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#### **Highlights**

#### **2Q Results**

Sales and income increased from the same period of the previous year due to strong performance of the entertainment business

Sales: ¥8.7 billion(YoY+6.4%) Operating Profit: ¥1.9 billion(YoY+37.1%)

#### **Entertainment Business**

"DRAGON QUEST WALK" and "Shironeko Project" performed well

Sales: ¥8.3 billion(YoY+5.2%) Operating Profit: ¥1.9 billion(YoY+63.3%)

#### **Investment and Development Business**

Selected as a K-Growth's investment business Proceeding with full-scale business activities in Korea

Sales: ¥0.4 billion(YoY+37.1%) Operating Profit: ¥0.01 billion(YoY-93.5%)

#### **TOPICs**

Blockchain Games: Closed alpha to be conducted in May!

Signed a cross-licensing agreement with CAPCOM CO., LTD.

# (1) Overview of Results

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#### Sales:¥8.7billion Operating profit:¥1.9billion

(YoY: +37.1%)(YoY:+6.4%)



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<sup>\*</sup>Sales of "DRAGON QUEST WALK" and "Tales of Luminaria" are recorded on a net basis (revenue sharing).



#### Entertainment Business Investment & Development Business

#### **Entertainment Business**

(Million JPY)

	<b>FY2022 2Q</b> (Jan.2022-Mar.2022)	<b>FY2023 2Q</b> (Jan.2023-Mar.2023)	YoY
Sales	7,951	8,366	+5.2%
Cost	6,777	6,449	-4.8%
Operating profit	1,173	1,917	+63.3%
Operating profit margin	14.8%	22.9%	-

#### **Investment&Development Business**

	<b>FY2022 2Q</b> (Jan.2022-Mar.2022)	<b>FY2023 2Q</b> (Jan.2023-Mar.2023)	YoY
Sales	307	422	+37.1%
Cost	72	406	+463.1%
Operating profit	235	15	-93.5%
Operating profit margin	76.5%	3.6%	-

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### Ordinary profit:¥2.0billion Net profit:¥1.3billion

(YoY:+27.8%)

(YoY:+19.5%)

	FY2022 2Q	FY2023 2Q	YoY
	(Jan.2022-Mar.2022)	(Jan.2023-Mar.2023)	
Sales	8,258	8,789	+6.4%
Cost	6,848	6,856	+0.1%
Operating profit	1,410	1,932	+37.1%
Operating profit margin	17.1%	22.0%	-
Non-operating income	377	212	-43.6%
Non-operating expenses	182	94	-47.9%
Ordinary profit	1,605	2,050	+27.8%
Extraordinary income	-	-	-
Extraordinary losses	-	-	-
<b>Profit before income taxes</b>	1,605	2,050	+27.8%
Total income taxes	479	704	+47.1%
Net profit	1,126	1,346	+19.5%
Net profit margin	13.6%	15.3%	-

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## Equity ratio of 92.8%

	<b>FY2022</b> (Sep.2022)	<b>FY2023 2Q</b> (Mar.2023)	Variance
Current assets	77,917	74,069	-4.9%
Cash and deposits	60,330	57,543	-4.6%
Operational investment securities	10,334	9,486	-8.2%
Non-current assets	5,363	6,444	+20.2%
Total assets	83,280	80,513	-3.3%
Current liabilities	5,694	4,931	-13.4%
Non-current liabilities	1,011	899	-11.1%
Total liabilities	6,705	5,830	-13.0%
Shareholders' equity	75,299	73,712	-2.1%
Net assets	76,575	74,683	-2.5%

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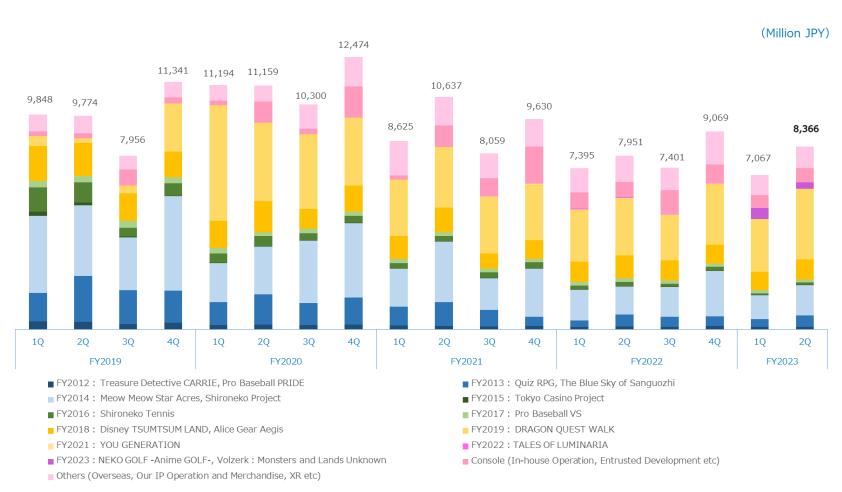
# (02) Entertainment Business

