	Material ESG issues	Action theme	Person in charge	SDGs we aim to support	Our vision	FY2023 Goals	FY2022 Results
Value creation							
Creation of sustainable food resources	 There are growing concerns about shortages of protein sources, increase in environmental impacts and uneven food distribution due to population growth. We work on the development of plant-based proteins with low environmental impact in order to curb the environmental deterioration caused by increased food production. Moreover, we are increasing food choices and contributing to a healthy diet by responding to the diverse needs of each country and region, such as food traditions and values, preferences and allergies. Creating positive impact Provide an abundance of food settings with diverse food options Help eliminate uneven distribution of food resources and improve health through a sustainable supply of protein sources Reduce environmental impact by increasing consumption of plant-based food ingredients (reduce CO₂ emissions and water consumption) 	Creation of plant-based protein resources	CTO		Increase dietary choices to help address food supply problems and other global issues by making plant-based proteins widely and readily available to the general public	 Develop next-generation soy meat ingredients that provide new value Develop plant-based processed foods and their markets to help address issues for our customers and society 	 Marketed two soy meat ingredients developed to provide flavor, meat-like fibrous texture and mouthfeel Marketed ten processed food products (side dishes, noodle soup, confectionery, etc.) replacing meat, milk, and eggs with plant-based ingredients
Health and nutrition	Amid concerns about health issues increasing as people transition to new life stages or adopt different dietary and lifestyle habits, there is a need to create a society in which they can lead purposeful lives free from disability. We are helping extend healthy life expectancy by ensuring that health and well-being remain balanced with the enjoyment of food. We do this by promoting active intake of stabilized DHA/EPA which shows promise in	Solutions for healthy aging and well-being	СТО	3 meneral M	In Japan, one of the world's most "super-aging" societies, contribute to creating a society where seniors can continue to lead better lives with a sense of purpose. Prevent senior health issues and contribute to their well-being by developing food ingredients, building a network of partners and working on bringing out these issues	 Conduct a comparative study of PRORARE[®] (fresh DHA) and general oil (general DHA) using easy-to-ingest soft capsules for an internal proof of concept Aim to identify one or more oxidation markers to bring out the effects of antioxidant treatment in human (establish differentiated advantages) 	 Carried out human studies in collaboration with Shimane University. Showed characteristic changes in biomarkers with intake of stabilized DHA/EPA Showed a significant increase in serum concentrations of DHA with a single intake of stabilized DHA/EPA Drafted action plans to collaborate with municipalities on building a network of partnerships for health. Did not lead to actual partnerships due to issues with ensuring impartiality on industry-government collaborations
	of stabilized DHA/EPA, which shows promise in maintaining and improving health in older people, and through reducing excessive consumption of food ingredients such as sugars and trans fatty acids, which increase the risk of lifestyle diseases.	Reduction of sugars intake	СТО	3 menetika 	Provide nutritionally balanced food products that help prevent lifestyle-related diseases by replacing certain sugars with plant-based protein ingredients	Expand the market for low-sugar/protein-fortified foods	 Developed a soy protein ingredient for low-sugar/high-protein rice and noodle dishes, and used this in 11 health-oriented products Established a recipe for sugar-free drinks to improve taste and satisfaction, and promoted this to customers
	<u>Creating positive impact</u> Achieve well-being for older people Prevent lifestyle-related diseases Achieve both good taste and good health 	Reduction of trans fatty acid content	CSO	3 menorum	Reduce the amount of trans fatty acids (TFA) contained in products in compliance with the WHO's recommendations and the laws and regulations of each country (in regions where the TFA intake exceeds 1% of the total daily energy intake)	 Palmaju Edible Oil Sdn. Bhd. (Malaysia), Fuji Oil (Singapore) Pte. Ltd., Fuji Oil (Zhang Jia Gang) Co., Ltd. (China): Reduce TFA in all products subject to change (to less than 2 g/100 g of total fat or oil) 	11 out of 14 relevant Group companies outside Japan have completed the switch to low-TFA products (as of March 2023)
