

## Investor Information

(As of March 31, 2010)

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### Stock Transfer Agent:

Tokyo Securities Transfer Agent Co., Ltd.

### Listed Stock Exchanges:

Tokyo and Osaka (First Section, Code 5486)

**Total Number of Shares Issued:** 366,557,889

**Total Number of Shares Authorized:** 500,000,000

**Number of Shareholders:** 13,885 (including holders with less than the minimum share purchase)

### Shareholder Composition

Segment	Number of shareholders	Number of shares held (thousands of shares)	Percentage of shares held
Financial institutions	54	60,435	16.5%
Financial instruments firms	50	1,361	0.4
Other domestic corporations	263	204,074	55.9
Foreign entities and others	305	53,198	14.6
Individuals and others	9,278	46,089	12.6

\*Not including shares representing less than one unit.

\*\*Treasury stock is included in "Individuals and others."

### Major Shareholders

Shareholders	Number of shares held (thousands of shares)	Percentage of shares held
Hitachi, Ltd.	193,546	52.8%
The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd.	22,498	6.1
Japan Trustee Services Bank, Ltd.	19,380	5.3
State Street Bank and Trust Company	9,435	2.6
Northern Trust Company	5,114	1.4
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	4,686	1.3
Trust & Custody Services Bank, Ltd.	4,049	1.1
Daido Steel Co., Ltd.	3,572	1.0
The Nomura Trust and Banking Co., Ltd.	3,227	0.9
Nippon Life Insurance Company	3,145	0.9

\*Treasury stock held by incumbent president: 14,067 thousand shares (3.8%)

### Number of Employees:

17,806

### Enquiries:

Hitachi Metals, Ltd.

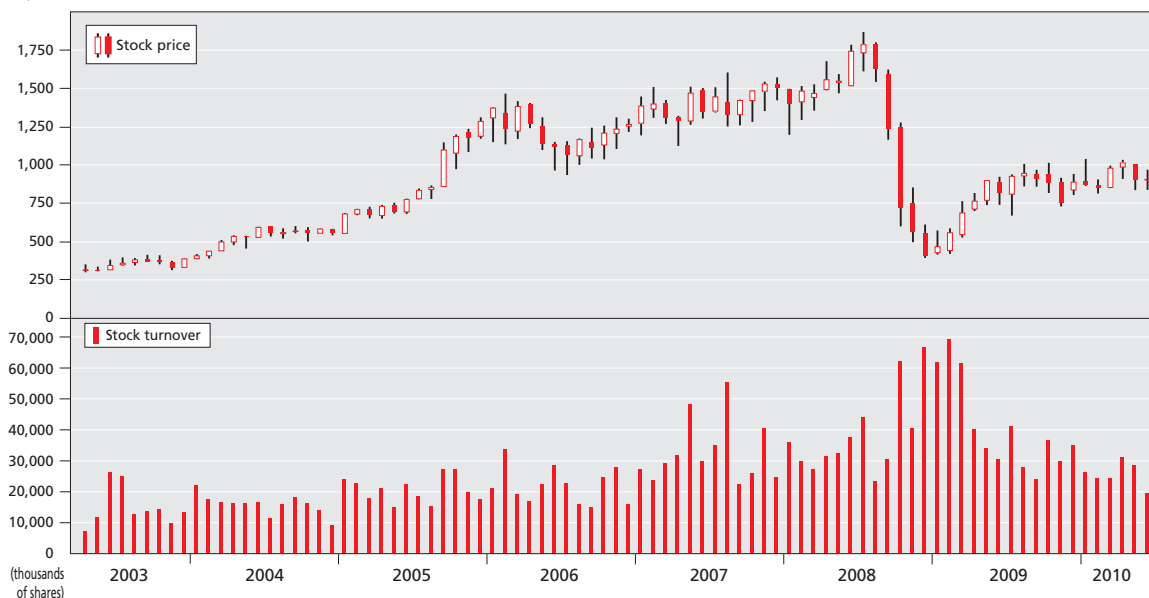
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(yen) ◎Stock Price Chart



### Relationship with Hitachi, Ltd.

In 1956, Hitachi Metals was spun off from Hitachi, Ltd. Hitachi Metals retains its autonomy in business operations and transactions in relation to Hitachi, Ltd. and Hitachi Group companies. In its business activities as a member of the Hitachi Group, Hitachi Metals maintains close cooperative relationships with Hitachi, Ltd. and Hitachi Group companies. Using the management resources of the Hitachi Group, Hitachi Metals provides products and services of the finest quality to fulfill market and customer needs as a development-driven company.