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### 02

#### Sales:¥8.3billion

(YoY:+5.2%, QoQ:+18.4%)



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<sup>\*</sup>Sales of smartphone app titles operated by COLOPL's group companies under outsourcing contracts from COLOPL are divided among fiscal years.

02

"Shironeko Project" held a variety of events and showed more excitement than in the same period of the previous year.



· New Year's campaign (1/1~)



 TV Animation "Demon Slayer" collaborative event (2/28~)

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A New Year's campaign was held at the beginning of the year, mainly featuring popular characters.

Vigorous implementation of various events, including collaboration with the TV animation "Demon Slayer"



## "DRAGON QUEST WALK" continued its strong performance by focusing on the pursuit of the unique DRAGON QUEST experience.



·New Year's campaign (1/1~)



·3.5th anniversary event (3/10~)

New Year's campaign performed well with the addition of popular skills.

The 3.5th anniversary event in March fostered further excitement.

### 02

#### Held anniversary event!



"Quiz RPG: The World of Mystic Wiz" 10th anniversary

A live broadcast was held to celebrate the 10th anniversary, inviting fans to attend.



"alice gear aegis" 5th anniversary

Large ads were posted in five cities nationwide and new characters were added to the game.

### 02

#### Other existing titles also performed solidly.



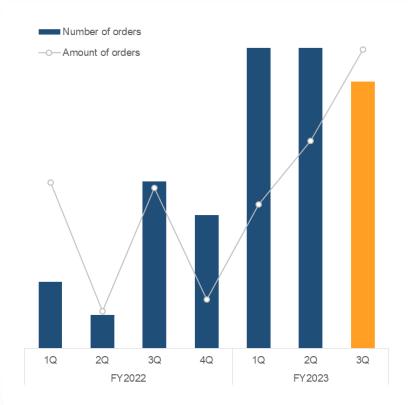
"NEKO GOLF -Anime GOLF-"

"Shironeko Tennis"

Popular characters
"CHIARA", "KARMA", and
"TINA" from
"Shironeko Project" added.

New characters added.

#### "WEB metaverse" Aims for Further Expansion in the B-to-B.



<sup>\*</sup>The graph shows orders (number and amount) that will become sales in the future, not sales for the period in question.





Strengthening sales force by concluding agency agreements Provided platform to Softbank Corp.

<sup>\*3</sup>Q FY2023 is an approximation through the end of April 2023.

