

NEWS RELEASE

**"FTSE Blossom Japan Index" and
「FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index」**

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Yokowo Co., Ltd. (Headquarters: Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, President & CEO: Takayuki Tokuma) is pleased to announce that it has been selected as a constituent of the FTSE Blossom Japan Index and the FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index for the first time.

■ FTSE Blossom Japan Index

The FTSE Blossom Japan Index is designed to measure the performance of Japanese companies that have a good environmental, social, and governance (ESG) practice. It is designed and published by FTSE Russell and is widely used to create and evaluate sustainable investment funds and other financial products. FTSE Russell is assessed in areas such as corporate governance, health and safety, anti-corruption and climate change, and the companies that make up the FTSE Blossom Japan Index meet a range of environmental, social and governance criteria.

■ FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index

The index is designed to be sector-neutral as it reflects the performance of Japan companies with superior environmental, social and governance (ESG) practices relative to each sector. In addition, in order to promote the transition to a low-carbon economy, it includes only companies whose improvement efforts are evaluated by the Transition Pathway Initiative (TPI) Management Quality Score, especially for companies with high greenhouse gas emissions.

As an evolving company that seeks to create fresh and new approaches, Yokowo will continue to strive to improve its corporate value, actively address new social issues on a global level, and contribute to the realization of a sustainable society into the future.

○ Details of our initiatives are posted on the following pages of our corporate website.

CSR: <https://www.yokowo.co.jp/english/>

Integrated Reporting: <https://www.yokowo.co.jp/english/ir/library/annualreport.html>

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