

Osaka Gas selected for the DJSI World Index for the second consecutive year

Osaka Gas Co., Ltd. (Takehiro Honjo, President), has been selected for inclusion in the Dow Jones Sustainability World Index for the third consecutive year, as well as Asia/Pacific Index for the eleventh consecutive year.

Those are the socially responsible investment^{*1} (SRI) indexes of the companies, announced on September 13, 2019, which S&P Dow Jones & Company, Inc.^{*2} in the United States and RobecoSAM^{*3} based in Switzerland developed in 1999. Under the circumstances where an increasing number of investors take company's sustainability in consideration for their investment in addition to financial state, DJSI is leading SRI index which investors utilize as one of evaluation criteria for investment.

In 2019, 318 companies among about 3,500 companies have been selected as the component of the World Index. Three companies including Osaka Gas were selected from the gas utilities, while Japanese companies selected in the Index reached 33.

We recognize that our efforts on management and accountability for the environment, society and governance in line with global/domestic reporting guidelines contributing to sustainability of the society^{*4} have been highly evaluated.

Osaka Gas intends to contribute to the realization of a sustainable society through successful achievement of its long term management vision toward 2030 and medium-term management plan toward 2020, "Going Forward Beyond Borders".

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*1: "Socially Responsible Investment" is an investment strategy which aims for both financial growth

and social good. Social responsibility includes addressing issues involved with societal aspects including compliance, human rights, labor, product responsibility, environment, community contribution and governance.

*2: It was established in 1882 and is the world's largest, global resource for index-based concepts, data and researches which provides iconic financial market indicators, such as the S&P 500 and the Dow Jones Industrial Average.

*3: It was established in 1995 and offers asset management, indices, and so on exclusively on sustainability investment.

*4: Please refer to our CSR report

CSR of Daigas Group: https://www.osakagas.co.jp/csr_e/

Management and CSR of the Daigas Group:

https://www.osakagas.co.jp/csr_e/beginning/index.html

Commendation from the Outside: https://www.osakagas.co.jp/csr_e/reportpolicy/value.html

IR Documents / Financial Statements: <https://www.osakagas.co.jp/en/ir/library/index.html>