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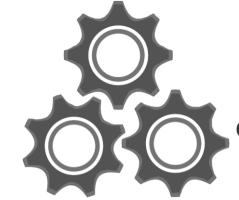
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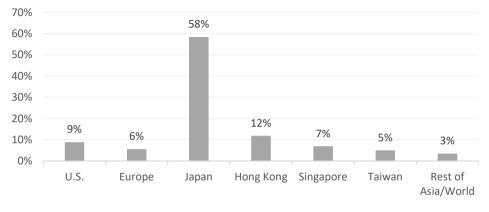
LEARN FROM THE BEST IR DIRECTORS AND CFOS

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Compiling the buy-side voting universe

A total of 666 buy-side analysts and portfolio managers at 286 firms voted in the Executive Team rankings. They nominated 442 Japanese companies across 25 sectors.

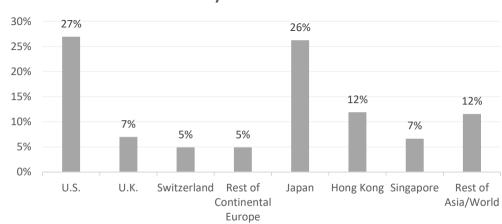
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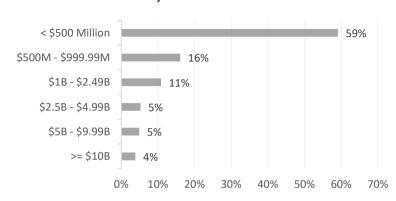
バイサイド投票について

286社における合計666人のバイサイド アナリスト及びポートフォリオマネジャーがエクゼクティブチームランキングに投票しました。彼らは25セクターにおける、442社の日本企業をノミネートいたしました。

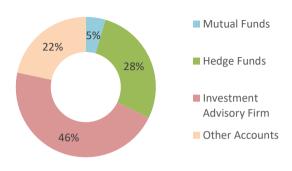
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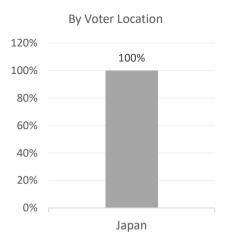


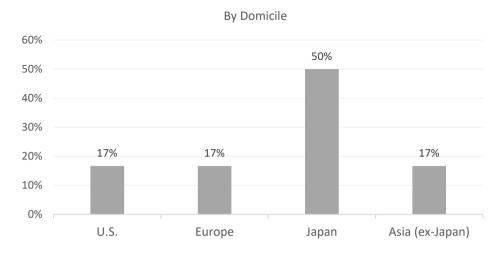
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Compiling the sell-side votinguniverse

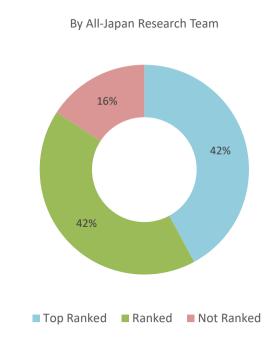
A total of 49 sell-side analysts at 12 firms voted in the Executive Team and Best Analyst Days rankings. They nominated 212 Japanese companies across 25 sectors.





セルサイド投票について

12社における合計49人のセルサイドアナリストがエクゼクティブチームのベストアナリストデーランキングに投票いたしました。彼らは25セクターにおける、212社の日本企業をノミネートしました。



Number of 2021 voters by sector

In total, 715 individuals voted in II's Executive Team survey; 666 individuals represented the buy side and 49 represented the sell side.

In total, 509 companies were nominated across the 25 sectors. The buy side nominated a total number of 442 companies, whereas the sell side nominated 212 companies.

2021年セクター別投票者数

バイサイドから666名、セルサイドからは49名の、合計715名のプロフェッショナ ルが 個別 にインスティテューショナルインベスターのエグゼクティブチーム、ベ ストアナリストデーサーベイに投票しました。

合計で25セクター、509社がノミネートされました。バイサイドは合計で442社を セルサイドは212社をノミネートしました。

	Overall Voters	Buy-Side Voters	Sell-Side Voters	Companies Nominated
Sector	2021	2021	2021	2021
Auto Parts	28	24	4	23
Autos	59	57	2	7
Banks	43	39	4	15
Beverages, Food & Tobacco	47	45	2	20
Biotechnology & Pharmaceuticals	57	53	4	20
Broadcasting & Telecommunications	65	63	2	13
Chemicals	65	60	5	29
Construction	22	18	4	22
Electronics/Components	122	115	7	22
Electronics/Consumer	88	86	2	14
Electronics/Industrial (including Semiconductors)	74	69	5	18
Electronics/Precision Instruments (including Imaging & Semiconductor Precision Equipment)	95	90	5	29
Energy & Utilities	22	21	1	11
Engineering & Machinery	99	94	5	40
Gaming & Internet	80	78	2	28
Household, Cosmetics & Personal Care	43	41	2	14
Housing & Real Estate	53	48	5	16
Insurance & Other Nonbank Financials	80	79	1	22
Medical Technologies & Services (including Devices, Equipment and Facilities Management)	39	36	3	12
Metals & Technical Materials	23	20	3	16
Professional/Consumer Services	68	66	2	31
Retailing	89	85	4	37
Software (excluding Internet)	45	43	2	22
Trading Companies	27	24	3	8
Transportation (Air, Land, Sea)	32	32	-	20

What is the methodology for determining the Best IR programs?

