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Sony started to issue its Environmental Report in 1994. The report was then issued as Sony's CSR Report from 2003 to 2017, and has been issued as the Sustainability Report since 2018. The Sustainability Report 2022 has been issued to provide a comprehensive and detailed report on non-financial information for a wide range of stakeholders. This report categorizes into eight areas of activity, and it focuses on activities in fiscal year 2021. It is issued with the approval of the corporate executive officer in charge of sustainability.

Scope:

Sony Group Corporation, consolidated subsidiaries and other companies within the scope of consolidation
In this report, "Sony" refers to the "Sony Group," as distinct from Sony Group Corporation and Sony Corporation. "Headquarters" refers to Sony Group Corporation. The "Sony Group" refers to Sony Group Corporation (the parent company operating in Japan) and all consolidated subsidiaries in which Sony Group Corporation holds a capital stake of more than 50%. For a list of consolidated subsidiaries please see "Affiliated Companies" on Sony's website.

[Affiliated Companies](#)

Period Covered

FY2021 (April 1, 2021 - March 31, 2022)
Some information on activities in April 2022 and after is also included.

Date of Issue

August 2022 (Previous report issued: August 2021; issued annually)

Referenced Guidelines

The information in this report is presented with reference to the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) Standards. This report also refers to the Environmental Reporting Guidelines (Fiscal year 2018 version) published by Japan's Ministry of the Environment.

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Reporting Principles of Materiality

Sony has defined materiality as "material topics related to sustainability that impact Sony's value creation and are based on mid- to long-term social changes and the needs of diverse stakeholders," and conducted a materiality assessment from the perspectives of both the company and the stakeholders.

[→ Materiality](#)

Third-Party Verification

For a third-party report on the verification of environmental data, please use the link below.

[→ Independent Assurance Statement](#)

Disclosure and Communication of Financial and Non-Financial Information

Sony understands the importance of appropriate disclosure to and communication with stakeholders. Since 2019, Sony has been issuing its Corporate Report to comprehensively communicate financial information and non-financial information, including policies for mid- to long-term value creation and business strategies.

Sony also posts financial data, non-financial information and business summaries designed primarily for investors and shareholders on the Investor Relations section of its website.

In addition, Sony issues its Sustainability Report to provide a wide range of stakeholders with non-financial information on topics such as activities related to sustainability and CSR.

Disclosure of Financial and Non-Financial Information



Media Utilized for Disclosure

Reports

- [Corporate Report](#)
- [Corporate Governance Report \(in Japanese\)](#)
- [Securities Report \(in Japanese\)](#)

Website Links

- [Investor Relations](#)
- [Sustainability](#)

Sony's Purpose & Values

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