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▶ Sites for which data has been compiled (100% of net sales)

All business locations inside Japan (however, data of sales offices and Unicharm Mölnlycke K.K. has been collected only for fuel, electricity, and CO₂)

Unicharm Corporation (headquarters, sales offices, R&D, Itami Factory, Mie Factory, and Saitama Factory). Unicharm Products Co., Ltd. (Fukushima Factory, Shizuoka Factory, Shikoku Factory, and Kyushu Factory), Unicharm Kokko Nonwoven Co., Ltd. (Toyohama Manufacturing Team, Kawanoe Manufacturing Team, Kokko Manufacturing Team,), Cosmotec Corporation, Unicharm Mölnlycke K.K., Peparlet Co., Ltd., and Kinsei Products Co., Ltd.

Overseas (manufacturing locations only)

China: Unicharm Consumer Products (China) Co., Ltd., (Shanghai Factory, Tianjin Factory, Jiangsu Factory,), Unicharm Nonwoven Tianjin Co., Ltd., and Unicharm Packaging Materials (Tianjin) Co., Ltd. Indonesia: PT. UNI-CHARM INDONESIA Tbk (Karawang Factory and East Java Factory). PT. Uni-Charm Nonwoven Indonesia

Thailand: Uni. Charm (Thailand) Co., Ltd. (Wellgrow Factory) and DSG International (Thailand) Public Co., Ltd. India: Unicharm India Private Limited (Sri City Factory and Neemrana Factory)

Taiwan-Greater China: Unicharm Co., Ltd. (Junan Factory)

Vietnam: Diana Unicharm Joint Stock Company (Bắc Ninh Factory)

United States: The Hartz Mountain Corporation (Hartz Pleasant Plain Factory)

South Korea: LG-Unicharm Co., Ltd. (Gumi Factory)

Saudi Arabia: Unicharm Gulf Hygienic Industries Ltd. (Riyadh Factory)

Egypt: Unicharm Middle East & North Africa Hygienic Industries Company S.A.E. (Ramadan Factory) Brazil: UNICHARM DO BRASIL INDÚSTRIA E COMÉRCIO DE PRODUTOS DE HIGIENE LTDA. (São Paolo Factory

Myanmar: Unicharm Myanmar Company Limited Malaysia: Disposable Soft Goods (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd.

Policies and standards

Aggregation is based on internal rules concerning the management of environmental information with reference to GHG protocols.

- 1. Scope 1 is calculated based on emission factors in the IPCC 2006 Guidelines for National Greenhouse
- Vehicles used for business purposes were included under Scope 3-8 through Sustainability Report 2023 as leased items, but in Sustainability Report 2024, vehicles used for business purposes were included in Scope 1 resulting fiscal 2021 and fiscal 2022 were as well.
- 2. Regarding Scope 2, CO₂ emissions from electricity in Japan are calculated based on emission factors of electric utility providers under the Greenhouse Gas Emissions Calculation, Reporting, and Publication System established by the Ministry of the Environment, while overseas emissions are calculated based on factors specific to laws and regulations in each country. As overseas emission factors have been revised in Sustainability Report 2024, results for fiscal 2021 and fiscal 2022 have been revised
- Brazil now uses 100% renewable electricity and Myanmar uses 100% private power generation. Steam is calculated using emission factors from the IPCC 2006 Guidelines for National Greenhouse Gas Inventories
- 3. Scope 3 was calculated only for Japan through Sustainability Report 2023, but in Sustainability Report 2024, overseas companies are included in the boundary.
- In calculating overseas figures, emission factors are changed from the Ministry of the Environment database to the LCI database IDEA version 3.2.
- Due to the expansion of boundaries and revision of emission factors, overseas Scope 3 emissions up to

fiscal 2022 have been added retroactively, and Japan emissions have been recalculated using the LCI database IDFA version 3.2.

