere and sound corporate activities by ensuring compliance with laws and regulations, as well as social norms, always adhering to high ethical standards.

- Sincere Behavior
- 2 Assuring Transparency and Soundness of Management
- 3 Transactions Based on Fair and Free Competition
- 4 Making Safe and Comfortable Workplaces
- 5 Contribution to the Society

# **Compliance Structure**

Based on the above rules, with the Chairman & CEO as the overall responsible person, the Compliance Committee comprising Management Meeting members has been established. Within this framework, each General Manager promotes the maintenance and improvement of compliance structures as the person responsible.

The Group Governance Department serves as the secretariat and its responsibilities encompass all domestic and overseas Group companies. Its role is to prevent unlawful or unethical actions throughout the TPR Group, such as improper accounting processes. For this purpose, it has established a mechanism for early detection of any such actions, aiming to enhance Group governance. Furthermore, compliance training is a mandatory component of the employee education curriculum.

# **Major Initiatives**

# Whistleblowing system

We have established Group-wide common whistleblowing channels to which officers and employees of the Group can report violations of laws and regulations, unauthorized actions, and harassment actions. There are three whistleblowing channels: the Compliance Committee, Audit & Supervisory Board Members, and an external law firm, with multiple reporting methods available: telephone, email, postal mail, and letters. While ensuring convenience for whistleblowing, we thoroughly inform officers and employees about the protection of whistleblowers.

Regarding whistleblowing, matters are periodically reported to the Board of Directors and initiatives are monitored.

# Education and compliance awareness improvement

At the Company-Wide Management Meeting, the Chairman & CEO delivers a message to promote compliance activities, and top management takes opportunities and sends messages to promote compliance, such as in the New Year's address.

We provide training for new employees and mid-career hires, as well as newly appointed managers, overseas assignees, officers, and managers, on a regular or ad-hoc basis. In training, we use e-learning and other methods to ensure effective implementation, and we also monitor and analyze the level of understanding to reflect it in measures.

In addition, the Group Governance Department implements the following initiatives to raise compliance awareness.

- · Monitoring compliance information at each site and sharing information among sites with the person in charge of compliance and heads of sites
- · Based on monthly compliance information, making a summary of the background and perspectives, preparing educational materials, and deploy them to each site
- · Monitoring compliance with the Competition Law based on contact reports with other companies in the same industry

# Respect for Human Rights (TPR Group Human Rights Policy)

The TPR Group (TPR Co., Ltd. and its consolidated subsidiaries) believe that it is our important social responsibility as a company to promote business activities and respect the human rights of all people involved in our business activities based on the Corporate Philosophy, "contribute to realizing a clean and high-quality global society by offering unmatched technologies and products with superior value."

We have established the TPR Group Human Rights Policy based on the International Bill of Human Rights, the ILO Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work, and other international norms.



For the full text of the "TPR Group Human Rights Policy." please visit our website. https://www.tpr.co.jp/csr/society/humanrights/ (in Japanese)

# Risk Management

The TPR Group has formulated the "TPR Group Risk Management Basic Regulations" to accurately evaluate and recognize risks related to business execution, and establish measures to prevent the materialization of such risks, or measures to minimize losses arising from such materialization of risks. We are promoting the development and operation of a Group-wide risk management structure to deal with increasingly diverse and complex risks.

# **Risk Management Structure**

Based on the above regulations, the Risk Management Committee meets regularly to discuss internal and external risks of the Company and Group companies, monitor critical risk matters, evaluate risks related to business execution, and implement measures to identify and prevent materialization of risks and minimize damage when they occur. Moreover, important issues related to risk management activities are reported periodically to the Board of Directors.

# **Priority Risk Management Activities**

Against the backdrop of the growing importance of BCP in recent years, we have been working to make BCP more practical and preparing and reviewing disaster response manuals across all of our sites. In order to prioritize human life and maintain business continuity in the event of a disaster such as an earthquake or torrential rain, we continuously engage in initial response and recovery response training. In the course of its business activities, the TPR Group handles various personal and confidential information. Information security measures are in place for handling such information and maintaining its confidentiality. To strengthen countermeasures for cyberattacks against companies, which have become more frequent in recent years, we are reinforcing information security by providing education and training for employees, introducing software as countermeasures, and implementing countermeasures based on diagnoses by third-party organizations.

