

## **ONO Selected as Highest Rating A-List Company by CDP in Two Categories of “Climate Change” and “Water Security” in CDP 2022**

Ono Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. (Osaka, Japan; President and CEO: Gyo Sagara, “ONO”) announced that it has been selected by CDP, a global environmental non-profit organization, as a prestigious A-List company in the two categories of “climate change” and “water security” in CDP 2022, in recognition of its measures against climate change and water security. ONO has been selected for the A-List for the fifth consecutive year in climate change category and for the second consecutive year in water security category.



Based on the medium- and long-term environmental vision, ECO VISION 2050 (Environment Challenging Ono Vision 2050), ONO has set three priority items, “Realization of a decarbonized society,” “Realization of a water recycling society,” and “Realization of a resource recycling society,” and has been committed to reducing greenhouse gas emissions, water usage and waste associated with our business activities.

ONO continues to contribute to society by discovering and developing innovative pharmaceutical products, and promote initiatives toward the realization of a sustainable society in cooperation with our business partners.

### **About CDP**

CDP is a global non-profit organization that runs the world’s environmental disclosure system for companies, cities, states and regions. Founded in the UK in 2000 and working with a lot of investors, CDP pioneered using capital markets and corporate procurement to motivate companies to disclose their environmental impacts, and to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, safeguard water resources and protect forests. In 2022, over 680 investors with over US\$130 trillion in assets and 280 major purchasers with US\$6.4 trillion in procurement spend requested companies to disclose data on environmental impacts, risks and opportunities through CDP’s platform. Consequently, approximately 20,000 organizations around the world disclosed data through CDP, including more than 18,700 companies worth half of global market capitalization (US\$60.8 trillion), and over 1,100 cities, states and regions. CDP is currently one of the most informative disclosure platforms in the world regarding environmental issues. Furthermore, CDP is a founding member of “the Science Based Targets initiative (SBTi),” “We Mean Business Coalition,” “The Investor Agenda” and “the Net Zero Asset Managers initiative (NZAMI).” Visit [cdp.net](https://www.cdp.net) or follow us @CDP to find out more.

### **About CDP’s scoring**

CDP’s annual environmental disclosure and scoring process is widely recognized as the gold standard of corporate environmental transparency. By encouraging major companies around the world to disclosure information on their efforts to address environmental issues and evaluating them, CDP aims to enhance engagement in environmental issues worldwide.

A detailed and independent methodology is used by CDP to assess these companies, allocating a score of A to D-based on the comprehensiveness of disclosure, awareness and management of environmental risks and demonstration of best practices associated with environmental leadership, such as setting ambitious and meaningful targets. Those that don't disclose or provide insufficient information are marked with an F.

The full list of companies that made this year's CDP A List is available here, along with other publicly available company scores: <https://www.cdp.net/en/companies/companies-scores>

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