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# Significant **58.4% UP** YoY in sales with revenue increased from both media and solution businesses

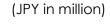
#### Sales

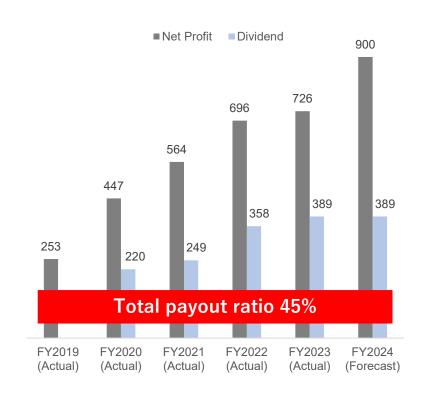
High sales growth rate maintained on the back of existing businesses growth and business scope expansion

# (JPY in million) 11,000 6,836 24/3H1 4,158 4,499 23/3H1 2,790 2032 19/3期 23/3期 24/3期 20/3期 21/3期 22/3期 (実績) (計画)

#### **Net Profit & Dividends**

Growing continuously since listing, while maintaining profitability and shareholder returns





# Promoting PMI and business model transformation, profits are on the recovery road

# **Recent earnings**

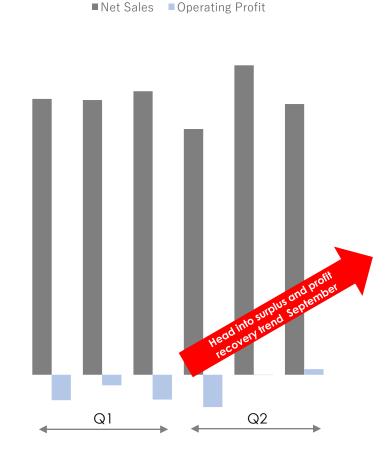
Profitability back on track due to bottoming out of ad market condition, elimination of cannibalization, and cost reductions

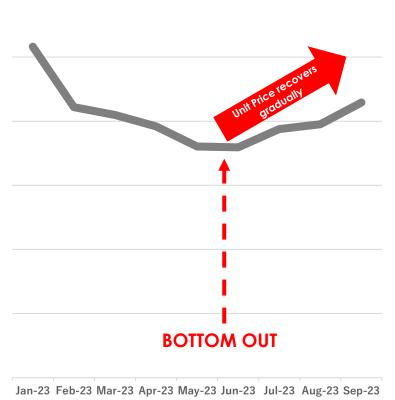
#### **RPM**

Bottomed out of price decline trends in network ads since the beginning of of the year has confirmed

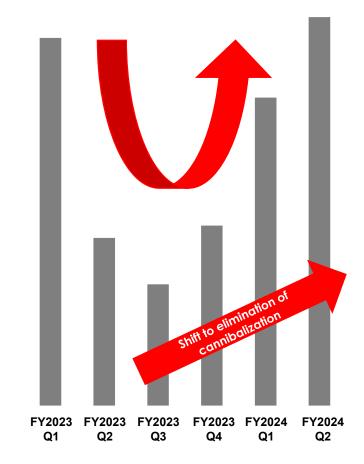
#### **Affiliate Revenue**

Sales have recovered to their original levels as a result of elimination of cannibalization





\*RPM (Revenue Per Mille) refers to the revenue generated per 1,000 ad impressions.



# In addition to PMI and cost-saving

# introduced measures to leverage a customer base of 100million

Controlling the Influence of the external environment and entering a profit expansion phase

Nonbudgeted plan for cost saving and revenue increase

Nonbudgeted cost saving

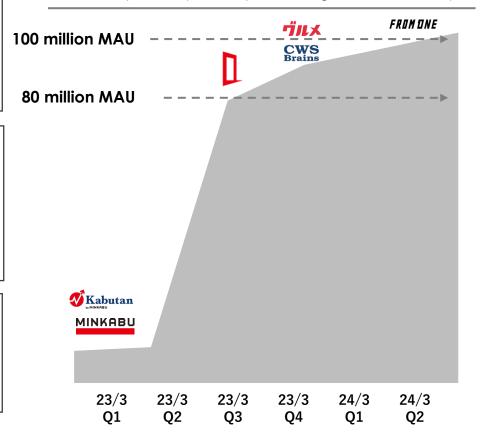
JPY70 mil. over

during the last half

- PMI of LD is expected to run its course during this fiscal vear except for the multi-year planned system transfer
- JPY70 mil. or more cost-saving is anticipated in the last half of this fiscal year through the review of business structure including the accelerated implementation of operation transfers
- Driving optimization through PMI, i.e., affiliate business expanded product lineup to non-financials utilizing LD media, unified sales force for pure ad business
- JPY140 mil. or more sales is anticipated in the last half of this fiscal year, B2B ads on synergies with financial media and services leveraged with financial information DB
- JPY240 mil or more sales is anticipated in the last half of this fiscal year through the addition of various contents and functions, promotional tweets to major ecommerce sites and introducing applications of LD blog/news