# **Major Risks**

conditions risks

Impact of logistics price fluctuations

Market risks	Competition with other companies     Trends of economic environment and automotive market demand	Risks related to politics, regulations, legal procedures, disasters, etc.	<ul> <li>Legal regulations, etc.</li> <li>Earthquake, fire, etc.</li> <li>Spread of infectious diseases</li> <li>Environmental regulations</li> <li>Information security</li> <li>Intellectual property rights</li> </ul>
Business risks	Innovation and response to customer needs Investment in affiliated companies Business alliances with other companies Procurement of raw materials and parts Product quality defects	Recruitment and turnover risks	<ul><li>Aging of employees</li><li>Recruitment and turnover</li></ul>
Financial, economic, and market	<ul> <li>Exchange rate fluctuations</li> <li>Investment securities</li> <li>Retirement benefit obligations</li> <li>Impact of raw material price fluctuations</li> </ul>		

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# **Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members**

(as of June 27, 2024)

Representative Director,

Kazumi Yano

Aug. 1982 Joined the Company

President & COO

### **Directors**





Apr. 1981 Joined The Fuii Bank, Limited (Currently Mizuho Bank, Ltd.)

Apr. 2008 Executive Officer, General Manager of Corporate Banking Division No. 7 of Mizuho Corporate Bank, Ltd.

Apr. 2011 Managing Executive Officer, Head of Asia & Oceania

Apr. 2014 Managing Executive Officer, Head of the Americas of Mizuho Bank, Ltd.
Apr. 2015 Senior Managing Executive Officer, Head of the Americas
Apr. 2017 Deputy President & Senior Executive Officer,

Head of the Americas of Mizuho Financial Group, Inc. Deputy President & Executive Officer, Head of the Americas of Mizuho Bank, Ltd.
May 2018 Deputy President and Executive Officer of the Company

June 2018 Director, Deputy President and Executive Officer

June 2019 Chairman of the Board of FALTEC Co., Ltd.

Representative Director, Chairman & CEO of the Company (current position)

Apr. 2021 Director of FALTEC Co., Ltd.

June 2024 Chairman of the Board (current position)



Goji Fujishiro

Apr. 1987 Joined The Fuji Bank, Limited (Currently Mizuho Bank, Ltd.)

Apr. 2015 Executive Officer and General Manager of Executive Secretariat of
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

Apr. 2016 Managing Executive Officer in charge of Sales of Mizuho Bank Ltd.
Apr. 2018 Managing Executive Officer and Head of Global Products Unit of
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.
Apr. 2019 Managing Executive Officer, Head of Asset Management Company

and Head of Global Products Unit Senior Managing Executive Officer in charge of West Japan of Mizuho Bank Ltd.

Apr. 2020 Senior Managing Executive Officer in charge of West Japan of Miz Apr. 2021 Deputy President and Executive Officer in charge of West Japan May 2021 Deputy President and Executive Officer in charge of West Japan and Head of Kansai Regional Group June 2023 Deputy President and Executive Officer of the Company June 2024 Director of Faltec Co., Ltd. (current position)

June 2024 Director, Deputy President and Executive Officer of the Company (current position)

Head of Overseas Operations

Head of Overseas Operations

Director **Executive Officer** Noriaki Ayuzawa



June 2021 Director of Faltec Co., Ltd. (current position

June 2006 General Manager of Production Engineering Department of Nagano Plant
June 2009 General Manager of Engineering Development Department
June 2011 General Manager of Production Engineering Department of Nagano Plant

June 2012 Executive Officer, Plant Manager of Nagano Plant, and General Manager of Production Planning Departme
Dec. 2013 Executive Officer, Plant Manager of Nagano Plant

June 2017 Director, Managing Executive Officer of the Company
Representative Director and President of TPR Industry Co., Ltd.
June 2019 Director, Senior Managing Executive Officer
Apr. 2021 Representative Director, President & COO (current position)



Nov. 1990 Joined the Company June 2009 General Manager of Nagoya Sales Office

June 2014 General Manager of Marketing & Business Planning Department

June 2019 Selecutive Officer in charge of Sales for Japanese firm
June 2019 Director, Managing Executive Officer
Head of Sales & Marketing

Apr. 2021 Director, Senior Managing Executive Officer Head of Sales & Marketing Apr. 2024 Director, Senior Managing Executive Officer (current position) Head of Sales & Marketing, Head of Purchasing

Apr. 1990 Joined the Company June 2014 General Manager of Product Development Department June 2019 Executive Officer

Head of Ring, Liner, Sintering Technology
General Manager of Product Development Department
Executive Officer

Head of Ring, Liner, Sintering Technology
General Manager of Technical Planning Department,
and General Manager of CASE Handling Development Department

Apr. 2022 Executive Officer

Head of Technology
General Manager of Technical Planning Department
Executive Officer

Head of Technology
June 2023 Director, Executive Officer (current position)
Head of Technology

Outside Director

Toshihisa Kato

July 2006 General Manager of Tokai Plant



Masataka Honke

Apr. 1968 Joined Bank of Japan May 1990 General Manager of Matsuyama Branch

Outside Director

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Apr. 1992 Deputy General Manager of Osaka Branch
Oct. 1994 Deputy General Manager of Bank Examination Department
May 1996 Director-General of Currency Issue Department
Aug. 1997 Senior Managing Director of YAMANE TANSHI CO., LTD.