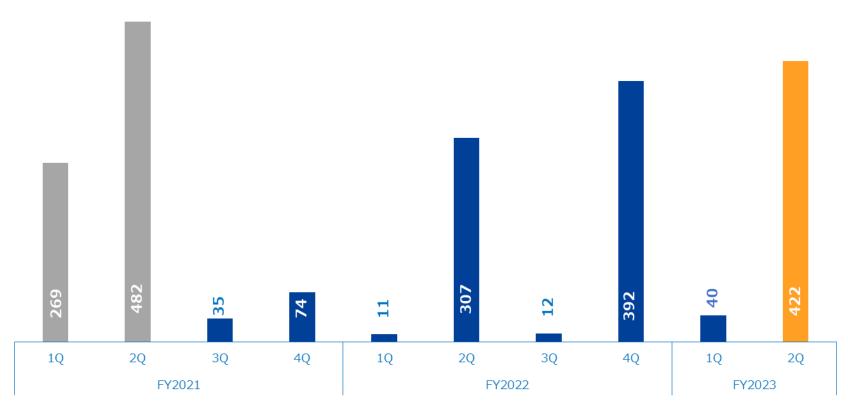
# Investment and Development Business

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#### Sales:¥0.4billion

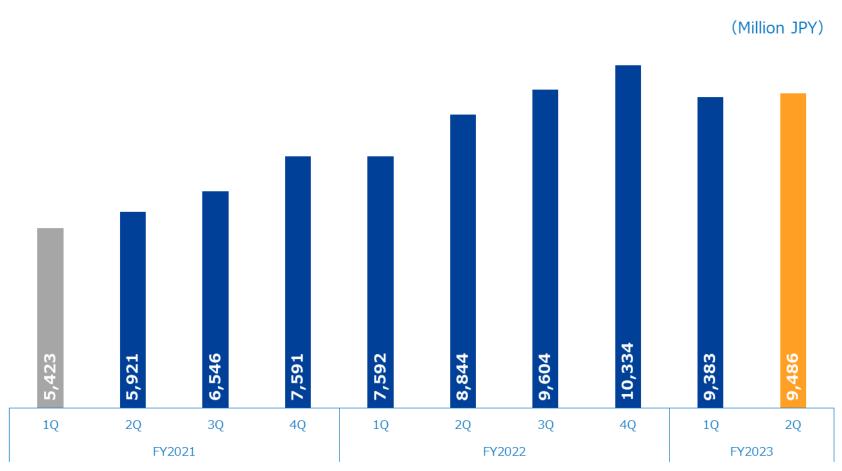
(YoY:+37.1%, QoQ:+939.7%)



<sup>\*</sup>The Company has recognized the Investment and Development Business as a segment since the middle of the 2Q FY2021. The quarterly results shows the figure when the investment is regarded as intra-operating transactions from the beginning of the 1Q FY2021.

<sup>\*</sup>The figures do not include the performance of No.1 Fund Investment Partnership (Support for student entrepreneurs) and Listed Shares Fund (targeting listed stocks in Japan) managed by our group company COLOPL NEXT, Inc..

#### Remained flat at ¥9.4billion



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## One additional domestic investment. Steady preparations for full-scale business activities in Korea.

Investment Destination

Selected as a K-Growth's investment business





#### Company Name:

LATRICO Co., Ltd.

Head Office:

Tokyo

#### **Business:**

Online medical care in the field of cosmetic dermatology, Providing an e-commerce platform

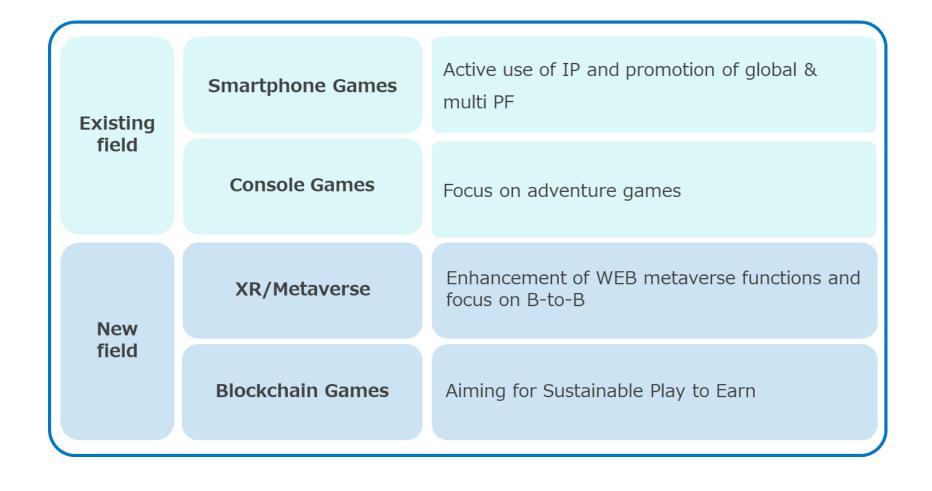
Planning to form first fund with Colopl Next Korea, Inc. as Co-GP.

# **O4** Current status and Future Forecast

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# Creation of games that are unique to COLOPL and challenges in new fields





#### "alice gear aegis" was animated.



alice gear aegis Expansion

"alice gear aegis Expansion" began broadcasting in April 2023.

Game updates and events were implemented to commemorate the anime

## 04

## We aim for further growth of our own titles through collaboration with popular IPs.



"Shironeko Project" × "Lycoris Recoil" ©Spider Lily/アニブレックス・ABCアニメーション・BS11



"NEKO GOLF -Anime GOLF-" X "EVANGELION"



"Shironeko Tennis" × "Battle Girl High School"



#### Sequels to popular IP games to be released



The Quintessential Quintuplets Five promises to make with her

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The Quintessential Quintuplets : Gotopazu Story

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### 04

#### Released new console game!

Smartphone Games pipeline

6 titles

Console Games pipeline

titles



"My Teen Romantic Comedy SNAFU Climax"
• Released on April 27, 2023

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# Closed alpha to be conducted in May! more details to be released this summer.