MAU\*

MAU have expanded tenfold over the past year by leveraging large-scale customer base, moving into a revenue expansion phase by increasing in customer unit price



Nonbudgeted revenue during the last half

JPY380 mil. over

#### **Forecast by Segment : Solution Business**

Information solutions sector continues to expand its market share, SI and consulting solutions sector resolves issues through in-house use and package deployment.

Information Solution

- Implemented a price increase for existing customer (contribution starts from the last half of the FY)
- Launched "Kabutan Professional," a bundled service of the popular "Kabutan Premium" for individual investors and financial professionals, and "Sales-Cue," an information terminal for financial institution sales staff.
- Expanding U.S. stock information solutions. the number of installation is increasing

Despite being affected by consolidation among clients, we have no replacements by other companies. The market share expansion continues due to the ability to flexibly respond to various customer needs

SI consulting
Solution

- Project acquisition is proceeding well.
- Resource management issue is improving, but will change the business model to address fundamental issues
- Aim to achieve high profitability by accelerating horizontal deployment and promotion of in-house use through package deployment

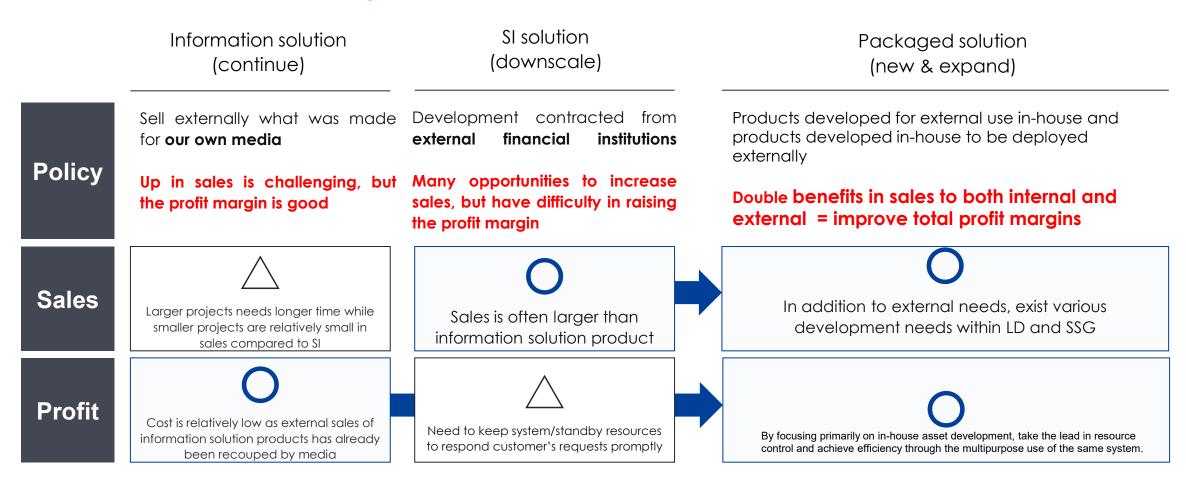
Aim to expand and stabilize earnings

by accelerating horizontal deployment via package rollout and evolving to a SaaS business model In addition, accelerate synergies with the group's media business

# Profit Expansion Strategy: Evolution from SI Consulting to Packaged solution business

#### <How to solve the issue>

With the improvement of development capabilities in SI consulting and the expansion of TAM<sup>1</sup> and MAUs<sup>2</sup> through the participation of LD & SSG, we will **shift the SI business model to a packaged solution business** with a focus on both in-house use and external sales, and switch the leadership of resource control **from customer requests to in-house planning to promote the improvement of profit margins** 



