

Q1 FY04/22 Financial Results Presentation

September 14, 2021

Macbee Planet, Inc. (Stock code: 7095)

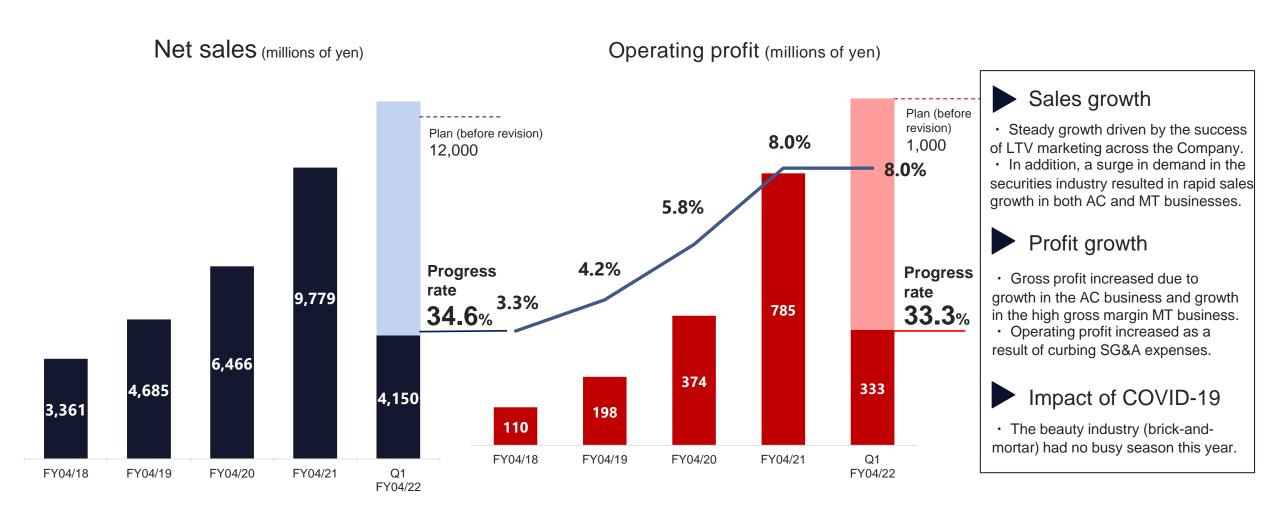
Company Overview

Company name	Macbee Planet, Inc. (7095)
Establishment date	August 25, 2015
Capital	399 million yen (as of end-July 2021)
Business description	Provision of data-driven marketing analytics services
Head office location	3-11-11 Shibuya, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo
No. of employees	57 (as of end-July 2021)

	History
Aug. 2015	Established Macbee Planet, Inc.
Aug. 2015	Released data analytics platform "Honeycomb"
Nov. 2017	Released web customer service tool "Robee"
Dec. 2018	Opened Fukuoka Office (sales office)
Mar. 2020	Listed on Mothers section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange
Mar. 2021	Made Sambar Labs PH Inc. a subsidiary
Mar. 2021	Established Smash Co., Ltd.
Aug. 2021	Made α, Inc. a wholly owned subsidiary

Q1 FY04/22 Results Summary

Achieved record-high net sales and operating profit, far exceeding the plan.



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FY04/22 Topics

■ Strengthened technologies and systems to evolve and deepen LTV marketing.

1	Strengthening technology	 Further evolved/deepened LTV marketing through Al and 3D technology of α, Inc. (Alpha Co., Ltd.), which became a subsidiary in August 2021 										
2	Enhancing systems	 Appointed two of α, Inc.'s directors to head the technology department and accelerated technology investments Hired an executive officer for the AC Business and worked on strengthening the front office and further evolving LTV marketing Established the Business Development Division and Solutions Division to promote growth strategies. 										
3	Earnings forecast	 Upwardly revised earnings forecast for FY04/22 Net sales: 12,280 million yen (+2.3%) Operating profit: 1,060 million yen (+6.0%) Operating margin: 8.6% (+0.3ppt) 										

^{*} See appendix for information on α , Inc.

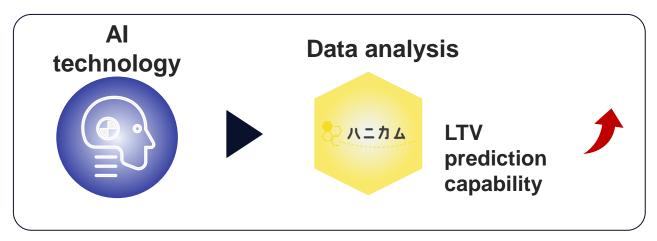
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Establishing a Technological Infrastructure

Promoted growth strategies by utilizing α, Inc.'s Al and 3D technologies for LTV marketing.

 α , inc









Establish infrastructure for applicable data technology



Accelerate expansion into other industries

New Structure to Promote Growth Strategies

- Appointed two directors of α, Inc. to head our Technology Department and accelerated technology investments.
- Hired an executive officer for the AC Business and worked on strengthening the front office and further evolving and deepening LTV marketing.
- Established the Business Development Division and Solutions Division to promote growth strategies.

	Division	Role	Growth strategy	Responsible position(s)	Name
	Sales Division	New customer acquisition	Expand into other industries	President and Representative Director, Head of Sales Division	Yusuke Kojima
	Consulting Division	AC Business promotion	Evolve and deepen LTV marketing	Executive Officer, Head of Consulting Division	Kenta Fujiwara [*]
	Product Division	MT Business	Increase data and establish technological	Executive Officer, Head of Product Division	Hideyuki Shoda *
	i roddot zimolom	promotion	infrastructure	СТО	Hitoshi Tsuyuki [*]
NEW	Business Development Division*	AC Business promotion	Increase data and improve data integration and analysis capability	Director, Head of Business Development Division	Hideyuki Uraya
NEW	Solution Division*	Growth strategy promotion	Promote company-wide growth strategies	Executive Officer, Head of Solution Division	Hidemi Takahara
	Business Administration Division	Business management	Corporate planning, M&A, capital and business alliance	Director, Head of Business Administration Division	Tomohiro Chiba

^{*}Newly established

*Newly appointed See appendix for biography

Revised Earnings Forecast for FY04/22

■ We revised our earnings forecast to account for α, Inc.'s sales and operating profit (after amortization of goodwill).

(millions of yen)

	Net sales	Operating profit	Operating margin
Previous forecast	12,000	1,000	8.3%
Earnings forecast for α, Inc.*	280	60	21.4%
Revised forecast	12,280	1,060	8.6%
Change	+280	+60	+0.3ppt
Change (%)	+2.3%	+6.0%	_

^{*}α, Inc.'s business results are for the **nine-month period** from the deemed acquisition date in August 2021 to April 2022.

