

Executive Summary



Net Sales (Gross) 2,781 mil yen YonY +12.9% Gross Profit 1,397mil yen YonY + 7.7%

Operating Profit 290 mil yen YonY ▲ 44.6% EBITDA 368 mil yen YonY ▲ 35.4%

Posted all-time high sales (gross). Gross profit also posted record-high 1Q, but operating income declined from the particularly strong Q1 of the previous fiscal year, due to the impact of the DX business undergoing structural reforms and investment in human resources.

Digital Marketing (DM) Segment

With the good progress of PMI, M&A companies grew and contributed to earnings. (page11)
Especially, DIMP*, which acquired in last year, turned profitable due to the synergies such as cross-selling, and some of its clients have grown to top clients in the DM business.

Digital Transformation (DX) Segment

Due to ongoing structural reforms, performance is on a recovery track after bottoming out in the previous 3Q.

Order capacity, quality, and utilization rate improved due to the increase of midcareer hires and the strengthening of the mid-level and PM workforce.

M&A

M&A in 2023Q1

* PnL consolidation starts from Q2

DM segment (page41)

Adam Technologies Inc. and e2e Inc. - SEO, Word Press system development

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VES Inc., -Software testing business







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1Q FY2023 Consolidated Results



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Upfront investment in SkillNavi: 1Q 59million yen

(Millions of yen)	FY2023	FY2022	% Change		
Net Sales(Net)	2,781	2,464	12.9%		
Gross Profit	1,397	1,297	7.7%		
SG&A expenses	1,107	772	43.2%		
Operating Profit	290	525	△44.6%		
EBITDA	368	570	△35.4%		
EBITDA margin	13.2%	23.1%	-9.9pt		
Ordinary Profit	298	530	△43.6%		
Profit attributable to owners parent	205	291	△29.2%		
Reference: Before applying the new revenue recognition standard ×					
Net Sales(Gross)	6,387	4,897	30.4%		

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1Q FY2023 Segment Results



DM business posted all-time high sales (gross).

In DX business undergoing structural reform, cloud integration business posted sluggish sales growth, but profits

showed signs of recovery

Segment (Millions of yen)	1Q/FY2023	1Q/FY2022	% Change
Digital Transformation(DX) busines	SS		
Net sales	1,168	1,203	△2.9%
Segment profit	60	204	△70.3%
Digital Marketing business			
Net sales(Net)	1,390	1,061	30.9%
Segment profit	540	572	△5.5%
Other businesses			
Net sales	247	239	3.3%
Segment profit	△ 15	△ 25	-
Reference: Before applying the	new revenue recognition	on standard ※	
Digital Marketing business			
Net sales (Gross)	4,995	3,494	42.9%

While sales in the System Solutions business grew steadily, sales and profits both declined due to continued sluggishness in the Cloud Integration business.

Further structural reforms are ongoing with the renewal of the management structure, including the change of president. Profits are on a recovery trend after bottoming out in the previous 3Q.

Net Sales increased significantly from the previous year, but profits decreased due to the impact of enhanced investment in human resources.

Although investment in new businesses continues, the loss decreased compared to last year due to an increase in "Skill Navi" customers.

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Impact of applying the new revenue recognition standard



"Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition" (ASBJ Statement No. 29),etc. has been adopted from the beginning of FY2022

Until the previous year, we recognized revenue on a gross basis from the programmatic advertising service etc. in the digital marketing business, as it was considered we were acting as a principal in the transactions.

However, after the application of this standard, it is considered we are acting as an agent in the same transactions, and we recognize revenue on a net basis.

Both sales and cost of sales decreased 3,605 million yen in the digital marketing business segment for 1Q FY2022, compared to the conventional revenue recognition method.

There is no impact on profits and the balance at the beginning of retained earnings.

Quarterly Consolidated Results



Net sales

Up 30.4% YonY

Before the application of the new revenue recognition standard

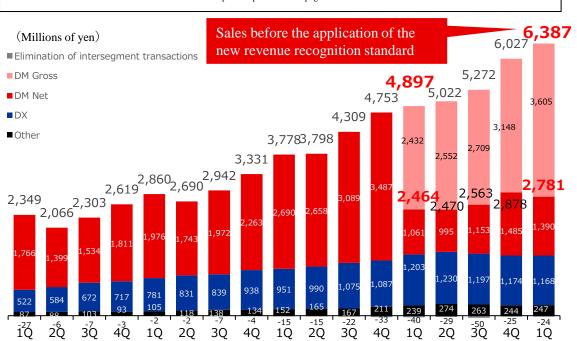
2019

2020

Gross sales grew significantly and reached a record high due to the expansion of programmatic advertising in the digital marketing business.

On the other hand, net sales grew 12.9% YonY due to the strong impact of the application of the new revenue recognition standard for programmatic advertisements.

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2021

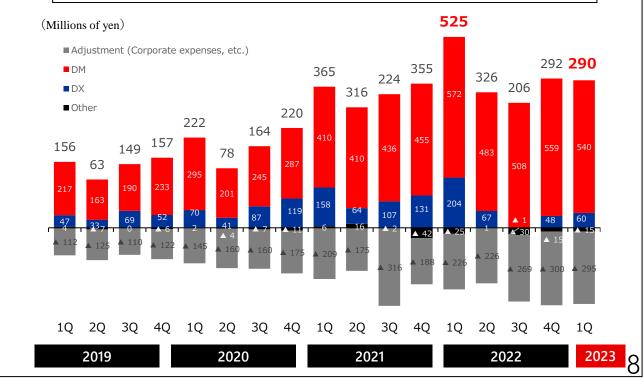
2022

2023

Operating profit

Down 44.6% YonY Profits declined significantly from the previous 1Q, which was particularly strong, due to the cloud integration business undergoing structural reform.

On the other hand, profits bottomed out in the previous 3Q and are now recovering.



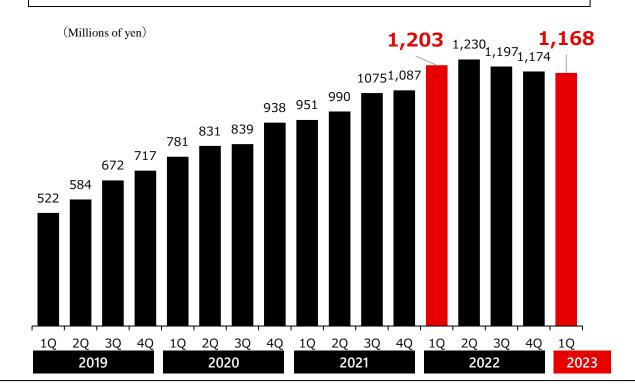
DX Business: Quarterly Results



Net sales

Down 2.9% YonY Sales of the System Solutions business grew, while the Cloud Integration business is in the process of being rebuilt, and sales declined slightly.

