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## **Selection as a Constituent of the FTSE4Good Index Series and the FTSE Blossom Japan Index and the FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index**

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Oji Holdings (CEO: Hiroyuki Isono, Head office: Tokyo) proudly announces that it has been selected for inclusion in the FTSE4Good Index Series and the FTSE Blossom Japan Index for the fourth consecutive year, and in the FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index for the second consecutive year.

The FTSE4Good Index Series, the FTSE Blossom Japan Index, and The FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index were designed by FTSE Russell, a globally recognized index provider, and consist of the companies that demonstrate strong ESG (Environment, Society, and Governance) performance.

The FTSE Blossom Japan Index and FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index are selected by GPIF (Government Pension Investment Fund) as their ESG investment indices.

The FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index uses a management assessment of environmental impact and climate change risk (TPI management quality score) as selection criteria to promote the transition to a low-carbon economy.

The Oji Group has made “Harmony with Nature and Society” a part of its management philosophy, and “growing forests, utilizing forests” as its Purpose\*. To achieve this, the Group is working on the “realization of a sustainable society” through a variety of measures that consider the environment, society, and the economy.

- \* Purpose
  - Grow and manage the sustainable forest,
  - Develop and deliver the products from renewable forest
  - And
  - Oji will bring this world a brighter future filled with hope

FTSE4Good Index Series

<https://www.ftserussell.com/products/indices/ftse4good>

FTSE Blossom Japan Index Series

<https://www.ftserussell.com/index/spotlight/ftse-blossom-japan-index>

TPI (Transition Pathway Initiative)

<https://www.transitionpathwayinitiative.org/>

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