Voters are asked to rank up to four companies that demonstrate excellence in each of the following IR areas:

Disclosure

- Business & Market Knowledge
- Consistency & Granularity
- ESG Information
- Timing to Market (Timeliness)
- Environment, Social and Governance (ESG)
 - Environment
 - Governance
 - Social

Services & Communication

- · Accessibility of Senior Execs
- Execution of Strategy
- · IR team is well informed and empowered
- Productivity of NDR/Conferences/Calls
- Responsiveness

A voter's selection of a company is weighted by the rating assigned to it by the voter. For example, if a voter rates a company as a 5, it is awarded 5 points, while a company rated as a 1 is awarded 1 point.

For each company, the weighted votes for each attribute are then summed. The results produce the Buy-Side, Sell-Side, and Combined Buy- and Sell-Side Best Investor Relations Rankings for each sector

ベストIRプログラムを決定する方法は?

投票者は下記のIRに関する項目ごとに卓越性を実証した企業を4社ランクアップします。

- 開示
- ビジネスと市場の知識
- 一貫性と粒度
- ESG情報
- ・ 市場投入までのタイミング(適時性)
- 環境・社会・ガバナンス(ESG)
- 環境
- ガバナンス
- 社会
- ・ サービスとコミュニケーション
- シニアエグゼクティブのアクセシビリティ
- ・ 戦略の実行
- IRチームは十分な情報を得て、権限を与えられています
- NDRの生産性/会議/通話
- 応答

4	Ratings	Points
	5	5
	4	4
	3	3
	2	2
	1	1

投票者による企業の選択は、投票者が付けた評価によって計算されます。例 えば、投票者がある企業を5と評価した場合は5点、1と評価した場合は1点が 与えられることになります。

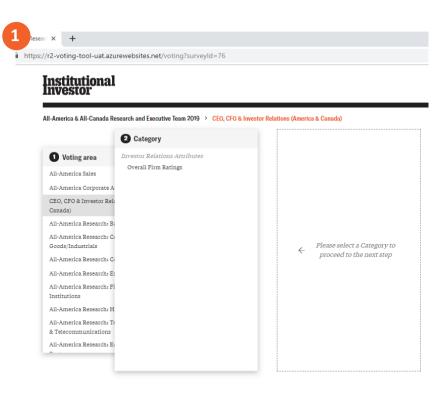
各企業について、それぞれの項目へのウェイト投票を合計します。その結果、各セクターの「Buy-Side」、「Sell-Side」、「Combined Buy- and Sell-Side Best Investor Relations Rankings」が算出されます。

Voting Process

- Participants are taken to the CEO, CFO & Investor Relations Voting Area 1
- Participants are asked to nominated companies for top executive and investor relations expertise
- Nominations on the company level are top-of-mind. No pick list is provided. 3.

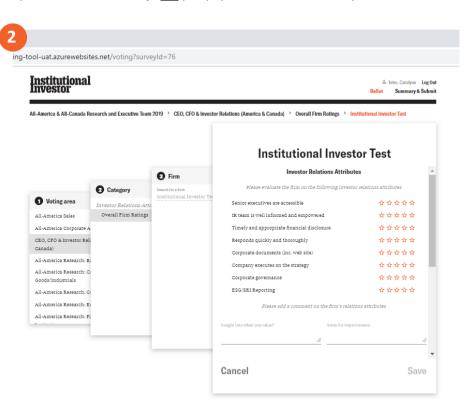
投票プロセス

- 投票者はCEO、CFO & Investor Relationsの投票セクションに誘導されます。 1
- 参加者は、トップ・エグゼクティブと優れたIR企業を選択します。 2
- 企業ごとのノミネートは自分の意志で行うことができます。あらかじめリストは用 意されておりません。



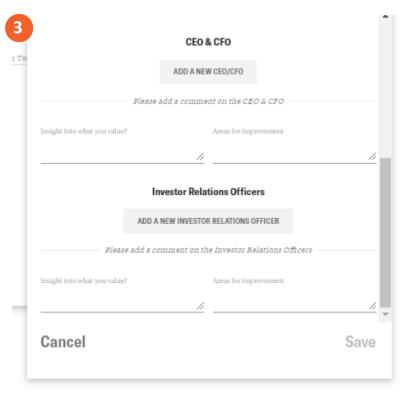
Voting Process

- Voters give a 1 to 5 star rating across several performance metrics, per company nominated. They are then asked to leave qualitative commentary.
- A pre-populated list of company's CEO, CFO and IROs is then displayed for 1 to 5 star rating, with option to leave qualitative commentary.
- Voters may then nominate IRO(s) from top-of-mind, with option to leave qualitative commentary. No pre-populated list of IROs is provided.