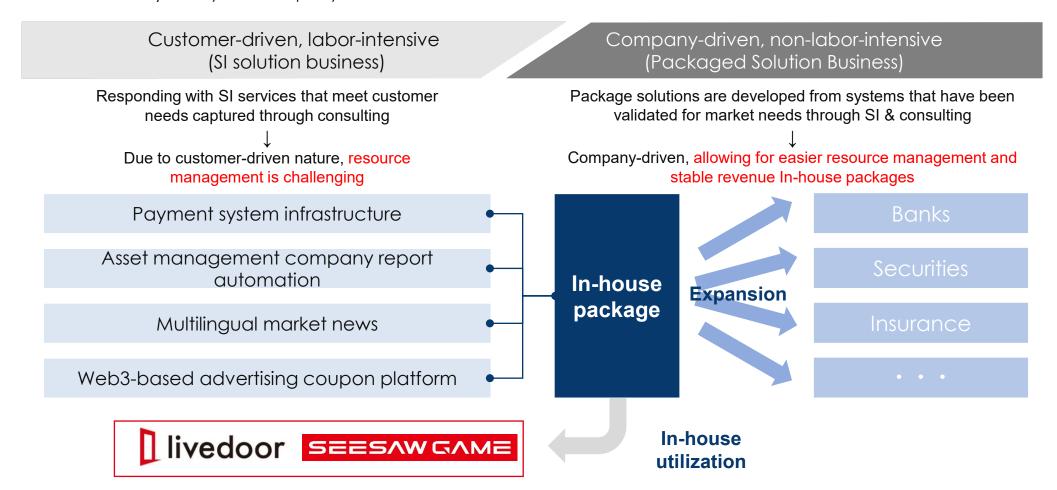
1 TAM: Total Addressable Market 2 MAU: Monthly Active Users

# Profit Expansion Strategy: Evolution from SI Consulting to Packaged solution business

<How to promote>

Promote in-house use aggressively and packaging for external sales from systems already developed by SI

To address the risk of cost management due to increases/decreases in required resources at the customers' request, which has been an issue in the SI business, we aim to "stabilize business earnings by optimizing development resources" and "maximize customer benefits through the realization of short lead-time implementation" by shifting to a package solution business model (custom development + license & maintenance) led by the company itself.



## <History of Transformation>

Grow with diversification/stabilization of revenue sources met to customer characteristics of financial specialized media. After listed, SaaS income in the solutions business expanded to exceed the ad revenue from the media business.

#### Advertising Revenue Information Solution Revenue (= SaaS Revenue) Phase 1 Phase 2 Achieved the No. 1 position as a financial media Converted to a B2B2C service that provides similar information and content on the transaction **Client Securities B** screens of financial institutions (Information Solution) For media MINKABU Information/Content **Kabutan** Information generated in the **Client Securities A** media (Stock predictions, (Information **Client Securities C** historical data) Solution) (Information Solution)

- ✓ One user = revenue target is one count
- Susceptible to market environment impact

- ✓ One user = multiple revenue targets (average 2~4 accounts held)
- Stable monthly fixed income corresponding to the number of users for each securities company

< Reproducing Transformation >

Execute strategies of diversification/stabilization of revenue sources met to customer characteristics of Korean Entertainment media



**Initial**: Financial

Users typically hold 2 to 4 accounts, using them according to different purposes

Grew into the largest domestic scale (MAU\* of 8 million)over a decade

Revenue from information solutions with SaaS-type B2B income

**Next**: Entertainment (K-POP)

"Fans" is a center of life

Solidified the position as the No.1 Korean entertainment media through M&A

Subscription model through the combination with mobile phone services

**User Characteristics** Focused on

**User Base** 

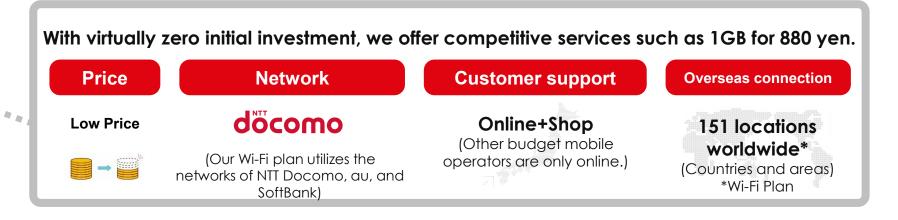
Diversification/Stabilization Strategies for Revenue Sources

<How to promote>

Evolve K-style business model with almost no upfront cost

Combine a competitive low-cost plan with the "Oshi Pass" (fans' passport) that leverages the strengths of the company's media to create a new cell phone service called "Oshi Pass Keitai" (smart phone for fans' passport).







The first initiative is in collaboration with 'Kstyle', the No. 1 Korean entertainment media in Japan with 6 million MAUs\*, to **strongly support fans' life activities("Oshi-Katsu") for K-POP.**Option plans to support "Oshi-activities"





<Reproduction of Success>

Replicating the success formula through the effective subscription model of media Similar to finance, diversify revenue sources with one content and stabilize revenue with a monthly fixed fee

#### Advertising Revenue Mobile phone, option charges (=subscription revenue) Phase 2 Phase 1 Positioned at No.1 in Korean Leverage the No.1 media brand and livedoor MOBILE relations to offer services that entertainment media SIM support K-POP fan activities Kstyle media Information/Content Mobile members Kstyle Network **Exclusive options** (Korean Entertainment livedoor MOBILE media artist) Wi-Fi

- ✓ One user = One revenue target
- Susceptible to market environment impact

- ✓ One user = Multiple revenue targets (ad + communication charges + options)
- Stable monthly fixed income included in the smartphone bill

<Product design 1>

We offer a variety of benefits to support fans' life of K-POP that can only be provided by our group, as the No. 1 media in Japan.

