

## External Evaluation / Editorial Policy

### External Evaluation

In September 2019, NGK was selected for the 4th consecutive year for the Dow Jones Sustainability Asia Pacific Index in the Dow Jones Sustainability Indices, a major index for socially responsible investment.

NGK has been honored with other selections. These include the MSCI Japan ESG Select Leaders Index, an operator of

Japan's Government Pension Investment Fund (GPIF); the MSCI Japan Empowering Women (WIN) Index; and the 2020 Certified Health & Productivity Management Outstanding Organizations Recognition Program (White 500), managed by Japan's Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI) and the Nippon Kenko Kaigi.



2020 CONSTITUENT MSCI JAPAN  
ESG SELECT LEADERS INDEX

MSCI JAPAN  
EMPOWERING WOMEN INDEX (WIN)



### Editorial Policy

The NGK Sustainability Data Book 2020 reports details of the NGK Group's ESG information. Stakeholders can find separate information on what strengths the NGK Group has to offer, how we are creating value, how we plan to grow further, and how we are contributing to sustainable development of society and the entire world in the NGK Report 2020. This data book has been prepared and edited in line with the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) Sustainability Reporting Standards.

#### ■ Target Organization

Indicated along with each article and data report included in this data book.

#### ■ Target Period

April 1, 2019 to March 31, 2020

#### ■ Forward-looking Statements

This report contains forward-looking statements such as performance forecasts. These forward-looking statements are based on things such as information currently available to NGK and on certain assumptions judged to be rational. Please note that actual performance may differ from forecasts due to various unforeseen reasons.