投票プロセス

- 投票者は、ノミネートされた企業ごとに、いくつかのパフォーマンス指標について1 つ星から5つ星までの評価を行います。さらに、その質に関するコメントをもちめら れます。
- あらかじめ入力された企業のCEO、CFO、IROのリストが表示され、1つ星から5 つ星までの評価が表示され、その質に関するコメントを残すこともできます。
- 続いて、投票者はIR Officerをノミネートし、その質に関するコメントを残すことが できます。IROのリストはあらかじめ用意されていません。



IR Perception Study: Sample

Summary of company performance: overall

Beginning on this page is a sample of Institutional Investor's IR Perception Study for a fictitious company, Nara Industries.

This page provides an overview of performance—the details of which are available in the later pages of the Perception Study. Here you can view past rankings in the categories of Best IR Program by attribute, CEO, CFO and IR Professional.

BUY-SIDE RANKINGS

Based on the votes of 96 buy-side portfolio managers and analysts at 84 firms, voting for a total of 35, companies

analysts at 84 firms, voting for a total of 35 companies.	2021 <u>RANK</u>	2020 <u>RANK</u>	2019 <u>RANK</u>
BEST CEO			
Oliver Jones	15 th of 34	23th of 42	26th of 44
BEST CFO			
Richard Johnston	19th of 29	11 th of 35	18th of 35
BEST IR PROFESSIONAL			
Shirley Greene	7 th of 37	2 nd of 37	10 th of 39
BEST INVESTOR RELATIONS			
Overall	8th of 35	6th of 36	11 th of 37
PERFORMANCE ATTRIBUTE RANKS			
Senior executives are accessible	4th of 32	7 th of 36	9th of 37
The IR team is well informed and empowered to speak authoritatively on the company's behalf	8 th of 35	6th of 36	11 th of 37
Timely and appropriate level of financial disclosure	15 th of 33	10 th of 36	10 th of 34
Quality of meetings through road shows/reversed road shows/conferences	8 th of 27	5 th of 28	11 th of 37
The company responds quickly and thoroughly to requests	5 th of 29	6 th of 31	10 th of 34
Quality of corporate documents and investor kit materials	8 th of 33	2 nd of 35	9 th of 37
The company is committed to corporate governance	8 th of 35	6th of 36	11 th of 32
Hosting the most constructive conference calls	6th of 31	6 th of 31	3 rd of 21

カンパニーパフォーマンスの概要:オーバーオール

このページは、インスティチューショナル・インベスター IRパーセプション・スタディ のサンプルで始まります。架空企業「Nara Industries」のために作成されたスタディという設定です。

このページではパフォーマンスの概要を説明します。パフォーマンスの詳細は パーセプション・スタディ後半ページにあります。ここでは属性に 基づいたベストIRプログラム、CEO、CFO、IRプロフェッショナルのランキングが過去のランキングとともに ご覧いただけます。

SELL-SIDE RANKINGS

Based on the votes of 102 sell-side analysts at 53 firms, voting for a total of 45 companies

voting for a total of 45 companies.	2021 <u>RANK</u>	2020 <u>RANK</u>	2019 <u>RANK</u>
BEST CEO			
Oliver Jones	10 th of 40	27th of 42	$22^{nd}of40$
BEST CFO			
Richard Johnston	6th of 30	12 nd of 37	10 th of 37
BEST IR PROFESSIONAL			
Shirley Greene	13 th of 40	2 nd of 37	3 rd of 36
BEST INVESTOR RELATIONS			
Overall	3 rd of 45	7 th of 47	7 th of 49
PERFORMANCE ATTRIBUTE RANKS			
Senior executives are accessible	2 nd of 44	2 nd of 45	4th of 41
The IR team is well informed and empowered to speak authoritatively on the company's behalf	6th of 39	1st of 45	2 nd of 41
Timely and appropriate level of financial disclosure	3 rd of 33	3 rd of 31	2 nd of 29
Quality of meetings through road shows/reversed road shows/conferences	6 th of 26	4 th of 23	8 th of 37
The company is committed to corporate governance	2 nd of 28	6 th of 35	6 th of 41
The company delivers insight and useful reports on ESG/SRI metrics	4 th of 39	1st of 32	2 nd of 41

Buy-side and sell-side voter commentary

Voter commentary is provided for Best CEO, CFO, IR Professional and Investor Relations

本年度からは、投票者の方々にその企業および役員を選択した理由を克明に次の質問を通じ回答いただきました。

Recognizing Best Practices:

What specific thing does this company do to demonstrate it is well-informed and authoritative?

ベストプラクティスの認識 この企業のIRチームが情報と権限をよく有していると実証するため に行っている特定のことは何ですか?

Comments:	

Opportunities for Improvement and Innovation:

How could this IR team further improve? What should it stop/start doing?

改善と革新の機会 この企業のIRチームはどうすれば更に改善できますか? 何を始めるべきですか?やめるべきですか?

Comments:			

Summary of company performance by the demographics of the voter

This page provides an overview of performance by the demographics of the voter—the details of which are available in the later pages of the Perception Study. Here you can view the rankings in the categories of Best IR Program by the voter's location, domicile, asset size, function, institution type and research team ranking.