Vehicles used for business purposes were included under Scope 3-8 through Sustainability Report 2023 as leased items, but in Sustainability Report 2024, vehicles used for business purposes were included in Scope1 resulting fiscal 2021 and fiscal 2022 were as well.

Overseas, Scope 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-5, 3-6, 3-7, and 3-12 are calculated based on activity volume, with other categories estimated as a percentage of net sales.

- 4. In terms of transportation, we have statistics only for within Japan. The overseas portion of Scope 3 on P.062 is estimated based on the ratio of sales with Japan.
- 5. Energy conversion is calculated based on the Act on Rationalization of Energy Use and Shift to Non-fossil

Energy Calculations for fiscal 2021 and fiscal 2022 are also based on the latest laws

- 6. For sites where wastewater volume is not measured, wastewater volume is considered to be equal to water withdrawal.
- 7. Emissions include industrial waste, general waste from offices, and recyclables.
- 8. Thermal recycling volumes calculated as on-site emissions have been eliminated in line with the decommissioning of the Fukushima Factory incinerator (October 2022).
- 9. To increase the reliability of our non-financial data, we have received independent assurance report from KPMG AZSA Sustainability Co., Ltd., in accordance with ISAE 3000 and ISAE 3410. Items with a check () have been independently assured by a third party.

► Energy/Material Flow from a Life Cycle Perspective

Input (Fiscal 2023 Results)

Product Manufacturing Input

✓ Total 4,821 thousand m³	Overseas 1.1	03 thousand n

Transportation Input

Aggregation period: January 1 to December 31, 2023 Scope of aggregation: Please refer to information on the left Assured items by third party:

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Output (Fiscal 2023 Results)

Wastewater	Japan	3,169	thousand m³	
	Overseas	1,080	thousand m ³	Fluvial discharge and
CO ₂ (Scope 1 and Scope 2)	Japan	102	thousand tons	atmospheric release
	Overseas	304	thousand tons	
Emissions	Japan	24	thousand tons	
	Overseas	56	thousand tons	Recycled
Emissions for off-site disposal				71 thousand tons
Total 80 thousand tons				Outsourced disposal
Recycled	Japan	23	thousand tons	9 thousand tons
Outsourced disposal	Japan	1	thousand tons	
Recycled	Overseas	48	thousand tons	
Outsourced disposal	Overseas	8	thousand tons	
Emissions for on-site disposal				
Total - thousand tons				

	Japan		Atmospharis release
NOx			Atmospheric release

Waste	1,542 thousand tons	Waste, incineration,
	14.5 thousand tons	recycling

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► Resources Used in Product Manufacturing

Raw Materials and Auxiliary Materials

Resources	Japan	Thousand tons	687	658	648

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		Unit	2021	2022	2023
	Japan	ΤJ	93	76	96
Heavy oil, light oil, gasoline	Overseas	II	9	12	76
	Total	TJ	102	88	172
Liquefied petroleum gas (LPG),	Japan	ΤJ	238	190	220
natural gas, utility gas	Overseas		107	75	67
natarai gas, atinty gas	Total TJ	345	265	287	
Steam	Japan	L LT	78	90	7
	Overseas	11	_	1	1
	Total	TJ	78	91	8
	Japan	GWh	273	272	254
Electricity	Overseas	Gwn	449	587	563
	Total	GWh	721	859	817
	Japan	Th	3,754	3,670	3,718
Water	Overseas	Thousand m ³	1,080	1,082	1,103
	Total	Thousand m ³	4,834	4,752	⊘ 4,821
Light oil used for transportation	Japan	Thousand kL	18.3	18.3	18.1