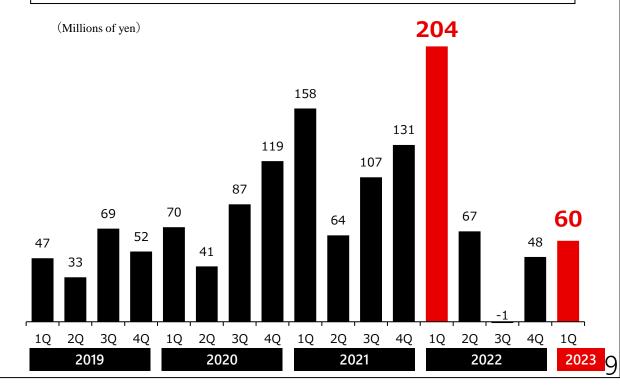
Continuing to promote sales reform (6 new solutions/packages were released between January and May 15, 2023).



Segment profit

Down 70.3% YonY Cloud Integration business did not perform well, and profits declined sharply compared to the previous year.

On the other hand, order capacity, quality, and utilization rate improved due to the increase of mid-career hires (5 more) and the strengthening of the mid-level and PM workforce. Profits bottomed out in the previous 3Q and are on a recovery trend.



Digital Marketing Business: Quarterly Results



Net sales

Up 42.9% YonY

Before the application of the new revenue recognition standard

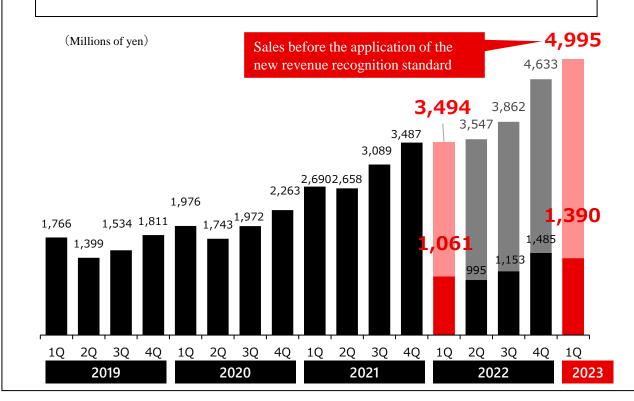
Gross sales were strong due to the expansion of managed advertising.

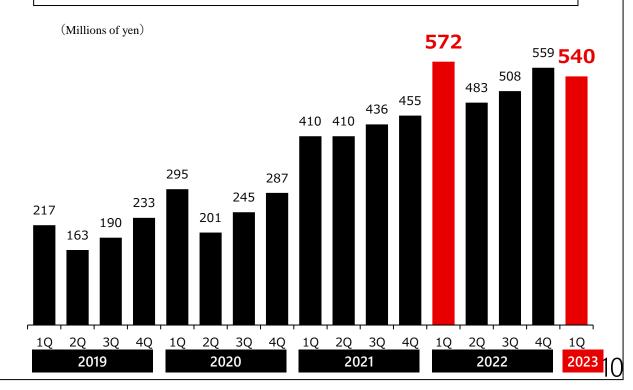
Net sales also increased by 30.9% YonY, despite the strong impact of the new revenue recognition standard for programmatic advertising.

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Down 5.5% YonY Sales grew, but profits declined slightly due mainly to increased investment in human resources.



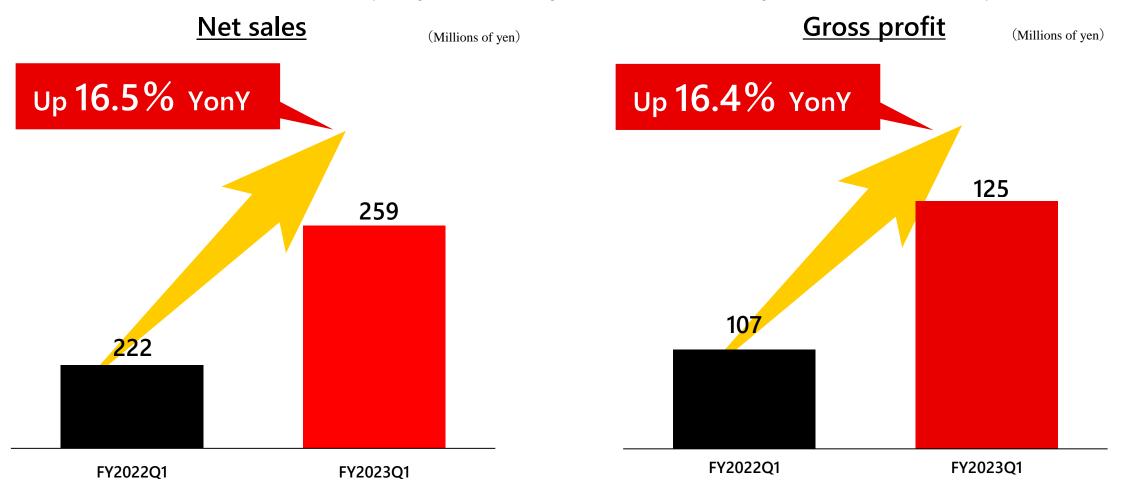


Digital Marketing Business: Post-M&A Growth



Combined growth rate of companies* acquired in DM business in 2021 will be 16.5% YonY for net sales (gross) and 16.4% YonY for gross profit due to cross-selling and other group synergies.

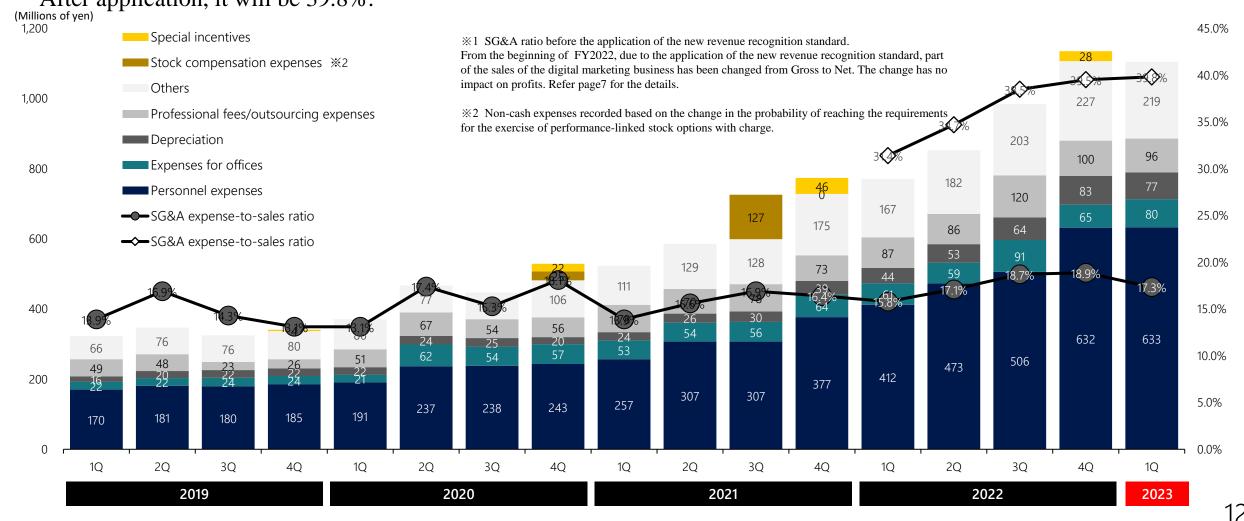
💥 Pam Inc., Peace Inc., and MediaFox Inc. are included. Mint'z planning Inc. and DI marketing Partners Inc. (ex- LIFULL Marketing Partners) are not included as the acquisition was in FY2022.