Sustainable procurement	There are pressing issues that need to be addressed in the regions that produce the key and strategic raw materials used in our businesses. These are deforestation and destruction of natural ecosystems due to plantation developments, forced labor and child labor. We conduct our business activities based on our Supplier Code of	Sustainable procurement of palm oil	CSO	8 minutes 12 minutes 13 minutes 13 minutes 13 minutes 13 minutes 13 minutes 13 minutes 13 minutes 14 minutes 15 minutes 15 minutes 16 minutes 17 minutes 18 minutes 19 minu	 Achieve "No Deforestation, No Peatland Development, No Exploitation (NDPE)" throughout the supply chain Achieve 100% traceability to plantation (TTP) by 2030 Implement the Labour Transformation Programme (LTP) at all direct suppliers by 2030 	 Traceability to mill (TTM): 100% Traceability to plantation (TTP): 85% Continue constant monitoring using satellite images to identify, observe, verify and eliminate deforestation in the supply chain Implement LTP at suppliers of Palmaju Edible Oil Sdn. Bhd. (Malaysia): 70% 	 TTM: 100% TTP: 93% Continued constant monitoring using satellite images LTP implementation at suppliers of Palmaju Edible Oil Sdn. Bhd. (Malaysia): 61%
	 Conduct and responsible sourcing policies as part of securing sustainable procurement for the future. Going forward, we will continue to work on reducing our environmental impact and addressing human rights issues in production regions. Negative impacts to be reduced Human rights violations due to outdated labor practices Poverty of farmers Child labor, forced labor Exploitation of indigenous peoples, local residents and workers Destruction or loss of natural ecosystems Land use conversion Pollution from improper waste disposal 	Sustainable procurement of cocoa	CSO		 End child labor by 2030 End the "worst forms of child labor" defined by ILO Convention by 2025 Improve living conditions of farmers Prevent deforestation and conserve forest: Plant one million trees on cocoa-growing regions by 2030 	 Complete GPS mapping of 90% of farms to improve direct procurement and traceability system Continue introducing the Child Labour Monitoring and Remediation System (CLMRS) in farming communities across our direct supply chain Provide support for women's empowerment in 173 communities across our direct supply chain (Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana, and Ecuador) Continue GAP*1 training to farms across our direct supply chain Plant 130,000 trees across our direct supply chain (Côte d'Ivoire) Assess deforestation related to the supply chain using data provided by Satelligence and conduct deforestation risk assessment for over 140,000 hectares of land 	 89% of farm plots mapped within direct supply chain (Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana and Ecuador) Support programs in Ghana: Conducted GPS mapping of target farms Monitored target farms using CLMRS 30,846 farmers participated in the GAP training program (Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana and Ecuador) Finished selecting partners for continuing initiative to plant one million trees 60,000 trees planted
		Sustainable procurement of soybeans	CSO	12 minute I 3 minute I 3 minute I 3 minute I 5 min	 No deforestation, no exploitation, and ensure compliance in the supply chain Traceability achieved to primary collection points by 2025 and to the community level by 2030, or 100% procurement of RTRS*2-certified products or products certified to equivalent standards 	 Better engagement with suppliers through self-assessment feedback Carry out initiatives to achieve traceability goals 	 70% traceability Completed supplier self-assessments Formulated improvement plan for FY2023
		Sustainable procurement of shea kernels	CSO	1 Sector States 10 Million 10 Million 1	 Deforestation prevention and parkland protection: Plant 6,000 trees/year until 2030 Traceability to the regional level: 50% by 2025, 75% by 2030 Direct procurement of shea kernels from Tebma-Kandu cooperatives: 30% by 2025, 50% by 2030 Create value in local communities: Increase permanent, direct employees at Fuji Oil Ghana Ltd. by 50% (base year: 2017) 	 Plant 6,000 trees/year Traceability to the regional level: 50% Direct procurement rate of shea kernels from Tebma-Kandu cooperatives: 15% 	 6,107 trees planted Direct procurement of shea kernels from Tebma-Kandu cooperatives: 3.4% Permanent, direct employees at Fuji Oil Ghana Ltd.: 60% increase (base year: 2017)
Environment							