Toward a sustainable "Play to Earn"



# Signed a cross-licensing agreement with CAPCOM CO., LTD.



Comprehensive patent cross-licensing agreement signed.

We will further pursue "new experiences" by increasing the degree of freedom in game development.

# **05** Other Initiatives

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# Promoting the creation of a comfortable work environment.





Selected as Health and Productivity
Management Organization for third
consecutive year
Promoted the use of parental leave
for men and received certification

Business Improvement with ChatGPT Reward system introduced

# Supplementary Material

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		FY2022		FY2023		
	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	
Sales	8,258	7,414	9,461	7,108	8,789	
Cost	6,848	6,635	8,099	7,096	6,856	
Operating profit	1,410	779	1,361	11	1,932	
Operating profit margin	17.1%	10.5%	14.4%	0.2%	22.0%	
Non-operating income	377	667	379	116	212	
Non-operating expenses	182	81	71	570	94	
Ordinary profit	1,605	1,364	1,670	-442	2,050	
Extraordinary income	-	-	-	-	-	
Extraordinary losses	-	-	-	-	-	
Profit before income taxes	1,605	1,364	1,670	-442	2,050	
Total income taxes	479	393	2,030	-29	704	
Net profit	1,126	971	-359	-413	1,346	
Net profit margin	13.6%	13.1%	-3.8%	-5.8%	15.3%	

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		FY2022		FY2023		
	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	
Current assets	74,334	75,337	77,917	72,279	74,069	
Cash and deposits	58,982	59,857	60,330	56,787	57,543	
Operational investment securities	8,844	9,604	10,334	9,383	9,486	
Non-current assets	7,205	6,985	5,363	6,175	6,444	
Total assets	81,540	82,322	83,280	78,455	80,513	
Current liabilities	5,594	5,006	5,694	4,383	4,931	
Non-current liabilities	758	750	1,011	805	899	
Total liabilities	6,353	5,756	6,705	5,189	5,830	
Shareholders' equity	74,688	75,659	75,299	72,321	73,712	
Net assets	75,187	76,566	76,575	73,266	74,683	

<sup>\*</sup>There are some differences in calculation due to rounding down of less than one million yen.

		EV2022		EV202	2
		FY2022		FY202	3
	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q
PF & Payments	1,100	1,056	1,303	1,044	1,057
	13.3%	14.2%	13.8%	14.7%	12.0%
Royalties	116	145	217	171	131
	1.4%	2.0%	2.3%	2.4%	1.5%
Employment	2,434	2,471	2,455	2,372	2,310
	29.5%	33.3%	26.0%	33.4%	26.3%
Office	457	452	334	294	288
	5.5%	6.1%	3.5%	4.1%	3.3%
iDC related	354	365	402	468	382
	4.3%	4.9%	4.3%	6.6%	4.4%
Advertisement	340	167	335	876	323
	4.1%	2.3%	3.5%	12.3%	3.7%
Outsourcing	1,067	1,033	1,030	922	1,062
	12.9%	13.9%	10.9%	13.0%	12.1%
Others	977	942	2,019	946	1,299
	11.8%	12.7%	21.3%	13.3%	14.8%
Total	6,848	6,635	8,099	7,096	6,856
	82.9%	89.5%	85.6%	99.8%	78.0%

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#### **Entertainment Business**

(Million JPY)

	FY2022			FY2023	
	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q
Sales	7,951	7,401	9,069	7,067	8,366
Cost	6,777	6,504	7,277	6,834	6,449
Operating profit	1,173	897	1,791	233	1,917
Operating profit margin	14.8%	12.1%	19.8%	3.3%	22.9%

#### **Investment&Development Business**

	FY2022			FY2023		
	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	
Sales	307	12	392	40	422	
Cost	72	131	822	263	406	
Operating profit	235	-118	-430	-222	15	
Operating profit margin	76.5%	-918.7%	-109.7%	-548.5%	3.6%	

