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Extent of Coverage YKK AP Inc

Period Covered

FY2023

YKK AP Domestic Affiliated Companies

YKK AP Overseas Affiliated Companies

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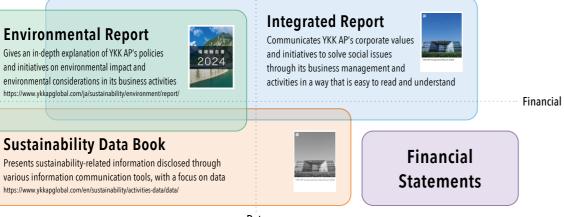
Editorial Policy

The YKK AP Integrated Report 2024 is intended to provide stakeholders with a broader understanding of our various efforts to be a company that makes people happy through its business activities, in accordance with our Purpose, "We Build a Better Society Through Architectural Products."

This report was produced with reference to the "International Integrated Reporting Framework" of the International Integrated Reporting Council (IIRC), the "Guidance for Collaborative Value Creation" of the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry," and the "GRI Standards" of the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI). Based on integrated thinking that balances social value and economic value, it is structured to convey YKK AP's value creation process over the short, medium, and long term as a story of value creation.

FY2024 YKK AP Report Structure

Story





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YKK Group Management Structure

Since 1934, when YKK's founder Tadao Yoshida began processing and selling fasteners, the YKK Group has developed its business by creating new value in fasteners through the establishment of an integrated production system and overseas expansion. Today, the YKK Group is a group of companies that share the YKK philosophy of CYCLE OF GOODNESS® and the Management Principle — "YKK seeks corporate value of higher significance," with YKK's fastening





The cover and the image above show the YKK AP M&E CENTER BUILDING (Namerikawa City, Toyama Prefecture). Construction was completed in 1992 on the site of the Namerikawa Plant, which plays a central role in the manufacture of parts for the commercial business, such as highly challenging curtain walls and steel doors.

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business and YKK AP's AP (Architectural Products) business* at its core. While sharing common ideas and philosophies, since 2021 we have been enhancing our business competitiveness through management structures that are best suited to each of our businesses. The Technology & Innovation Center (TIC) serves as a bridge between the two businesses while making contributions on the technical side.

* A business involving the design, manufacture, installation, and sale of industrial products for construction.