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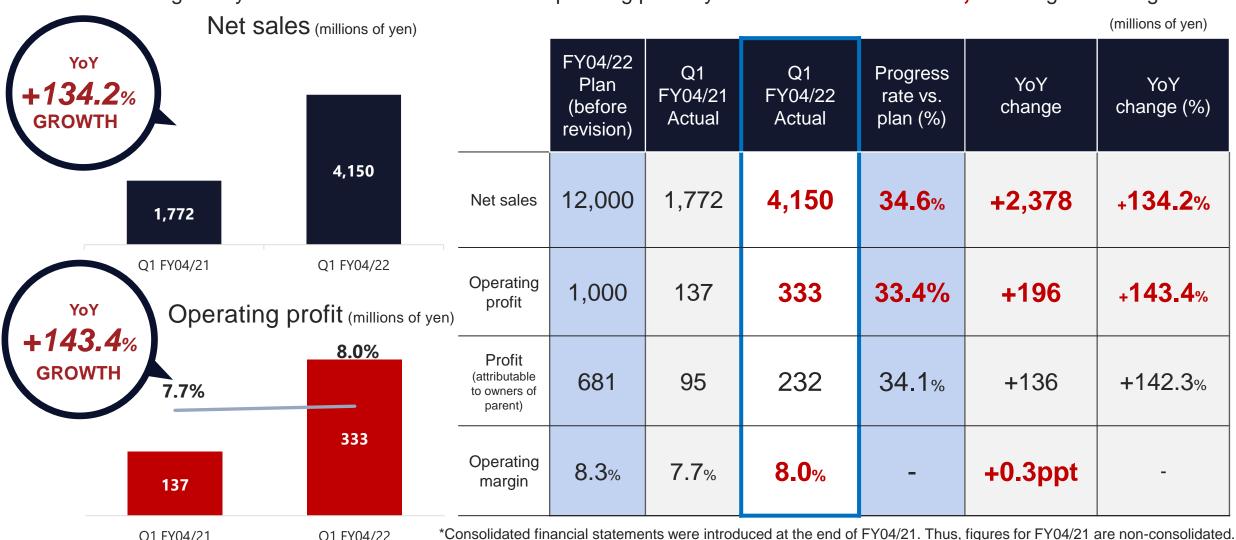
^{*}a, Inc.'s operating profit is the amount after accounting for amortization of goodwill.



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■ Net sales grew by more than 2.3x YoY and operating profit by more than 2.4x YoY, reaching record highs.

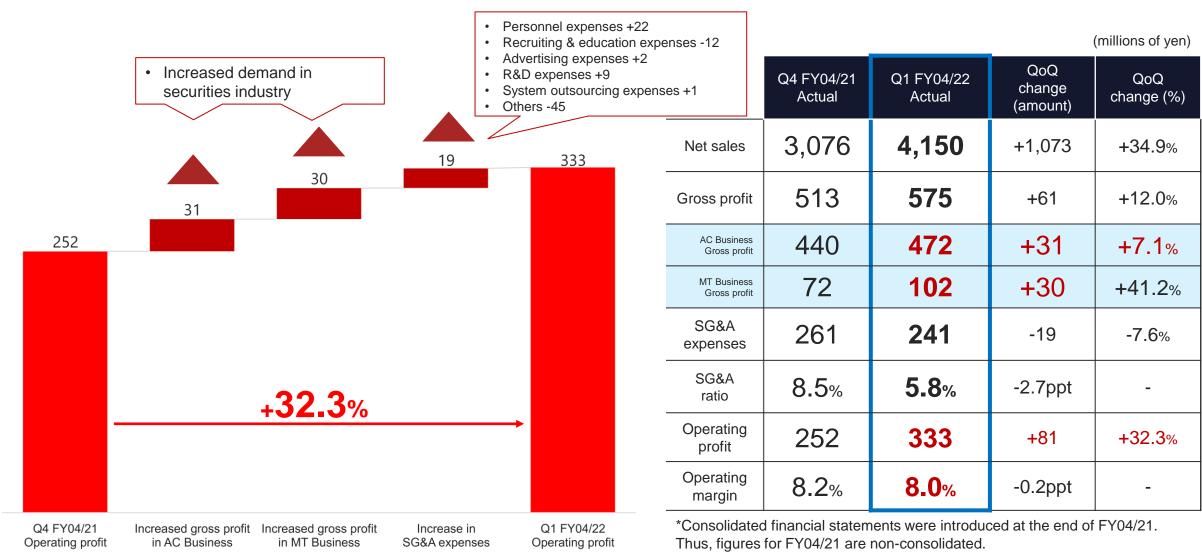


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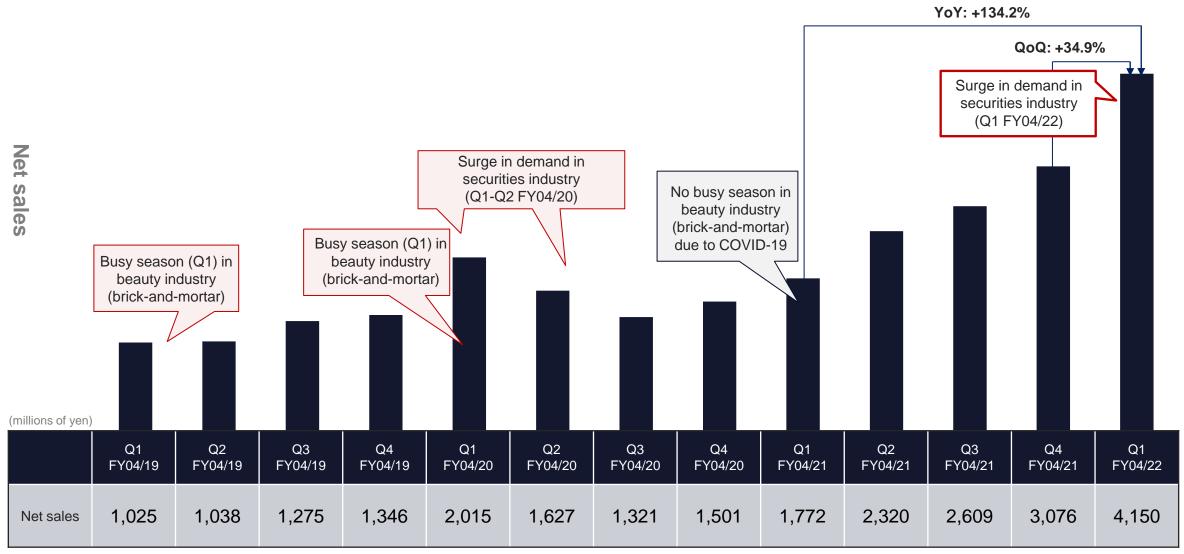
Breakdown of QoQ Change in Operating Profit

■ Demand in the securities industry drove growth in the AC and MT businesses. Operating profit grew by more than 1.3x.