Aug. 1998 Representative Director and President
Apr. 2001 Representative Director and President of CENTRAL TANSHI CO., LTD.
June 2007 Representative Director and Chairman

Mar. 2013 Chairman of The Central Council for Financial Services Information

June 2016 Outside Director of the Company (current position

Oct. 2010 Corporate Executive Officer. Oct. 2010 Corporate Executive Officer,
General Manager of Material Development & Application Labs,
Bioscience Products & Fine Chemicals Division
July 2011 Corporate Vice President, Deputy Chief Technology Officer

July 1996 Associate General Manager of Central Research Laboratories

July 2007 Corporate Executive Officer, General Manager of Tokai Plant
July 2009 Corporate Executive Officer, General Manager of AOC Department,
Bioscience Products & Fine Chemicals Division

In charge of Open Innovation Affairs and Intellectual Property Affairs
July 2013
Corporate Vice President, General Manager of Institute For Innovation

July 1998 Associate General Manager of Research and Development Department
July 2000 General Manager of Production Division No. 1 of Tokai Plant
Apr. 2005 General Manager of Fine Chemical & Pharmaceutical Industrialization Center

June 2019 Outside Director of the Company (current position)

Outside Director



Mar. 1998 Graduated from Legal Training and Research Institute of Japan (the 50th Class),

Kanako Osawa

Apr. 1998 Registered as an attorney at law Apr. 1998 Noined Registered as an attorney at law Apr. 1998 Joined Registeri Law Offices (current position) Oct. 2005 Admitted to the bar of the State of New York, USA June 2015 Outside Director (Audit & Supervisory Committee Member) of

LINTEC Corporation (current position)

June 2021 Outside Director of the Company (current position

Mar. 2022 Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of

Otsuka Holdings Co., Ltd. (current position)

June 2022 Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of
Toshiba Tec Corporation (current position)

**Audit & Supervisory Board Members** 





Apr. 2014 Seconded to Meiji Yasuda Life Insurance Company

Apr. 2014 Seconded to Meiji Yasuda System Technology Company Limited,

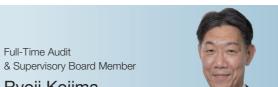
Affiliate Relations Dept. of Meiji Yasuda Life Insurance Company

(General Manager of ICT Development Division, IT Solutions Business Unit)

Apr. 2015 Director, General Manager of ICT Development Division,
IT Solutions Business Unit of Meiji Yasuda System Technology Company Limited

Apr. 2018 Counselor of IT Solutions Business Unit

June 2018 Full-Time Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company (current position)



Ryoji Kojima

Mar. 1991 Joined Takasaki Paper Co., Ltd.

Jan. 2004 Joined the Company
Mar. 2007 Manager of Financial Department

Sept. 2011 Manager of New Business Department

June 2015 Manager of Corporate Planning Department

Mar. 2018 Senior Manager of Corporate Planning Department

June 2019 General Manager of Financial Department June 2024 Full-Time Audit & Supervisory Board Member (current position)

Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member



Apr. 1983 Joined The Yasuda Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.

June 2006 Advisory Manager of Real Estate Investment of Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.

Apr. 2009 Executive Officer, General Manager of Real Estate Planning Departmet Apr. 2011 Managing Executive Officer Apr. 2012 Managing Executive Officer, Head of Real Estate Unit

Apr. 2013 Managing Executive Officer,
Deputy Officer of Investment Banking Unit of Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.
Apr. 2016 Representative Director and Vice President of Mizuho Realty Co., Ltd.
Mar. 2017 Representative Director and President

Anr. 2022 Adviser

line 2022 Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company (current position June 2024 Outside Corporate Auditor of ID Holdings Corporation

# Outside Director



Apr. 1985 Joined Diesel Kiki Co., Ltd.

Apr. 2004 General Manager, Business Planning Department, Sales Division, Head Office of Bosch Automotive Systems Corporation

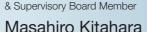
Apr. 2007 General Manager, No. 2 Sales Department,
Fuel Injection System Unit of Bosch Corporation

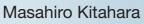
Apr. 2008 Executive Officer, Fuel Injection System Unit, General Manager of Sales Division

Aug. 2013 Senior Managing Executive Officer, and President of Bosch Fuel Injection Business Japan Division

June 2021 Retired from Bosch Corporation

Sept. 2021 Management consultant (current position) June 2023 Outside Director of the Company (current position)





Apr. 1981 Joined the Company

Full-Time Audit

Oct. 2010 General Manager of New Business Department

June 2014 Assigned to Senior Manager of Overseas Operations Department No. 1
Seconded to TPR (Tianjin) Co., Ltd. (General Manager)
June 2015 Executive Officer of the Company

General Manager of TPR (Tianiin) Co., Ltd. June 2017 Executive Officer of the Company
Corporate Vice President, General Manager of
Management & Administration Center,

June 2018 Executive Officer of the Company
Managing The Nobukawa Co., Ltd.
Managing Director of TPR Nobukawa Trading Co., Ltd.
Managing Director of TPR Nobukawa Trading Co., Ltd.

