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Kyocera was named "Supplier Engagement Leader" for the second year in a row by the non-profit organization CDP for its environmental efforts.

Kyocera was recognized for reducing greenhouse gas emissions throughout its value chain - the nomination once again confirms the company's ongoing sustainability efforts.

Kyoto/London, April 7th, 2021. For the second consecutive year and based on CDP's (Carbon Disclosure Project) fifth annual survey of suppliers, Kyocera, headquartered in Japan, has been recognized as a "[Supplier Engagement Leader](#)" by the international non-profit organisation CDP. The reason for this is Kyocera's initiative to reduce greenhouse gas emissions throughout the company's value chain.

For the first time, the award was given to Kyocera in 2019 in the fourth year after the establishment of CDP. At this time, Kyocera set the environmental target of reducing greenhouse gas emissions, including internal emissions and supply chain emissions, by 30% from fiscal 2013 levels by March 31, 2030.

[The 2020 list](#) includes about 80 Japanese companies and Kyocera was named as a leading company on the list. Through the global disclosure system created by CDP, the environmental impact with focus on the three areas climate change, forest sustainability and water security of companies can be disclosed.

Kyocera has been recognized in particular for its leading qualities in environmental transparency and performance and was highlighted with an "A" grade among the more than 5,800 companies evaluated in 2020. This led to Kyocera being included in CDP's "[A List 2020](#)" of forward-thinking companies.

Furthermore, Kyocera's environmental awareness was also recognized by the Wall Street Journal last year. In addition to CDP's awards, the international newspaper included Kyocera as a company on its list of the "[100 Most Sustainably Managed Companies in the World](#)" in 2020. To create this ranking, analysts assessed the sustainability metrics of more than 5,500 publicly traded companies, determining that Kyocera is among the top two percent.



[About CDP](#)

Founded in 2000 in the United Kingdom, CDP is an international non-profit organization that represents institutional investors in disclosing and assessing information from large companies on their impact on climate change, greenhouse gas emissions, water management, and other environmental concerns.

For more information on Kyocera: www.kyocera.co.uk

About Kyocera

Headquartered in Kyoto, Japan, KYOCERA Corporation is one of the world's leading manufacturers of fine ceramic components for the technology industry. The strategically important divisions in the KYOCERA Group, which is comprised of 298 subsidiaries (as of March 31, 2020), are information and communications technologies, products which increase quality of life, and environmentally friendly products. The technology group is also one of the most experienced producers of smart energy systems worldwide, with more than 40 years of know-how in the industry.

The company is ranked #549 on Forbes magazine's 2020 "Global 2000" listing of the world's largest publicly traded companies. With a global workforce of over 75,500 employees, Kyocera posted sales revenue of approximately €13,33 billion in fiscal year 2019/2020. The products marketed by the company in Europe include printers, digital copying systems, semiconductor-, fine ceramic-, automotive- and electronic components as well as printing devices and ceramic kitchen products. The KYOCERA Group has two independent companies in the United Kingdom: KYOCERA Fineceramics Ltd. and KYOCERA Document Solutions Ltd.

The company also takes an active interest in cultural affairs. The Kyoto Prize, a prominent international award, is presented each year by the Inamori Foundation — established by Kyocera founder Dr. Kazuo Inamori — to individuals worldwide who have contributed significantly to the scientific, cultural, and spiritual betterment of humankind (converted at approximately €828,000 per prize category).

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