▶ Output

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	Japan	Thousand m ³	3,296	3,296	3,169
Wastewater	Overseas	Thousand m	1,070	1,076	1,080
	Total	Thousand m ³	4,366	4,371	⊘ 4,249
	Japan	Thousand tons	142	136	102
CO ₂ (Scope 1 and Scope 2)	Overseas	Thousand tons	294	350	304
	Total	Thousand tons	437	486	
	Japan	Thousand tons	26	26	24
Emissions	Overseas	Thousand tons	52	61	56
Total	Total	Thousand tons	78	88	⊘ 80
	Japan recycled		22	23	23
	Japan outsourced disposal	Thousand tons	1	1	1
Emissions for off-site disposal	Overseas recycled	Thousand tons	40	49	48
	Overseas outsourced disposal		11	12	8
	Total	Thousand tons	75	86	80
Emissions for on-site disposal	Total	Thousand tons	3	2	_
CO ₂ emissions in transportation	Japan	Thousand tons	126.6	121.2	120.9
NOx emissions in transportation	Japan	Thousand tons	2.4	2.3	2.2
Waste in consumption	Japan	Thousand tons	1,611	1,566	1,542
Containers and packaging in consumption	Japan	Thousand tons	15.6	14.7	14.5

► Total Product Weight (Japan)

				2023
Total product weight	Thousand tons	491	481	474

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► The Unicharm Group's ISO Certifications

(As of January 31, 2024)

Name of Certified Group Company	ISO 14001	ISO 9001	ISO 13485	ISO 45001
Unicharm Corporation and Unicharm Products Co., Ltd.	0	0	0*	
Unicharm Kokko Nonwoven Co., Ltd.	0	0	_	0
Cosmotec Corporation		0	_	
United Charm (Taiwan–Greater China) Co., Ltd.	0	0	_	0
Uni.Charm (Thailand) Co., Ltd.	0	0	0	0
PT. UNI-CHARM INDONESIA Tbk (Factory 1)	0	0	0	
PT. UNI-CHARM INDONESIA Tbk (Factory 2)	0	0	0	
PT. UNI-CHARM INDONESIA Tbk (Factory 3)	0	0	0	
Unicharm Consumer Products (China) Co., Ltd.	0	0	_	
Unicharm Consumer Products (Jiangsu) Co., Ltd.	0	0	_	0
Unicharm Consumer Products (Tianjin) Co., Ltd.	0	0	_	0
Unicharm Gulf Hygienic Industries Ltd.	0	0	_	0
LG-Unicharm Co., Ltd.	0	0	_	
Unicharm India Private Limited	0	0	_	
Unicharm Australasia Holding Pty Ltd.		0	_	
Unicharm Middle East & North Africa Hygienic Industries Company S.A.E.	0	0	_	0
UNICHARM DO BRASIL INDÚSTRIA E COMÉRCIO DE PRODUTOS DE HIGIENE LTDA.		0	_	
Diana Unicharm Joint Stock Company		0	_	
DSG International (Thailand) Public Co., Ltd.	0	0	_	
Disposable Soft Goods (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd.		0	_	

^{*} ISO 13485 certification is applicable only to Unicharm Products Co., Ltd.

► CDP Rating

	2021	2022	2023
Climate Change	A-	A-	A-
Forests	В	В	А
Water Security	В	В	А

Recycling-Based Society

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Plastic Waste Reduction Measures

▶ Raising Awareness About Proper Disposal of Used Products

			2023
Rate of awareness raised about proper disposal of used products	38%	50%	56%
	(6 countries/regions)	(8 countries/regions)	(9 countries/regions)

► Plastic Use (Tons) in Sales Promotional Items (Japan)

Display hooks	6.25	0.49	1.45	0.09
Fixtures	0.92	0.56	0.18	0.02
Racks	6.89	23.53	0.58	0.00
Others (including packaging materials)	17.04	3.77	3.46	3.97
Total	31.10	28.35	5.67	4.08

▶ Plastic Use (Tons) in Sales Promotional Items (China)