Climate change	Global warming is an urgent issue for the sustainability of our businesses, which rely on agricultural products for most of our raw materials. We contribute to mitigating climate change by cutting CO ₂ emissions not only within our business operations but also throughout our supply chain. <u>Negative impacts to be reduced</u> • CO ₂ emissions across the supply chain	CO ₂ emissions reduction Environmentally responsible production	ESG Division Officer CTO		Environmental Vision 2030 Scope 1 and 2: 40% reduction (absolute) Scope 3 (Category 1): 18% reduction (absolute) Achieve both by 2030 (based year:2016) Note: Approved by the Science Based Targets initiative (SBTi) Technologies developed for eliminating chemicals, capturing and utilizing carbon (CCU), and other applications reduce the Group's global environmental impact across its value chain	 Promote energy conservation efforts, renewable energy use and other initiatives Engage with key suppliers Put the test cultivation environment in place and collect the data required for selecting soybean varieties, with the aim of building a soybean plant production site that effectively utilizes CO₂ emissions Study the reduction in environmental impact (CO₂ emissions reduction) achieved by streamlining the production process using new oils and fats from new plant breeds developed by breeding technology 	 Scope 1 and 2 (total): 26% reduction (base year:2016) Scope 3 (Category 1): 12% increase (base year:2016) Established a new enzyme-based oil and fat processing technology which uses less chemicals than the conventional technique Started development of a soybean plant production site using the waste heat and CO₂ generated by a waste incineration facility, working with Saga City, Saga University, and ITOCHU ENEX Co., Ltd. Regarding the practical use of new raw materials for oils and fats developed by breeding,
Water resources	Water is widely used as a raw material as well as in the manufacturing process. We enhance the sustainability of limited water resources by reducing the amount of water used and proper water management at each process in our business operations. <u>Negative impacts to be reduced</u> • Water resource depletion • Water resource pollution	Water use reduction	ESG Division Officer	6 Enternantia Inte	Environmental Vision 2030 20% reduction in water use (intensity) by 2030 (base year: 2016)	 Make preparations for setting new water use reduction targets Promote continuous reduction and raise awareness levels 	some components were confirmed to affect product quality 27% reduction (base year: 2016)
Circular economy	Effectively using food resources without generating waste is essential to achieving a circular economy. The entire Group is committed to reducing waste and developing upcycling technologies.	Waste reduction	ESG Division Officer	12 1111	Environmental Vision 2030 10% reduction in waste (intensity) by 2030 (base year: 2016)	Promote continuous reduction and raise awareness levels	4.7% reduction (base year: 2016)
	Negative impacts to be reduced Consumption of excess energy and food resources 	Reduction and upcycling of food loss and waste	СТО	12 with the second seco	Contribute to reducing food loss and waste throughout the value chain through technology innovation and reuse/upcycling of byproducts	 Develop technologies and products to maintain food quality longer and expand the market Add new functions and seek value through effective use of byproducts 	 Established technologies to improve longevity and resistance to degradation over time, and brought seven products to market Confirmed effectiveness of soluble pea fiber as a stabilizer for acidic plant protein drinks
Biodiversity	While benefitting from rich natural ecosystems, the business activities of the Fuji Oil Group affect biodiversity as well as climate change. We are working to conserve and restore biodiversity, in order to help create a society in harmony with nature. <u>Negative impacts to be reduced</u> • Loss of natural ecosystems	Biodiversity conservation and restoration	ESG Division Officer	13 ==	Build a nature positive value chain	Study dependence and impact on biodiversity	Established and announced the Fuji Oil Group Policy on Biodiversity
Safety and quality							
Product safety	Providing safe, quality food products is a social responsibility of food manufacturers. With food safety as our top priority, the Fuji Oil Group provides safe, quality	Ensuring product safety and quality	ESG Division Officer	12 mm	Ensure that the Fuji Oil Group is never a cause for complaints for any of the products it manufactures	Zero serious quality-related complaints	Serious quality-related complaints: 0

