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KPIs and FY2023/3 results are listed for the identified materiality.

For the materiality identification process, please refer to Sustainable Management and Materiality on page 20.

s Classification	Materiality	Content	KPIs	Target	FY2023/3 Results	Related Page
Sustainable Product	Contribute to beauty and health	Providing solutions for the pharmaceutical and medical markets Providing sustainable cosmetic raw materials and health food	Our chiral columns used in pharmaceutical analysis methods' Total number of people provided with functional food ingredients per year	-FY2026/3: 95 cases (cumulative) -FY2026/3: 2.23 million (twice the FY2021/3 figure)	-88 cases (cumulative) -1.42 million	P.38 Medical/Healthcare
	Contribute to the smart society	Providing solvents for semiconductor processing and polymers for resists Providing functional films that contribute to higher functionality of displays	New product rate of safe, high-boiling point solvents essential for advanced semiconductor manufacturing processes?	*FY2026/3: 23.9%	-3.2%	□ P.40 Smart
	Provide safety and security for society	Providing products that ensure safety and security of mobility	• Average number of our safety devices installed per vehicle' ³ • Diversified small mobility devices' ⁴ and new safety devices to prevent home accidents' ⁵ put on the market	-FY2026/3: 3 units/vehicle -FY2026/3: New stable device proposals FY2031/3: 2 cases	• 2 units/vehicle • New business plans under consideration: 2	P.42 Safety
	Provide environment- friendly materials and technology	Providing materials and technology that reduce environmental impact such as environment-friendly plastics	Rate of recyclable raw materials's used in products Production of environment-friendly (highly biodegradable, etc.) cellulose acetate	-FY2031/3: 30% or more -FY2026/3: 10,000-20,000 tonnes/year	• 15.9% • 7,993 tonnes/year	■ P.26 Sustainable Product
Sustainable Process	Contribute to the development of a circular society	*Building Biomass Value Chain *Reuse of waste and CO ₂	•External proposals for resource recycling systems using natural materials	-FY2026/3: 3 cases	•Under research and development	■ P.26 Sustainable Product ■ P.28 Sustainable Process
	Respond to climate change	Reduction of GHG emissions through production innovation, energy innovation, and process innovation	•GHG emission reduction rate of our Group ⁻⁷	-Scope 1 and 2 FY2031/3: 50% reduction (compared to FY2019/3)	•1% increase	☐ P.28 Sustainable Process ☐ Response to Climate Change https://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/ environment/climate-change.html
Sustainable People	Promote diversity and inclusion	Work environment where everyone can work with vigor regardless of gender, age, nationality or disability	 Ratio of women in management position^{*8} Ratio of persons with disabilities that have been with the Company more than three years^{*8} (1 - persons with disabilities that left the Company in three years after joining / total number of employed persons with disabilities) × 100 	-FY2026/3: 10% or more -Sustain 95% or more	-4.9% -96.0%	P.34 Sustainable People Promoting Diversity and Inclusion https://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/social diversity.html
	Support personal growth	Personnel development for honing expertise Framework to support employees who take on challenges Building highly fair evaluation system	•Status of initiatives for personnel development, review of personnel system, introduction and review of career seminars or management training for division heads'*	*Disclose results	Strengthened system to support employee's career autonomy -Expanded age-specific career training by adding career training for 40s in addition to career training for 50s -Established a Career Support Center in the Human Resources Division to support employee's career development Added a business management course (a course to practice planning from data utilization issue setting and investment proposals to business application) to digital literacy education	P 34 Sustainable People Support for Human Resource Development https://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/social/hrd.html
Environment	Reduce environmental impact	- Promotion of waste reduction and recycling	Percentage of industrial waste recycled by our business sites and domestic Group companies	-FY2026/3: 99% or more	-98.4%	Reduction and Recycling of Industrial Waste https://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/environment/industrial-waste.html
Social	Ensure process safety and disaster prevention, occupational health and safety	- Elimination of process incidents - Minimization of damages based on crisis assessments	- Serious occupational accidents' ⁸ - Serious process safety incidents' ⁸ - Percentage of safety training held based on past incidents (occupational accidents and process safety incidents)' ⁸	-Continue zero cases -Continue zero cases -Continue to 100%	*Zero cases *Zero cases *100%	Process Safety and Disaster Prevention https://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/social safety-security.html Decupational Health and Safety https://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/social/obs.