		2023
Plastic use (tons) in sales promotional items	119.8	28.2

^{—:} Not acquired

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▶ Energy Use

Japan		TJ	1,382	1,379	1,237
	Thailand		430	397	390
China Indonesia India Vietnam Taiwan–Greater China United States	China		465	372	382
		572	561	532	
		146	230	256	
		173	139	139	
		31	27	26	
	United States	. TJ 	24	22	17
Overseas	South Korea		48	49	46
	Saudi Arabia		210	213	212
	Egypt		51	59	73
	Myanmar		5	7	7
	Brazil		44	48	53
Malaysia Total	Malaysia		47	44	36
	Total	TJ	2,245	2,169	2,169
Total		TJ	3,627	3,548	⊘ 3,406
Per unit*1		TJ / million yen	0.005	0.004	0.004

Note: Calculations are based on the Act on Rationalization of Energy Use and Shift to Non-fossil Energy and figures for fiscal 2022 and earlier have been retroactively recalculated based on the latest revisions.

► CO₂ Emissions by Scope and Category

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Scope	Category	Unit	2021	2022	2023	Remarks
Scope 1	Direct emissions	Thousand tons	35.5	31.6		*4
Scope 2	Indirect emissions from energy sources	Thousand tons	465.2	454.5	Ø 376.9	
	1 Purchased goods and services		3,781.6	3,774.1		
	2 Capital goods]	140.6	85.2	100.8	
	3 Fuel- and energy-related activities not included in Scope 1 or Scope 2		62.2	59.1	52.9	
	4 Upstream transportation and distribution	364.2	376.4	348.5		
	5 Waste generated in operations		43.1	45.0	28.7	
	6 Business travel		2.1	2.1	2.1	
C Ottoba	7 Employee commuting	Thousand tons	12.5	12.7	13.1	
Scope 3*2*3	8 Upstream leased assets]	0.0	0.0	0.0	*4
	9 Downstream transportation and distribution		108.3	110.5	111.3	
	10 Processing of sold products]	0.0	0.0	0.0	* 5
	11 Use of sold products]	0.0	0.0	0.0	* 5
	12 End-of-life treatment of sold products		2,033.4	2,138.0	⊘ 1,896.3	
	13 Downstream leased assets		0.0	0.0	0.0	*5
	14 Franchises]	0.0	0.0	0.0	* 5
	15 Investments		40.2	39.6	34.7	
	Total for Scope 3	Thousand tons	6,588.2	6,642.7	5,988.9	
Total for Scopes 1,	2, and 3	Thousand tons	7,088.9	7,128.8	6,395.0	

^{*2} Scope 3 was calculated only for Japan through Sustainability Report 2023, but in Sustainability Report 2024, overseas companies are also included in the boundary. In calculating overseas figures, emission factors were changed from the Ministry of the Environment database to the LCI database IDEA version 3.2. Due to the expansion of boundaries and revision of emission factors, overseas Scope 3 emissions up to fiscal 2022 have been added retroactively, and Japan emissions have been recalculated using the LCI database IDEA version 3.2.

^{*1} Unit denominators are consolidated net sales.

^{*3} Overseas, Scope 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, 3-5, 3-6, 3-7, and 3-12 are calculated based on activity volume, with other categories estimated as a percentage of net

^{*4} Vehicles used for business purposes were included under Scope 3-8 through Sustainability Report 2023 as leased items, but in Sustainability Report 2024, vehicles used for business purposes were included in Scope1 resulting fiscal 2021 and fiscal 2022 were as well.

^{*5} Does not apply to any business process

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► Scope 1 and Scope 2 CO₂ Emissions

		Unit	2021		2023
Japan*1		Thousand tons	147.6	136.3	102.1
Thailand China Indonesia India Vietnam Taiwan-Greater China	Thailand		42.9	40.5	37.2
	China		58.1	47.5	25.7
	Indonesia		121.4	119.9	106.6
		32.6	46.4	44.2	
		27.3	22.3	21.3	
	Taiwan–Greater China		4.3	3.8	3.3
Overseas	United States	Thousand tons	0.1	0.1	0.1
Overseas	South Korea		11.7	12.1	11.2
	Saudi Arabia		38.2	39.2	37.6
	Egypt		8.1	9.7	11.5
	Myanmar		0.3	0.6	0.5
	Brazil		0.1	0.1	0.1
	Malaysia		8.0	7.7	4.8
	Total	Thousand tons	353.1	349.8	304.0
Total		Thousand tons	500.7	486.1	⊘ 406.2
Per unit*2		Tons / million yen	0.640	0.541	0.431

