## **Division Companies**

From its original business of textiles, ITOCHU has expanded its areas of operations to include natural resource development, machinery, foods, consumer-related businesses, and financial services. At the same time, it has developed an integrated business structure that encompasses not only trading but also investment and project organization.

Based on the Division Company System introduced in April 1997, ITOCHU has seven Division Companies. The aim of this system is to maximize revenue and earnings in each field of business through a swift decision-making process. In addition, we are working to maximize the earnings of the entire Group through the horizontal integration of projects spanning the Division Companies and in close cooperation with ITOCHU Headquarters.



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28	Textile Company
30	Machinery Company
32	Aerospace, Electronics & Multimedia Company
34	Energy, Metals & Minerals Company
36	Chemicals, Forest Products & General Merchandise Company
38	Food Company
40	Finance, Realty, Insurance & Logistics Services Company
42	Headquarters