

# **Our Initiatives for ESG**

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# **Corporate Philosophy**

Established: 1991 Revised:2011

We, Fuji Electric, pledge as responsible corporate citizens in a global society to strengthen our trust with communities, customers and partners.

■Contribute to prosperity ■Encourage creativity ■Seek harmony with the environment Slogan

To be enthusiastic, ambitious and sensitive.

# **Management Policies**

Established:2010 Revised:2011 and 2015

Established: 1992

Revised: 2010 and 2019

- 1. Through our innovation in energy and environment technology, we contribute to the creation of responsible and sustainable societies.
- 2. Achieve further growth through our global business expansion.
- 3. Maximize our strengths as a team, respecting employees' diverse ambition.

# **Corporate Code of Conduct**

1. Respect and value all people

6. Respect and value interaction with society

2. Respect and value our customers

- 7. Make global compliance a top priority
- 3. Respect and value our business partners

- 7-1. Thorough compliance
- 4. Respect and value our shareholders and investors 7-2. Thorough risk management
- 5. Respect and value the global environment
- 8. Top management will thoroughly practice this standard

# Fuji Electric's Target and SDGs



Our Target

By putting this corporate philosophy and management policies, Fuji Electric and its employees will aim to resolve social and environmental issues, and contribute to achieve the SDGs through creation of customer value.

### SUSTAINABLE GALS DEVELOPMENT GALS



Resolution of Social and Environmental issues

**Creation of Customer Value** 



# Fuji Electric's Energy and Environmental Businesses



Realizing clean energy, stable energy supply, energy saving, and automation by pursuing synergies between our core technologies of Power Semiconductor and Power Electronics

**Clean energy Stable supply of energy** 

**Energy saving Automation** 

## **Energy**



**Power** Generation



Energy Management



Transmission and distribution system



**Power Supply and** facility system



Factory Automation



**Process** Automation



Social Solution

### Food & Beverage **Distribution**



**Vending Machine &** Store Distribution

### System solution

### **Engineering Service**

Semiconductor





Power conditioning



Switchgear and



Uninterruptible



Power supply system



Power distribution and control equipment



Inverters

Motors



Servo systems





railcar

Smart

meters



Vending Machine



Store equipment



Industrial field









Automotive field

Addressed through Our Businesses











# Establishment of foundation for sustainable growth

# Promotion of growth strategies

- Concentration of resources on growth fields
   Power electronics systems and power semiconductors
- Expansion of overseas businesses

Further improvement of profitability

Augmentation of global manufacturing capabilities

Ongoing reinforcement of operating foundations

**Environment** 

Human resources

Governance

**Evolution of Companywide Pro-7 Activities** 

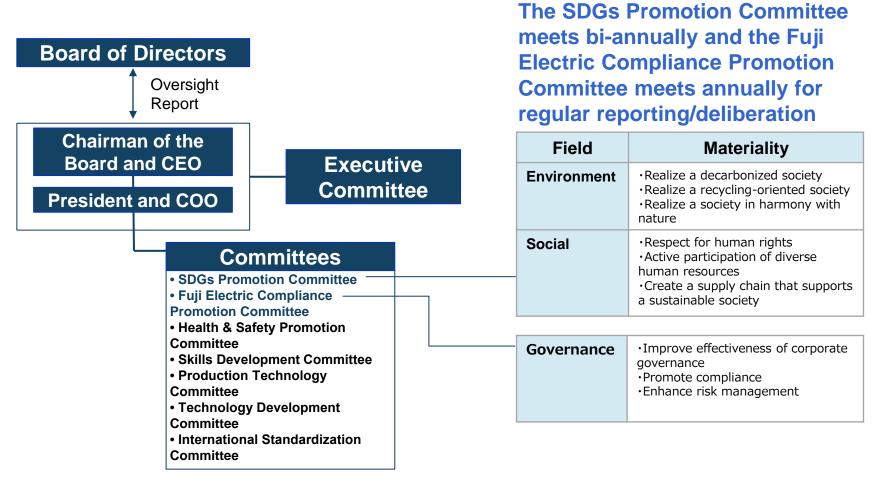


# Identified the materiality based on "ongoing reinforcement of operating foundations," a key issue in the FY2023 Medium-Term Management Plan.