This analysis is also provided for Best CEO, CFO and IR Professional, by sector.

BUY-SIDE RANKINGS

Based on the votes of 96 buy-side portfolio managers and analysts at 84 firms, voting for a total of 35 companies.

11th of 20

9th of 27

10%

30%

BESTINVESTOR RELATIONS	2021 <u>RANK</u>	VOTER PROFILE				
Overall Rank	8 th of 35					
BY LOCATION			BY ASSETSIZE			
U.S.	9 th of 25	48%	>=\$15B	10 th of 29	47%	
Europe	8 th of 22	11%	- \$2.5B - \$14.99B	8 th of 30	33%	
Japan	5 th of 22	24%	- φ2.3Β-φ14.39Β	00130	33%	
Asia (ex-Japan)	9 th of 23	17%	<\$2.5B	8 th of 29	20%	
BY DOMICILE			BY VOTERFUNCTION			
U.S.	6 th of 32	57%	Portfolio Manager	9 th of 30	19%	
Europe	9 th of 18	30%	Analyst	7 th of 23	30%	
Japan	7 th of 24	9%	Both PM & Analyst	6 th of 34	29%	
Asia (ex-Japan)	8 th of 26	4%	Senior Management/Other	7 th of 29	22%	
BY INSTITUTIONTYPE						
Broker Affiliates/ Mutual Funds	4 th of 19	41%	_			
Hedge Funds	11 th of 20	19%	_			

カンパニーパフォーマンスの概要:投票者の統計データ別で見る

このページではパフォーマンスの概要を投票者の統計データ別にご覧いただきま す。詳細はパーセプション・スタディの後半にあります。ベストIRプログラムで のランキングが、投票者のロケーション、会社の本拠地、アセットサイズ、職種、 業種業態、リサーチチームランキング別にご覧いただけます。

この分析は、セクター毎のベストCEO、ベストCFO.IRプロフェッショナルとベスト アナリストデーへも提供されます。

SELL-SIDE RANKINGS

Based on the votes of 102 sell-side analysts at 53 firms, voting for a total of 45 companies.

BESTINVESTOR RELATIONS

2021 RANK

VOTER PROFILE

Overall Rank

3rd of 45

BY LOCATION		BYALL-JAPAN RESEARCH TEAM					
U.S.	2 nd of 31	56%	Top Ranked	3 rd of 35	15%		
Europe	7 th of 31	26%	- Ranked	2 nd of 37	30%		
Japan	2 nd of 28	10%	Rankeu	20137	30%		
Asia (ex-Japan)	4 th of 23	8%	Not Ranked	15 th of 39	55%		

BY DOMICILE		
U.S.	4 th of 24	49%
Europe	2 nd of 29	43%
Japan	1st of 27	5%
Asia (ex-Japan)	2 nd of 31	3%

Investment Advisory Firm

Other Accounts

Buy-side rankings of Best Investor Relations by attribute 属性別によるベストインベスターリレーションのバイサイドランキング

This page provides a comparative analysis between each company nominated within the sector for Best Investor Relations across eight attributes, as voted by investors. Results for Best Investor Relations "overall" are an aggregate of all attributes. The weighted scores provide additional insight into the strength of each company's position.

このページは、同セクター内でノミネートされた各企業の、投資家の投票による8 の属性をまたぐベストIRについて、比較分析を提供します。オーバーオール"は各属性のスコアを合計して出したものです。加重されたスコアはそれぞれの会社の強みに考察を及ぼすでしょう。

Results for Best Investor Relations "Overall" are an aggregate of all attributes

	Overall		Overa Disclo		Business Market Knowled			stency &		ormation	Timing Market (Timeli	t	Overall Environ Social Govern (ESG)	nment, and	Environ	iment	Govern	ance	Social	
	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE
R&S Industries	1	14.72%	1	13.69%	2	11.84%	1	16.97%	2	11.84%	1	13.69%	1	13.69%	1	16.97%	2	11.84%	1	13.69%
Celestial Space, Inc.	2	11.66%	7	4.64%	1	14.01%	2	11.47%	1	14.01%	7	4.64%	7	4.64%	2	11.47%	1	14.01%	7	4.64%
Nara Industries	3	5.89%	2	11.92%	6	4.59%	3	5.50%	6	4.59%	2	11.92%	2	11.92%	3	5.50%	6	4.59%	2	11.92%
MNM, Inc.	4	5.19%	4	5.08%	3	5.33%	3	5.50%	3	5.33%	4	5.08%	4	5.08%	3	5.50%	3	5.33%	4	5.08%
TovaPharma, Inc.	5	4.87%	3	5.52%	11	3.38%	3	5.50%	11	3.38%	3	5.52%	3	5.52%	3	5.50%	11	3.38%	3	5.52%
McGinness & Co.	6	4.07%	9	3.31%	10	3.62%	7	3.90%	10	3.62%	9	3.31%	9	3.31%	7	3.90%	10	3.62%	9	3.31%
Griffen, Inc.	6	4.07%	8	4.42%	4	4.83%	11	2.98%	4	4.83%	8	4.42%	8	4.42%	11	2.98%	4	4.83%	8	4.42%
Li International	8	3.66%	11	3.09%	8	3.86%	9	3.21%	8	3.86%	11	3.09%	11	3.09%	9	3.21%	8	3.86%	11	3.09%
Grupo Primeiro	9	3.60%	4	5.08%	7	4.35%	8	3.67%	7	4.35%	4	5.08%	4	5.08%	8	3.67%	7	4.35%	4	5.08%
Regalist, Inc.	10	3.26%	12	2.87%	8	3.86%	12	2.75%	8	3.86%	12	2.87%	12	2.87%	12	2.75%	8	3.86%	12	2.87%