Changes in SG&A Expenses

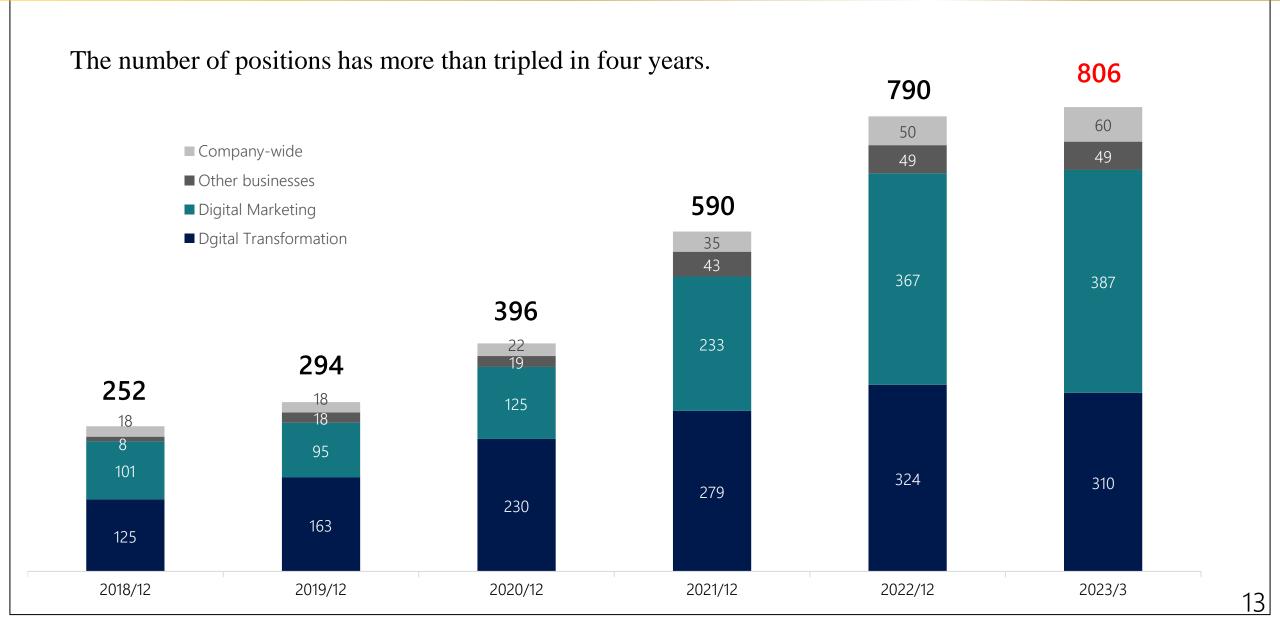


SG&A expenses increased YonY due to investment in human resources, but maintained the level of the previous quarter, and the SG&A to sales ratio decreased to 17.3% before the application of the new revenue recognition standard. *1 After application, it will be 39.8%.



Changes in The Number of executives and employees

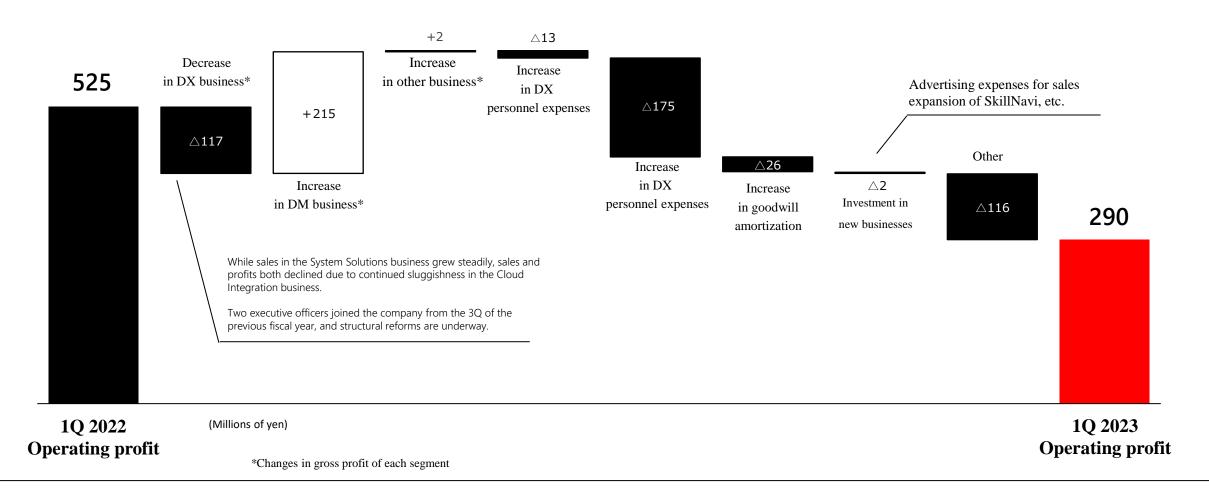




FY2022 Changes in Operating profit



In the DX business, profits declined in the cloud integration business, and in the DM business, gross profit increased, but personnel expenses due to M&A and hiring were also increased, resulting in a 44.6% decline in 1Q operating profit, to 290 million yen.



Performance-linked stock options (4th SO)



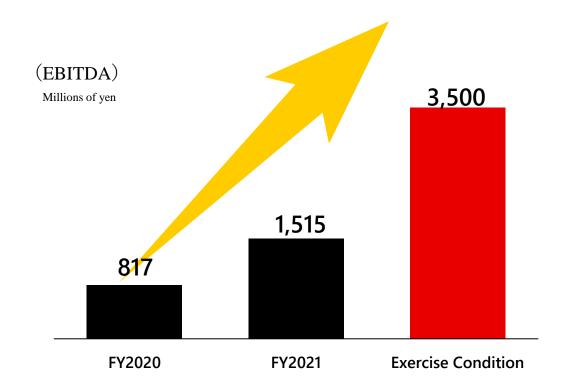
New Performance-linked stock options (4th SO) were issued in 2022 under the following conditions for the purpose of incentives for officers and employees, as the exercise conditions for the 3rd SO have been achieved.

Condition 1

Consolidated EBITDA – over 3.5billion yen

in any fiscal year from FY2022 to FY2025

→ 50% of stock options can be exercised



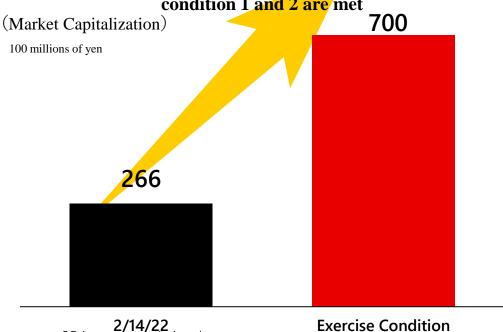
Condition 2

Market capitalization – over 70billion yen

at any point until the expiration of the exercise period

Market capitalization should be calculated based on the number of shares issued at the time of stock option issuance.