| Field       | Materiality   | Key issues   |
|-------------|---|--|
| Business    | Promote energy and environment businesses   | Promotion of business growth and environmental contribution  |
|             | Realize Environmental Vision 2050   | Environmental changes and recognition of issues concerning the achievement of FY2030 Targets   |
| Environment | Realize a decarbonized society  | Reduce greenhouse gas emissions throughout the supply chain Reduce greenhouse gas emissions during production Reduce society's CO <sub>2</sub> emissions from products |
|             | Achieve a recycling-oriented society Achieve a society that is in harmony with nature | Review of goals to achieve a recycling-oriented society and a society that is in harmony with nature   |
|             | Create a supply chain that supports a sustainable society                             | Continued implementation of CSR procurement self-assessment Business partner CSR on-site audits  |
| Social      | Respect for human rights  | Continued implementation of human rights awareness activities  |
| Coolai      | Active participation of diverse human resources                                       | Hiring and stimulating Human Resource Discovering and developing human resources with high potential Developing Global human resource                                  |
|             | Improve effectiveness of corporate governance   | Enhancing the effectiveness of BOD Reduction of cross share holdings   |
| Governance  | Promote compliance  | Ensure effective implementation of the Fuji Electric Compliance Program  |
|             | Enhance risk management   | Improve product quality / Strengthen business continuity management/ Strengthen information security   |