Sales Trend

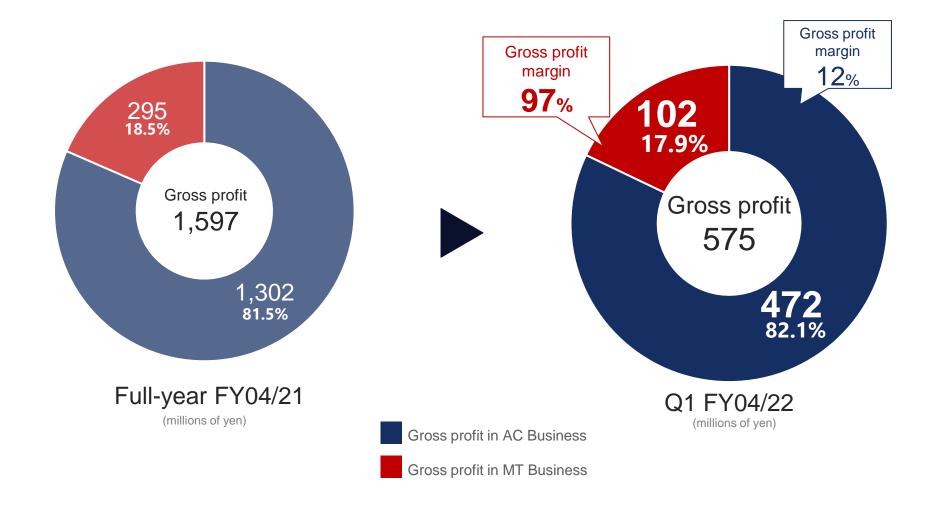
■ Net sales are on an upward trend, reaching new highs.



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Segment Breakdown of Gross Profit

■ The AC Business expanded rapidly, but we continue to focus on the MT Business.







FY04/22 Growth Strategy

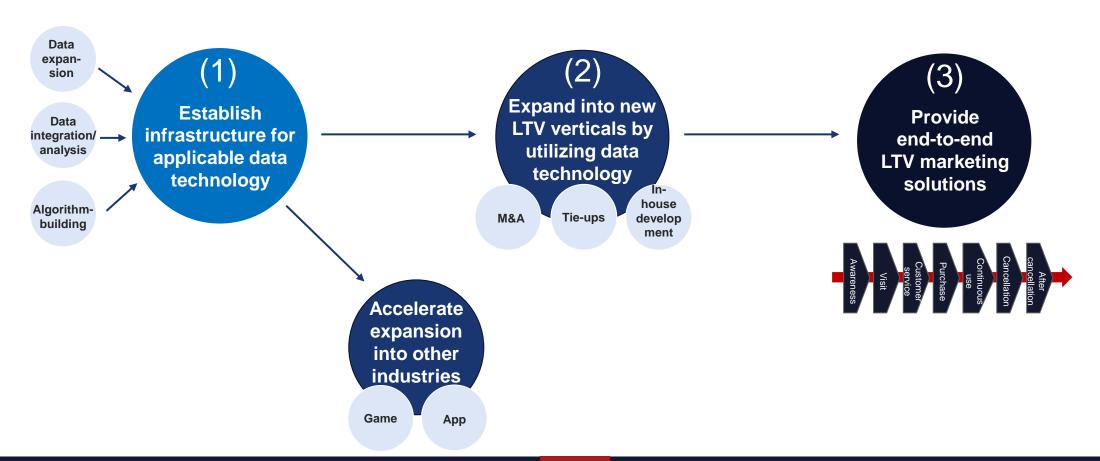
Basic Approach for FY04/22 Growth Strategy

Further evolve and deepen LTV marketing by expanding data and leveraging analysis technology Basic approach Offer end-to-end solutions by expanding into new LTV verticals **Revision of earnings forecast** 12,280_{mn yen} Net sales Earnings forecast 1,060_{mn} yen Operating profit 8.6% Operating margin

Basic Approach for Growth Strategy

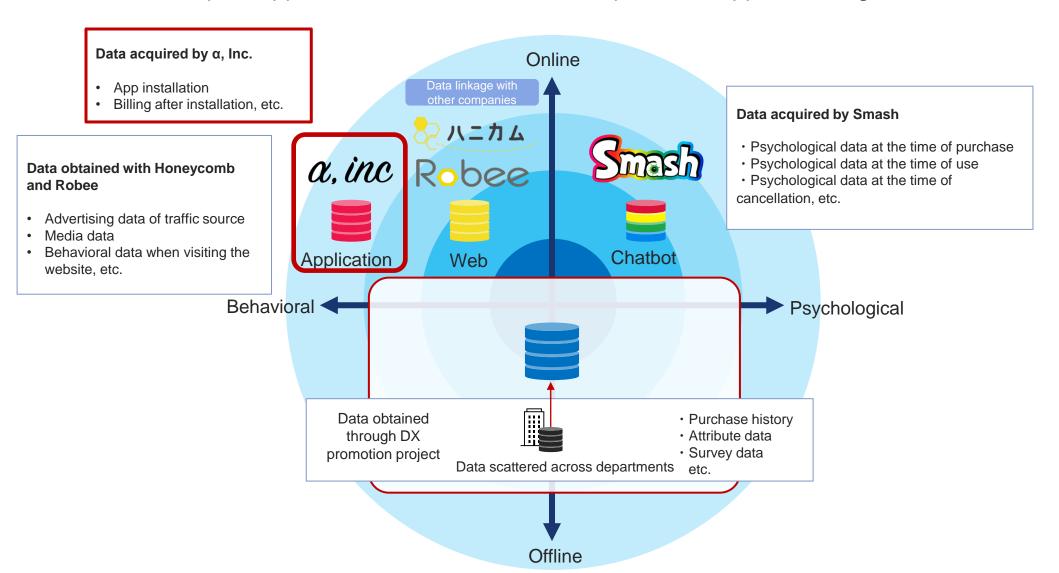
■ Further evolve and deepen LTV marketing by expanding data and leveraging analysis technology.

Evolve and Deepen LTV marketing



Data Expansion

Acquire app data from α, Inc.'s 3D AD. Expand into app marketing domain.



Evolve and Deepen LTV Marketing by Turning α , Inc. Into a Subsidiary

■ Leverage the strengths of both companies to accelerate growth and expand into broader markets.