June 2022 Executive Officer of the Company
Managing Director of TPR Osaka Seimitsu Kikai Co., Ltd.
June 2023 Full-Time Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company (current position)

Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member

Takashi Yonekawa

Apr. 1982 Joined The Yasuda Fire & Marine Insurance Co., Ltd. (currently Sompo Japan Insurance Inc.)

Apr. 2012 Executive Officer, General Manager of Financial Institutions Department of

Sompo Japan Insurance Inc. Apr. 2013 Executive Officer, General Manager of Corporate Product Department Executive Officer, General Manager of Corporate Product Department of NIPPONKOA Insurance Company, Limited

Apr. 2014 Managing Executive Officer of Sompo Japan Insurance Inc.
Managing Executive Officer of NIPPONKOA Insurance Company, Limited
Sept. 2014 Managing Executive Officer of Sompo Japan Nipponkoa Insurance Inc.
Apr. 2016 Director, Managing Executive Officer,

and General Manager of Kansai Regional Headquarters I

Apr. 2018 Senior Managing Executive Officer,
General Manager of Kansai Regional Headquarters I

Apr. 2020 Deputy President and Executive Officer of Sompo Japan Insurance Inc.
June 2020 Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company (current position)
Advisor to Sompo Japan Insurance Inc.
July 2020 Chairman of the Yasuda Nipponkoa Health Insurance Association (current position)

Chairman of the Tokyo Federation of Health Insurance Societies (current position)

June 2021 Outside Corporate Auditor of Fuyo General Lease Co., Ltd. (current position)

Apr. 2024 Vice Chairman of the Federation of Health Insurance Societies (current position)

# 11-Year Summary

	(Unit)	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Operating Results												
Net sales	(Million yen)	149,081	165,849	174,628	175,398	187,398	192,619	178,530	152,002	163,537	178,619	193,834
Japan	(Million yen)	42,302	45,286	42,909	42,076	45,706	50,392	47,821	41,018	46,063	49,464	52,834
Asia	(Million yen)	19,516	26,200	32,191	32,580	35,907	32,956	29,775	29,446	36,589	39,843	41,086
North America	(Million yen)	9,077	12,165	14,670	15,008	15,444	15,419	13,205	10,175	10,228	13,514	15,377
Other regions	(Million yen)	2,162	2,651	2,439	2,245	2,847	3,176	2,472	1,644	1,729	2,290	2,919
FALTEC Group	(Million yen)	76,022	79,546	82,416	83,487	87,493	90,673	85,254	69,715	68,925	73,506	81,615
Gross profit	(Million yen)	35,263	43,067	47,522	47,317	47,485	46,203	40,555	33,894	36,633	34,246	41,337
Operating profit	(Million yen)	13,554	19,393	21,334	20,514	20,775	18,309	13,923	9,896	10,701	6,856	12,526
Ordinary profit	(Million yen)	15,551	23,063	24,134	23,313	24,023	21,765	16,400	14,138	14,633	10,215	16,066
Profit attributable to owners of parent	(Million yen)	6,364	12,658	11,810	12,281	12,154	11,515	7,318	5,466	8,087	3,843	8,195
Capital investment	(Million yen)	10,389	10,089	14,266	13,541	13,074	13,916	14,426	10,172	11,785	10,840	9,204
Depreciation	(Million yen)	7,667	8,519	8,994	9,694	10,211	10,483	10,885	10,996	10,910	12,410	12,389
R&D investment	(Million yen)	3,605	3,858	4,736	5,335	5,566	6,008	5,706	5,242	5,328	5,267	5,268
Cash Flows												
Cash flows from operating activities	(Million yen)	16,048	16,226	25,213	27,651	26,882	24,824	21,524	16,251	19,859	21,088	24,386
Cash flows from investing activities		(9,146)	(11,882)	(13,117)	(12,127)	(19,734)	(14,315)	(10,377)	(9,375)	(13,439)	(14,568)	(9,611)
Free cash flows	(Million yen)	6,902	4,344	12,096	15,524	7,148	10,509	11,147	6,876	6,420	6,520	14,775
Cash flows from financing activities		(5,366)	(5,225)	(8,048)	(8,863)	(1,538)	(9,819)	(1,135)	(11,372)	(10,350)	(3,919)	(10,547)
Financial Position												
Cash and deposits	(Million yen)	19,877	20,275	25,199	31,592	40,554	39,248	47,193	42,370	40,792	45,347	52,005
Interest-bearing debt	(Million yen)	46,887	46,120	43,722	39,702	45,053	40,271	46,898	45,578	38,946	40,136	35,654
Equity	(Million yen)	60,547	77,725	80,184	89,482	103,017	106,519	109,268	116,232	128,793	133,756	157,375
Total assets	(Million yen)	174,994	201,102	197,147	208,932	233,502	232,275	240,458	244,059	255,403	264,702	290,109
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Financial Indicators												
Operating profit to net sales	(%)	9.0	11.7	12.2	11.7	11.1	9.5	7.8	6.5	6.5	3.8	6.5
Return on assets (ROA)	(%)	3.6	6.2	5.9	5.8	5.2	4.9	3.0	2.2	3.1	1.4	2.8
Return on equity (ROE)	(%)	12.2	18.3	15.0	14.5	12.6	11.0	6.8	4.8	6.6	2.9	5.6
Net profit margin	(%)	4.2	7.6	6.7	7.0	6.4	5.9	4.0	3.5	4.9	2.1	4.2
Equity-to-asset ratio	(%)	34.6	38.6	40.7	42.8	44.0	45.9	45.4	47.6	50.4	50.5	54.2
Net debt-to-equity (D/E) ratio	(Times)	0.45	0.33	0.23	0.09	0.04	0.01	(0.00)	0.03	(0.01)	(0.04)	(0.10)
Per Share Information												
Dividend payout ratio	(%)	14.4	13.4	14.4	14.7	15.2	16.6	29.1	28.5	24.7	51.4	28.8
Basic earnings per share (EPS)	(Yen)	180.8	358.9	334.0	346.8	342.8	324.5	206.1	154.5	234.5	112.9	243.0
Dividend per share (DPS)	(Yen)	26.0	48.0	48.0	51.0	52.0	54.0	60.0	44.0	58.0	58.0	70.0
Net assets per share (BPS)	(Yen)	1,718.8	2,201.2	2,264.9	2,525.4	2,903.7	3,001.9	3,078.2	3,370.9	3,734.2	3,969.2	4,667.0
Number of employees	(Persons)	5,412	6,052	6,536	6,928	7,104	7,171	6,923	6,886	6,672	6,935	6,959