**Provided Value** 

# Hook for subscription increase

Hook for unit price increase





# **Event**

Regularly host events featuring celebrities known for selling out tickets in seconds.

# **Pre-booking rights**

Exclusive to livedoor MOBILE(LDM).

# **UP** in tickets winning chances

The more devices you contract and the longer the contract period, the higher the chances of winning.

**JPY1,540** / month

The fee collection charge is 15%,

lower than application fee.



# **Award**

Utilizing the largest Korean entertainment media in Japan to host the country's first-ever Korean Awards.

# **Voting rights for fans**

LDM subscribers gain significantly increased voting power and priority participation in award ceremonies.

#### **UP** in voting power

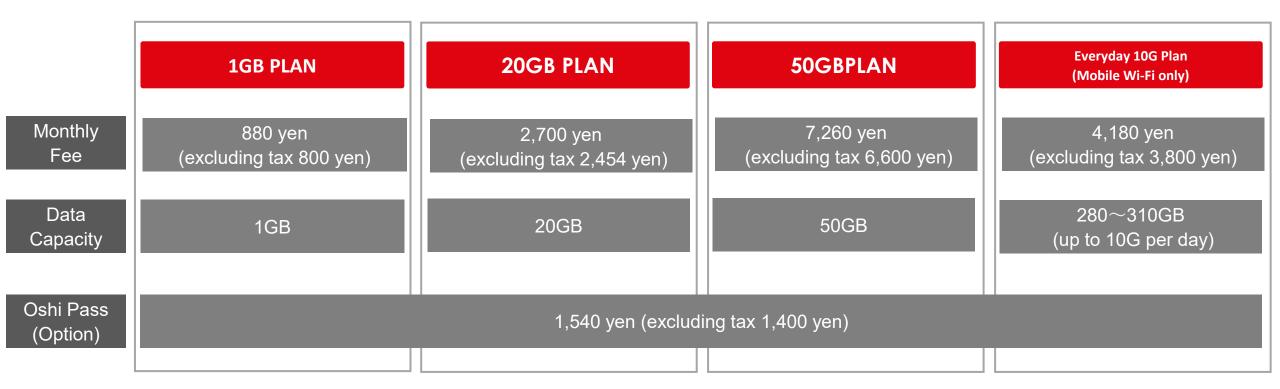
The more devices you contract and the longer the contract period, the more efficient your Oshi-Katsu (fan's life activities) become.



\*Also offering a series of additional value services such as exclusive fan meetings, merchandise sales, video calls, and more.

<Product design 2>

Bring a competitive pricing plan even for standalone mobile phone services



<sup>\*</sup>All plans include a 10-minute unlimited call option (880 yen), and a complete unlimited call option (1,980 yen) available as an additional option.

<sup>\*</sup>Domestic calls are uniformly 22 yen per 30 seconds.

<sup>\*</sup>In terms of equivalent data capacity, the company's pricing is competitive with others in the market. (According to our research)

#### <Promotion>

Acquire mobile subscribers by utilizing the influence and diffusion power of famous artists.

# Total number of SNS followers of Kstyle Party Scheduled artist : Over 60 million

Unit: 10,000people (As of November)

Artist Name	X	X Japan official	Instagram	TikTok	Facebook	Youtube	Total (By Artist)
fromis_9	<u>49.8</u>	<u>7.4</u>	<u>152</u>	<u>170</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>115</u>	545
YENA	22.6	<u>1.5</u>	<u>259.7</u>	<u>90.2</u>	<u>2.9</u>	<u>32.4</u>	409
TEMPEST	25.9	<u>2.2</u>	<u>39.8</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>45.1</u>	259
EVERGLOW	31	-	<u>262.7</u>	<u>220</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>194</u>	808
Weeekly	28.9	-	124.5	<u>140</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>32</u>	338
BOYNEXTDOOR	<u>26.6</u>	9	91.3	<u>120</u>	<u>3.8</u>	<u>57</u>	308
&TEAM	31.9	-	84.1	<u>210</u>	-	<u>75.8</u>	402
XG	34.8	-	<u>162.3</u>	<u>320</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>234</u>	766
DXTEEN	<u>4.5</u>	-	<u>4.7</u>	<u>8.2</u>	1	<u>3.62</u>	21
COMING SOON	3.8	=	<u>41.5</u>	<u>33.8</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>17.4</u>	98
COMING SOON	<u>121.8</u>	=	<u>386.5</u>	<u>330</u>	<u>347</u>	<u>878</u>	2,063
COMING SOON	<u>40.6</u>	-	229.3	<u>160</u>	<u>6.7</u>	<u>56.5</u>	493
Total (By SNS Category)	422	20	1,838	1,932	556	1,741	6,510