		Aim	Specific initiatives	Impact on Group results
1	Short-	Dig deeper into existing industries	Provide "3D AD" to the Group's existing industries (beauty, finance, etc.)	 Better results for existing customers Increased per-customer spending
	term	Expand into other industries	 Expand into the game and entertainment industry Expand into app marketing 	Acquisition of new clientsFurther growth in sales
2		Implement AI for data analysis and distribution technology	Improve the accuracy of ad delivery and realize efficiency enhancement/man-power savings by linking Al delivery algorithms with Honeycomb	 Increased number of generated results Enhanced profitability and labor productivity
3	Medium- term	Raise the standard of LTV improvement capability	Utilize 3D technology to provide an interactive user experience	 Greater number of generated results by improving CVR Increased sales
4		Broaden LTV marketing verticals	Provide ad delivery aimed at expanding recognition among high-LTV users	Higher profitability by raising per-customer spending
5	Long- term	Expand into new ad verticals	Create new ad market in VR/AR using 3D technology	Creation of growth opportunities for the entire industry

FY04/22 Financial Results Forecast

■ We aim to grow our existing businesses while taking on challenges in new business domains. We forecast net sales of 12.2 billion yen and operating profit of 1.06 billion yen.

(millions of yen)

	Net sales	Operating profit	Operating profit margin	Profit attributable to owners of the parent	EPS
FY04/21	9,779	785	8.0%	546	173.20 (yen)
FY04/22	12,280	1,060	8.6%	720	224.94 (yen)
Change	+2,500	+274	+0.6ppt	+172	-
Change (%)	+25.6%	+35.0%	-	+31.6%	-

appendix

Introduction of New Officers

New Officers

plønet plønet	Name	Career	Summary					
(as of October 1, 2021) Executive Officer, Head of Product Division	Hideyuki Shoda	α, Inc. CEO	2010: Founded Glow Lance 2013: Founded 10sec in the US 2016: Founded VRize (currently α, Inc.) Winner of Incubate Camp 5th; Winner of CyberAgent's Startup Version "Ashita-Kaigi"; Participated in the 11th Term of KDDI MUGENLABO, etc.					
(as of October 1, 2021) CTO	Hitoshi Tsuyuki	α, Inc. Director and CTO	 2012: Joined GREE, Inc. Engaged in construction and operation of large-scale infrastructures, development of development infrastructure and virtualization systems, etc. 2013: Worked on service development for 10sec. 2016 Co-founded VRize (currently α). Led the overall development and organization-building as CTO. Handled all kinds of development at a high level, including server-side, frontend, infrastructure, iOS, Android, and Unity. 					
(as of July 1, 2021) Executive Officer, Head of Consulting Division	Kenta Fujiwara	Director of Willgate, Inc. Representative Director of e-machitown Co., Ltd.	2007: Joined iFLAG Co., Ltd. Worked on online advertising and access analysis. 2012: Joined SB Technology Corp. Contributed to a 450% YoY growth in operating profit for the solution he oversaw. 2015: Joined Hikari Tsushin, Inc. 2016: Appointed Representative Director of e-machitown Co., Ltd. Joined EPARK, where he supervised the infrastructure development, system strategy, data analysis, and marketing departments. May 2018: Appointed Executive Officer of Willgate, Inc. July 2019: Appointed Director of Willgate, Inc.					

About α, Inc. (Alpha Co., Ltd.)

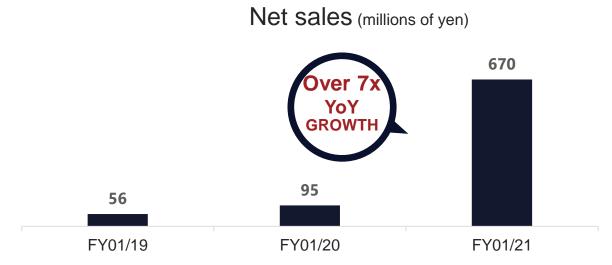
α, Inc. Company Profile

■ Marketing technology company that operates an AI-powered marketing platform, "3D AD." The company rapidly grew sales by roughly 7x YoY in FY01/21.



lpha, inc Company Outline

Name	α, Inc.
Representative	Hideyuki Shoda
Business description	Operation of AI marketing platform, "3D AD"
Establishment	



Technical capabilities

Maximizes results and optimizes resources by leveraging its proprietary Al-based delivery algorithm and 3D creative technology.

Track record

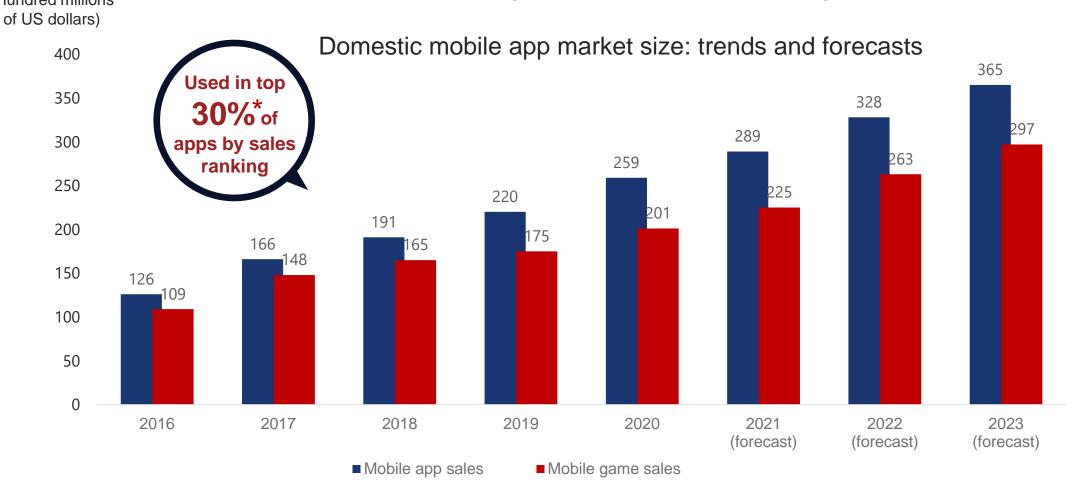
Used in about 30% of top-selling apps in the App Store and Google Play.

Rapid growth

Net sales grew rapidly by roughly 7x YoY in FY01/21.

Market Trends at α, Inc.

■ The app market, in which 3D AD excels, is expected to grow mainly in games but also in learning, translation, health management, and social networking apps.