# Consolidated Balance Sheet

Consolidated Balance Sheet		(Million yen)	
	As of March 31, 2023	As of March 31, 2024	
Assets			
Current assets			
Cash and deposits	45,347	52,005	
Notes receivable - trade	8,151	8,976	
Accounts receivable - trade	35,750	36,851	
Merchandise and finished goods	15,219	15,983	
Work in process	6,802	6,787	
Raw materials and supplies	10,953	11,524	
Other	5,742	5,170	
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(59)	(67)	
Total current assets	127,908	137,232	
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment			
Buildings and structures	56,320	58,774	
Accumulated depreciation	(32,596)	(35,188)	
Buildings and structures, net	23,724	23,585	
Machinery, equipment and vehicles	125,036	133,101	
Accumulated depreciation	(96,929)	(105,901)	
Machinery, equipment and vehicles, net	28,107	27,199	
Land	8,903	9,730	
Leased assets	3,330	4,159	
Accumulated depreciation	(1,440)	(1,830)	
Leased assets, net	1,890	2,329	
Construction in progress	5,312	4,135	
Other	29,319	29,573	
Accumulated depreciation	(25,689)	(25,888)	
Other, net	3,630	3,685	
Total property, plant and equipment	71,567	70,665	
Intangible assets	,	.,	
Goodwill		1,031	
Other	2,416	2,761	
Intangible assets	2,416	3,793	
Investments and other assets	•	,	
Investment securities	31,602	38,076	
Long-term loans receivable	183	231	
Investments in capital	15,207	16,270	
Retirement benefit asset	8,214	16,075	
Deferred tax assets	2,237	1,935	
Other	5,549	6,054	
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(184)	(224)	
Total investments and other assets	62,809	78,417	
Total non-current assets	136,793	152,876	
	264,702	290,109	

		(Million yer
	As of March 31, 2023	As of March 31, 2024
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Notes and accounts payable - trade	18,143	17,347
Electronically recorded obligations - operating	8,962	10,362
Short-term borrowings	26,174	22,894
Lease liabilities	1,801	1,509
Income taxes payable	942	1,609
Provision for bonuses	2,177	2,461
Other	12,239	12,171
Total current liabilities	70,440	68,356
Non-current liabilities		
Long-term borrowings	10,538	8,995
Lease liabilities	1,623	2,255
Deferred tax liabilities	9,266	14,395
Retirement benefit liability	4,968	4,600
Provision for retirement benefits for directors (and other officers)	712	574
Provision for share awards for directors (and other officers)	246	306
Asset retirement obligations	194	174
Other	809	810
Total non-current liabilities	28,358	32,112
Total liabilities	98,798	100,468

