

About This Document

Purpose of Publication

This report is published for the purpose of comprehensive disclosure of the Hitachi Metals Group's basic approach to corporate social responsibility (CSR), and the content of its related activities.

Note: The main activities for fiscal 2020 are detailed in "The Hitachi Metals Group Report 2021 (Integrated Report)."

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The Scope of This Report

Period covered: The report focuses on fiscal 2020 (April 1, 2020 to March 31, 2021).

Organizations covered: Hitachi Metals, Ltd. and consolidated subsidiaries

Scope of recorded data: **Finance** Hitachi Metals, Ltd., 61 consolidated subsidiaries, and 9 equity method companies

Social Unless stated otherwise, Hitachi Metals, Ltd.

Environment The extent of the data on the environmental burden created by the Hitachi Metals Group is described later.

Major changes occurring within the reporting period: None applicable

Underlying Guidelines

GRI Standards (Global Reporting Initiative)

ISO 26000: 2010 (International Organization for Standardization)

Disclaimer

This report contains forward-looking statements and descriptions of plans, estimates, and projections, as well as facts about the Hitachi Metals Group in the past and at present. Such statements and descriptions reflect our current assumptions and expectations of future events based on information available at present. Accordingly, they are inherently susceptible to uncertainties and changes in circumstances, and future performance and events may differ.