#### <Business Model>

Realize a High-Profit Model Through the Utilization of In-house Content and Customer Touchpoints Monthly revenue is JPY78.6mil at 1% signing up assumption of Kstyle's MAU \*1 (JPY940 mil. /annual), and JPY157 mil. at 2% (JPY1.88 bil. /annual\*2).

#### **Business Model**

The advantage of option plans that lead to a high-profit model

Unit Price (Profit) Even the lowest priced plan\*3 achieves a high unit price of 1,310 yen per person.

Furthermore, the revenue structure makes the sales largely translating into profit

( i ) A higher profit margin than app in-app purchases

( ii )Cost reduction to zero by utilizing companyowned touchpoints,

- 85%\*4 of the option fee contributes to revenue sharing
- In addition, 15%\*4 of mobile phone charges contribute to revenue sharing
- Plus, a fee of 2,000 yen is added at the time of contract
- By utilizing in-house media, reduce promotional expenses to zero (internal expenses)
   Option costs are virtually free of charge (when event revenue)
- Option costs are virtually free of charge (when event revenue and expenses are balanced for option benefits)



Number of Contracts

Steadily accumulates revenue by the subscription model

(iii)Year-over-year improvements in user acquisition ease

- Expand the size of benefits according to the number of users.
- Prepared a strategy to expand benefits according to the contract period to surpress cancellations.

- \*1 MAU Monthly Active Users
- \*2 Assuming profit from the lowest priced plan = 1,310 yen (\*3), estimate 78.6 million yen per month for 1% of Kstyle's 6 million MAUs (60,000 users) and 157.2 million yen for 2% (120,000 users)
- \*3 The lowest priced plan is defined as the lower limit of ¥1,310-1,982 (option fee ¥1,190 (85% of ¥1,400/month) + basic cellular phone fee ¥120-792 (15% of ¥800-5,278/month) = ¥1,310-1,982).
- \*4 Our share of the revenue sharing ratio with X-Mobile, with the ratio improving in stages (from 15% to 20%) in accordance with the number of subscribers.

<Strategy>

Creation and application of a **Revenue Recovery Engine** through the utilization of our customer assets and development skillset. Entry into 3 New businesses for the purpose of Revenue Recovery Engine

Before:Expansion of surface area & establishment of a growth cycle

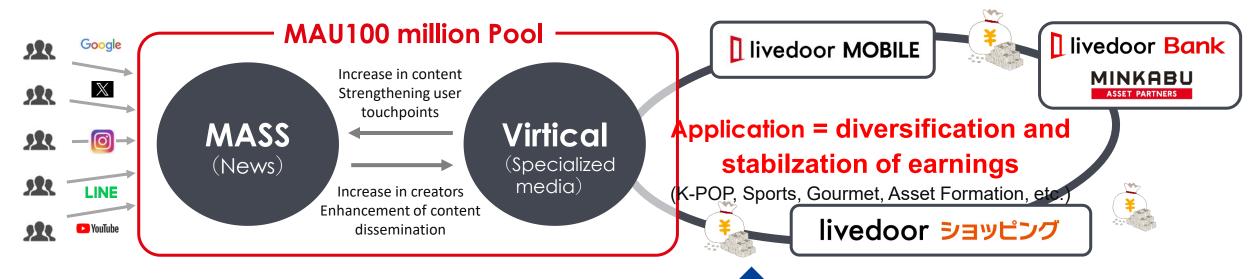
**MAU** is expanding favorably through the synergistic effect of mass x vertical media Ad-dependent revenue model is susceptible to market conditions

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**After:**Value UP of surface area (addition of revenue sources)

Materializing media value by introducing 3 engines that diversify and stabilize revenue sources met to the characteristics of each media customer, reproduction of the transformation



Supporting development and operations with the **technical expertise and know-how** cultivated through SI business

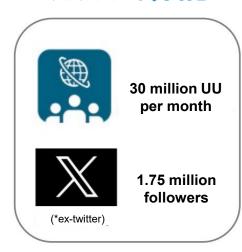
<Replication of Success>

Achieved record high of gross merchandise value (GMV\*) through a major sale in collaboration with a major e-commerce company