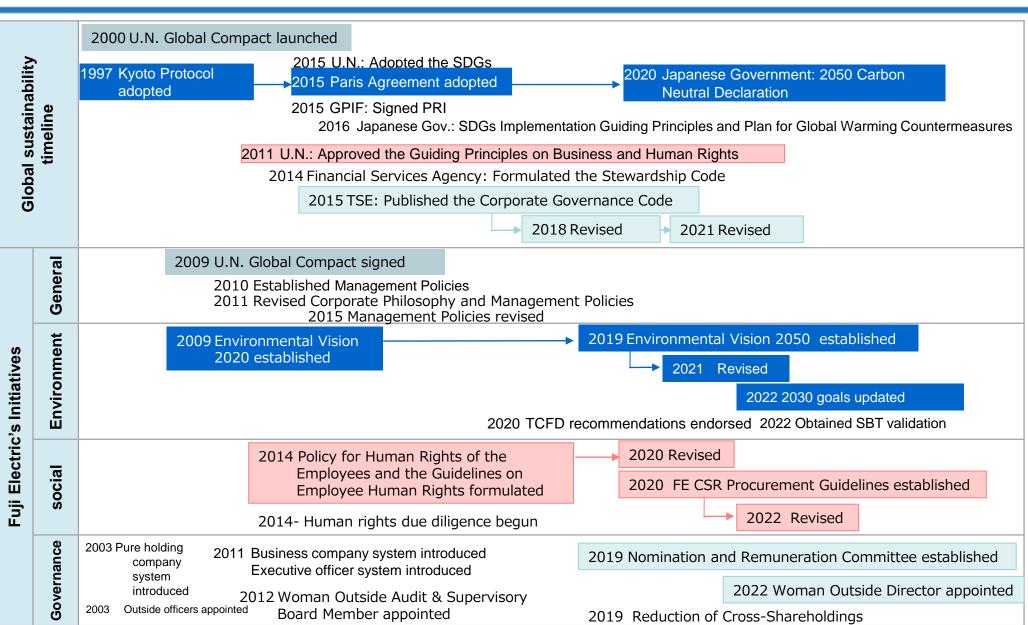


### Materiality is reported and deliberated on in the Board of Directors.



# Global Sustainability Timeline and Our Initiatives





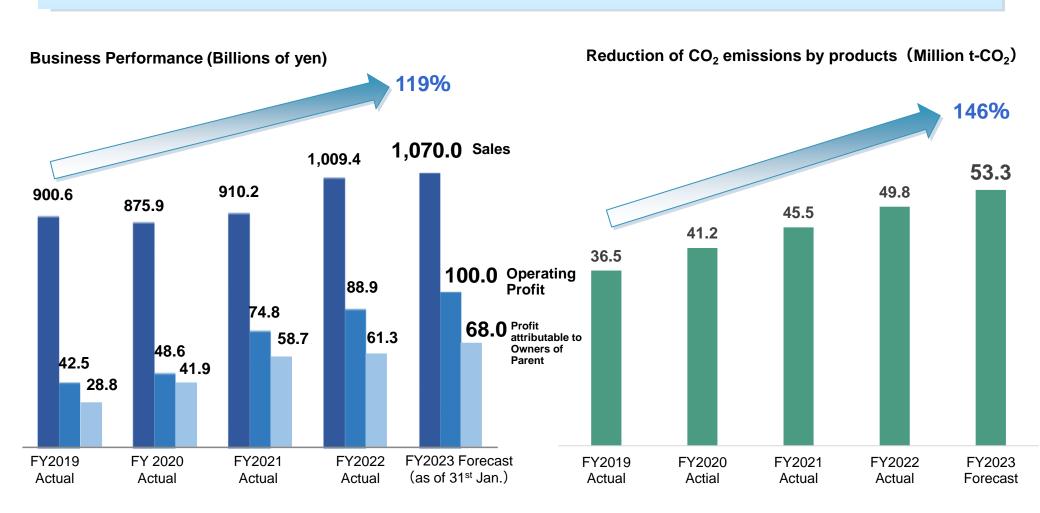
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# Promotion of Business Growth and Environmental Contribution



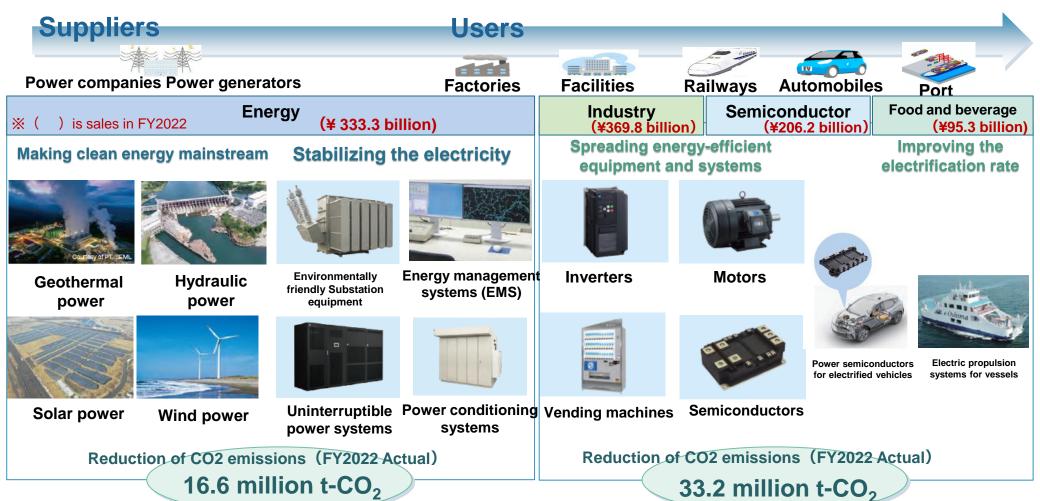
# Reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by products steadily increasing



# Promotion of Energy and Environment Businesses



# Providing broad-ranging products from the supply side to the demand side of energy Contributing to the realization of carbon neutrality



### Our Initiatives for TCFD



## Identifying critical risks and steadily implementing actions

### ■ Selected initiatives against critical risks

- 4°C scenario: Promote measures designed to minimize damage at bases with flooding risk
- 1.5°C scenario: Implement environmental management to reduce GHG emissions during production

|               | Risks  | Selected initiatives in FY2023  |
|---------------|--|---|
| <b>4</b> °C   | Frequent extreme weather events - Flooding risk at production bases Targets: All 44 bases worldwide Findings: 6 bases (3 each in Japan and overseas) are at risk | <ul> <li>Reviewed and formulated anti-flooding measures to minimize damage</li> <li>Created a timeline for anti-flooding measures/actions</li> <li>Continued evaluation of flooding risk across the supply chain, checked BCP readiness, transitioned to multi-sourcing</li> </ul>  |
| <b>1.5</b> °C | Increased environmental investments and expenses - Equipment investments and expenses associated with initiatives for decarbonization                            | <ul> <li>-Total environmental investments and expenses associated with reduction of GHG emissions during production: Approx. ¥2.3 billion (estimate)</li> <li>-Introduced solar power systems to our factories (Tokyo Factory, Fuji Electric Philippines)</li> <li>-Replaced equipment (production equipment, A/Cs, lighting equipment, etc.)</li> <li>-Began purchasing electricity and credits derived from renewable energy sources</li> </ul> |

