

## **OPTEX GROUP Selected for the FTSE JPX Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index for the First Time**

OPTEX GROUP CO., LTD. announces it has been included in the FTSE JPX Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index.

The FTSE JPX Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index is designed as a sector neutral benchmark that reflects the performance of companies demonstrating specific Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) practices in Japan. The index selects companies with higher ESG Ratings within the top 50% of each sector and supports climate transition to a low carbon economy by evaluating companies' climate governance and climate change efforts via the Transition Pathway Initiative's Management Quality Score.

Further information can be found online at the [FTSE JPX Blossom Japan Index series page](#).

The Index is adopted as a benchmark for ESG investment by the Government Pension Investment Fund (GPIF), the world's largest public pension management and investment organization, and is known as an important criterion for global investors to evaluate companies' ESG initiatives.

Our management philosophy, Optex-style *Sampo Yoshi*, is an evolved form of the top-tier merchants in the Edo and Meiji era called Oumi merchant. We uphold the principle of “good for oneself, good for others, and good for society,” while pursuing business growth and delivering value to customers, supply chains, and society.

In addition, since our founding, we have been committed to solving customer challenges under the key concept of eliminating the “un” from unease, the “in” from inconvenience, and the “dis” from dissatisfaction—transforming them into safety, security, convenience, and satisfaction (the Futoru Business). We provide products and solutions that help address social challenges across a wide range of fields, including security, disaster prevention, automation, and reduction of environmental impacts. We will continue to contribute to the realization of a sustainable society through our business activities while enhancing corporate value.

Reference: OPTEX GROUP Sustainability Page

<https://www.optexgroup.co.jp/en/esg/>



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