	Overall		Overall		Overall		Service		Overall Accessibility of Senior Execs Communication		Execution of Strategy		IR team is well informed and empowered		Productivity of NDR/Conferences/ Calls		Responsiveness	
	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE				
R&S Industries	1	14.72%	1	13.69%	2	11.84%	1	16.97%	2	11.84%	1	13.69%	2	11.84%				
Celestial Space, Inc.	2	11.66%	7	4.64%	1	14.01%	2	11.47%	1	14.01%	7	4.64%	1	14.01%				
Nara Industries	3	5.89%	2	11.92%	6	4.59%	3	5.50%	6	4.59%	2	11.92%	6	4.59%				
MNM, Inc.	4	5.19%	4	5.08%	3	5.33%	3	5.50%	3	5.33%	4	5.08%	3	5.33%				
TovaPharma, Inc.	5	4.87%	3	5.52%	11	3.38%	3	5.50%	11	3.38%	3	5.52%	11	3.38%				
McGinness & Co.	6	4.07%	9	3.31%	10	3.62%	7	3.90%	10	3.62%	9	3.31%	10	3.62%				
Griffen, Inc.	6	4.07%	8	4.42%	4	4.83%	11	2.98%	4	4.83%	8	4.42%	4	4.83%				
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Grupo Primeiro	9	3.60%	4	5.08%	7	4.35%	8	3.67%	7	4.35%	4	5.08%	7	4.35%				
Regalist, Inc.	10	3.26%	12	2.87%	8	3.86%	12	2.75%	8	3.86%	12	2.87%	8	3.86%				

Buy-side rankings by the demographics of the voter

Rankings are also offered by specific voter demographic segments. These segments reveal the specific characteristics of those voting for each company. Buy-side rankings are provided by the voter's location, domicile, assets under management, function and institution type.

This analysis is also provided for Best CEO, CFO and IR Professional, by sector.

投票者の統計データによる バイサイド ランキング

投票者の統計を細分化したランキングをご提供します。細分化によって各企業への投票の特徴が読み取れます。バイサイドランキングは投票者のロケーション、会社本拠地、運用資産、職種、インスティチューションタイプ別に提供されます。

この分析は、セクター毎のベストCEO,ベストCFO, IRプロフェッショナルとベストアナリストデーへも提供されます。

ADDITIONAL BREAKOUTS:

2. DOMICILE

VOTER PROFILE										
57% 30% 9% 4%										
ι	J.S.	EU	ROPE	JA	PAN	ASIA (EX-JAPAN)				
RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE			

3. ASSET

	VOTER PROFILE								
	47%		33%		20%				
>=	\$15B	\$2.5B	-\$14.99B	<\$2.5B					
RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE				

4. VOTER FUNCTION

VOTER PROFILE									
19%	30%	29%	22%						
PORTFOLIO MANAGER	ANALYST	BOTH PM & ANALYST	SENIORMANAGEMENT/ OTHER						
RANK SCORE	RANK SCORE	RANK SCORE	RANK SCORE						

5. INSTITUTION TYPE

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VOTER PROFILE								
41%	19%		10%	30%				
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1. LOCATION

			VOTER PROFILE									
			4	48%		11%		24%		17%		
	OVI	ERALL	U.S.		EU	EUROPE		PAN	ASIA (EX-JAPAN)			
	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE		
J. Simmons, Co.	1	15.22%	2	16.54%	1	18.92%	1	17.90%	1	21.19%		
Grupo Primeiro	2	13.54%	1	17.22%	2	7.43%	2	9.59%	2	9.47%		
MNM, Inc.	3	8.75%	3	9.73%	7	4.73%	2	9.59%	7	4.62%		
McGinness & Co.	4	7.65%	4	8.67%	4	6.76%	9	4.29%	4	5.78%		
R&S Industries	5	6.22%	5	7.11%	5	6.08%	4	6.52%	6	5.20%		
Crucian, Inc.	6	5.89%	7	5.96%	6	5.41%	5	4.91%	3	8.09%		
Li International	6	5.89%	6	6.01%	2	7.43%	NR		NR			
Nara Industries	8	4.54%	9	4.05%	8	4.05%	5	4.91%	9	4.05%		
NewMedi, Inc.	9	4.21%	8	4.70%	12	2.70%	5	4.91%	13	2.31%		
Regalist, Inc.	10	3.03%	7	4. 89%	9	4.00%	9	4.96%	10	3.94%		

Sell-side rankings of Best Investor Relations by attribute 属性別によるベストインベスターリレーションのセルサイドランキング

This page provides a comparative analysis between each company nominated within the sector for Best Investor Relations across 6 attributes, as voted by sell-side analysts. Results for Best Investor Relations "overall" are an aggregate of all attributes. The weighted scores provide additional insight into the strength of each company's position.