### ■ Agenda for FY2023

Review of risks, opportunities, and adaptation measures based on the next Medium-Term Management Plan



# Human Right and Human Resources

### Our Policies on Human Resources



With management putting employees first, creating a virtuous cycle of employees' growth bringing prosperity to the company, which in turn benefits the employees

Return Profit Employees, shareholders, society in general

**Prosperity of the company** 

Employees' growth

**Stimulating HRs** 

**Developing global HRs** 

Discovering/developing high-potential HRs

**Management Policies** 

Maximize our strengths as a team respecting employees' diverse ambition.

Fuji Electric Code of Conduct

Respect and value all people

Respect human rights

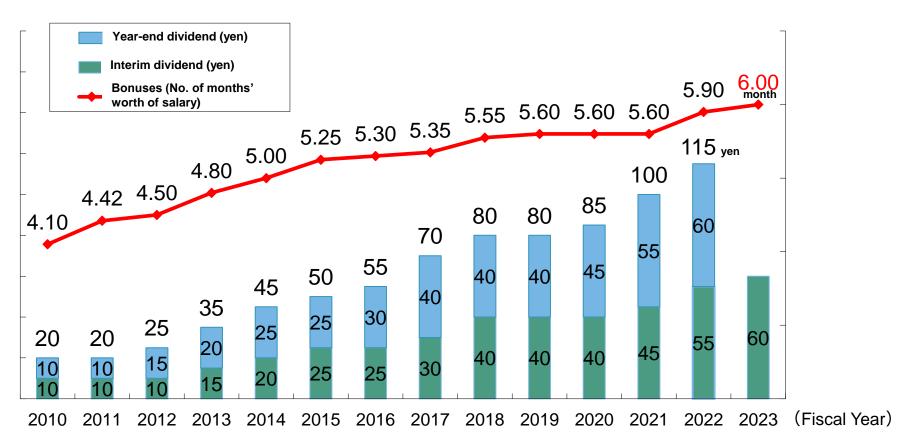
Promote the activities of diverse HR

Take employees' health and safety into consideration

### **Dividends and Bonuses Trend**



# Returning profit gained from business activities to employees and shareholders



Note: Dividend figures reflect the stock consolidation conducted on October 1, 2018.

### Evolution of Initiatives for Human Rights and Human Resource



| Key issue                             | Target                    |   |  |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|---|--|
| Respect<br>human<br>rights            | _                         | <ul> <li>2014 Policy for Human Rights of the Employees and the Guidelines on Employee Human Rights formulated</li> <li>2020 Guidelines on Employee Human Rights formulated</li> <li>2014 Human rights due diligence begun (operating sites and affiliates in Japan and overseas)</li> </ul>   |  |
| Promote the activities of diverse HRs | All                       | 2010 Employee awareness surveys begun (annualized in 2018) 2012 Job responsibility and performance-based treatment for managerial employees 2017 Global HR Development Program introduced 2019 Career/Work Goals Systems introduced 2020 Monotsukuri Meister System introduced 2022 Smart Work Incentives introduced 2011 Pair Work Training for Parents Returning from Childcare Leave commenced 2017 Flexible Location Work System (work-from-home, work in satellite offices) introduced 2017 Rehiring of former employees who resigned for reasons related to childcare 2017 Long-Term Care Consultation Desk established |  |
|                                       | Female                    | 2011 Sister System (mentorship for 2017 Priority career development commenced women employees) commenced 2021 Training for female managers commenced 2012 Project to hire women STEAM students commenced  |  |
|                                       | Aged 60 or over           | 2000 Selective Retirement Age System (up to age 65) introduced 2020 Senior Task System introduced for managerial employees Employment Guidelines for Employees aged 65 or over formulated for all employees   |  |
|                                       | Persons with disabilities | 1994 Fuji Electric Frontier (special-purpose subsidiary) established. Hiring and work areas expanded (now 12 bases)   |  |