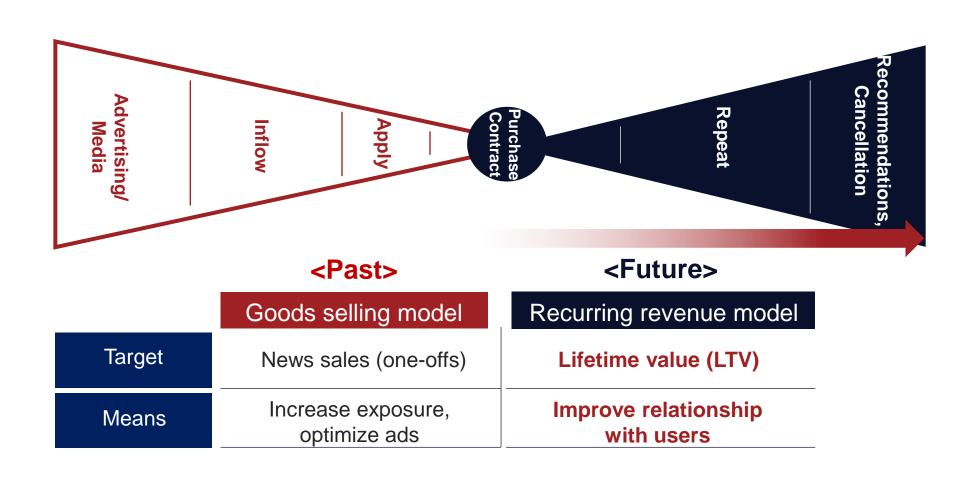
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^{*} Source: Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications, "Living and Economy Supported by Digital Technology," Omdia research

Business Environment

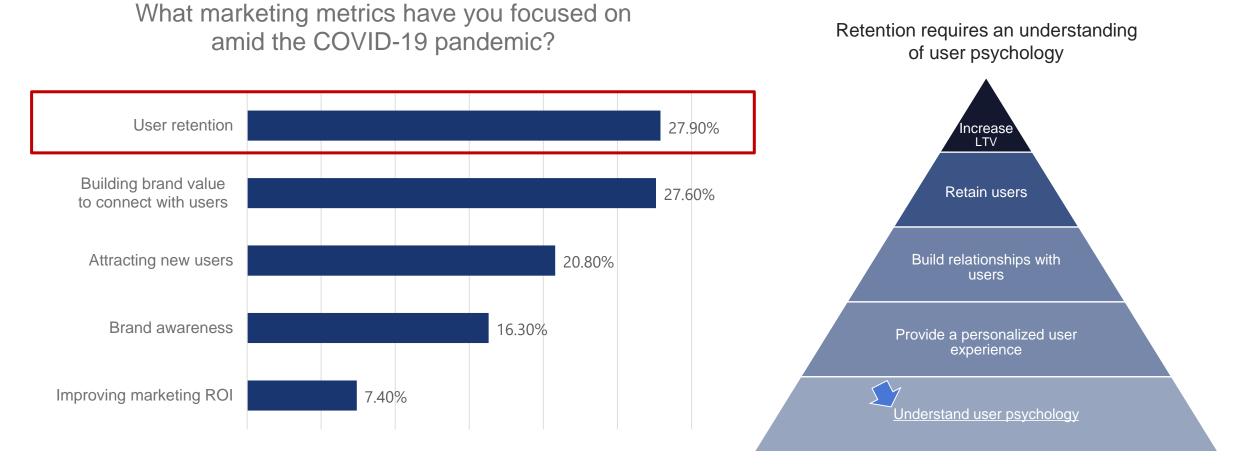
Increasing Importance of LTV in Marketing

■ Marketing will continue to place importance on LTV, not new sales (one-offs).



Greater Focus on Retention Due to COVID-19

■ Many marketers, not just those in the recurring revenue business, emphasize existing user retention. Understanding user psychology and building relationships between clients and users are important for retention.

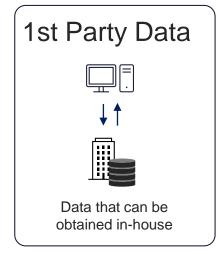


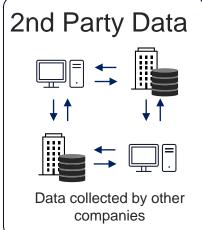
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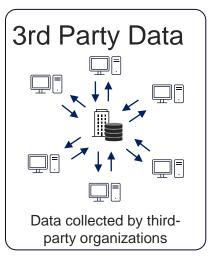
Growing Demand for Zero-Party Data

■ As personal information protection and cookie regulations advance, it is becoming more difficult to collect data in a way we used to and infer user attributes. Zero-party data collected directly from users is growing in importance.

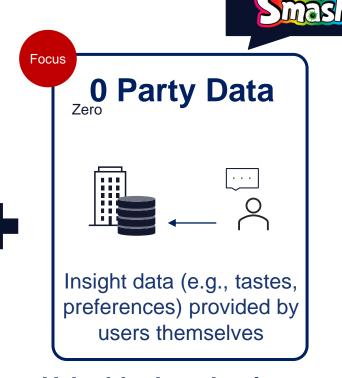
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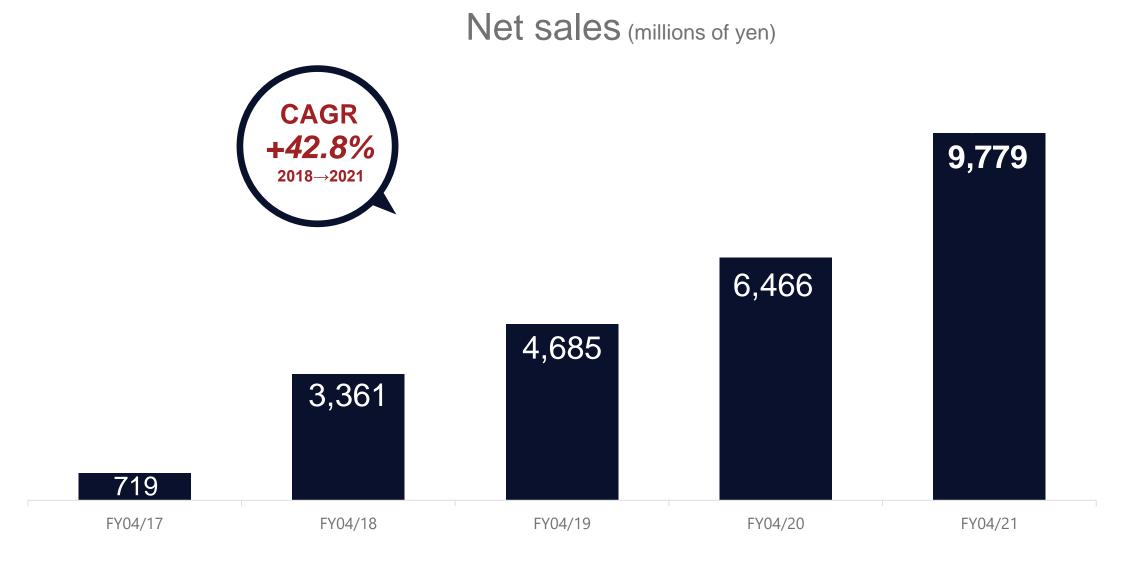
Third-party cookie regulations have had a significant impact on ad technology, which uses cookies to infer user psychology.