Replicate the success and make it permanent by horizontally expand to livedoor shopping deploying the know-how gained through this initiative in services

The EC business "livedoor Shopping" is brought to the market in this fiscal year

# livedoor News



Purchasing story creation by editorial department

# Sale Event of Major EC

- · High internet literacy
- Trend-conscious
- · UI/UX suitable for purchase
- Product lineup that leverages the media's features
- · Utilization of past purchase data
- · UI/UX suitable for purchase

# **Findings So Far**

- ✓ Accumulated sales data for trending products through the Major EC sites × Livedoor News collaboration.
- Our unique knowledge is the key for the success, including data utilization and the creation of purchase STORIES by our editorial department
- ✓ Expansion into group media beyond news has not yet been implemented, leaving room for further growth

<How to promote>

Enhance appeal by deploying distinctive products that match the customer characteristics of each media, and promote continued use through rewards



"livedoor Shopping" is planning to launch in March,2024

livedoor News

Blowout deals on trending products!

livedoor Blog

Blogger original merchandise

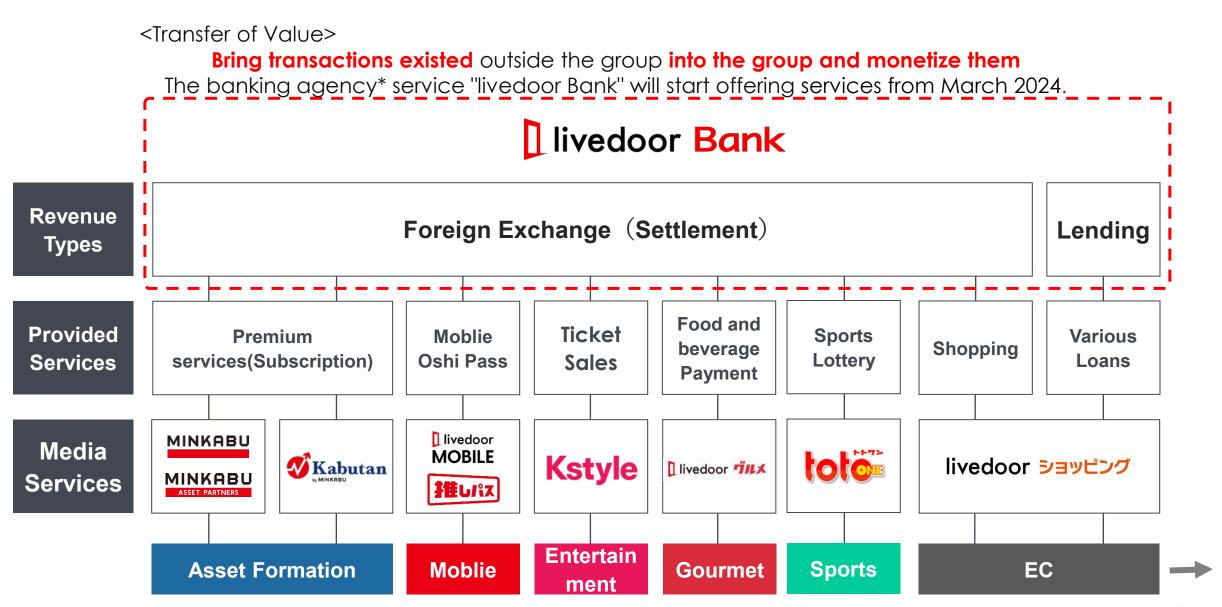
# **Kstyle**

Not yet released in Japan! Bestselling products from Korea

# SEESAW GAME

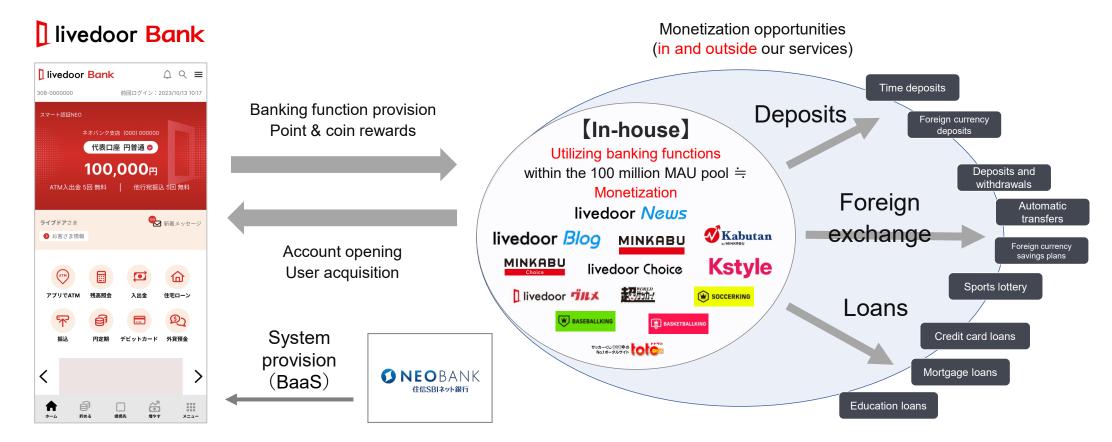
Collaboration with club teams
Official Shop

Additionally, discounts and points are available with the use of LD Bank (Pay) and LD MOBILE!