→ 100% of stock options can be exercised when both condition 1 and 2 are met



1Q FY2023 Consolidated Balance Sheet



Equity ratio was 44.5%; maintain financial soundness while continuing to make investments for growth

(Millions of yen)	Mar.31, 2023	Dec.31, 2022	Change
Current assets	7,403	7,275	127
Non-current assets	4,631	4,134	497
Property, plant and equipment	654	646	7
Intangible assets	2,455	2,042	412
Investments and other assets	1,522	1,444	77
Total assets	12,034	11,410	624
Current liabilities	4,769	4,385	384
Non-current liabilities	1,355	1,289	65
Total liabilities	6,124	5,674	449
Total net assets	5,910	5,735	174
Total liabilities and net assets	12,034	11,410	624

Mainly due to an increase of approximately 0.4 billion yen in goodwill as a result of the acquisition of Adam Technologies and e2e shares.



FY2023 Consolidated Forecast



Since the poor performance of the DX business in 1Q has already been factored into the initial plan, the progress of the plan is generally in line with expectations.

For the full-year plan, both sales and profits are expected to increase by approximately 20%.

Aim for early transition to profitable phase while continuing to invest in human resources and new businesses (HR SaaS "Skill Navi", etc.)

	1Q/F	Y2023	FY2022	FY2023	YoY (Change
(Millions of yen)	Amount	Progress ratio	Results	Forecasts	Amount	%
Net sales(Net) *	2,781	22.3%	10,377	12,500	2,122	20.4%
Operating profit	290	17.9%	1,350	1,630	279	20.7%
Ordinaly profit	298	18.2%	1,400	1,640	239	17.1%
Profit attributable to owners of parent	205	20.6%	853	1,000	146	17.1%

Reference: Before applying the new revenue recognition standard

Net sales(Gross) * 6,387 24.1% 21,220 26,500 5,279 24.9%

X The Company adopts "Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition" (ASBJ Statement No. 29), etc. from the beginning of the first quarter of FY2022 Net Sales(Gross) = Net sales based on the previous standard Net Sales(Net) = Net sales based on Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition.

2023 Shareholder Distributions



Forecast a 2023 ordinary dividend of 10 yen per share, 1 yen higher than for 2022

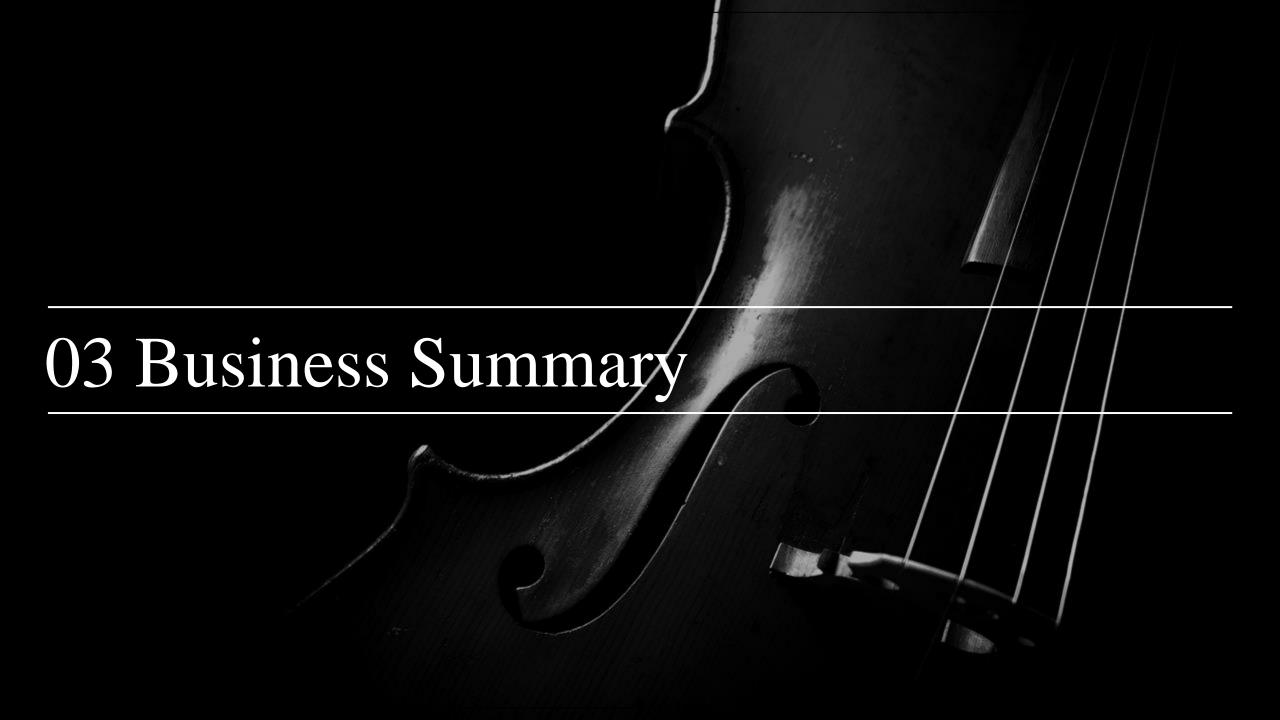
Policy for shareholder distributions

Our goal is the constant growth of shareholder value by making investments for growth by using M&A and starting businesses in new market sectors.

Shareholder distributions are an important means of increasing shareholder value. Our policy is to distribute earnings to shareholders while maintaining the balance between these distributions and investments for growth.

In 2023, based on our forecast for sales and earnings, our financial position, and other considerations, we plan to raise the ordinary dividend from 9 yen to 10 yen.





