

Investor Information

Founded: September 1905

Incorporated: June 1911

Fiscal Year: April 1-March 31

Transfer Agent and Office:

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Listings and Quotations:

Kobe Steel is listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange, the Osaka Securities Exchange, and the three other exchanges in Japan. Overseas, the Company's shares are listed on the London Stock Exchange. American Depositary Receipts for common stock are traded over the counter in the United States.

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