<How to promote>
Low-risk entry through bank agency scheme. Creating new revenue streams both in and outside of our services.

- · Within our services: Financial earnings are captured through account openings and payment activities associated with the use of paid services.
- · Outside our services: Financial earnings are also captured through the use of LD Bank accounts with third-party services.

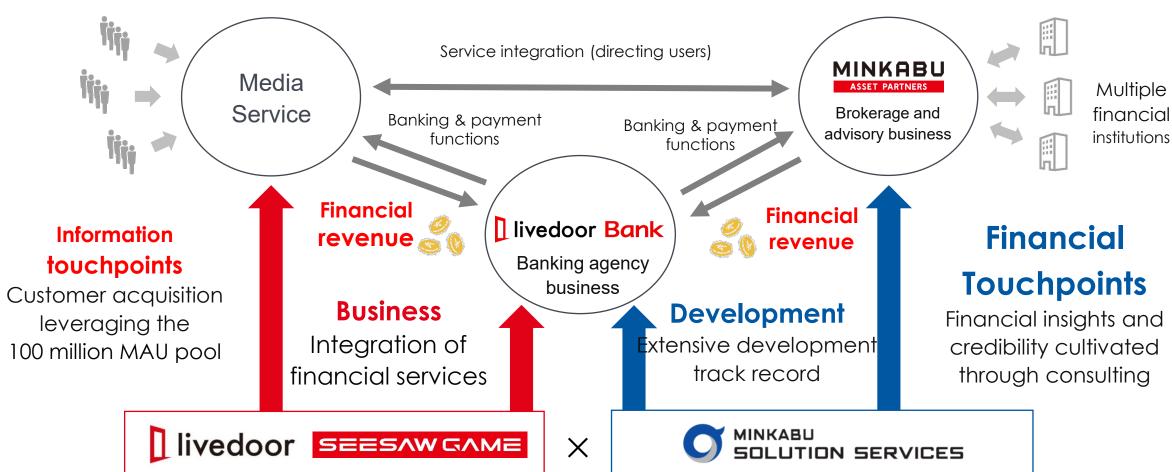


Profit Expansion Strategy: Leveraging a Customer Asset Base of 100 Million (Customer Touchpoints), and utilization of financial solution know-how within the group

<Strategy>

Virtually eliminate acquisition costs by sending customers through media services Expand in-house use of technical capabilities and know-how acquired through Si consulting business

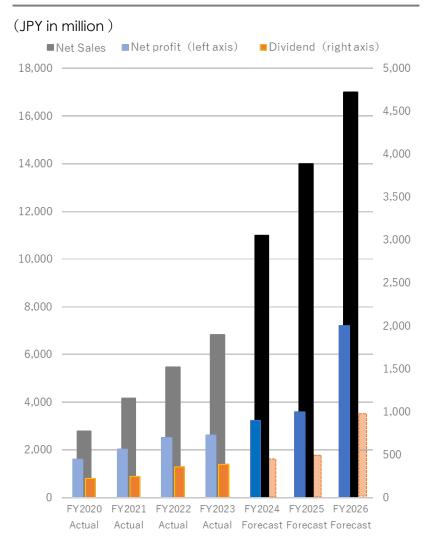
Utilize the powerful synergy created by the volume of LD & SSG touchpoints  $\times$  development capabilities of MSS



## Mid-Term Plan and Shareholder Return Policy

Promote the establishment of a structure aimed at achieving our mid-term plan, moving towards a phase of top-line autonomous growth and profit recovery

#### Transition of Sales, Final Profit, and Total Dividends



- To achieve our mid-term plan, we will continue autonomous sales growth and aim to increase profits through the optimization of our media customer assets, including 100 million MAUs\* (customer touchpoints), and other group-owned assets, including our solution know-how.
- The dividend for the fiscal year ending March 2024 is planned to sustain 26 yen per share, as initially forecasted, and we will continue to balance high growth with enhanced sales and profits and an aggressive shareholder return policy in the following years.
- To improve corporate value (market capitalization), we will ensure the penetration of our growth strategy/shareholder return strategy and realize the reconstitution of corporate value corresponding to the improvement in performance.

