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○Every effort has been made to maintain the continuity of the content and to improve the level of an information disclosure while promoting broader understanding of the efforts and philosophy of the JFE Group to contribute to sustainable growth with the world's most innovative technology.

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