Net assets		
Shareholders' equity		
Share capital	4,758	4,758
Capital surplus	3,965	3,965
Retained earnings	102,782	108,974
Treasury shares	(1,012)	(963)
Total shareholders' equity	110,493	116,735
Accumulated other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	12,106	19,003
Foreign currency translation adjustment	9,319	13,866
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	1,836	7,769
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	23,262	40,639
Share acquisition rights	147	129
Non-controlling interests	31,999	32,135
Total net assets	165,903	189,640
Total liabilities and net assets	264,702	290,109

# Consolidated Statement of Income

Consolidated Statement of income		(Million ye
	Fiscal year ended March 31, 2023	Fiscal year ended March 31, 2024
Net sales	178,619	193,834
Cost of sales	144,372	152,496
Gross profit	34,246	41,337
Selling, general and administrative expenses	27,390	28,811
Ordinary profit	6,856	12,526
Non-operating income		
Interest income	541	725
Dividend income	903	1,222
Share of profit of entities accounted for using equity method	1,900	1,711
Other	1,057	833
Total non-operating income	4,403	4,492
Non-operating expenses		
Interest expenses	239	282
Foreign exchange losses	449	380
Other	354	288
Total non-operating expenses	1,043	952
Ordinary profit	10,215	16,066
Extraordinary profit		
Gain on sale of non-current assets	90	106
Gain on sale of investment securities	32	136
Gains on cancellation of employee retirement benefit trust	_	320
Other	_	18
Total extraordinary income	122	582
Extraordinary losses		
Loss on retirement of non-current assets	101	70
Loss on valuation of investment securities	929	131
Impairment losses	906	611
Quality incident cost	_	1,037
Other	67	126
Total extraordinary losses	2,004	1,976
Profit before income taxes	8,334	14,671
Income taxes - current	2,671	4,273
Income taxes - deferred	501	(333)
Total income taxes	3,172	3,939
Profit	5,161	10,732
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests	1,317	2,537
Profit attributable to owners of parent	3,843	8,195

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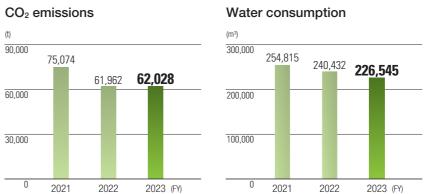


# Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

(Million yen)

	Fiscal year ended March 31, 2023	Fiscal year ended March 3 2024
Cash flows from operating activities		
Profit before income taxes	8,334	14,671
Depreciation	12,410	12,389
Impairment losses	906	611
Amortization of goodwill	133	179
Share of loss (profit) of entities accounted for using equity method	(1,900)	(1,711)
Decrease (increase) in retirement benefit asset	115	(59)
Increase (decrease) in retirement benefit liability	(752)	(265)
Increase (decrease) in provision for bonuses	5	217
Increase (decrease) in allowance for doubtful accounts	4	42
Increase (decrease) in provision for retirement benefits for directors (and other officers)	(125)	(220)
Increase (decrease) in provision for share awards for directors (and other officers)	85	89
Interest and dividend income	(1,445)	(1,947)
Interest expenses	239	282
Foreign exchange losses (gains)	(215)	391
Loss (gain) on sale of non-current assets	(82)	(106)
Loss on retirement of non-current assets	101	70
Loss (gain) on valuation of investment securities	929	131
Loss (gain) on sale of investment securities	(31)	(136)
Gains on cancellation of employee retirement benefit trust	_	(320)
Decrease (increase) in trade receivables	2,671	(87)
Decrease (increase) in inventories	(2,502)	612
Increase (decrease) in trade payables	189	(527)
Other, net	718	1,438
Subtotal	19,787	25,745
Interest and dividends received	4,896	2,444
Interest paid	(241)	(281)
Income taxes paid	(3,354)	(3,522)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	21,088	24,386
Cash flows from investing activities	21,000	24,300
Payments into time deposits	(6,081)	(1,761)
Proceeds from withdrawal of time deposits		
·	1,818	1,533
Purchase of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	(9,454)	(10,155)
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	107	317
Purchase of investment securities	(505)	(107)
Proceeds from sale of investment securities	144	809
Net decrease (increase) in loans receivable	56	(206)
Other, net	(653)	(296)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(14,568)	(9,611)
Cash flows from financing activities	4.000	(2.222)
Net increase (decrease) in short-term borrowings	1,800	(2,202)
Proceeds from long-term borrowings	6,000	5,200
Repayments of long-term borrowings	(7,184)	(7,860)
Repayments of lease liabilities	(1,907)	(1,800)
Proceeds from sale and leaseback transactions	1,895	1,945
Purchase of treasury shares	(995)	(0)
Dividends paid	(2,033)	(1,968)
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests	(1,492)	(3,861)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(3,919)	(10,547)
Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equivalents	1,712	1,314
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	4,312	5,541
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	40,244	44,557
Increase in cash and cash equivalents resulting from inclusion of subsidiaries in consolidation	_	642
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	44,557	50,742
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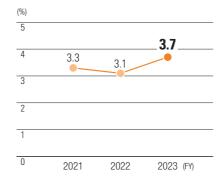
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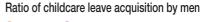
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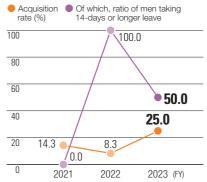
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# Ratio of female managers