Business Summary



* Only listed main businesses



Jun 2009: Established

Sept 2016: Listed with Mothers of TSE Dec 2018: Listed with 1st section of TSE





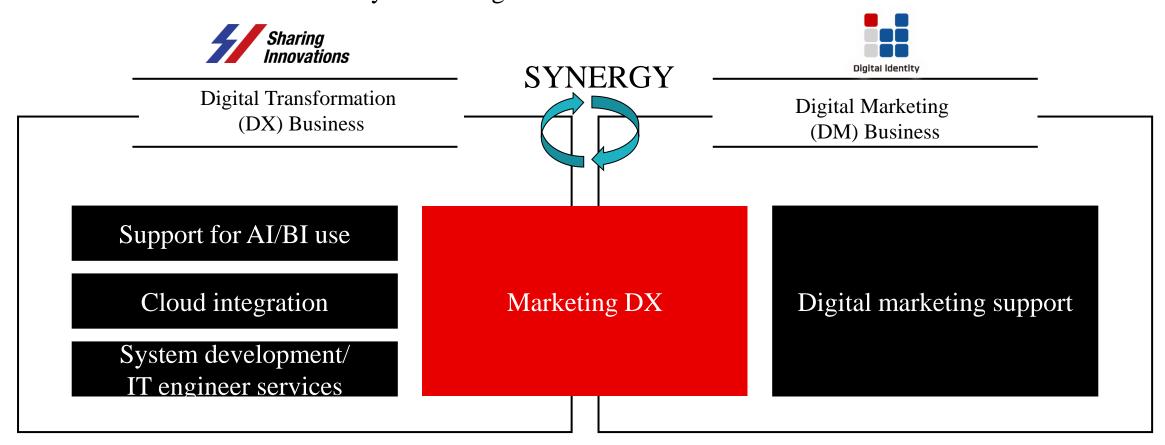


Growth Strategy: Marketing DX



To be a leading company in the marketing DX domain

by combining DX business and DM business





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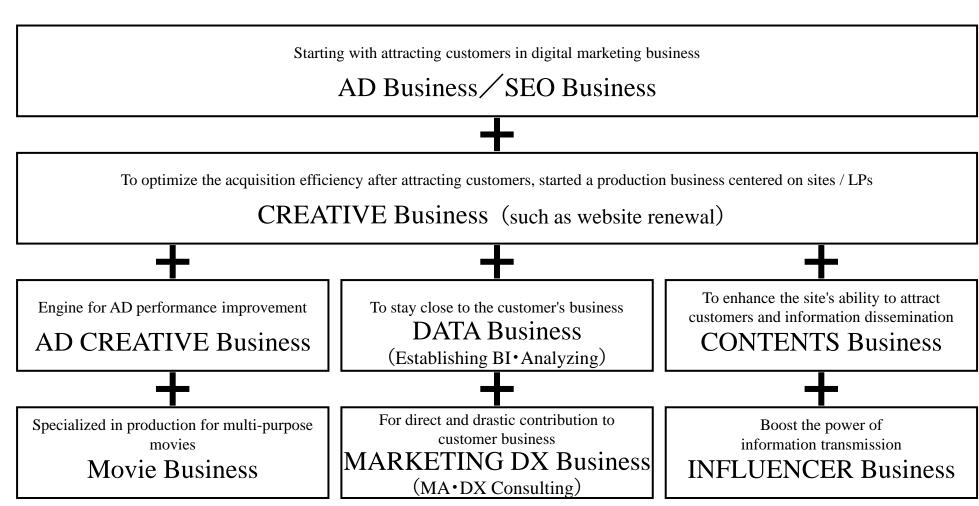








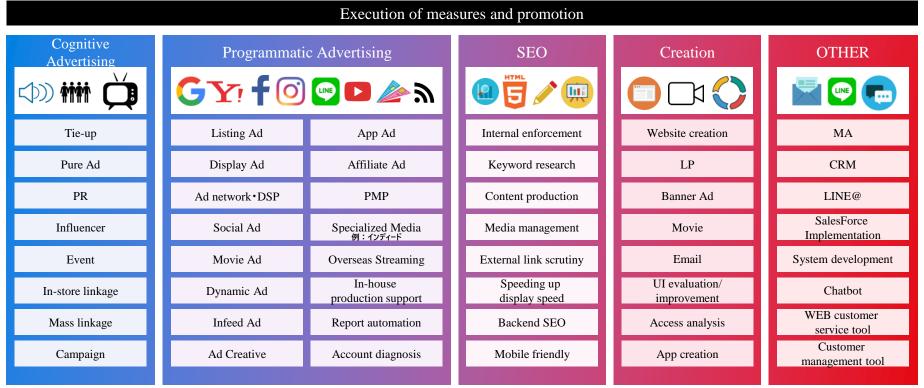
Starting with attracting customers digitally, developing into various products to provide end-to-end digital marketing service to customers.





Build a system that can be executed in a one-stop system from end to end

Overall design and Consulting					
	Understanding Users			Data Driven	
Market research	Customer journey	In-store survey	Data integration management	Dashboard	ВІ
Persona development		Action roadmap	Tag management	Statistics/analysis	RPA•AI• machine learning
Insight development	Story Design	Contact channel	Algorithm analysis	Tracking analysis	API• automatic processing





Certified as an Advertisement Operation Certified Partner of the Yahoo! Marketing Solutions Partner Program for 9 consecutive terms

Only 8 companies have accomplished this since the Yahoo! Marketing Solutions Partner Program started.







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CLOUD INTEGRATION

Cloud service implementation support centered on Salesforce







DATA SUCCESS

Data Success Consulting

- ~environment construction
- data utilization support









SYSTEM SOLUTION

DX support in scratch development centered on open technology







WEB

Smart Phone core

system



Approach for Multi-Cloud Tools





Cloud service implementation support centered on Salesforce

[Products that can be implemented]



Sales Cloud



Experience Cloud



CRM Analytics



Service Cloud



Heroku



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Marketing Cloud Account Engagement



Marketing Cloud Engagement



Quip



Differentiation through positioning

Over 50 billion

Tip of the iceberg

About 3,500 companies

Salesforce Vendor targeting Large Enterprises

Market

Many major system companies entered the market with multiple subcontracting structures **Red Ocean**

Project Risk

High risk due to long-term implementation of large-scale and high-difficulty projects

Engineer Resource

Large number of experienced and skilled engineers required

Middle 3-50 billion

About 2,100 companies

Middle 1-30 billion

About 9,800 companies

Middle 50-10 billion

About 13,500 companies

SMB 5 million- 5 billion

About 18,000 companies

Small·SOHO under 5 million
About 4,000,000 companies

Sharing Innovations

Blue Ocean there are many business opportunities, and Venders can proceed projects under prime contact

The size of each project makes it easy to appropriately manage risk

If there is a solid education system, engineers can be brought into the workforce at an early stage.



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Business Summary: Other Businesses



Raising the next core businesses

Major businesses within other business segments:

TALENT MANAGEMENT



- ✓ An SaaS talent management system
- ✓ Visualize HR related activities for more effective and efficient talent management



✓ The number of customers continue to increase as a result of the expansion of marketing investment

PLATFORM

Urala

プウラーラ



- ✓ An iPhone/Android app for fortune telling chat consultations by more than 1000 fortune tellers throughout Japan
- ✓ Cumulative number of consultations exceeded 1.3 million.

HR biz for IT professionals



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- ✓ Launched "TechReach", a job information site for freelance engineers
- ✓ Acquired "R-stone", a recruiting firm specializing in IT engineers and creators in 2021.

Business Summary: Corporate Venture Capital Investments



Five investees achieved IPO on the Tokyo Stock Exchange

	IPO July 2020
	BRANDING ENGINEER
	HR
*Maple Systems	



IPO Dec. 2020

IPO Sept. 2021

IPO Mar. 2022











Fraudulent order detection

Payments

Health care



BtoB matching







fırstcard





Cosplay



HR



Fintech

MEO

Real estate





Fourth Valley









Smart homes	P







Con-tech





Strength

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Compete in a growing market

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Active utilizations of M&A

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Cultivate new business

Growth Strategy: Market Selection



Focusing on growth market



Japan's IT professional shortage will become even worse

Forecast a shortage of as much as 790,000 in 2030*1

*1 Source: "IT Personnel Supply and Demand Survey" conducted for Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry

Japan's market for public cloud services is expected to expand at an average annual rate of 20.8% between 2021 and 2026.