このページは同セクター内でノミネートされた各企業の、セルサイドのアナリストの投票による6の属性をまたぐベストIRについて、比較分析を提供します。オーバーオール"は各属性のスコアを合計して出したものです。加重されたスコアはそれぞれの会社の強みに考察を及ぼすでしょう。

Results for Best Investor Relations "Overall" are an aggregate of all attributes

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	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE
R&S Industries	1	14.72%	1	13.69%	2	11.84%	1	16.97%	2	11.84%	1	13.69%	1	13.69%	1	16.97%	2	11.84%	1	13.69%
Celestial Space, Inc.	2	11.66%	7	4.64%	1	14.01%	2	11.47%	1	14.01%	7	4.64%	7	4.64%	2	11.47%	1	14.01%	7	4.64%
Nara Industries	3	5.89%	2	11.92%	6	4.59%	3	5.50%	6	4.59%	2	11.92%	2	11.92%	3	5.50%	6	4.59%	2	11.92%
MNM, Inc.	4	5.19%	4	5.08%	3	5.33%	3	5.50%	3	5.33%	4	5.08%	4	5.08%	3	5.50%	3	5.33%	4	5.08%
TovaPharma, Inc.	5	4.87%	3	5.52%	11	3.38%	3	5.50%	11	3.38%	3	5.52%	3	5.52%	3	5.50%	11	3.38%	3	5.52%
McGinness & Co.	6	4.07%	9	3.31%	10	3.62%	7	3.90%	10	3.62%	9	3.31%	9	3.31%	7	3.90%	10	3.62%	9	3.31%
Griffen, Inc.	6	4.07%	8	4.42%	4	4.83%	11	2.98%	4	4.83%	8	4.42%	8	4.42%	11	2.98%	4	4.83%	8	4.42%
Li International	8	3.66%	11	3.09%	8	3.86%	9	3.21%	8	3.86%	11	3.09%	11	3.09%	9	3.21%	8	3.86%	11	3.09%
Grupo Primeiro	9	3.60%	4	5.08%	7	4.35%	8	3.67%	7	4.35%	4	5.08%	4	5.08%	8	3.67%	7	4.35%	4	5.08%
Regalist, Inc.	10	3.26%	12	2.87%	8	3.86%	12	2.75%	8	3.86%	12	2.87%	12	2.87%	12	2.75%	8	3.86%	12	2.87%

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	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE
R&S Industries	1	14.72%	1	13.69%	2	11.84%	1	16.97%	2	11.84%	1	13.69%	2	11.84%
Celestial Space, Inc.	2	11.66%	7	4.64%	1	14.01%	2	11.47%	1	14.01%	7	4.64%	1	14.01%
Nara Industries	3	5.89%	2	11.92%	6	4.59%	3	5.50%	6	4.59%	2	11.92%	6	4.59%
MNM, Inc.	4	5.19%	4	5.08%	3	5.33%	3	5.50%	3	5.33%	4	5.08%	3	5.33%
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Grupo Primeiro	9	3.60%	4	5.08%	7	4.35%	8	3.67%	7	4.35%	4	5.08%	7	4.35%
Regalist, Inc.	10	3.26%	12	2.87%	8	3.86%	12	2.75%	8	3.86%	12	2.87%	8	3.86%

Sell-side rankings by the demographics of the voter

Rankings are also offered by specific voter demographic segments. These segments reveal the specific characteristics of those voting for each company. Sell-side rankings are provided by the voter's location, domicile, and research team.

This analysis is also provided for Best CEO, CFO and IR Professional, by sector.

投票者の統計データによる セルサイド ランキング

投票者の統計データを細分化したランキングをご提供します。細分化によって各企業への投票の特徴が読み取れます。セルサイドランキングは投票者個人のロケーション、会社本拠地、Research Teamランキング別に提供されます。

この分析は、セクター毎のベストCEO,ベストCFO, IRプロフェッショナルとベストアナリストデーへも提供されます。

1. LOCATION

		VOTER PROFILE								
			;	56% 26%				10%		8%
	OVI	ERALL	l	U.S.		EUROPE		PAN	ASIA (EX-JAPAN)	
	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE	RANK	SCORE
R & SIndustries	1	14.72%	1	18.22%	1	22.60%	3	9.55%	3	11.21%
Celestial Space, Inc.	2	11.66%	3	16.54%	2	8.23%	1	15.34%	5	9.91%
Nara Industries	3	5.89%	2	17.11%	7	4.11%	2	11.11%	4	10.16%
MNM, Inc.	4	5.19%	6	10.57%	6	4.57%	5	8.68%	14	1.01%
TovaPharma, Inc.	5	4.87%	5	11.67%	15	1.16%	4	8.96%	16	0.47%
McGinness & Co.	6	4.07%	11	3.93%	18	1.93%	16	1.48%	1	13.23%
Griffen, Inc.	6	4.07%	13	2.91%	12	2.86%	17	1.45%	23	0.16%
Li International	8	3.66%	NR	-	NR	-	6	6.87%	19	0.39%
Grupo Primeiro	9	3.60%	14	1.74%	10	4.14%	14	2.32%	2	12.17%
Regalist, Inc.	10	3.26%	7	4.89%	13	2.99%	9	4.96%	10	3.94%