	Ensure chemical safety and enhance product quality	Reinforced quality management to prevent recurrence of quality defects Centralized management and sharing of chemical substance information	•RC-related regulation audit rate ⁻⁸ •Rate of initial response to customer complaints within 24 hours ^{-8,9}	-FY2026/3: 100% -FY2026/3: 100%	-41% -88%	Chemical and Product Safety https://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/social chemical-safety.html Enhancing Product Quality https://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/social quality.html
	Respect human rights	Establishment and implementation of human rights due diligence Development of a framework for corrective and remedial action against human rights abuses, and employee education	-Status of efforts to respect human rights for the Daicel Group and the supply chain as a whole (status of conducting due diligence)	- Disclose results	-Human rights due diligence on our Group companies implementation rate for FY2020/3-FY2023/3: 63.2% Implemented at 18 domestic Group companies out of 19 and 18 overseas Group companies out of 38 ¹⁰ -Planned and implemented human rights due diligence on suppliers	Respect for Human Rights https://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/social human-rights.html
	Foster a corporate culture that meets employee needs	Shorter working hours and improvement in the annual paid leave acquisition ratio Employee health promotion Support for flexible work styles	•Annual continuous paid leave acquisition rate (a five-day holiday taken once per year) •Status of efforts to promote employee health *8	+FY2026/3: 100% - Disclose results	*56.3% (Percentage of employees who took 3 consecutive days of annual paid leave. Calculated as 5 consecutive days off, including Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays.) *Expanded the babysitter assistance program to support employees raising children to work without worries *Distributed "Childcare Leave Guidebook" to eligible employees and their supervisors, which explains childcare leave benefits and other information in an easy-to-understand manner *Established the Group Health Support Center as an organization dedicated to health management to promote the physical and mental health of each and every employee at four levels: company-wide, by business unit, by workplace, and by individual *Promoted health management aimed at the physical and mental health of each and every employee, as well as their families, business partners, and local residents, by holding sporting events, etc.	Foster a Corporate Culture That Meets Employee https://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/social/wlb
	Promote sustainable procurement	*Improved level of CSR across the supply chain	Sustainable procurement rate (Percentage of raw fuel suppliers that meet our reference points as a result of SAQ)	-FY2024/3: 100%	-79%	Sustainable Procurement https://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/social supply-chain.html
Governance	Strengthen foundation for Group governance and compliance	Reinforce corporate governance Enforce thorough compliance Strengthen risk management	Status of efforts to strengthen the supervisory function by the Board of Directors Rate at which legal checks are made and response measures taken for material matters requiring executive decision	*Disclose results *Continue to100%	Conducted an evaluation of the effectiveness of the Board of Directors based on discussions at the Board of Directors meeting, using a method involving a third-party organization Identified multiple issues and improvement areas from an objective perspective by observing board meetings, involving board members in the preparation of questionnaires, and participating in interviews 100%	© P.56 Corporate Governance thtps://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/governa P.63 Corporate Compliance thtps://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/governance/compliance.html
	- Simplicante		•Issues reported to the Help Line •Percentage of executives and employees who know how to use the Help Line system and can contact the Help Line when they discover compliance violations' ¹¹ (= percentage of employees who have taken Help Line reporting training)	Disclose results FY2026/3: 100%	*76 cases *10.1%	Risk Management https://www.daicel.com/en/sustainability/ governance/risk-management.html

^{*1} Targets: Pharmacopoeias in Japan, the U.S. and Europe *2 Highly safe high boiling point solvents: Solvents for electronic materials with high solubility and low toxicity such as MMPGAC *3 Targets: Products for Japanese automakers *4 Bicycles, mobility scooters, electric kick scooters, etc. *5 Drowning while bathing indoors, infant suffocation, falls, etc.

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^{*6} Recyclable raw materials: biomass raw material, use of atmospheric CO₂, reuse and recycling of waste materials/Recycling targets: Main resin materials of Daicel, Polyplastics, and Daicel Miraizu *7 Realization of carbon neutrality in FY2051/3 (Scopes 1, 2, 3) *8 Scope: Daicel Corporation *9 Scope: Domestic manufacturing sites of Daicel Corporation *10 The number of target companies fluctuates because of M&A and business restructuring *11 Daicel and domestic Group companies