#### Ratio of Female hired, managers, supervisory position

|    | •  |        | <u> </u> | <i>.</i>      |
|----|--|--------|----------|---------------|
|    |  | FY2011 | FY2022   | FY2023 Target |
| Ra | atio of female hired*                            | 12%    | 21%      | 20%           |
| Ra | atio of female managers.                         | 0.74%  | 3.2%     | 3.0%          |
|    | o. of female employees<br>supervisory positions. | 83     | 316      | 400           |

<sup>\*</sup>Data collected from the Company and its six subsidiaries in Japan that adopt same personnel system

#### Employee ration who took childcare leave

| Employee ration who took emideare leave |            |             |
|---|------------|-------------|
|   | FY2018     | FY2022      |
| Childcare leave (male)                  | 107<br>(6) | 131<br>(43) |
| % of females taking leave               | 100%       | 100%        |
| % of males taking leave                 | 3.1%       | 21.1%       |

Employees aged 60 or over

|  | FY2001 | FY2022 |  |
|--|--------|--------|--|
| % of employees choosing Selective<br>Retirement Age System | 7.8%   | 82.1%  |  |

Employment ratio of persons with disabilities\_

|                         | FY2011 | FY2023 |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|
| Ratio at Fuji Electric  | 1.94%  | 3.02%  |
| (Ref.) Stationary ratio | 1.8%   | 2.3%   |

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## Initiatives for Human Resources



| Materiality                   | Key measures   | Events -What we implemented-   | Mid-term issues   |
|-------------------------------|--|--|---|
|                               | Stimulating HRs  • Creating career building foundations  | <ul><li>Career/Work Goals Systems expanded</li><li>Monotsukuri Meister System introduced (2020)</li></ul>  | <ul> <li>Strengthening training of<br/>the next-generation line<br/>personnel in anticipation<br/>of changes in workforce</li> </ul>                      |
| diverse HRs                   | <ul> <li>Promoting diversity</li> <li>Women</li> <li>Senior employees</li> <li>Employees with disabilities</li> </ul>                        | <ul> <li>Ratio of women female: 3.2% (FY2022)</li> <li>Senior Task System and Employment Guidelines for Employees Aged 65 or Over established (2020)</li> <li>Employment ratio of persons with disabilities: 3.02% (FY2023)</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>changes in workforce composition</li> <li>Increasing the number of female managers</li> <li>Further improving a workplace environment</li> </ul> |
| ties of                       | Workstyle reform   | <ul><li>Flexible work system</li><li>Smart Work Incentives introduced (2022)</li></ul>   | that empowers diverse<br>HRs  |
| Promote activities of diverse | Discovering/developing high-<br>potential HRs  • Developing next-generation<br>managerial HRs  | <ul> <li>Total number of registered next-generation<br/>managerial HRs: 504<br/>(Japan) (FY2022)</li> </ul>  | Expanding measures to overseas  |
|                               | <ul> <li>Developing global HRs</li> <li>Assigning Japanese employees overseas</li> <li>Assigning international employees to Japan</li> </ul> | Planned assignments/development implemented  | Promoting training for<br>autonomous<br>management of overseas<br>bases   |
| Recruit<br>HRs                | <ul><li>Significantly expanding recruitment</li><li>Expanding internships</li></ul>  | <ul> <li>Number of new recruits:         FY2018: Approx. 500 → FY2023: Approx. 800         (Mid-career personnel         FY2018: Approx. 170 → FY2023: Approx. 300)     </li> </ul>  | Hiring diverse HRs  |

# Initiatives for Respect for Human Rights



# Establishing a sustainable corporate culture that is "never involved in or complicit in human rights violations"

Promotion structure for human rights awareness

Corporate

**SDGs Promotion Committee** 

Human Rights Promotion and Human Resources Empowerment Subcommittee

Deliberate/evaluate the following policies/measures

- Activities to reflect respect for human rights into management measures
- Gender equality, enhancing job satisfaction

Business sites and subsidiaries

**Human Rights Promotion Committee** 

- Strict observation of human rights
- Promotion of human rights education/awareness-raising programs
- Establishment of consultation venues

### Selected initiatives

#### <So far>

- Conducted human rights due diligence (bi-annually)
- Promoted human rights awareness-raising programs
  - Conducted level-specific education
  - Conducted human rights development education programs (at each business site) Etc.