ADDITIONAL BREAKOUTS:

2. DOMICILE

	VOTER PROFILE									
49%	43%	5%	3%							
U.S.	U.S. EUROPE		ASIA (EX-JAPAN)							
RANK SCORE	RANK SCORE	RANK SCORE	RANK SCORE							

3. ALL-JAPAN RESEARCH TEAM

		RPROFILE					
	15%	:	30%	,	55%		
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Insights from Investor Relations Officers

This section presents a summary of the insights and opinions of IR directors regarding their own and other companies' IR programs. It allows you to compare your own program to those at the largest companies in Japan. Responses are aggregated on an overall vs. sector level.

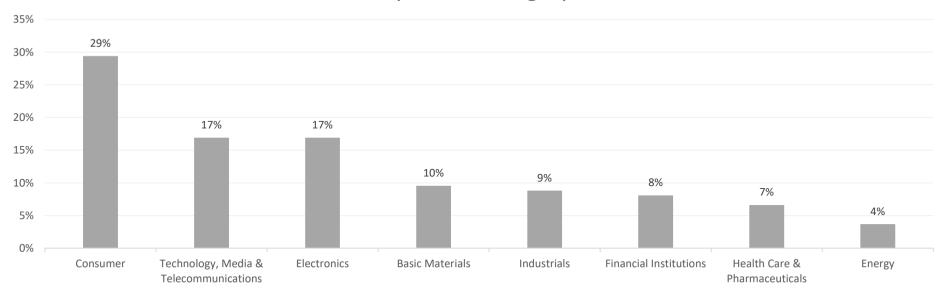
This year, IR Directors and CFOs from 136 companies headquartered in Japan responded.

インベスターリレーションオフィサーの考察

このセクションでは、自社や他社のIRプログラムについてIRディレクター自身がどう見て いるか、どんな意向をもっているか、概要を提供します。御社プログラムをこれら日本 の大企業プログラムと比較することができるでしょう。IRディレクターからの回答は、オ 一バーオール対セクターレベルで集計されています。

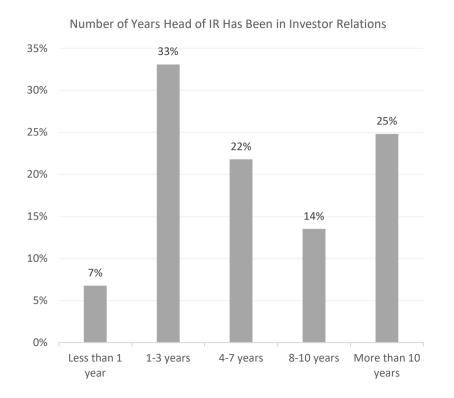
今年の調査では、日本に本社を置く知社のIRディレクターとCFOから、下記トピックの質 問に回答が寄せられました。

By Sector Category



Profile of the investor relations department

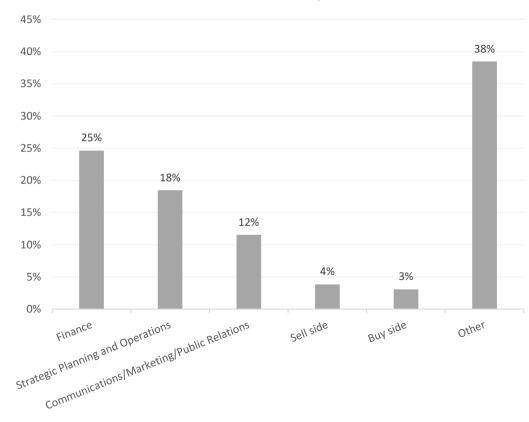
This section describes the average profile of an investor relations team.



インベスターリレーション部門のプロフィール

このセクションではIRチームの平均的なプロフィールの特徴を述べています。





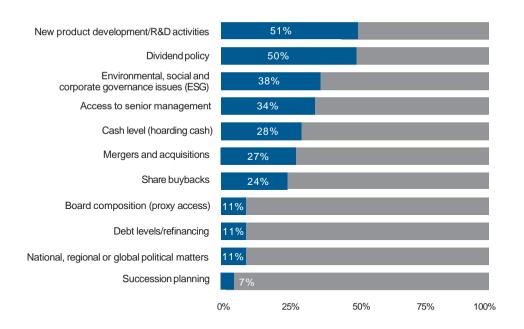


■ NUMBER OF PROFESSIONALS ON IR TEAM

Shareholder areas of interest and effective communication with the buyside

This section describes the change in analyst/shareholder interest in the following areas and Japanese companies' preferred methods of communication with investors

■ CHANGE INANALYST/SHAREHOLDER INTEREST OVER THE PAST YEAR



株主が関心を寄せるエリアと投資家 (バイサイド) との **薬**的なコミュニケーション

このセクションでは、次のエリアにおけるアナリストおよび株主の興味の変化と日本企業が好む投資家とのコミュニケーションの方法について説明します。

■ INTERNALLY, WHAT PERCENTAGE OF TIME IS ALLOCATED FOR EACH, WITHIN YOUR COMPANY?