^{*1} Vehicles used for business purposes were included under Scope 3-8 until Sustainability Report 2023 as leased items, but in Sustainability Report 2024, vehicles used for business purposes were included in Scope1 resulting fiscal 2021 and fiscal 2022 were as well.

► Scope 3 CO₂ Emissions

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Japan*3		Thousand tons	2,737.2	2,613.9	2,446.1
	Thailand		864.9	801.9	778.6
Indon India	China		896.8	945.9	814.3
	Indonesia		663.3	602.2	481.2
	India		384.8	536.8	487.1
	Vietnam	Thousand tons	165.3	163.7	156.2
	Taiwan-Greater China		83.9	72.6	57.5
Overseas	United States		103.6	143.5	109.1
Overseas	South Korea		66.6	68.0	60.6
	Saudi Arabia		391.9	442.3	371.9
	Egypt		54.4	82.1	68.0
	Myanmar		74.5	79.6	91.9
	Brazil		3.1	6.0	5.0
	Malaysia		98.0	84.1	61.4
	Total Thousa	Thousand tons	3,851.0	4,028.9	3,542.8
Total		Thousand tons	6,588.2	6,642.7	5,988.9
Per unit*4		Tons / million yen	8.417	7.397	6.359

^{*3} Vehicles used for business purposes were included under Scope 3-8 through Sustainability Report 2023 as leased items, but in Sustainability Report 2024, vehicles used for business purposes were included in Scope1 resulting fiscal 2021 and fiscal 2022 were as well.

^{*2} Unit denominators are consolidated net sales.

^{*4} Unit denominators are consolidated net sales.

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► Procurement of Renewable Electricity

		Unit	2021	2022	2023
Japan		Thousand kWh	15,854	34,274	77,006
Thailand China Indonesia India Vietnam Taiwan–Greater China	Thailand		9,958	10,678	14,707
	China		19,813	23,143	53,831
	Indonesia		0	927	8,229
		0	0	5,880	
		5,159	5,146	5,231	
	Taiwan-Greater China		0	0	390
Overseas	United States	Thousand kWh	541	6,188	4,361
Overseas	South Korea		0	0	0
	Saudi Arabia		0	0	0
	Egypt		0	0	0
	Myanmar		0	0	0
	Brazil		12,374	13,230	14,199
	Malaysia		0	0	2,087
	Total	Thousand kWh	47,844	59,312	108,915
Total		Thousand kWh	63,698	93,586	185,921
Percentage of	renewable electricity use	%	7.3	11.0	22.8

Biodiversity

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Biodiversity Conservation

► Forest-Derived Raw Materials

		Unit	2021	2022	2023
Amount of third-party certified forest- derived raw materials procured	Japan	Tons	117,606	155,378	163,317
	Overseas		273,667	299,731	257,829
	Total	Tons	391,273	455,109	421,146
Percentage of paper and pulp traceable to place of origin*1	Japan	0/	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Overseas	%	96.0	95.7	97.5
	Total	%	97.0	97.1	99.2

^{*1} Percentage of forest-derived raw materials (pulp) derived from forest resources for which traceability has been established to their place of origin (country and region), in addition to third-party certified materials

► PEFC and CoC Certifications

	Unit	2021	2022	2023
Percentage of PEFC- and CoC-certified factories	0/	52.0	56.0	64.0
Percentage of PEFC-certified pulp procured*2	%	76.0	72.3	⊘ 72.6

^{*2} In fiscal 2023, the procurement ratio calculation method was changed from a shipping weight basis to a purchase weight basis using the formula "purchase weight of 100% PEFC-certified pulp ÷ overall pulp purchase weight" and figures for fiscal 2022 and earlier have been retroactively recalculated.