In 2026, this market is expected to be 4,279 billion yen, 160% higher than in 2021*2
*2 Source: International Data Corporation Japan "Japan Public IT Cloud Services Forecast, 2022 - 2026"

Digital Marketing business

The increasing speed of the digitalization of society is fueling growth of the internet advertising market. The programmatic advertising market, a key strength of Orchestra Holdings, recorded growth of 15.3% in 2022*3

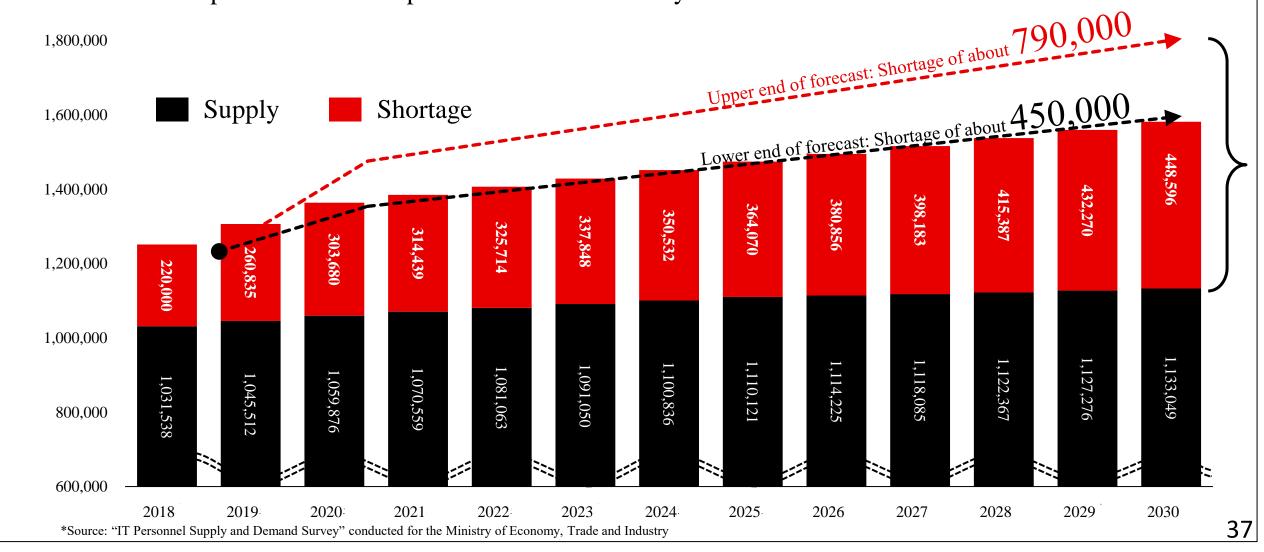
*3 Source: Dentsu Inc. "2022 Advertising Expenditures in Japan"

Market Data: Projected Shortage of IT Professionals in Japan



Forecast a shortage of up to 790,000 in 2030

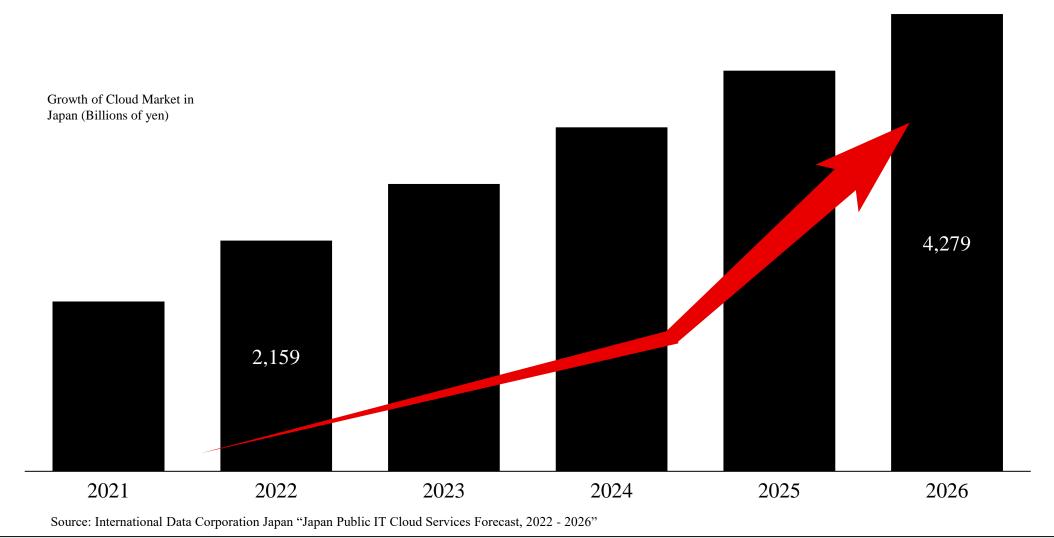
Demand for IT professionals is expected to increase steadily



Market Data: Growth of the Cloud Market in Japan



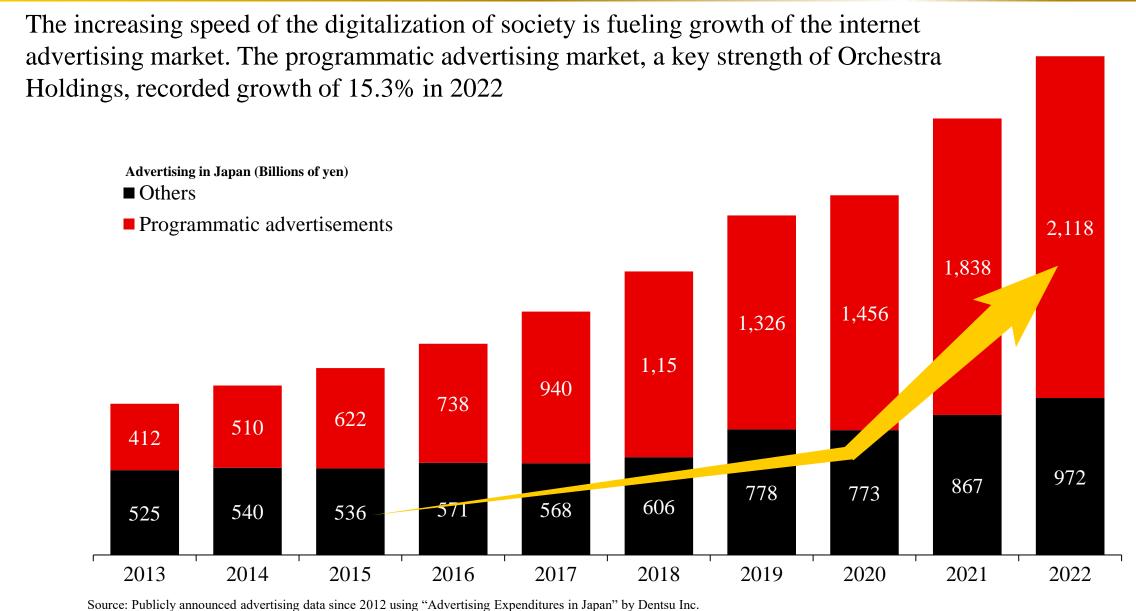
Forecast annual average growth rate of 20.8% between 2021 and 2026 Forecast value of 4,279 billion yen in 2026, 160% higher than in 2021



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Market Data: Growth of the Internet Advertising Market





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Growth Strategies: Active use of M&A



Implemented 2 M&As in FY2023



*Details are explained on the next slide



In January 2023, at our consolidated subsidiary Digital Identity, Inc, In January 2023, Digital Identity, a consolidated subsidiary of the Company, made a resolution to acquire shares of Adam Technologies and e2e, and made them its subsidiaries in February.

Adam Technologies specializes in content marketing with strength in SEO, and e2e specializes in WordPress system development, maintenance, and operation.