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# Governance

Ratio of Outside Directors on the Board of Directors

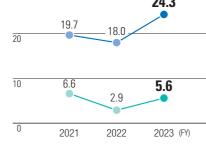
**44%** (4/9 persons)

Ratio of female Directors on the Board of Directors **11%** (1/9 persons)

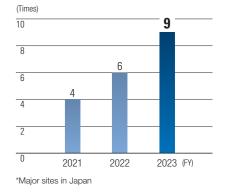
Attendance rate of Board of Directors meetings by outside officers \*Including Audit & Supervisory Board Members 99% (FY2023)

shareholdings to net assets / ROE ● Shareholding ratio / ● ROE (%) 24.3

Ratio of the value of cross-



# Number of business continuity planning (BCP) drills conducted



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<sup>\*</sup>Total data for Nagano Factory, Gifu Factory, and TPR Industry Co., Ltd.
\*Waste emissions have decreased since FY2022 owing to TPR Industries Co., Ltd.'s implementation of cardboard recycling.

<sup>\*</sup>Figures are for TPR Co., Ltd. on a non-consolidated basis.



### China

- Anging TP Goetze Piston Ring Co., Ltd. [ATG] Anging City, Anhui Province
- Anqing TP Powder Metallurgy Co., Ltd. [ATP] Anging City, Anhui Province
- Anging TP Goetze Liner Co., Ltd. [ATGL] Anging City, Anhui Province
- Anging TPR Engineering Plastic Co., Ltd. [ATEP] Anging City, Anhui Province
- Anging ATGE Engineering Co., Ltd. [ATGE] Anging City, Anhui Province
- Anging Dixin Machine Manufacturing Co., Ltd. [ADXM]
- Anging City, Anhui Province Federal-Mogul (Anging) Powder Metallurgy Co., Ltd. [FMAP] Anqing City, Anhui Province
- TPR ARN (Anhui) New Energy R&D Co., Ltd. [TANE] Anqing City, Anhui Province
- TPR (Tianjin) Co., Ltd. [TPRT] Tianjin
- China United Piston Ring Co., Ltd. [CUPR] Lang Fang City, Hebei Province
- Nanjing TP Thermal Engineering Co., Ltd. [NTEC] Nanjing City, Jiangsu Province
- Sunlight Rubber Products (Shang Hai) Co., Ltd. [SLS] Shanghai City
- FOSHAN FALTEC AUTOMOTIVE PARTS Co., Ltd. [FAP] Foshan City, Guangdong Province
- HUBEI FALTEC AUTOMOTIVE PARTS Co., Ltd. [FH] Xiangyang City, Hubei Province
- WUHAN TGPM-FALTEC CO., LTD. [WFT] Wuhan City, Hubei Province
- ALTIA AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE EQUIPMENT (CHINA) CO., LTD. [GAC] Guangzhou City, Guangdong Province

### Indonesia

- PT. TPR SALES Indonesia [TSIN] DKI Jakarta
- PT. TPR Indonesia [TPRIN] Bekasi

# India

- TPR Autoparts Mfg. India Pvt. Ltd. [TPRI] Rajasthan
- Federal-Mogul TPR (INDIA) Ltd. [FMTPRI] Karnataka
- OSK Precision Machinery Pvt. Ltd. Telangana

# South Korea

- Y&T Power Tech., Inc. [Y&T] Chungcheongbuk-do
- OSK KOREA CO., LTD. Gyeonggi-do

# Vietnam

 TPR Vietnam Co., Ltd. [TPRV] Ho Chi Minh City

# Thailand

- TPR Asian Sales (Thailand) Ltd. [TST] Bangkok
- FALTEC SRG Global (Thailand) Co., Ltd. [FST] Chachoengsao
- ALTIA ENGINEERING SERVICE (THAILAND) CO., LTD. [AES] Bangkok

# U.S.A.

- TPR America, Inc. [TPRA]
- Federal-Mogul TP Liners, Inc. [FTL]
- TPR Federal-Mogul Tennessee, Inc. [TFT] Tennessee
- United Piston Ring, Inc. [UPR] Wisconsin
- FALTEC AMERICA, INC. [FA] Georgia

### Germany

- TPR Europe GmbH [TPRE] Dusseldorf, North Rhine-Westphalia
- Federal-Mogul TP Europe GmbH & Co. KG. [FTE] Burscheid, North Rhine-Westphalia

# **Turkey**

 Federal-Mogul TP Liner Europe Otomotiv Ltd. Sti. [FTLE] Istanbul

# **United Kingdom**

Faltec Europe Limited [FEL] Sunderland, Tyne & Wear

### **Brazil**

 TPR Industria de Pecas Automotivas do Brasil Ltda. [TPRBR] Sao Paulo

\*Names in square brackets are abbreviations.

