

KOMATSU

MATERE

COMPANY PROFILE

ART IN TECHNOLOGY

Komatsu Matere was founded in 1943 as a textile processing manufacturer in Komatsu City, Ishikawa Prefecture.

Since then, we have leveraged our sophisticated and unique dyeing and high-order post-processing technologies to realize high-level workmanship in both fashion and sports brands not only in Japan but worldwide.

Our field of business extends beyond textiles to health, civil engineering, and vehicles, diversifying even further into multiple other areas such as electronics and the environment.

Inspired by our slogan “Art in Technology,” we are driven to combine the craftsmanship and sensibility we have refined so far with our core of advanced technologies, to take our manufacturing to even more superb levels, while also opening up new markets.

As a manufacturer of chemical materials constantly generating new and original wares, we will continue to supply our customers with wonder and excitement.



Creation of originality in each process

TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH

A core for innovation

The Technology Labo Research and Development Center conducts fundamental research and develops new materials and environment-friendly facilities.

MATERIAL DEVELOPMENT

Creativity from expert skills

Our advanced technology creates products with innumerable possibilities multiplied through the combination of various ideas.

PRODUCTION CONTROL

Application of technologies developed since our foundation

We manufacture highly sensible and functional products in a wide variety of fields such as interior design, car interior, medicine and welfare, and electricity.

ENGINEERING

Advanced technology facilitating the progress of society

We correspond to constant technological changes. Our high-level skills are used in many areas of our business such as the design, development and modification of our production facilities.



Environment-friendly regional communities connected via materials

Through all our corporate activities and under the SDGs, we are earnestly engaged with global issues humanity is faced with, such as global warming, declining resources, or loss of biodiversity.

Our every effort is directed to balancing prosperity for human society with the protection of the environment, to conserve a healthy global environment.

In 1999, we established the Komatsu Seiren (our former company name) Environmental Management Declaration to position global environment preservation as our management priority. Subsequently, in 2020, we reorganized our policies into the five goals of the Komatsu Matere Sustainability Vision in order to realize a future sustainable society.

We will endeavor to work with integrity to realize a “global environment that allows for the coexistence of people, fibers and nature”.

[Komatsu Matere Sustainability Vision]

Climate change countermeasures



Company-wide energy saving efforts for the global environment

We will promote energy saving and improve production efficiency at our plants, and develop products that require less production energy than our previous products.

Contribution to the creation of a recycling-oriented society



Sustained efforts for a recycling-oriented society

We will reduce water use, waste disposal and hazardous chemical emissions to obtain international environmental accreditation.

Creating inspiration for people



Creation of an eco-society through new value

We will increase our mateReco brand products to contribute to the reduction of environmental burden through various methods such as energy saving, biomaterials, hazardous chemical reduction and antiviral treatment.

Disaster prevention and mitigation efforts



Technological development for people's safety

We will help construct a safe and secure society with our carbon fibers, seismic reinforcement materials, water-retaining and water-permeable pavement blocks and antiviral treatment materials.

Community contribution and employee growth



A company required by local communities

We will endeavor to revitalize local industries and solve regional problems. We also declare to become a health-conscious company and work proactively to improve our employees' health.

Sustainable brand

mateReco®

Mate Reco is the general brand name of Komatsu Matere Group's sustainable fabrics and products. We select raw materials including recycled yarns and bio-yarns (of natural origin) and use processing technologies that reduce water and CO₂ emissions. We contribute to the realization of an environmentally friendly society.



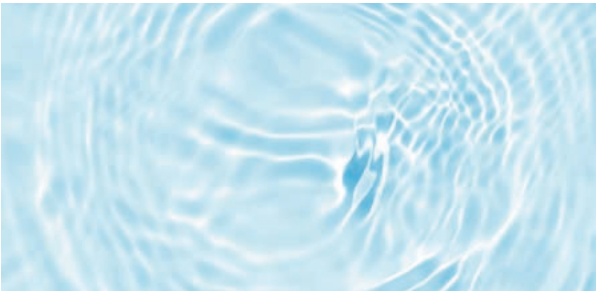
[New initiatives]



Evolving the technologies required to create a disaster-resistant society



Japan is a disaster-prone country; technology to extend the lifespan of social infrastructure is essential. Our new earthquake-resistance reinforcement method using the CABKOMA Strand Rod carbon fiber composite material is a technology that allows for earthquake-resistance reinforcement work to be carried out without requiring production in factories to be stopped. Currently, we are working to obtain official technology evaluation by 2026.



Eliminate waste (excess sludge) caused by wastewater treatment! Reduction of environmental load and waste disposal cost



The “Bellefomer” sludge reduction bioformulation was developed utilizing our partner company's biological technology and Komatsu Matere's know-how, which has been accumulated over many years. Microorganisms derived from safe natural substances are tailored for each facility and operational management of the wastewater treatment system is performed appropriately.



We have started developing new materials in collaboration with a bio venture company

We aim to develop new sustainable materials for our main raw materials, using artificial protein materials with no petroleum or animal products.



We are working to promote agriculture in the Noto Peninsula

We are improving the red soil of the Noto Peninsula using Greenbiz Karyu microporous ceramic in cooperation with an environmental NPO and an agricultural corporation in Noto.

Bringing back a sense of wonder and excitement to people

What we desire to achieve through our corporate activities is to provide people with a sense of excitement via our workmanship, to contribute to creating enriched lifestyles, and to develop together with our employees.

To make this possible, we need to spare no effort in innovation that goes beyond past ideas or commonly accepted ways of thinking.

