Responsibility for the Human Rights, Management Environmental Responsibility to Responsibility to Sustainable Use of **Employment and** Basic Policy, etc. **ESG Data Section** Responsibility Responsibility Customers Communities Forest Resources Labor Responsibility

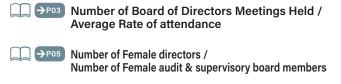
ESG (Environmental, Social, Governance) Data

Environmental data →P23 Forest Certification →P27 GHG Emissions (Scope 3) →P27 Ratio of Fossil Energy Usage →P42 Waste Generated and Final Waste Disposal →P49 Environmental Accounting **Balance of Materials** →P50 GHG Emissions (Scope 1 and 2) Emissions by type of greenhouse gas (Scope 1) →P50 Energy Input Water Intake (Water Consumption) / Waste Water

COD / BOD

Social data
Forest Certification → P23
Status of Use of Systems Related to Childbirth, Childcare, and Nursing Care
Total Working Hours / Rate of Taking Annual Paid Leave
Employment Rate of People with Disabilities
Number of Employees
Number of Overseas Employees / Number of Employees by Region
Number of Employees by Age Group
Average Age of Employees / Average Years of Employment
Number of Hires / Turnover Rate / Retention Rate after Joining the Company
Ratio of Female Employees in Management
The wage gap between male and female regular employees
☐ →P65 Training Time / Training Costs
Lost-time Injury Frequency Rate / Occupational Accident Severity Rate
Social Contribution Activity Expenses

Governance data



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Number of Outside Directors / Number of Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members

Remuneration for Directors

☐ →P12 IR Activities







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Main External Evaluation (Nippon Paper Industries)

Evaluations	Acquisition year	Organizers, evaluation groups, and others
"Kurumin" mark acquired	2016	Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare
Eruboshi Certification (Stage 2 certification) acquired	2022	Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare
Awarded EcoVadis gold medal COVADIS Sustainability Rating	2021 2022 2023	EcoVadis
DBJ Environmental Rating: "Efforts in consideration of the environment are particularly advanced"*	2018	Development Bank of Japan Inc.
ESG / SDGs evaluation- type found procurement Top level "AAA"	2018	Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation

^{*} In November 2018, the Company received an environmental rating loan from the Development Bank of Japan (DBJ), and the rating result was evaluated as "Efforts in consideration of the environment are particularly advanced."

Main ESG Indices Adopted (As of June 2024)







FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index



2024 CONSTITUENT MSCI JAPAN EMPOWERING WOMEN INDEX (WIN)



Sompo Sustainability Index

Nikkei Climate 1.5°C Target Index Morningstar Japan ex-REIT Gender Diversity Tilt Index S&P Japan 500 ESG Index

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Participation in Initiatives

Initiatives	Organizer	Year of participation
United Nations Global Compact	_	2004
GX League Basic Concept	Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry of Japan	2022
TCFD (Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures)	_	2021
Committee on Nature Conservation	KEIDANREN (Japan Business Federation)	1992
Japan Partnership for Circular Economy	KEIDANREN (Japan Business Federation)	2021
Initiative for Biodiversity Conservation	KEIDANREN (Japan Business Federation)	2021

Principal Organization Memberships (As of July 2024)

Organization	Position
Japan Paper Association	Chairman
Japan Technical Association of the Pulp and Paper Industry	President
Forest Management Association of Japan	Director
Japan Woody Bioenergy Association	Director
Agricultural Resource Certification Council	Director
Paper Recycling Promotion Center	Vice President
Japan Paper Exporters' Association	President
Japan Paper Importers' Association	Director
Japan Association of Milk Packaging and Machinery	Vice Chairman
Committee for Milk Container Environmental Issues	Vice Chairman
Association of Large-scale On-site Power-plant Owners	Director
Japan Clean Ocean Material Alliance	Executive Secretary

Political Contribution Amount (Nippon Paper Industries)

	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Political contribution amount (thousand yen)	100	7	16









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Status of CoC Certification Acquisition at Main Production Sites (As of July 31, 2024)

