

## Press Release

# ANEST IWATA SIGNS PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT WITH JCL TEAM UKYO

Anest Iwata supports cycling team JCL TEAM UKYO

Anest Iwata will conclude a partnership agreement to support JCL TEAM UKYO's activities in Europe.



- **Anest Iwata supports JCL TEAM UKYO**

JCL TEAM UKYO, chaired by former F1 driver Ukyo Katayama, is a cycling road race team launched in 2023 with the goal of becoming the first Japanese national team ever to compete in the Tour de France and climb the podium.

JCL TEAM UKYO has a lineup of top-class Japanese riders, and from the 2024 season, Alberto Volpi, one of the Sports Directors who led the Bahrain Victorious to the overall team victory at the Giro d'Italia last summer, has been brought in as General Manager. Alberto Volpi, one of the Sports Directors who led Bahrain-Victorious to overall team victory in the Giro d'Italia last summer, has been called in as General Manager. He will be competing in the season with the aim of taking the team to the next level.

ANEST IWATA Strategic Center S.r.l, a European subsidiary of Anest Iwata, will support JCL TEAM UKYO's activities, mainly in the area of security, as a partner that will challenge and grow together with Anest Iwata, which is expanding its global activities. We will continue to challenge the world and develop new products together with JCL TEAM UKYO.

- **JCL TEAM UKYO**

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A bicycle road racing team launched in 2023 with JCL (Japan Cycle League) as its parent organization. 2024 season, the team will be based in Milan, Italy, and plans to start racing in Saudi Arabia in February, competing in domestic and international races.

- **DETTAGLI DELLA PARTNERSHIP**

- a. Provision of ANEST IWATA Strategic Center S.r.l. premises (for bicycle storage and maintenance)
- b. Community exchange activities mainly at ANEST IWATA Strategic Center S.r.l.
- c. Activities to increase awareness of our company in Europe
- d. Collaboration activities between TEAM UKYO and Anest Iwata group staffs.

- **ANEST IWATA CORPORATION**

Location: 3176 Shinyoshidatyo, Kohoku-ku, Yokohama City, Kanagawa Prefecture

Representative: Shinichi Fukase

Established: May 1, 1926

Capital: 3,354.35 million yen

Stock exchange listing: Tokyo

Stock Exchange Prime Market Main businesses: Manufacture and sale of air compressors, vacuum equipment, painting equipment and facilities, and hydraulic equipment and facilities

URL: <https://www.anestiwata-corp.com/jp>.

Anest Iwata manufactures and sells various types of air compressors vacuum equipment, coating equipment and coating systems. The company has been in business for more than 95 years and has a global presence with more than 30 offices in more than 20 countries. As a "development-oriented company," Anest Iwata is always striving to develop new products by catching the world's trends as quickly as possible. With more than 1,200 patent applications filed in Japan and overseas, many of the products around us are made using Anest Iwata's products.

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