VES, a company in the software testing business, joins the group.

Overview of the M&A and VES

Outline of Transaction

Shares acquired

Date of agreement

Date of share acquisition

Acquisition company

Acquisition price

Acquisition funds

Impact on business performance

100% of the shares of VES, Inc.

April 25, 2023

April 28, 2023

Orchestra Holdings Inc.

Approx. 1.95 billion yen (including advisory fees, etc.)

Use of borrowed funds and cash on hand

No change to the full-year forecast

due to the acquisition during the period, etc.

Outline of VES

Trade name

Establishment

Business

Number of Employees

Business Performance

VES, Inc.

July 1, 2003

Software Testing Business

Approx. 130 employees

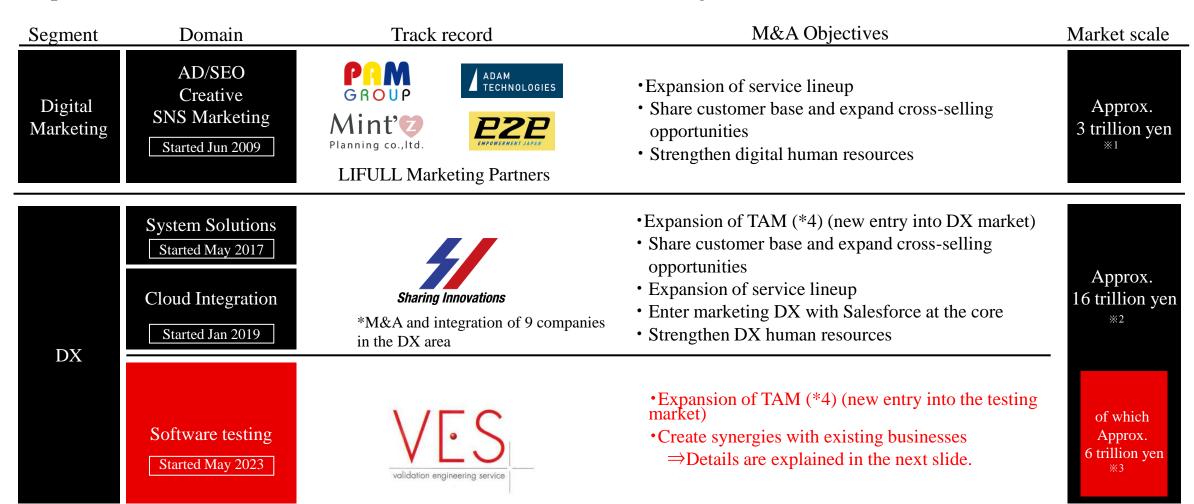
Net sales approx. 1.3 billion yen,

Operating income Approx. 38 million yen (FY3/2022)

X Operating income after reduction of unnecessary expenses is expected to be less than goodwill amortization.



New entry into the approximately 6 trillion yen software testing market by M&A of VES Inc. Acquired new markets, services, resources, and customers through M&A.



^{* 3} Source: Information-technology Promotion Agency, Japan (IPA) "Software Development Analysis Data Collection" * 4 TAM=Total Addressable Market



VES M&A Objectives

Strengths of VES

Approximately 130 people, mainly test engineers, belong to the company.

Providing software testing services for 20 years.

Experience in more than 12,000 cases of verification.

Group synergies

◆ Collaboration with Sharing Innovations (SI), a DX business

Enables us to provide a full range of services from design to development to testing

By sharing SI's engineering resources with VES, the following synergies will be created;

- ⇒ Accelerate business growth by expanding development and verification system
- ⇒ Improve profitability of the entire group by increasing the utilization ratio of engineers in the DX business
- ◆ Sharing of customer base and expansion of cross-selling opportunities throughout the group
- ◆ Accelerate growth by sharing resources within the group (recruiting and training system, marketing support, corporate functions, etc.)



Under the basic M&A policy of the Group, M&A is utilized as part of the growth strategy.

Basic policy

Selection Criteria for M&A deals

- ◆ Profitability in operating income after amortization of goodwill is expected
- Further increase in sales and profit through group synergies
- Business domain with large market size and growth potential

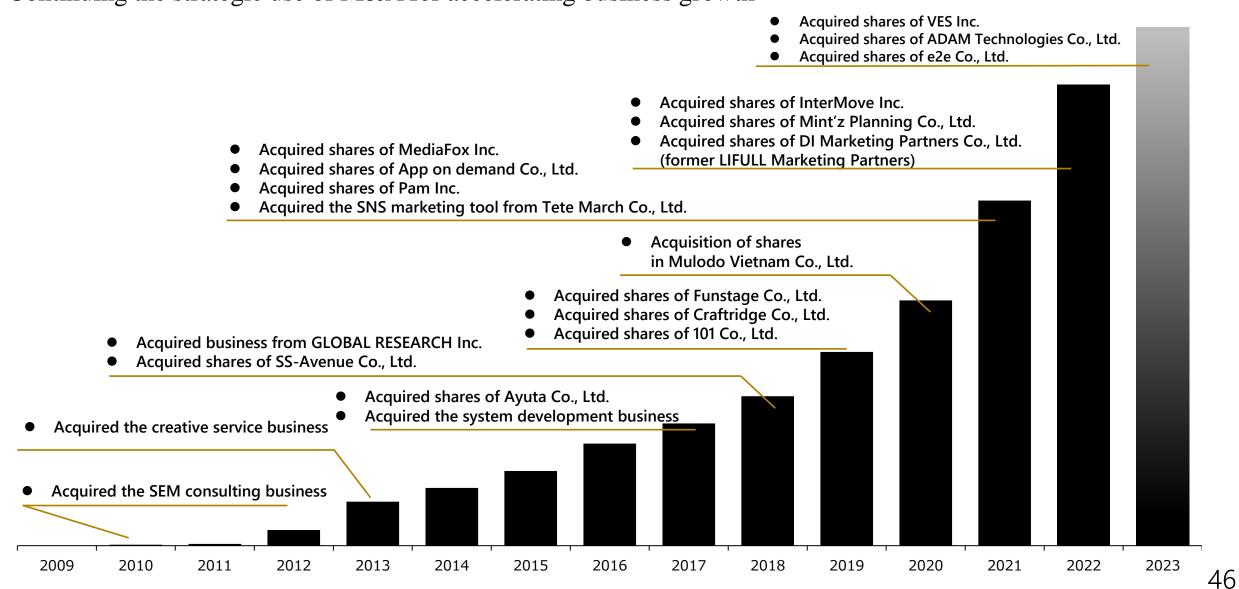
VES M&A

- ◆ Expect to achieve positive operating income after amortization of goodwill by divesting loss-making businesses other than software testing (already divested prior to M&A) and reducing expenses that will no longer be necessary after M&A.
- ◆ Business growth potential through utilization of group resources, including collaboration with Sharing Innovations, is large.
- ◆ Software testing market is approximately 6 trillion yen