One on one meetings	88%
Earnings calls and Q&A	69%
Company publications (financial announcements, annual reports, etc.)	49%
Sellside research	22%
Nondeal road shows	21%
Investor/industry conferences	16%
Sellside conferences	15%
Personal contact by phone or email	11%
Group analyst briefings and site visits	4%
Internet presence (your company's website, webcasts, social media, group emails, etc.)	4%

Communicating with investors

This section describes Japanese executives' participation and buy-side coverage trends.

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■ ON AVERAGE OVER THE PAST YEAR, COMPANIES MADE PRESENTATIONS AT:

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	CEO IS PRESENT AT	CFO IS PRESENT AT	
54 ONE-ON-ONE MEETINGS WITH ANALYSTS/MONEY MANAGERS	28 OUT OF 54	26 OUT OF 54	
5 SELL-SIDE SPONSORED EVENTS	OUT OF 5	OUT OF 5	
4 COMPANY- SPONSORED EVENTS	OUT OF 4	OUT OF 4	

投資家とのコミュニケーション

このセクションでは日本のエクゼクティブの方々の参加とバイサイドのカバレージの傾向について説明します。

■ HOW OFTEN DOES THE COMPANY'S EXECUTIVE TEAM INITIATE CONTACT WITH THE BUY SIDE?

At least once a week	24%
At least once a month	15%
At least once a quarter	55%
At least twice a year	7%

Insights from Investor Relations Officers

Listed below are the additional components of the Insights from Investor Relations Officers section of the IR Perception Study.

Time Dedicated to Financial Audiences and IR Services

Annual IR Budget

Time Spent Communicating with Financial Audiences
Time Spent Communicating with Internal Audiences vs. External
Use of Third-Party Vendors

Buy-Side and Sell-Side Interaction

What is the change in hedge fund coverage over the past year? How many sell-side firms publish research about your company?

Are you actively trying to increase the number of sell-side firms that follow your company?

How many of these sell-side analysts do you read consistently?

How many sell-side conferences does your company attend each year?

Executive Interaction

On average, how often do executive teams initiate contact with the buy side and the sell side?

Has there been a change in executive team interaction with the buy side and the sell side?

IR担当者からの洞察

IRパーセプションスタディのIRオフィサーセクションから更なる洞察の構成要素は下記の通りです。

金融オーディエンスとIRサービスにかける時間

財務質問者とのコミュニケーションにおける時間 社内質問者VS社外質問者とのコミュニケーションにおける時間 第三者ベンダーの使用

バイサイドとセルサイドの相互作用

新規機関投資家を惹きつけるもっとも効果的な手段は何ですか?

過去1年において、ヘッジファンドのカバレージに関して、変化はありましたか

御社のリサーチを公表しているブローカレッジ会社は平均何社ありますか?それに関して変化はありましたか?

御社は、更にセルサイドのカバレッジを探していますか?

御社は、御社を担当しているアナリストレポートを一貫して、いくつ読んでいますか?

御社について、セルサイドのリサーチはどれくらい正確ですか?

役員 (エクゼクティブ)との対応

平均して、どれくらいの頻度で経営陣 (エクゼクティブチーム)はバイサイドとセルサイ のコンタクトをとりますか

パイサイドとセルサイドに対する経営陣 (エグゼクティブチーム)の対応で変化はありまたか?

LISTS OF "THE BEST" "最優秀"のリ ストについて Best sell-side analysts: Institutional Investor's Research Team rankings

ベストセルサイドアナリスト: インスティテューショナルインベスタ リサーチチームランキング Sell-side firms providing the best coverage (overall and sector level)

ベストカバレージを提供しているバイサイ ドとセルサイドの会社 (全般とセクター別) Sell-side firms askedabout most knowledgeable buy-side firms (overall and sector level)

ベストカンファレンスを主催するセルサ

イドの会社

(全般とセクター別)

Fee Schedule

COMPLETE IR PERCEPTION STUDY: \$15,000

Sector Rankings

- Buy-side, sell-side and combined buy-and sell-side sector rankings and scores for Best Investor Relations, across ten performance attributes
- Buy-side, sell-side and combined buy-and sell-side sector rankings and scores for Best CEOs, CFOs, and IR Professionals

Sector Voter Breakouts

 Buy-side and sell-side ranks provided by location, domicile, asset size, voter function, institution type and Research Team across all four rankings categories.

Insights from IR Directors

 Advice and practices from IR Directors in Japan

Historical Sector Rankings

 Two years of historical rankings for Best Investor Relations, CEOs, CFOs, and IR Professionals

Voter Commentary

 Buy-side and sell-side sector commentary for Best Investor Relations, Best CEO, CFO, and IR Professional

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