▶ Percentage of Office Paper Made from Certified Materials

	Unit	2021	2022	2023
Ratio of environmentally friendly office paper		98.9	99.9	99.6
Office paper made from 100% recycled paper	%	97.0	97.7	83.5
Office paper made from certified materials		1.9	2.2	16.1

▶ Number of Products Using Organic Cotton (Japan)

	No. of products
2021	23
2022	33
2023	53

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► Palm Oil

	Unit	2021	2022	2023
Amount of palm oil procured	Tone	152.0	164.8	166.2
Amount of certified palm oil*1 procured	Tons	117.3	119.0	113.1
Percentage of raw materials traceable to place of origin	%	77.2	72.2	68.0
Percentage of certified palm oil*1 procured	%0	77.2	72.2	⊘ 68.0

^{*1} Certified palm oil is RSPO-certified oil using the mass balance system.

Reducing Emissions and Preventing Pollution

▶ Emissions Generated

			2021	2022	
Japan		Thousand tons	26.2	26.3	23.9
Thailand	Thailand		8.0	7.6	7.3
	China		19.5	17.1	17.8
	Indonesia		8.3	8.1	7.2
	India		6.5	8.0	6.6
	Vietnam		6.0	5.8	5.7
	Taiwan–Greater China		0.8	0.8	0.7
	United States	Thousand tons	4.4	4.0	1.0
Overseas	South Korea		1.6	1.5	1.3
	Saudi Arabia		3.9	4.1	4.2
	Egypt		1.5	1.7	1.9
	Myanmar		0.010	0.011	0.013
	Brazil		1.2	1.2	1.2
	Malaysia		1.5	1.3	1.0
	Total	Thousand tons	63.2	61.2	55.8
Total		Thousand tons	89.4	87.5	⊘ 79.8
Per unit*2		Tons / million yen	0.114	0.097	0.085

^{*2} Unit denominators are consolidated net sales.

► Recycling Rate

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Japan*3	%	99.5	99.3	99.6

^{*3} Calculated based on total material recycling and thermal recycling (the Fukushima Factory incinerator was in operation until fiscal 2022) at the four main domestic plants (Unicharm Products Co., Ltd.'s Fukushima Factory, Shizuoka Factory, Shikoku Factory, and Kyushu Factory)

► Polychlorinated Biphenyl (PCB) Storage Situation (Japan)

Units of PCB stored	Units	0	0	0

▶ Pollutant Release and Transfer Register (PRTR) Substances (Japan)

				2023
Toluene	Tons / year	43.1	43.2	180.1
Ethylene oxide	kg / year	18.8	95.8	31.9
Dioxin	mg-TEQ / year	0.085	0.290	0.000
Methylnaphthalene	Tons / year	0.10	0.10	0.04

NOx and SOx Emissions (Japan)

	Unit	2021	2022	2023
NOx	Tons	15.7	15.2	12.2
NOx per unit	kg / million yen	0.056	0.053	0.038
SOx	Tons	5.9	5.7	9.3
SOx per unit	kg / million yen	0.021	0.020	0.029

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Ozone-Depleting Substances (Japan)