#### <FY2023>

|                    | Featured training programs   |
|--------------------|--|
| Corporate          | <b>《Fostering awareness of the need to respect human rights》</b> e-learning added to conventional programs (all employees)   |
| Business<br>sites  | <b>(Ensuring recurrence prevention)</b> Individualized programs offered at workplaces to prevent recurrence by encouraging reports via the helpline, etc.                    |
| External           | <b>《Enhancing human rights awareness literacy》</b> Persons in charge of human rights/recruitment at Fuji Electric and subsidiaries participate in external training programs |
| Level-<br>specific | Level-specific training continued for new recruits, team leaders and managers, mid-career recruits, new directors, etc.  |

# Overview of Employee Awareness Surveys



# Analyzing trends in survey findings to locate issues/risks and act early

#### Overview

- •Purpose: 1) Track levels of management policy understanding and employee satisfaction
  - 2) Review organizations and improve organizational management
- •Target: Fuji Electric and Fuji Electric's affiliated company in Japan and overseas (except Fuji Furukawa E&C)

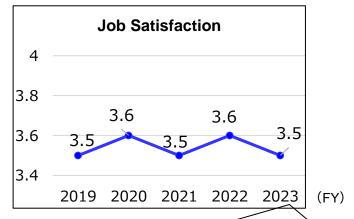
### Result

Target: Maintain a level of 3.5 pts or higher, a level that can be evaluated as sound





%5 point scale from 1 to 5 pts, with higher scores indicating a more positive stance



- Challenges: Stimulating HRs, strengthening workplace management
- Key measures: Career/Work Goals Systems Introduced (FY2019) introduced Monotsukuri Meister System (FY2020) Continue line manager training

Reinvigorate boss-subordinate communication and others

The score supposedly temporarily dropped due to increased workload for accelerated achievement of the Medium-Term Management Plan. (Detailed analysis underway and measures under consideration at each workplace)



# Governance

## **Evolution of Initiatives for Governance**



| Key issues  |   |
|---|---|
| Improving the effectiveness of corporate governance | 2003 2011  Pure holding Business company system introduced company system Faster decision making by management (Executive officers: 53 →18) introduced  |
|   | 2003- Outside officer system 2019 Nomination and Remuneration Committee established 2019 Evaluation of the effectiveness of the BOD by a third-party  |
|   | 2021 Directors' skill matrix disclosed  |
|   | 2012 Woman Outside Audit & 2022 Woman Outside Director appointed Supervisory Board Member appointed   |
|   | 2019 - Cross-shareholdings continuously reduced   |
| Promoting compliance                                | 2004 Business Ethics Helpline System 2012 Partner Hotline established (present Business Ethics Whistle- (for business partners)  Blowing System) introduced   |
|   | 2007 Compliance Regulations and Compliance Program formulated   |
| Enhancing<br>risk<br>management                     | 2006 Fuji Electric Risk Management Rules formulated 2011 Information Security Policy formulated 2016 - Cyber security measures/activities commenced (CSIRT formed, etc.) 2020 Cyber Security Standards formulated |
|   | 2013 Business Continuity Management (BCM) Rules formulated 2013 Business Continuity Plan (BCP) Formulation Manual   |
|   | 1970 Quality Control Rules formulated established   |
|   | 1981 Product Safety Rules formulated 2022 High-Reliability Working Group established ©2024 Fuji Electric Co., Ltg. 22   |

# Improving Board Effectiveness



Continuously implementing training designed to enhance understanding of Fuji Electric Identifying issues and stimulating discussions based on effectiveness assessment results

### Initiatives to enhance understanding

- -Visits to factories and business sites
- -Participation in presentation meetings on business strategies, R&D, etc.
- -Participation in product exhibits

Etc.