Growth Strategy: Active Utilization of M&A



Continuing the strategic use of M&A for accelerating business growth



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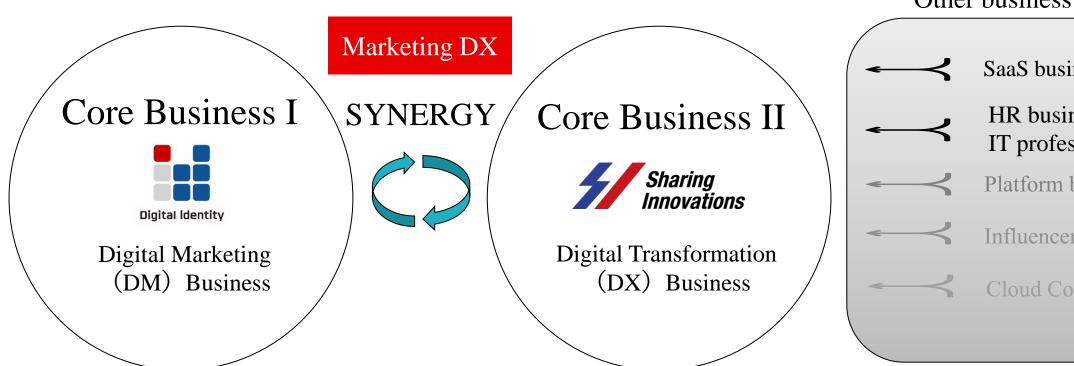
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Growth Strategy: New Business



Continue to grow the next core business



Other business segments SaaS business HR business for IT professionals Platform business Influencer Marketing Cloud Contact Center

Businesses being developed within

Growth Strategy: New Business / Skill Navi



- •Developed SaaS-type talent management system "Skill Navi"
- •The company is strong in visualization and management of skills, and supports areas that will be the focus of attention in the future in terms of work styles, such as reskilling and job-based work.
- →The Tokyo Metropolitan Government and major manufacturing companies have introduced the system for the main purpose of skills management.
- Flexible database structure enables utilization for human capital management.

スキルナビは豊富な標準機能を搭載



スキル管理特化型タレントマネジメントシステムなら

評価シートのデジタル化だけではない、本格的なタレントマネジメントを実現! スキル管理、目標管理、統計データ、人材情報の見える化や分析など、 人事戦略の立案と実行に役立つクラウドシステムです。



Growth Strategy: New Business / Skill Navi



Major customers of SkillNavi

The number of companies using Skill Navi and prospective companies are steadily increasing















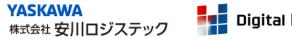






































































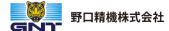


































Growth Strategy: New Business / HR biz -IT professionals



- •Launched "TechReach", an IT recruiting and project introduction media
- Acquired R-Stone, a career change agency specializing in the IT field, through M&A



人材紹介サービスについて

クリエイター・エンジニアに特化したコンサルタントが採用活動をサポート







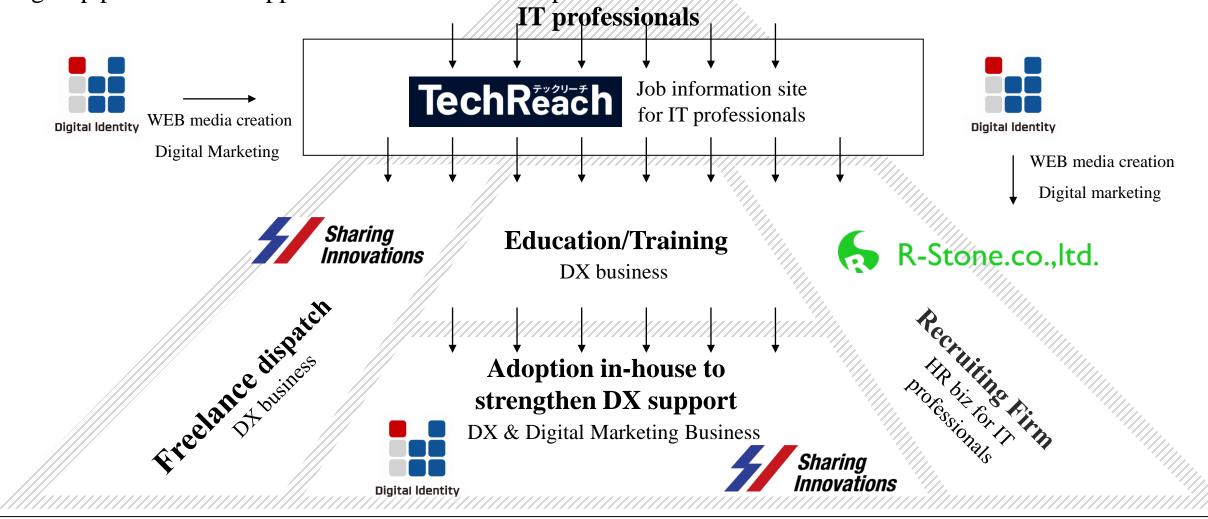


- Specialized in freerance
 - Engineer
 - Creator
 - ·PM·PMO...
- Strength of TechReach80% are end/maincontractor direct projects
 - 15 days payment cycle

Growth Strategy: New Business / HR biz -IT professionals



Launched "TechReach", a job information site for freelance engineers. Acquired "R-stone", a recruiting firm specializing in IT professionals. Utilizing the experience in digital marketing, DX and HR business, our group provide total support for the success of IT professionals.



Group Growth Strategy



Digital Marketing business

• A driver of overall growth by targeting the steady growth of this market

DX business

• Quickly establish DX as the second core profit center by expanding the presence of this business in rapidly growing market sectors

New businesses/M&A

- Aim for rapid growth by adding new services
- Using M&A for the faster growth of existing businesses and making investments in new business domains with rapid growth and high profitability

New businesses/M&A

DX business



ESG Activities



Basic Sustainability Policy

We believe that contributing to the resolution of social issues through our business activities contributes to the creation of a sustainable society, which in turn leads to the sustainable growth of our group and enhancement of our corporate value.

To this end, we will set materiality issues and promote sustainability activities through our business activities, taking into consideration various factors such as the business environment surrounding our group, our business situation, and the stage of our business.

ESG Activities



Materiality Initiatives

Environment

Realization of office ecology through support for corporate DX

The Group will contribute to paperless, energy-saving and CO2 reductions by supporting the DX of companies through salesforce implementation support and its consulting services, by promoting the computerization, streamlining of internal procedures and the reform of work styles through teleworking, etc.

Social

IT Human Resource Development

The group will promote the development of IT human resources in order to address the increasingly serious shortage of IT personnel, contribute to the realization of an efficient and affluent society by addressing the digitization of society, which is expected to become even more prominent in the future.

Promoting Diversity and Diverse Work Styles

The Group does not tolerate discrimination on the basis of race, nationality, gender, age, religion or political ideology, disability, marital status, child status, sexual orientation, gender identity, etc., in its corporate activities.

The Group provides equal opportunities to all people and respects their human rights to the fullest extent.

Respect for human rights

In accordance with the "Orchestra Holdings Human Rights Policy, we will contribute to the development of a sustainable society by respecting human rights in all aspects of our operations.

Governance

Strengthening the Governance System

The Group recognizes that strengthening and enhancing corporate governance is an important management issue in order to maintain and improve its competitiveness over the long term.

We will implement measures such as the establishment of various committees, further appointment of outside directors, and evaluation of the effectiveness of the Board of Directors.

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