Product safety and quality	 our top priority, the Fuji Oil Group provides safe, quality products to all its customers as well as better food choices to consumers. <u>Negative impacts to be reduced</u> Health damage, violation of food laws and regulations 	salety and quality	Uniter			
Occupational health and safety	 Employee safety is the foundation of our business activities. If a serious accident or serious property damage accident occurs, it will have a huge impact on employees, their families, local communities and on greater society, and will also affect production activities. We create a safe and secure workplace by ensuring the health and safety of our employees, based on the idea that safety comes first. <u>Negative impacts to be reduced</u> Serious accidents or serious property damage accidents Work-related injury, illness, or poor physical health Outbreak of infectious disease in the workplace 	Promoting occupational health and safety	ESG Division Officer	3 metric	Place top priority on safety and respect for humanity. Keep all Group companies accident free by creating safe and comfortable workplaces Eliminate the occurrence of serious accidents and serious property damage accidents	 One serious accident and zero serious property damage accidents One fatal accident at Fuji Vegetable Oil (U.S.)
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Creating a workplace that accepts diverse values and • Equity: Remove barriers experienced by people from disadvantaged communities, DE&I management*4 Human <u>Group-wide</u> <u>Group-wide</u> ₫ **Resource and** provide equitable opportunities and conduct fair evaluations encourages individuality is crucial for innovation and for Increased diversity of the Management Committee Meeting (with foreign nationals and Increase diversity on executive teams Administration responding to diversifying customer needs and values. We Inclusion: Build a corporate culture that fosters feelings of belonging among all women) to 45% (as of April 1, 2023) Develop the next generation of executive talent **Division Head** respect the diversity of our employees and practice our employees Develop global talent through our global trainee program Selected candidates for the next generation of executive talents from across the entire • Diversity: Harness diversity for business model and value creation Fuji Oil Group Management Philosophy to "Work for Group and expanded the pool of human resources <u>Japan</u> people" so that all our human resources can make the Sent two trainees from Japan on international assignments Encourage diverse work styles most of their abilities. Ensure equity <u>Japan</u> Support long-term, meaningful employment of people with disabilities Increased work-style options by revising our contracted reemployment program, expanding Creating positive impact our telework system, etc. <u>Outside Japan</u> Provide equitable opportunities and fair evaluations Provided self-development opportunities to all employees, regardless of employment Embed DE&I into company culture Promote decent work arrangement Promote cultural reforms • Leverage the creativity of diverse and highly Established a support system for long-term employment of people with disabilities specialized teams <u>Outside Japan</u> Negative impacts to be reduced Blommer Chocolate Company (U.S.) Recruited volunteers throughout the organization and established a DE&I Committee for • Discrimination based on nationality, gender, race, age, undertaking activities sexual orientation, character, or disability DE&I*3 Harald Indústria e Comércio de Alimentos Ltda (Brazil) Has been undertaking long-term DE&I actions to create a workplace with inclusive leadership, equality, and equitable opportunities free of prejudice and discrimination China Held workshops for all employees across all regions to raise awareness of the company's vision Established a new communication channel for employees to enable whistleblowing or consultation Achieved the target of 50% female or locally based executives Fuji Vegetable Oil, Inc. (U.S.) Held leadership training for supervisors Built relationships with vocational schools in target areas and started full-scale recruitment activities Southeast Asia

