

YKK Corporation

■ Established	January 1, 1934
■ Capital	11,922,710,000 yen
■ Employees	3,396 as of the end of December 2004
■ Manufactured Products	Fastening products, precision machinery, equipment and molds
■ Head Office	1, Kandaizumi-cho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, 101-8642, Japan Tel +81 (3) 3864 2000
■ Plants	Kurobe Plant, Kurobe Makino Plant



Fastening products: In addition to buttons, tapes and other fasteners used in clothes and bags, we provide a wide variety of fastening products that are used not only in clothing, but also for a wide range of applications, from shoes and bedding to medical goods and industrial materials.

Machinery and engineering: Fulfilling the needs of elemental technology and research and development, we concentrate the technology and expertise that we have cultivated over decades to provide the YKK Group's unique production machinery, systems, dies and other equipment to our plants around the world.

YKK AP Inc.

■ Established	July 22, 1957
■ Capital	10,000,000,000 yen
■ Employees	12,352 as of the end of December 2004
■ Manufactured Products	Architectural products
■ Head Office	1, Kandaizumi-cho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, 101-8642, Japan Tel +81 (3) 3864 2200
■ Plants	Tohoku Manufacturing Plant, Kurobe Materials Manufacturing Plant, Kurobe Ekko Manufacturing Plant, Kurobe Ogyu Manufacturing Plant, Namerikawa Manufacturing Plant, Shikoku Manufacturing Plant, Kyushu Manufacturing Plant



Residential architectural: We seek to provide people with greater comfort and new amenities for their lifestyles by providing a variety of products, from door sashes to exterior and outer building materials, made from aluminum, wood, resin and other basic elements, while pursuing the enhancement of fundamental features, and a rich variety of color, design options and functionality. Furthermore, we endeavor to provide appropriate responses to needs for barrier free architecture, insulated environments, recyclability and other new demands.

Building architectural: Using our unique total vertically integrated manufacturing system, global reach and the deep expertise that we have cultivated through numerous big projects, we provide thorough architectural service, from the development of components to manufacturing, construction and after-service for structures ranging from small and medium buildings to skyscrapers.

YKK Group

■ Group Companies	123 companies in 70 countries/regions
	1) YKK Corporation and other group companies (18)
	2) YKK AP Group companies (7)
	3) Overseas: 98 companies (298 facilities including 93 plants)
■ Employees	37,717 (17,651 in Japan, 20,066 abroad) * as of the end of December 2004