Based on the three principles given here, we will focus the strength of all our group employees, with the goal of being a chemical material manufacturer that continues to create new materials packed with wonder and excitement.

Every element will lead to a better tomorrow, we believe.

[Three corporate philosophy principles]

1 Create excitement.

We manufacture valuable products that inspire dreams and create excitement by combining high-tech and good taste.

2 Contribute to the earth and society.

We contribute to social development through our business activities that promote environmental protection and an attractive, healthy, comfortable and safe lifestyle.

3 Develop along with our employees.

As our employees evolve, so does the company.

Our corporate slogan: "Art in Technology"

Changing the world with "Art in Technology"

Our corporate slogan integrates two basic concepts: "A fusion of technology and sensibility" as advocated at our 50th founding anniversary, and our previous statement of "To industrialize art." The slogan declares that we are an innovative company with proven technologies in fields extending beyond textiles to construction, civil engineering, vehicles, and many other areas.

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What our brand logo represents

Aiming to become a global brand

Our logo represents Mt. Fuji, a symbol of Japan. It indicates our determination to compete in the global market through our leading technology and quality. This logo is shown on the tags of end products using our materials, as a symbol of the reliable brand "Komatsu Matere".



FASHION

Materials crafted with rich originality support cutting edge fashion



Clothing fabrics are the core business of Komatsu Matere, and among these fashion fabrics are our central focus. Our products are a step beyond the ever-changing trends, created with close coordination between our sales, R&D, and production divisions, to create a vast and diverse range of types. Our fabrics are full of fashionableness and creativity, winning them a strong reputation from name European luxury brands.

FUNCTION

High quality, high function and other additional properties for comfort and pleasure in this age



Sportswear and sport uniforms directly influence players' performance. In recent years, they are required to be not only comfortable and easy to move in but also fashionable. We add all the required properties such as comfort and functionality, according to the material. Our proud dyeing skills and high-level postprocessing technologies are expanding the possibilities of clothing in accordance with the new age.

SAFETY

Chemical materials for safety and security



Our technology is also applied to materials used in places that require safety and peace of mind. Products used in areas that influence quality of life, such as health, are required to have invisible yet secure functions. We never stop seeking materials with functions that can be exercised in the harshest of environments.

ARCHITECTURALLY

KOMATSU brand creativity, supporting a wide range of industries



Our long-established technologies have been applied to products in many industries such as architecture and civil engineering, automobiles, electronics, medicine and welfare, hygiene and agriculture. Demand for products with improved functions is increasing in many fields such as paving, seismic reinforcement of cultural assets and farm soil improvement. Our pioneering spirit, unbounded by textile stereotypes, is creating new standards in society.

COMPANY PROFILE

Company Name	KOMATSU MATERE Co., Ltd.
Established	October, 1943
Chief Executives	Chief Executive Officer Sasaki Hisae President Nakayama Daisuke
Capital	4.68 billion yen
Employees	Non-consolidated: 835; Group companies: 302; Total: 1,137 [as of March 31, 2025]
Sales	39.52 billion yen [Consolidated accounting for the fiscal year ending March 2025]

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HISTORY

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1943 Founded Komatsu Orimono Seiren Senko Co., Ltd. in Komatsu City

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1958 Start of nylon fabric processing

60's

1960 Start of polyester filament fabric processing
1961 Established the Osaka Office
1962 Opened Tokyo Office
1963 Company name changed to Komatsu Seiren Co., Ltd.
 Constructed Neagari No.1 Plant
1968 Completed head office building and Neagari No. 2 Plant
 Moved the head office to Nomi City (former Neagari-machi, Nomi-gun)

70's

1970 Listed on the second section of the Osaka Stock Exchange Entered the film fabric business
1973 Started the independent planning, production and sales of products
1974 Completed Neagari No. 3 Plant
1978 Abandonment of the start of continuous denier reduction

80's

1986 Completion and operaiton of in-house power plant
1989 Constructed Neagari No.5 Plant

90's

1990 Constructed Mikawa Plant for short-fiber fabrics
1991 Completion of R&D Center
 Establishment of Komatsu Interlink
1999 Formulated the "Komatsu Seiren Environmental Management Declaration"

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2001 Establishment of Shanghai Office
2003 Exhibited products for the first time at Premiere Vision, the world's premier fabric trade show
2004 Opening of Komatsu Seiren (Suzhou) Trading Co., Ltd.
 Partnership with Tintoria Emiliana S.R.L on product dyeing
2007 Compleiton of LNG satellite at Mikawa Plant
2008 Decision to construct No. 2 LNG satellite at Head Office Plant

10's

2013 Established Komaxon Co., Ltd.
 Awarded Japan's first "PV award Grand Prize" at Premiere Vision
 Comprehensive partnership with Limonta S.p.A
2015 Compleiton of fa-bo, the world's first seismically reinforced structure using carbon fibers
2017 30th consecutive appearance at Premiere Vision
2018 Company name changed to Komatsu Matere Co., Ltd.

20's

2020 Established Interlink Kanazawa Co., Ltd.
 Drew up the Komatsu Matere Sustainability vision
2021 Opened the Mono-bo factory shop next to our head office
2022 Established the "mateReco" collective brand for environmentally friendly materials
2023 Opened the Matere shop in Higashiyama, Kanazawa
 Opened the flagship showroom "Aoyama Showroom" in Minami-aoyama, Tokyo
2025 Established Komatsu Matere (Suzhou) Consulting Co., Ltd.

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