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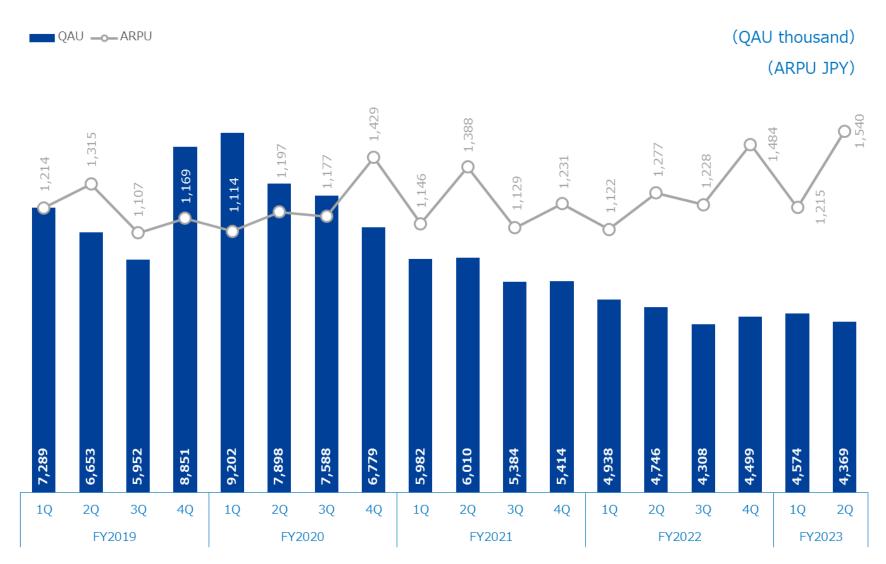
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	FY2022			FY202	.3
	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q
FY Sep. 2012 Online Titles	140	133	156	129	130
FY Sep. 2013 Online Titles	555	443	449	357	528
FY Sep. 2014 Online Titles	1,273	1,372	2,086	1,082	1,384
FY Sep. 2015 Online Titles	23	20	20	17	17
FY Sep. 2016 Online Titles	199	118	168	76	97
FY Sep. 2017 Online Titles	151	162	146	138	124
FY Sep. 2018 Online Titles	1,048	924	851	836	929
FY Sep. 2019 Online Titles	2,601	2,077	2,778	2,426	3,227
FY Sep. 2021 Online Titles	27	25	20	1	0
FY Sep. 2022 Online Titles	39	14	0	-	-
FY Sep. 2023 Online Titles	-	-	-	493	289
Console (In-house Operation •	690	1,098	879	589	656
Entrusted Development etc)					
Others (Overseas • Our IP Operation	1,196	1,010	1,512	919	979
and Merchandise · XR etc)					
Total (Entertainment Business)	7,951	7,401	9,069	7,067	8,366

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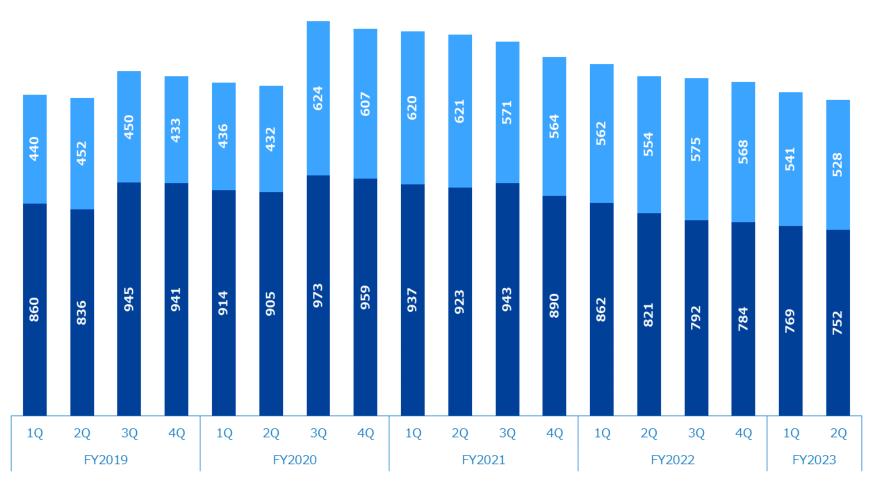
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<sup>\*</sup>Overseas KPIs for "Tales of Luminaria" are not included.

<sup>\*</sup>There is a slight difference in calculation due to rounding down to the nearest 1 yen.





<sup>\*</sup>From 1Q FY2023, the number of employees is the number of full-time employees (excluding employees temporarily transferred from the Group and including employees temporarily transferred to the Group).



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