Valuable data that is not based on inference

Business Performance

Performance Trends



Performance Trends

	FY04/20 Q1		FY04/20 Q2		FY04/20 Q3		FY04/20 Q4		FY04/21 Q1		FY04/21 Q2		FY04/21 Q3		FY04/21 Q4		FY04/22 Q1	
	(JPY mn)	Ratio																
Net sales	2,015	-	1,627	-	1,321	-	1,501	-	1,772	-	2,320	-	2,609	-	3,076	-	4,150	-
Gross profit	343	17.0%	296	18.2%	262	19.9%	271	18.1%	305	17.2%	373	16.1%	404	15.5%	513	16.7%	575	13.9%
SG&A expenses	132	6.6%	181	11.1%	190	14.4%	294	19.6%	168	9.5%	175	7.6%	206	7.9%	261	8.5%	241	5.8%
Personnel expenses	88	4.4%	92	5.7%	105	8.0%	130	8.7%	109	6.2%	108	4.7%	115	4.4%	95	3.1%	118	2.8%
Advertising expenses	0	0.0%	4	0.3%	14	1.1%	68	4.6%	6	0.3%	9	0.4%	14	0.6%	9	0.3%	12	0.3%
Recruiting & education expenses	4	0.2%	30	1.9%	14	1.1%	21	1.5%	9	0.5%	11	0.5%	8	0.3%	18	0.6%	5	0.1%
R&D expenses	-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		9	0.2%
Depreciation & amortization	2	0.1%	2	0.2%	2	0.2%	2	0.2%	2	0.1%	3	0.1%	3	0.1%	4	0.1%	4	0.1%
System outsourcing expenses	5	0.3%	4	0.3%	4	0.3%	3	0.2%	4	0.3%	10	0.4%	9	0.4%	7	0.2%	9	0.2%
Other expenses	31	1.6%	46	2.9%	49	3.7%	68	4.5%	35	2.0%	32	1.4%	54	2.1%	126	4.1%	81	2.0%
Operating profit	210	10.5%	115	7.1%	71	5.4%	-23	-1.5%	137	7.7%	198	8.6%	197	7.6%	252	8.2%	333	8.0%

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Financial Results by Segment

	FY04/20 Q1	FY04/20 Q2	FY04/20 Q3	FY04/20 Q4	FY04/21 Q1	FY04/21 Q2	FY04/21 Q3	FY04/21 Q4	FY04/22 Q1
Net sales	2,015	1,627	1,321	1,501	1,772	2,320	2,609	3,076	4,150
AC Business	1,990	1,599	1,291	1,468	1,702	2,237	2,535	3,003	4,044
MT Business	25	28	30	32	69	83	73	72	105
Gross profit	343	296	262	271	305	373	404	513	575
AC Business	317	268	231	239	238	290	331	440	472
MT Business	25	28	30	32	66	82	72	72	102
Operating profit (Segment profit)	210	115	71	-23	137	198	197	252	333
AC Business	278	221	187	195	192	232	283	364	388
MT Business	13	6	-1	8	45	51	21	6	67
Adjustments	-80	-112	-114	-226	-100	-86	-106	-118	-122

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Sales Ratio by Industry

	FY04/20 Q1				FY04/20 Q2		FY04/20 Q3		FY04/20 Q4		FY04/21 Q1		FY04/21 Q2		FY04/21 Q3		FY04/21 Q4		FY04/22 Q1	
	(JPY mn)	Ratio	(JPY mn)	Ratio	(JPY mn)	Ratio	(JPY mn)	Ratio	(JPY mn)	Ratio	(JPY mn)	Ratio	(JPY mn)	Ratio	(JPY mn)	Ratio	(JPY mn)	Ratio		
Overall	2,015	-	1,627	-	1,321	-	1,501	-	1,772	-	2,320	-	2,609	-	3,076	-	4,150	-		
Beauty	685	34.0%	510	31.4%	488	37.0%	479	31.9%	779	44.0%	1,083	46.7%	907	34.8%	685	22.3%	606	14.6%		
Brick & Mortar	386	19.2%	233	14.3%	207	15.7%	182	12.1%	169	9.6%	181	7.8%	111	4.3%	144	4.7%	160	3.9%		
E-commerce	299	14.8%	276	17.0%	280	21.2%	297	19.8%	610	34.4%	902	38.9%	794	30.5%	540	17.6%	445	10.7%		
Financial	949	47.1%	790	48.6%	417	31.6%	546	36.4%	581	32.8%	969	41.8%	1,240	47.5%	1,894	61.6%	2,935	70.7%		
Banks	191	9.5%	227	14.0%	182	13.8%	280	18.7%	197	11.2%	256	11.1%	244	9.4%	382	12.4%	312	7.5%		
Securities	665	33.0%	478	29.4%	110	8.4%	148	9.9%	352	19.9%	627	27.0%	910	34.9%	1,418	46.1%	2,567	61.9%		
Other financial	92	4.6%	84	5.2%	124	9.4%	117	7.8%	31	1.8%	85	3.7%	86	3.3%	94	3.1%	54	1.3%		
Others	380	18.9%	326	20.1%	415	31.4%	475	31.7%	410	23.1%	267	11.5%	461	17.7%	496	16.2%	607	14.6%		

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Balance Sheet

(millions of yen)

	FY04/21	Q1 FY04/22	change (amount)
Assets	3,348	3,921	+573
Current assets	3,101	3,668	+567
(Cash and deposits)	(1,923)	(1,589)	-334
Non-current assets	247	253	+6
Liabilities	1,457	1796	+339
Current liabilities	1,414	1764	+349
Non-current liabilities	42	31	-10
Net assets	1,891	2,125	+234
Shareholders' equity	1,886	2,121	+235

Current ratio		
207.9%		



Business Information





Business Description

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■ We provide services to acquire new users (consumers) and prevent existing users from churning on a pay-for-performance basis.



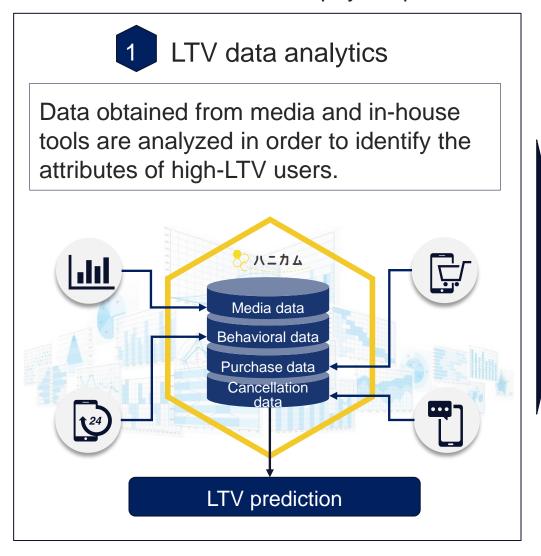
Acquisition of new high-LTV users

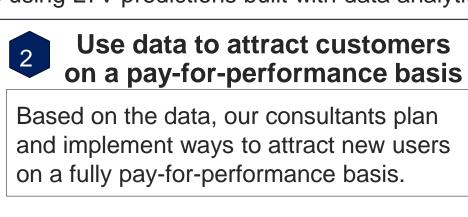


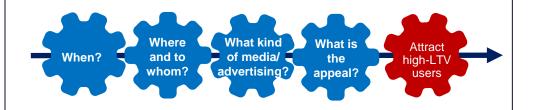
Improvement of LTV by preventing existing users from churning

Analytics Consulting Business

■ We attract customers on a pay-for-performance basis using LTV predictions built with data analytics.