Substance	Business Site	Use	Unit	2023
Halon (Class 1)	Unicharm Products Shizuoka Factory			1.6
	Unicharm Products Shikoku Factory (Kagawa)	Fire retardant Tons		0.07
	Unicharm (other development sites in Kagawa)			0.0001
	Unicharm Products Fukushima Factory			2.6
	Unicharm Products Shizuoka Factory			3.6
	Unicharm Products Kyushu Factory (Fukuoka)			2.3
LICEC (Class 1)	Unicharm Products Shikoku Factory (Kagawa)	Defriences.	Tons	3.7
HCFC (Class 1)	Unicharm Kokko Nonwoven Co., Ltd. (Ehime/Kagawa)	Refrigerant Tons		0.65
	Unicharm Pet Care Co., Ltd. (Hyogo/Mie/Saitama)			0.93
	Peparlet Co., Ltd. (Shizuoka)			0.04
	Unicharm (other development sites in Kagawa)			0.86
CFC	Unicharm (other development sites in Kagawa)	Refrigerant	Tons	0.001

Note: Reported for Company properties based on the Act on Rational Use and Proper Management of Fluorocarbons

▶ Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD) and Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD) (Japan)

	Unit	2021	2022	2023
BOD	Tons	23.0	14.4	16.2
COD	10115	20.5	9.8	18.6

Water Recycling-Oriented Society

Water Resources

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► Water Usage (Water Withdrawal)*¹

	Unit	2021	2022	2023
Japan	The considered	3,754	3,670	3,718
Overseas	Thousand m ³	1,080	1,082	1,103
Total	Thousand m ³	4,834	4,752	⊘ 4,821
Per unit of sales*2	Thousand m³ / million yen	0.006	0.005	0.005

^{*1} Some estimates and calculation methods have been revised since fiscal 2023. Accordingly, figures for fiscal 2022 and earlier have been retroactively recalculated.

► Water Usage by Source (Water Withdrawal) (Japan)*³

	Unit	2021	2022	2023
Surface water (rivers, lakes, and ponds)		155	157	152
Groundwater	Thousand m ³	760	697	660
Other water sources		2,840	2,816	2,906
Total	Thousand m ³	3,754	3,670	3,718
Of these, locations that have specified facilities u	ınder the Water Pollution (Control Law		
Surface water (rivers, lakes, and ponds)		7	6	4
Groundwater	Thousand m ³	385	406	389
Other water sources		2,840	2,816	2,906

^{*3} Some estimates and calculation methods have been revised since fiscal 2023. Accordingly, figures for fiscal 2022 and earlier have been retroactively recalculated.

► Water Usage by Source (Water Withdrawal) (Overseas)*4

Surface water (rivers, lakes, and ponds)		1,003	960	1,009
Groundwater	Thousand m ³	42	79	61
Other water sources		36	43	33
Total	Thousand m ³	1,080	1,082	1,103
Of these, areas with high water stress				
Surface water (rivers, lakes, and ponds)		630	640	691
Groundwater	Thousand m ³	33	71	54
Other water sources		0	0	0

^{*4} Some estimates and calculation methods have been revised since fiscal 2023. Accordingly, figures for fiscal 2022 and earlier have been retroactively recalculated.

^{*2} Unit denominators are consolidated net sales.

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▶ Wastewater*¹

	Unit	2021	2022	2023
Japan	Thousand m ³	3,296	3,296	3,169
Overseas	Inousand m	1,070	1,075	1,080
Total	Thousand m ³	4,366	4,371	⊘ 4,249
Per unit of sales*2	Thousand m³ / million yen	0.006	0.005	0.005

^{*1} For sites where wastewater volume is not measured, wastewater volume is considered to be equal to water withdrawal. Some estimates and calculation methods have been revised since fiscal 2023. Accordingly, figures for fiscal 2022 and earlier have been retroactively recalculated.

► Water Stress Score*³

		2023
Extremely high		11
High	No. of factories	3
Moderate	NO. OF factories	10
Low		15

^{*3} The latest version of the World Resources Institute (WRI) tool Aqueduct (Aqueduct Overall Water Risk Map) is used to ascertain water stress.

▶ Percentage of Water Withdrawal from Areas with High Water Stress*⁴

	Unit	2021	2022	2023
Water withdrawal from areas with high water stress	Thousand m³	664	711	745
Percentage of water withdrawal from areas with high water stress	%	13.7	15.0	15.5

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