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Sumitomo Dainippon Pharma Co., Ltd.

Sumitomo Dainippon Pharma Listed in FTSE4Good Index Series of Socially Responsible Investment and FTSE Blossom Japan Index

Sumitomo Dainippon Pharma Co., Ltd. has been selected for inclusion in the FTSE4Good Index Series of socially responsible investment (SRI)^{*1} for 17 years in succession, starting in 2003, and in FTSE Blossom Japan Index Series for 3 years in succession since 2017.

The FTSE4Good Index Series is a leading series of SRI indices produced by FTSE Russell^{*2} in order to measure firms' sustainability and ESG approach from the standpoints of Environmental, Social and Governance practices.

The FTSE Blossom Japan Index is created by FTSE Russell to measure the performance of Japanese companies demonstrating strong Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) practices.

Corporate Mission of Sumitomo Dainippon Pharma is "To broadly contribute to society through value creation based on innovative research and development activities for the betterment of healthcare and fuller lives of people worldwide". Sumitomo Dainippon Pharma defines the implementation of this Corporate Mission as "CSR-Based Management". Sumitomo Dainippon Pharma will continue to promote CSR-based management and the sustainable enhancement of corporate value.



FTSE4Good

FTSE Blossom
Japan

***1 Socially Responsible Investment (SRI)**

Investment strategy whereby potential investors take into account assessments of a company's policies and actions in respect of corporate social responsibility, environmental issues, and governance, in addition to analysis of financial performance.

***2 FTSE Russell**

A company that delivers tools for investment decision-making on a global scale, including the development and management of numerous indices. Wholly owned by the London Stock Exchange.

<Reference information>

For CSR Initiatives of Sumitomo Dainippon Pharma and External Evaluation, please visit the website.

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