

The History of Our Products

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First Kawai upright piano, the 'Showa Type', produced

1927



First Kawai grand piano produced

1928



First full concert grand piano 'No. 800' produced

1952



Transparent 'Crystal' grand piano produced

1971

1930

First reed **organs** produced



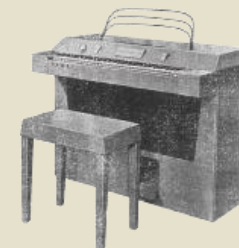
1958

Industry's first electric organ, 'Glorious No.6', introduced



1962

'Dreamatone' electronic organ produced



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Resin action for grand pianos introduced
1973



'EX' concert grand piano produced
1981



Kawai recognized as the official piano for the Chopin Piano Competition
1985

'AnyTime' sound muting system introduced
1993



'Shigeru Kawai' premier grand piano series introduced
1999

'Piano Mask' system introduced
1995

Industry's first **wooden seesaw keyboard** action introduced in digital pianos

1986
First **digital pianos** produced



1998
'MP' series stage pianos introduced



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Shigeru Kawai 'SK-EX' full concert grand piano introduced
2001



ABS carbon action introduced in 'K series upright pianos
2006



New 'K' series upright pianos introduced
2014



'AURES' hybrid pianos introduced
2018

'GX' series grand pianos introduced
2013

2000

'ES' series introduced



2006

Industry's first soundboard speaker system introduced in CA91 digital piano



2017

'Novus NV10' hybrid piano introduced



Business Overview

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Kawai' Business Segments



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Musical Instrument and Education Business: Musical Instrument Related



Grand pianos



Upright pianos



Hybrid pianos
Digital pianos



Digital pianos



Mini pianos

Musical instrument manufacture



Musical instrument sales



Tuning



Musical Instrument and Education Business: Education Related

KAWAI MUSIC SCHOOL



Kawai Music Schools' mascot,
'Kawai-chan'



KAWAI PHYSICAL EDUCATION SCHOOL



Kawai Physical Education Schools' mascot,
'Tai-chan' and 'Iku-chan'



KAWAI ENGLISH SCHOOL



KAWAI DRAWING AND MODELLING SCHOOL



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Material Processing Business

Metal business

Kawai Precision Metals Co., Ltd.

Manufacture of precision rolled step-sectioned-strips



Painting & Finishing business

Kawai Hyper Wood Co., Ltd.

Manufacture of automobile interior panels



Acoustics business

Kawai Sound System Inc.

Manufacture and sales of soundproof rooms



Other Business

Information-related business

Kawai Business Software Co., Ltd.

Insurance agency business

Kawai Assist Co., Ltd.