Europe

Carried out work style reforms

Held regular council meetings composed of employee representatives and management

							executives
Securing and developing human resources	Securing the human resources that create new value and developing the skills and competence expected of each individual are the keys to growth of both the Group and its employees and to enhancing our business competitiveness. We will continue to carry out measures and foster an organizational culture that encourages employee independence and engagement. <u>Creating positive impact</u> Improve employee engagement Leverage the creativity of diverse and highly specialized teams	Securing and developing human resources	Human Resource and Administration Division Head		 Increase number of specialists in every field compared to the status quo, with many of our talents contributing to maintaining and expanding our market share in the face of changes in and outside Japan Have successor candidates ready to take over for key positions (executive officers, general managers, section managers) 	 Securing human resources Review hiring methods for new graduates Avoid skills mismatch by reviewing hiring methods for production workforce Developing human resources Launch a new education program Train key personnel for international assignments Develop succession plans 	Not included in material ESG issues in FY2022
GRC*5	In a highly uncertain business environment, building resilience and conducting risk-proof business management is vital. We aim to enhance corporate value by strengthening Group governance through initiatives to minimize chance of risk occurrence and impact in case of occurrence, such as by strengthening the BCP, information security and compliance. <u>Negative impacts to be reduced</u> • Suspension of operations due to emergency • Information leaks • Corruption, bribery, anti-competitive behavior, and other violations of laws and regulations	Risk management system	ESG Division Officer		Earn the trust of society by demonstrating high reliability and risk management capability	 Strengthen risk management in the Group Properly disclose information on the financial implications of climate-related risks based on the TCFD recommendations Prepare for appropriate information disclosure regarding biodiversity based on the TNFD framework 	 Conducted Group-wide discussion of risks at the Subcommittee on Group Significant Risks (four times in total) Performed risk assessments at regional headquarters and Group companies with new tools, and held risk management meetings based on the results Compiled the latest information for FY2023 changes to TCFD disclosure in annual securities reports Discussed the information to be disclosed at the Subcommittee on Group Significant Risks to add objectivity and validity Gathered the latest information on TNFD, investigated biodiversity issues connected to Group operations, and conducted a qualitative assessment of their impact on our business
		Information security management	CFO	12 mm	 Reform business processes and create corporate value through the use of information and communications technology (ICT) Facilitate the achievement of Group governance through the use of safe and secure ICT 	 Prevent serious security incidents across the entire Group Continue conducting measure evaluations by CSIRT, which include internal security audits (FY2023 plan: IT evaluation for six companies, OT evaluation for four companies) 	 Serious security incidents: 0 Revised the Group's Information Security Regulations to follow cyber risk trends and carried out onsite evaluations of measures taken by companies in accordance with the revised regulations (five companies in total)
		Strengthening compliance	Legal Division Head		Earn the trust of all stakeholders by conducting business fairly, transparently, and with integrity	 No serious violations of laws and regulations Conduct a compliance program including training for the entire Group Raise employee awareness of compliance 	 No serious violations of laws and regulations affecting Fuji Oil Group business operations Conducted risk assessments of cartel at Group companies and relevant individual interviews at sites assessed as high risk. Introduced measures in response to the results Received a 93.2% positive response rate to the question, "Does your workplace have a culture in which compliance is given priority when business and compliance are in conflict?" (2.6% increase over previous year)
		Group governance	CSO	12 mm CO	Enhance corporate value through the establishment of an effective Group governance system	 Disseminate our revised vision and enhance awareness of the Fuji Oil Group Management Philosophy Monitor management execution from the standpoint of our business segments and regional headquarters, in order to strengthen our global management 	 In April 2023, as a preliminary step toward enhancing awareness of the Group Management Philosophy, we provided guidance on the revision of our vision to all Group companies. The revision of our vision began with management-level interviews, followed by two deliberations at the Fuji Oil Holdings Inc. Management Committee Meeting and a resolution by the Board of Directors Transitioned to a company with an Audit and Supervisory Committee, with the Board of Directors conducting oversight focused on monitoring management execution
		Corporate governance	CSO	12	Improve corporate value through appropriate functioning of the Board of Directors	 Establish a Board of Directors with a focus on supervising (monitoring) corporate management 	Board of Directors with a focus on supervising (monitoring) corporate management resulting from the transition to a company with an Audit and Supervisory Committee

*1 Good Agricultural Practices

*2 Round Table on Responsible Soy Association

*3 Diversity, equity and inclusion.

*4 A term encapsulating the concepts and practices of providing equitable opportunities and evaluations and developing and leveraging diverse teams through inclusive management.

*5 Governance, risk, and compliance