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Editorial Policy

Since FY2020/3, the Nippon Paper Group has been issuing its integrated report, which systematically combines both financial and non-financial information into a single report. In *Integrated Report 2020*, we will clarify our business model as well as the strengths of the Company. Furthermore, by presenting the Company's efforts geared toward its growth strategy and strengthening its management base, we will promote greater understanding among shareholders, investors, and other stakeholders regarding how the Company will achieve sustainable growth in the future.

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Timeline of Events in FY2020/3

Timeline of Events (Products)		Timeline of Events (Operations)
	May	Reaching of decision to establish Yufutsu biomass mono-firing electric power generation business
Our first adoption of SILKFEEL™ paper straws in food and beverage industry	June	Appointment of Toru Nozawa as president and representative director Introduction of stock compensation system for directors
Development of highly digestible cellulose cattle feed Acceptance of Best Sustainability Award at LIFE×DESIGN Awards for SPOPS®	September	Reaching of decision to conduct capital investment in Europe for expanding SHIELDPLUS® business
Adoption of CELLENPIA® cellulose nanofiber (CNF) on Sumitomo Rubber Industries, Ltd.'s high-performance tires Development of Lamina® heat-sealable paper Provision of CNF-reinforced resin to the Ministry of the Environment's NCV (Nano Cellulose Vehicle) Project	October	Completion of purchase of Orora Limited's Paperboard and Fiber Based Packaging Business in Australia and New Zealand
Acceptance of Shogakukan DIME Trend Award in "daily commodities" category for SILKFEELIM paper straws Supply of Sustainable Green Ecosystem Council (SGEC)-certified lumber from Company-owned forests for construction of the New National Stadium	November	
Adoption of SPOPS® replaceable containers by two companies, including Sanyo Bussan Co., Ltd.'s products for hotels	December	Reaching of decision to convert existing facility to biomass mono-firing system at Suzukawa Energy Center Ltd. Conclusion of capital and business alliance with Shikoku Kakoki Co., Ltd.
	February	Establishment of functional specialty material company at Yufutsu
Adoption of CELLENPIA® CNF on Toppan Printing Co., Ltd.'s paper barrier cups for beverages	March	Conclusion of agreement for newspaper and wastepaper recycling with The Yomiuri Shimbun Tokyo Headquarters

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Group Mission

Helping Realize a Low-Carbon Society through the Full Use of **Trees** as Fuel and Raw Materials

MISSION

The Nippon Paper Group aims to contribute to better living and cultural progress everywhere it does business.

VISION

- 1 Drive social sustainability through our business
- 2 Delight our customers
- 3 Instill pride in employees
- 4 Give back to society

VALUE

Challenge: Embrace new challenges

Fairness: Be fair

Teamwork: Champion teamwork

SLOGAN

Shaping the future with trees

 Sustainable use of resources

 Reduction of environmental impacts

 Reduction of CO₂ emissions

 Creation of corporate culture that embraces challenges

> Quantification of employee satisfaction

> > Work–life balance

To drive social sustainability through our business

In pursuit of our Group Mission, we engage in repeated discussions on topics related to realizing our Vision.

To instill pride in employees

To give back to society

The Nippon Paper Group regards the achievement

of its Group Mission as its response to the needs of society.

Open innovation

• Emphasis on value of time

Forecast of social trends

Promotion of product development and sales

Appreciation for social contributions

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