Unit price of performance compensation × No. of results generated

Costs: Media publishing costs Gross profit margin: Approx. 15%

Marketing Technology Business

■ We improve LTV by raising the LTV of new customers and reducing the churn rate of existing customers.



Convert attracted users into customers

Robee provides customer service to attracted users and converts them into high-LTV customers.



Web customer service

Fixed monthly rate or Performance compensation

Costs: None Gross profit margin: 100%



Prevent existing users from churning

A chatbot is used to encourage existing users considering canceling to continue, thereby reducing the churn rate and improving LTV.

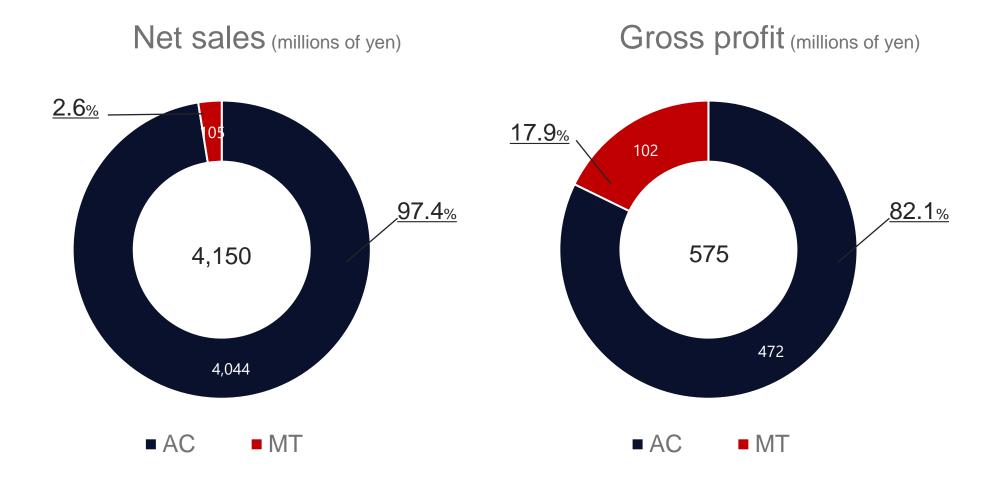


Churn prevention chatbot

Fixed monthly rate or Monthly fee + Performance compensation

Costs: None
Gross profit margin: 100%

Segment Breakdown of Sales and Gross Profit



Our Strengths

1 LTV prediction ability

Technology to analyze data and predict the LTV of users (consumers)

2 Consulting ability

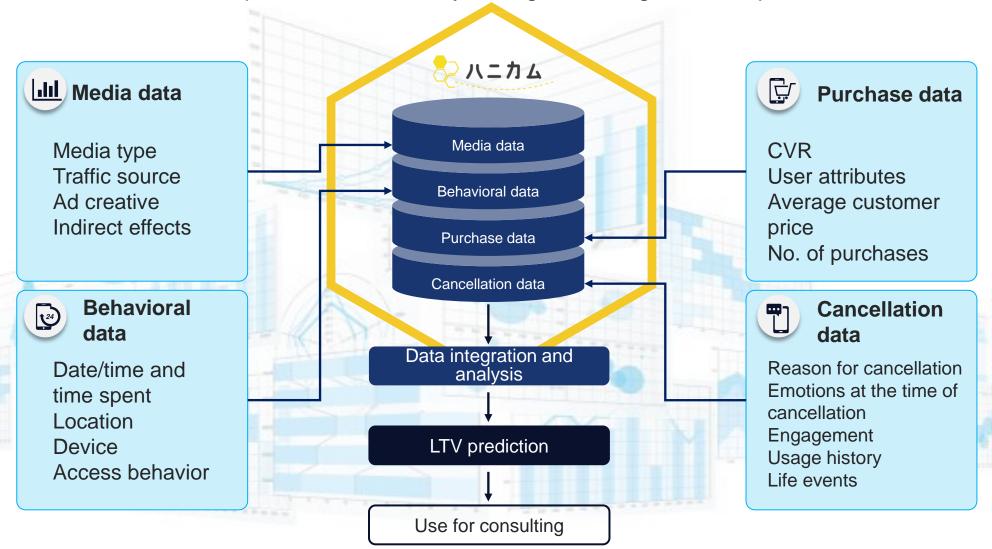
Consulting ability using LTV prediction technology

3 LTV improvement ability

Technology to increase LTV by improving customer CVR and reducing churn rate

1 LTV Prediction Ability

■ We build LTV prediction models by linking marketing data and purchase data.



2 Consulting Ability

■ We provide consulting services for attracting high-LTV users (consumers) by leveraging data on a pay-for-performance basis.

Consulting Honeycomb LTV prediction What is What kind Where Attract Media data When? of media/ the and to high-LTV Behavioral data appeal? advertising whom? Purchase data users Cancellation data