Company	FSC°		PEFC		
name	Mill, production company	License no.	Mill, production company	License no.	
Nippon Paper Industries	Asahikawa Mill	- FSC®C001751 -	_	_	
	Shiraoi Mill		Shiraoi Mill	PEFC/31-32-1515	
	Akita Mill		_	_	
	Ishinomaki Mill		Ishinomaki Mill	PEFC/31-32-1515	
	Iwanuma Mill		_	_	
	Fuji Mill		Fuji Mill		
	Iwakuni Mill		Iwakuni Mill	PEFC/31-32-1515	
	Yatsushiro Mill		Yatsushiro Mill		
	Ashikaga Mill	FSC®C133163	_	_	
	Soka Mill	F3U-U133103	_	_	
	Gotsu Mill	FSC°C154187	_	_	
	Otake Mill	FSC®C132226	Otake Mill	PEFC/31-32-1515	

Company	, FSC°			PEFC			
name	Mill, production company		License no.	Mill, production company		License no.	
	Nippon Paper Papylia Harada Mill, Kochi Mill		FSC°C005984	Nippon Paper Papylia Harada Mill, Kochi Mill		PEFC/31-32-1540	
	Nippon Paper Crecia Kaisei Mill, Koyo Mill, Kyoto Mill, Tokyo Mill, Miyagi Mill		FSC®C124287	_		-	
		Kasuga		N.1"			
		n Paper Liquid Package Product a Mill, Miki Mill, Ishioka Mill	FSC®C128733	1 '''	n Paper Liquid Package Product a Mill, Miki Mill, Ishioka Mill	PEFC/31-31-171	
	Nippor	n Dynawave Packaging	FSC®C131932	Nippor	n Dynawave Packaging	PEFC/29-31-336	
	Siam N	lippon Industrial Paper	FSC°C135609	_		_	
	Jujo Th	ermal	FSC°C012566	Jujo Th	ermal	PEFC/02-31-124	
	Opal Bag Solutions Thomastown Opal Functional Coatings Campbellfield Opal Cartons NZ Auckland Opal Cartons NZ Christchurch Opal Cartons Botany Opal Cartons Heidelberg Opal Cartons Regency Park Opal Fibre Packaging Brooklyn Opal Fibre Packaging Launceston Opal Fibre Packaging Revesby Opal Fibre Packaging Revesby Opal Fibre Packaging Townsville Opal Fibre Packaging Rocklea Opal Fibre Packaging Athol Park — Opal Australian Paper Maryvale Mill Opal Packaging Australia Botany Mill* —	Opal Bag Solutions Thomastown	FSC*C127957		Opal Bag Solutions Thomastown	PEFC/21-31-08	
		Opal Functional Coatings Campbellfield			Opal Functional Coatings Campbellfield		
		Opal Cartons NZ Auckland			Opal Cartons NZ Auckland		
		Opal Cartons NZ Christchurch			Opal Cartons NZ Christchurch		
Other		Opal Cartons Botany			Opal Cartons Botany		
NIPPON PAPER		Opal Cartons Heidelberg			Opal Cartons Heidelberg		
GROUP		Opal Cartons Regency Park			Opal Cartons Regency Park		
Companies		Opal Fibre Packaging Brooklyn			Opal Fibre Packaging Brooklyn		
		Opal Fibre Packaging Scoresby			Opal Fibre Packaging Scoresby		
		Opal Fibre Packaging Launceston			Opal Fibre Packaging Launceston		
		Opal Fibre Packaging Revesby		Opal	Opal Fibre Packaging Revesby		
		Opal Fibre Packaging Bibra Lake			Opal Fibre Packaging Bibra Lake		
		Opal Fibre Packaging Townsville			Opal Fibre Packaging Townsville		
		1		Opal Fibre Packaging Rocklea			
		Opal Fibre Packaging Athol Park	_		Opal Fibre Packaging Athol Park		
		_			Opal Fibre Packaging Wodonga		
		Opal Australian Paper Maryvale Mill	FSC®C002059		Opal Australian Paper Maryvale Mill		
		Opal Packaging Australia Botany Mill*	FSC®C113466		_	_	
		_	_		Opal Kiwi Packaging Auckland		
	_		_		Opal Kiwi Packaging Christchurch	PEFC/21-31-08	
		_	_		Opal Kiwi Packaging Hastings		
	TS Packaging		FSC®C181943	_	-	_	

^{*} Opal Paper and Recycling Botany Mill site