At the Suzuka Factory



Actions taken on issues found in effectiveness evaluation

Main issues for FY2022 effectiveness evaluation: Report/discuss important tasks over the mid- to long-term

Reflected in FY2023 Board meetings: Discussions of mid- to long-term strategies

#### <Selected comments from outside officers on the environment and society>

- Company-wide GX and DX promotion systems
- Gather information from new fields, such as carbon credits, and aggressively involve said information in the formulation of international rules
- Business opportunities under the 1.5°C scenario
- Plan procurement of renewable energy, reduce procurement costs
- HR strategies for consolidated subsidiaries in Japan and overseas
- Strengthen recruitment of HRs (engineers, women, etc.)
- Develop next-generation managerial HRs

Etc.

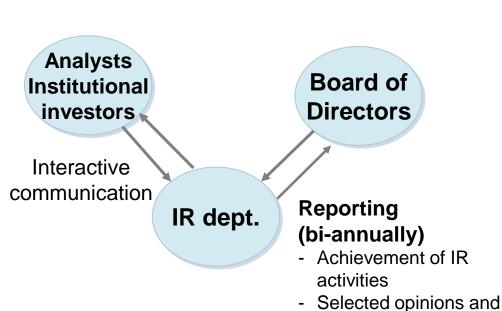
requests, etc. from

institutional investors

analysts and



# Feeding back concerns and comments/requests by analysts and institutional investors to the Board of Directors To stimulate discussions on management/business



#### <Selected comments from outside directors>

### ■ On reporting of IR activities

- Responses to overseas institutional investors
- Enhanced understanding of the power electronics business (factory tours for analysts/institutional investors, etc.)

### ■ On Integrated Reports

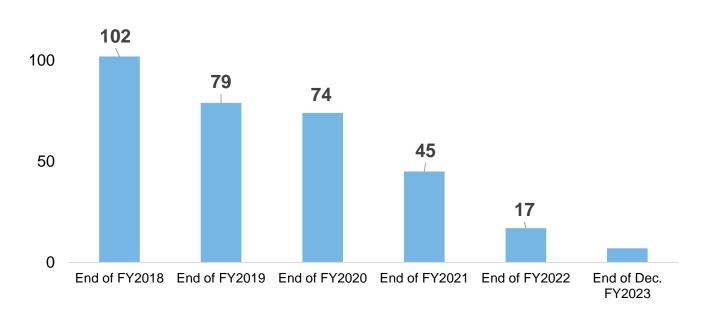
- Explanations on the value creation process enhanced and made easier to understand
- Better presentation of initiatives by focus overseas businesses
- Descriptions of company-wide initiatives for DX
- Improved editing (volume of text, photos, easyto-understand technical terms)

# Reduction of Cross-Shareholdings



Under the basic policy of reducing cross-shareholdings, we will seek to reduce cross-shareholdings even when cross-shareholding is rational to a certain degree while paying due attention to its impact on our management and business.

#### **Number of Cross-Shareholdings**



### **External Evaluation**



Fuji Electric has been selected as a component of the socially responsible investment (SRI) indexes, as a company with outstanding CSR performance.

2023 CONSTITUENT MSCI JAPAN ESG SELECT LEADERS INDEX



8 consecutive years Selected as a component of indexes



**6 consecutive years** Selected as a component of indexes

**2023** CONSTITUENT MSCI JAPAN EMPOWERING WOMEN INDEX (WIN)



FTSE Blossom Japan Index

7 consecutive years Selected as a component of indexes

Dow Jones Sustainability Indices

Powered by the S&P Global CSA https://www.spglobal.com/esg/csa/

19 consecutive years Selected as a component of DJSI Asia Pacific



FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index 2 consecutive years Selected as a component of indexes

In recognition of the efforts to address climate change and the information disclosure, the Company has been selected for the CDP A-List, the world's most prestigious list in the environmental field.



**5 consecutive years**Selected

# Received the following awards and certification in recognition of our outstanding initiatives to promote diversity.

**Diversity Management Selection 100** 



Acquired Kurumin certification as a company that supports child rearing



Acquired Eruboshi certification based on the Act on Promotion of Woman's Participation and Advancement



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