

Non-financial Highlights

ESG Management—Initiative basics (from an investor's perspective)

SuMi TRUST Bank's ESG Investment Balance

(September 30, 2017)

25 trillion yen

Our Group is a pioneer of ESG investment in Japan. We continue to be one of Japan's largest ESG institutional investors, using a variety of investment methods for stocks and bonds.

The SuMi TRUST Group's ESG Evaluation

(2017 MSCI rating)

AA

We reflect the perspectives of ESG investors in our management, through which we aim to become the No. 1 financial institution for ESG management. We have been evaluated highly for our ESG efforts, such as receiving the top rating of financial institution in Japan from an influential research institution in the field.

ESG Management—Enhanced initiatives

Sustainability in Our Business

5 major themes

We are developing businesses that resolve issues for clients. These are mainly linked to the five major themes of climate change issues, natural capital (biodiversity issues), environmentally friendly property, sustainable investment (ESG investment), and super-aging society issues.

E (Volume of Greenhouse-gas Emissions)

(FY2017)

(27)%

SuMi TRUST Bank has significantly reduced the total greenhouse-gas emissions from facilities within the scope of the Act on the Rational Use of Energy, compared to its post-business merger emissions peak (in FY2013).

S (Ratio of Male Employees Taking Childcare Leave)

(FY2017)

100%

Our Group supports the active participation by women, while also working to help men achieve diverse work styles and a work-life balance. All qualified male employees at SuMi TRUST Bank have taken childcare leave.

G (Ratio of External Directors)

(March 31, 2018)

47%

SuMi TRUST Holdings has raised its ratio of external directors to 47%. This trend has enhanced the functioning of the Board of Directors, which supervises the management from an independent and objective viewpoint.