

A History of Creating Value

Since our founding, OMRON has pursued innovation driven by social needs, leading the world in innovative ideas. We will continue to improve lives and contribute to a better society by creating value for the future.

Social Issues/Needs

Automation Society (1945-74)

Cybernation Society



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Productivity improvements to support high economic growth

Congestion in urban public transportation

Rising concern for personal health resulting from changes in lifestyle

OMRON Solutions

Factory floor automation

Social systems automation

Wider use of in-home blood pressure monitors



FY1960
World's first non-contact switch



FY1966
General purpose relays (MY Series)



FY1967
World's first automated train station system



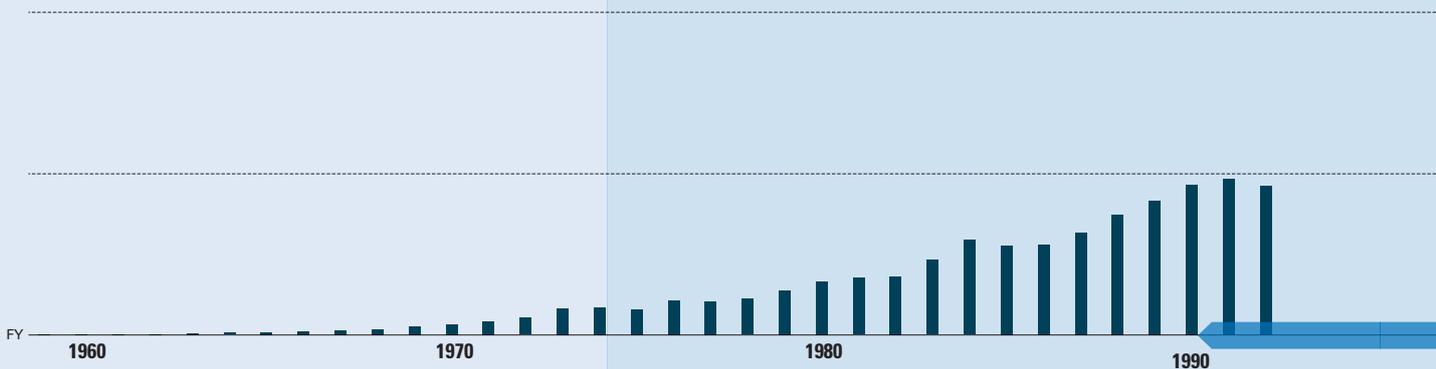
FY1973
Digital blood pressure monitors

History and Sales Trend

1933 Founded as Tateishi Electric Manufacturing Company
1959 Established Corporate Motto
1960 Established Central R&D Laboratory

1970 Announced the SINIC Theory
1974 Established Tateishi Institute of Life Science

1988 Established Management Center in the Netherlands and Singapore
1989 Established Management Center in U.S.



(1974-2005) Optimization Society (2005-)

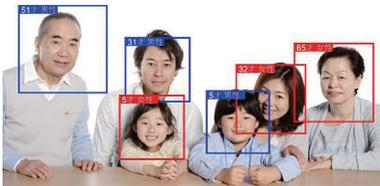


Advanced information society

Global warming

Population decline and soaring labor costs

Technology speeding the wider use of digital devices



FY1995 OKAO[®] vision image sensing technology

Wider adoption of renewable energy and energy saving



FY2011 PV inverters



FY2012 DC/DC converter for idling stop system

Advanced labor savings solutions for factories



FY2015 NX Series machine automation controller



FY2016 AI-equipped mobile robots



FY2018 Collaborative Robot



FY2018 Automated X-Ray Inspection System

1990 Change in corporate name, to OMRON
 publication of the OMRON Principles
 1994 Established Management Center in China
 1998 First revision to the OMRON Principles

2003 Established Keihanna Technology Innovation Center
 2006 Second revision to the OMRON Principles

2012 Established Management Center in India and Brazil
 2015 Third revision to the OMRON Principles
 2017 Established Management Center in Korea
 2018 Established OMRON SINIC X Corporation

