



July 1, 2025 Nagase & Co., Ltd. TOTAKU INDUSTRIES, INC.

Announcement of Change to TOTAKU INDUSTRIES, INC. Company Name (as of November 1, 2025)

TOTAKU INDUSTRIES, INC. (Head Office: Shinmachi, Nishi-ku, Osaka City; President: Toshihiro Nakanishi), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Nagase & Co., Ltd. (Head Office: Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo; Representative Director, President and CEO: Hiroyuki Ueshima), will be changing its company name to Nagase RooTAC Industries Inc. as of November 1, 2025.

Nagase RooTAC Industries, Inc.

The Significance Behind the New Name Nagase RooTAC

The pipes and hoses manufactured by TOTAKU INDUSTRIES bring important goods and thoughts to people, acting like "roots" to support stable, comfortable daily lives. To continue as the roots for the industry, the company will keep moving forward one step at a time.

The "TAC" included in the name of products such as Square TACLEX, TAC Pipe, and TAC Duct symbolizes the technological and creative DNA of TOTAKU. "TAC" also has the following meanings behind it:

Tact...Reading situations

Tactics...Formulating detailed strategies

Tack...Changing directions flexibly to move forward with the prevailing wind

RooTAC has a forward-looking spirit of "contribution" and "pioneering."

■ New Company Name Logo



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■ Message from TOTAKU INDUSTRIES, INC. President Toshihiro Nakanishi

Since our establishment in 1952, we have been a leading company in the flexible hose and pipe industry. The root of that success was the values and reason for existence we have carried on from our original founders.



We carry out everything in-house, from materials research to designing manufacturing equipment. Maintaining a pioneering spirit, our values have supported original product development meeting the needs of the times. The duty of all the products and services created from the indefatigable spirit, capacity to think things through, and skills to implement ideas of all our workers and departments has been to "support connecting, protecting, and developing people and society."

TOTAKU INDUSTRIES, INC. will change its name to Nagase RooTAC, and flourish even more in a new stage of development as part of the NAGASE Group's manufacturing sector. We will continue to hold close our reason for existence and our values, and using the global network of the NAGASE Group will support connecting, protecting, and developing people and society through the irreplaceable TOTAKU brand which we have built together with the trust and expectations of our many customers.

Our new innovation stream has begun. We hope you will continue to support TOTAKU, as well as the developments begun by **Nagase RooTAC** towards a new goal.

■ TOTAKU INDUSTRIES, INC. Company Profile

Head Office: 1-1-17, Shinmachi, Nishi-ku, Osaka City

Established: May 28, 1952

Representative: President Toshihiro Nakanishi

Capital: 270,000,000 yen

Employees: 400

Business Summary: Manufacturing and sales of flexible pipes and hoses; plastic hoses for industrial use; protective pipes for power, telephone, and optical cables; pipes for civil engineering

use; and bridge-related materials

URL: https://www.totaku.co.jp/en/index.html

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^{*}There are no changes aside from the company name.