# Group Companies in Japan (19 sites)

- TPR Industry Co., Ltd. Sagae City, Yamagata Prefecture
- TPR Trading Co., Ltd. Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo
- TPR Total Service Co., Ltd. Okaya City, Nagano Prefecture
- TPR Premec Co., Ltd. Okaya City, Nagano Prefecture
- TPR Engineering Co., Ltd. Okaya City, Nagano Prefecture
- TPR Business Co., Ltd. Okaya City, Nagano Prefecture
- Clever Insurance Office Co., Ltd. Okaya City, Nagano Prefecture

- TPR Altec Co., Ltd. Tsuyama City, Okayama Prefecture
- TPR Sunlight Co., Ltd. Misato City, Saitama Prefecture
- TPR Enpla Co., Ltd. Tonami City, Toyama Prefecture
- TPR Nobukawa Co., Ltd. Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo
- TPR Osaka Seimitsu Kikai Co., Ltd. Higashi-Osaka City, Osaka
- KT Motors Co., Ltd. Hirakata City, Osaka
- DUAL MOVE Co., Ltd. Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo

- FALTEC Co., Ltd.
- Kawasaki City, Kanagawa Prefecture
- Altia Co., Ltd. Chuo-ku, Tokyo
- Kitakyushu Faltec Co., Ltd. Kitakyushu City, Fukuoka Prefecture
- Technosash Co., Ltd. Tomioka City, Gunma Prefecture
- Ishikawa Faltec Co., Ltd. Kitakyushu City, Fukuoka Prefecture

# () Information **Company Data / Stock Information**

# Company Outline / Stock Information

# Company Information

Name TPR Co., Ltd.

Headquarters 10th Floor, Shinmarunouchi Center Building,

1-6-2 Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo

100-0005, Japan

Founded 1939

**Business** 

Capital 4,758 million yen (as of March 31, 2024)

Manufacture and sale of functional parts for

engine blocks and other products

Number of 6,959 persons on a consolidated basis (as of March 31, 2024) employees

# Stock Information (as of March 31, 2024)

Securities code 6463

Listed market Prime Market

of the Tokyo Stock Exchange

Fiscal year From April 1 to March 31

of the following year

Ordinary General Meeting June every year of Shareholders

Number of shares

100 shares constituting one unit

Total number of shares authorized to be issued

135,000,000 shares

34,300,099 shares

Total number of issued shares

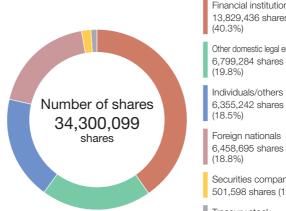
Number of shareholders 21,962 shareholders

Shareholder register 1-3-3 Marunouchi, administrator Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo

Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.

# Share Distribution by Shareholder Type

(as of March 31, 2024)



Financial institutions 13,829,436 shares

Other domestic legal entities 6,799,284 shares

Foreign nationals 6,458,695 shares

Securities companies 501,598 shares (1.5%)

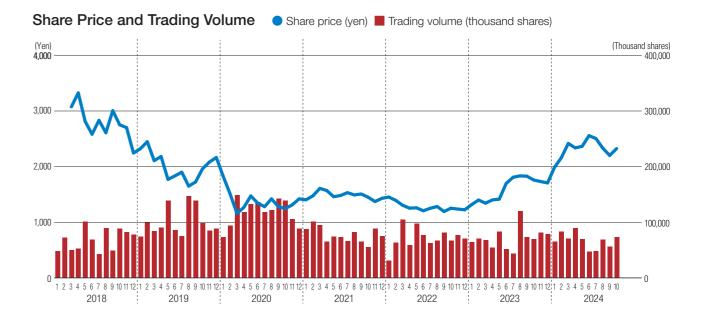
Treasury stock 355,844 shares (1.0%)

# **Major Shareholders**

(as of March 31, 2024)

Shareholder name	Number of shares held (thousand shares)	Share- holding ratio (%)
The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Trust Account)	2,654	7.82
Meiji Yasuda Life Insurance Company	2,395	7.05
Sompo Japan Insurance Inc.	2,293	6.75
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	1,518	4.47
Custody Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Trust Account)	1,307	3.85
Hulic Co., Ltd.	1,231	3.62
Tokyo Tatemono Co., Ltd.	933	2.75
TPR Business Partner Shareholding Association	863	2.54
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	766	2.25
Custody Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Sumitomo Mitsui Trust Bank, Limited Re-trust Account / Trust Account for Hino Motors, Ltd. Retirement Benefits)	744	2.19

Note: Shareholding ratios are calculated excluding treasury stock (355,844 shares).





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