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Editorial Policy

This report has been prepared in order to deepen understanding of the Group among shareholders, investors, and the Group's other myriad stakeholders. It gathers together financial and non-financial information, such as that pertaining to the Group's business activities and its ESG initiatives.

In future reports, we will work to provide even better contents, and endeavor to disclose information to all of our stakeholders in an easy-to-understand manner.

Reporting Period

April 1, 2022–March 31, 2023

(Information from outside the above period is also included)

Reporting Scope

The Chugoku Electric Power Co., Inc. and its group companies

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Main Guidelines Referenced

METI: Guidance for Integrated Corporate Disclosure and Company-Investor Dialogues for Collaborative Value Creation

IIRC: International Integrated Reporting Framework

GRI: GRI Standards

FSB: Recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures (TCFD)

MOE: Environmental Reporting Guidelines (2018)

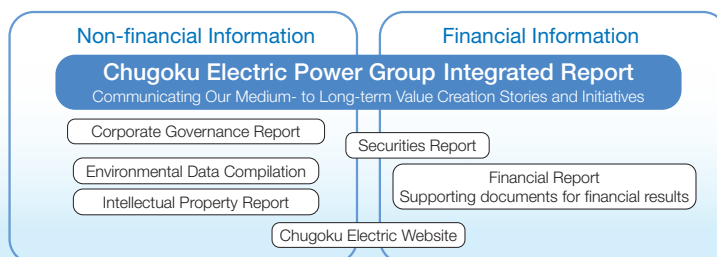
Caution Regarding Forward-looking Statements

The forward-looking statements contained in this report are based on currently available information and certain assumptions, and include risks and uncertainties. As such, due to various factors, actual results may differ greatly to those in this report.

Note 1: The company's fiscal year begins on April 1 and ends on March 31 of the following year. FY2023 is used to denote the year ended March 31, 2023.

Note 2: Throughout this report, "ton," or its abbreviation "t," refers to a metric ton, i.e. 1,000 kilograms.

Information Structure



Overview of the Chugoku Region

The Chugoku region is a manufacturing hub that boasts a high nationwide share of the total shipment value of manufactured products.



Traditional casting and special steel with advanced IT



Concentration of a wide range of industries including transportation machinery and pharmaceuticals



Concentration of a variety of unique industries creates innovation



Shifting industry structure from a basis in electronic appliances toward a focus on developing fields



Manufacturing bolstered by advanced technological ability

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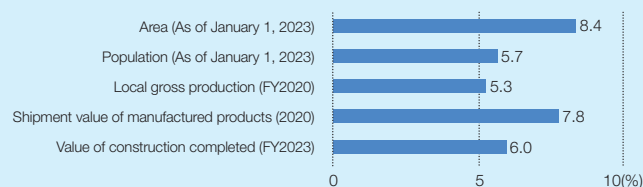
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Major economic indicators in proportion to the entire country



Source: Created based on the Chugoku Regional Innovation Research Center's Chugoku Regional Economic Review 2023

Share of electricity sales (FY2023)

Source: Survey of Electric Power Statistics (Agency for Natural Resources and Energy)

