Blue Challenge Report

Overview of Value Creation

History of RIKEN TECHNOS

1950-

Foundation and Early Era / **Establishment of Corporate Foundations**

RIKEN VINYL INDUSTRY CO., LTD., the predecessor of RIKEN TECHNOS, got its start in 1949 when basic research on polyvinyl chloride (PVC) compounding technology and investigation of its commercialization began at the Tokyo Institute of Technology. RIKEN VINYL INDUSTRY was established in 1951 as a start-up venture with little funds that relied solely on people and technology and focused on PVC resin processing.

Net Sales 120,000 r

60 000

40 000

20,000



Founding Period

1951

80,000 RIKEN VINYL INDUSTRY CO., LTD. founded

> Manufacture of PVC compounds started

1956

FY1950

Manufacture of calendaring film started 1970-

Establishment of Domestic Business Foundations

After the Company was established, it developed business primarily in the Tokyo metropolitan area, but in response to the increase in customers in the Kansai-Chukyo area, in 1973, the Osaka Sales Office was opened and operation of the Mie Factory started to establish a sales and production system covering the Kanto and Kansai regions. In 1974, the Company was listed on the first sections of the Tokyo and Nagoya stock exchanges, aiming to increase trust from customers and secure a stable supply of capital.



Mie Factory

RIKEN VINYL INDUSTRY listed on the second section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange

The Nameplate of the

Front Gate of RIKEN

1966

1961

RIKEN VINYL INDUSTRY developed Japan's first PVC food wrap



FY1960

Operations started at the Okabe Factory (currently the Saitama Factory) Film extrusion equipment relocated 1973

Osaka Sales Office opened (currently the Osaka Branch Office) Operations started at the Mie Factory

1974

RIKEN VINYL INDUSTRY listed on the first sections of the Tokyo and Nagoya stock exchanges

1979

Nagoya Sales Office opened

FY1970

1984

Polymer Research Lab established Polymer Research Lab & Film Development Center (currently the R&D Center) established

1989

RIKEN (THAILAND) CO., LTD. established



FY1980

2001

to overcome new challenges toward the future.

Full-scale Entry into Global Markets

to RIKEN TECHNOS CORPORATION in 2001.

RIKEN TEGUNOS

RIMTEC CORPORATION

Sales of thermoplastic

PT. RIKEN INDONESIA

FY1990

elastomer started

established in the United States

1990

1994

1995

established

RIKEN U.S.A.

Japanese companies started expanding overseas, but at

that time, they faced difficulties procuring high-quality mate-

rials locally, and in response to calls from customers, RIKEN

(THAILAND) CO., LTD. was established in 1989 as a full-scale

overseas compound production site. This was used as an oppor-

tunity to expand production and sales sites in the United States,

Indonesia, China, and Europe. The Company name was changed

1990-

Company name changed from RIKEN VINYL INDUSTRY CO., LTD., to RIKEN **TECHNOS CORPORATION**

The Company name "RIKEN TECHNOS" was taken from "RIKEN TECHNOLOGY SUPPLIER."

SHANGHAI RIKEN TECHNOS CORPORATION established in China

2003

RIKEN TECHNOS (JIANGSU) CORPORATION established in China

RIKEN ELASTOMERS

2006

CORPORATION established in the United States CORPORATION established



FY2000

2015-

It represents our commitment to refine the technologies we have developed so far to take them to an even higher level, and

Intensification of Global Management

With the establishment of overseas production and sales sites, the RIKEN TECHNOS GROUP has built organizational structures based on an awareness of global management encompassing both domestic and overseas sites. By optimizing production structures and enhancing and expanding supply networks, the Group was able to provide uniform "RIKEN TECHNOS quality" globally. In 2022, RIKEN TECHNOS CORPORATION was listed on the Prime Market of the Tokyo Stock Exchange. In the future, we will move forward as a "challenger" that continuously takes on new challenges.

2011

RIKEN ELASTOMERS (THAILAND) CO., LTD. established

2013

RIKEN TECHNOS INTERNATIONAL KOREA CORPORATION established

2014

RIKEN VIETNAM CO., LTD. established

2017

RIKEN AMERICAS CORPORATION established in the United States

2019

RIKEN TECHNOS INDIA PVT. LTD. established

2022

RIKEN TECHNOS listed on the Prime Market of the Tokyo Stock Exchange

FY2010

FY2020

Note: Net sales are the non-consolidated net sales of RIKEN TECHNOS until EV1998 and the consolidated net sales of the RIKEN TECHNOS GROUP from EV1999

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