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Shioda Works

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The 1970s was a time when office workers started using computers, word processors, and other computer devices in common, and the office automation market was on the rise as a promising market. These devices required many fans to cool them.

To meet this demand, we newly established a mass-production base of small-sized motors in Ueda City, Nagano Prefecture in April 1979.

Shioda Works was opened as a factory that specialized in producing the San Ace cooling fans, and its production capacity had steadily grown over time. In 1982, it underwent a major expansion to increase its capacity.

In 1990, however, to realize an even greater production capacity in the future, we established a new production base of the San Ace products, that is, the Fujiyama Works.

Since then, the Shioda Works has made contributions continuously by producing servo amplifiers and PV inverters, then currently stepping motors.