Consulting Fee

Unit price of performance compensation

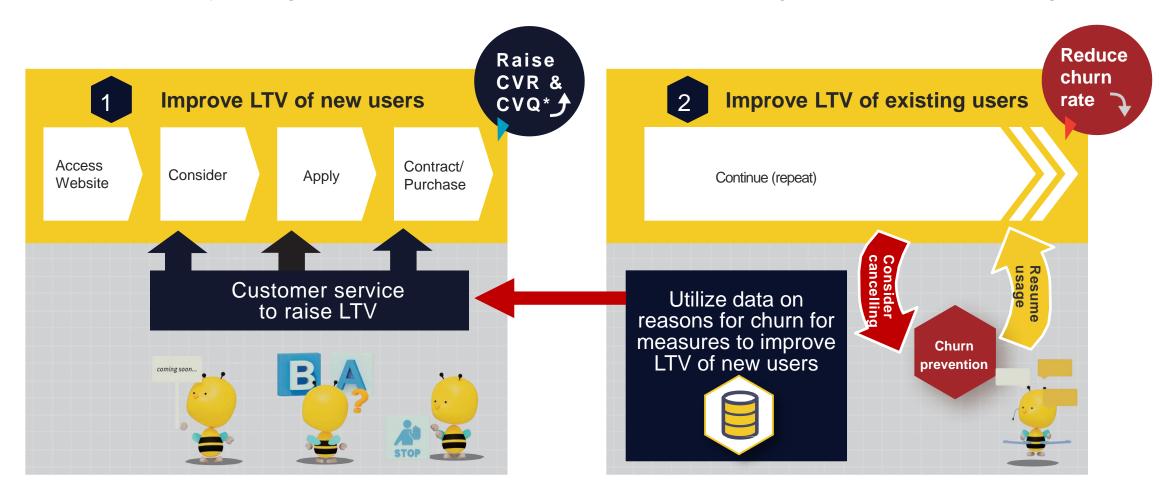


No. of results generated

No initial cost No monthly cost

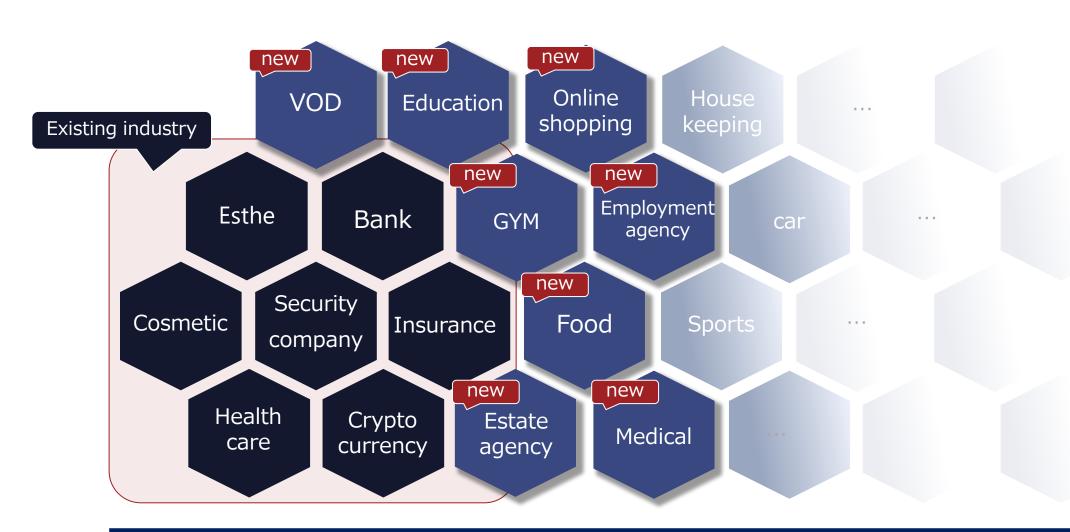
3 LTV Improvement Ability

■ We improve LTV by raising the CVR and CVQ of new users and reducing the churn rate of existing users.



^{*}Conversion Quality. Refers to discovering user groups that are likely to be highly engaged with the company or its service, and promoting purchases.

Our target industry



Our Clients



















































VOC Use Cases

■ By using VOC, we further develop measures to improve LTV utilizing proprietary data technology.

Using VOC to streamline the attraction of new customers (securities firm)

We used a chatbot to collect information from newly applying (CV) users about the accounts held and the purpose of application. When we conducted a trend analysis of the customer conversion points, we found that the CVR was high for users with purposes different from the points the company was promoting, and that the CVR was high for users holding accounts at another securities company. Based on this data, the company changed their target users and appeal points in order to improve the efficiency of customer attraction.

Substantial improvement in subscription CVR

(cosmetics mail-order company)

When a major ad agency was providing support, the CVR to the subscription plan after CV was low, and the margins were slim, because the LTV was not commensurate with the cost of customer acquisition. By analyzing the reasons why customers did not continue to use the service, we identified that they did not feel the effects of the service. Thus, the company provided appropriate information on how to use the product and how often to use it at the time of CV, and optimized communication by traffic source. As a result, its subscription CVR improved significantly and LTV increased.

Net increase in the number of members

(subscription service)

The number of new registrations continued to be less than the number of cancellations, resulting in a net decrease in the number of members. After introducing Smash's churn-prevention chatbot, the churn-prevention rate (members who continued to use the service the following month / members who opened the chatbot on the cancellation page) exceeded 10%, and the number of members are now increasing every month.

By analyzing the reasons for cancellation, we identified that milestones in life events were often the reasons for cancellation. Thus, the company designed its communication to meet the needs of each individual situation. It also developed new service features based on the reasons for cancellation in order to retain users.

Communication design based on VOC

(mail-order subscription company)

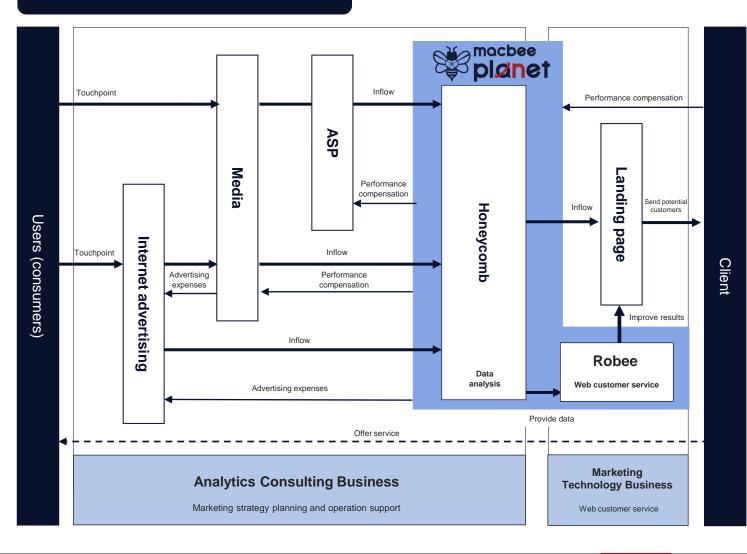
The company knew that the majority of the reasons for cancellation were "cannot finish drinking," but it couldn't get the detailed background through phone calls or emails. By using our chatbot to obtain the details, the company is now able to conduct CRM with more consideration for users' feelings.

In addition, it was found that the time of cancellation was concentrated between 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Thus, the official LINE messages were improved, leading to a reduction in the churn rate.

The response rate of the chatbot exceeded 20%, and user voices were accumulated and used to improve communication.

Business Process Diagram

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AC Business

Unit price of performance compensation x No. of results generated

MT Business

Price plan	Web customer service	Churn prevention
(1) Performance compensation	Unit price of performance compensation x No. of results generated	
(2) Fixed monthly rate	From 80,000 yen/month	From 800,000 yen/month
(3) Consulting	400,000 yen/month	
(4) Monthly rate+ Performancecompensation	80,000 yen/month or more	300,000 yen/month or more

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