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#### <Current>

The "expansion of surface area" triggered by the acquisition of livedoor is completed

MAUs grew to over 100 million after the acquisition of livedoor (acquired 70 million users at JPY100 CPA<sup>1</sup>) at the end of 2022. Monetization phase shifted to that on significantly expanded TAM including non-financial and consumer areas

# MAU100,000,000 users



<sup>\*1</sup> CPA Cost per acquisition

<sup>\*2</sup> MAU Monthly active users

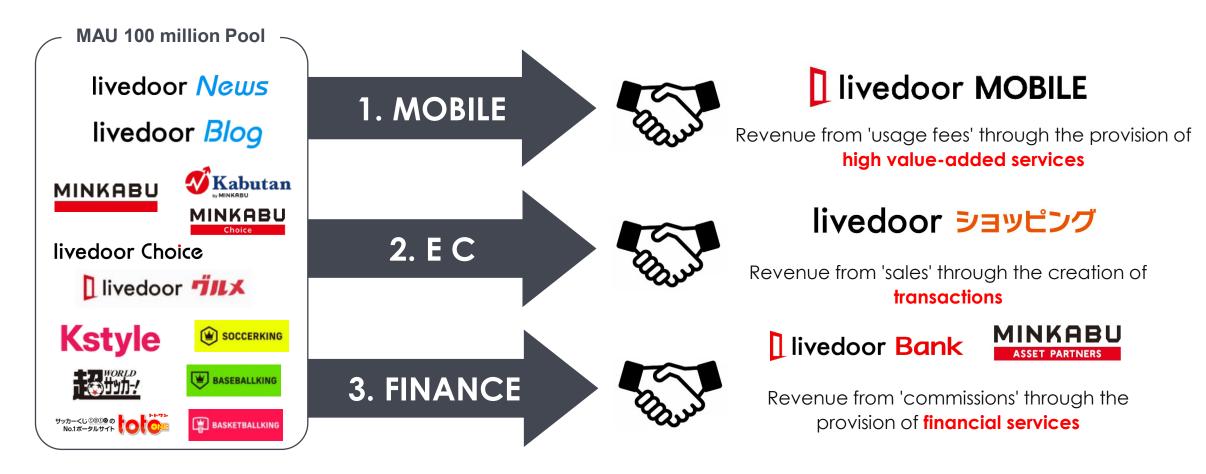
<sup>\*3</sup> TAM Total addressable market

#### <Future>

Construction of an ecosystem for 100 million people (

Full-scale monetization)

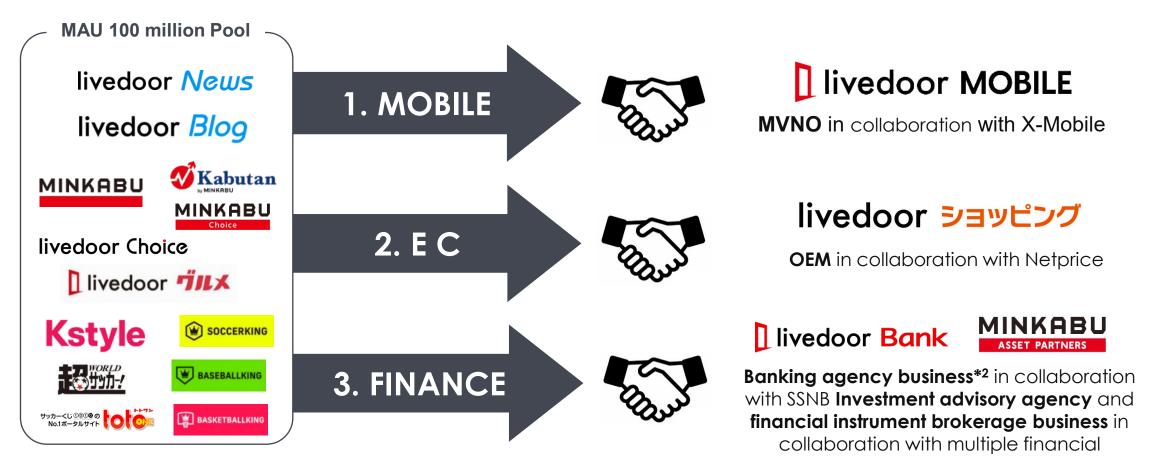
Entry into services with large target markets and easy synergy creation across various domains for 100 million people



<Future>

Construction of an ecosystem for 100 million people (≒ Full-scale monetization)

The internalization of promotional costs allows low-risk collaborative strategies with a certain amount of profit being generated

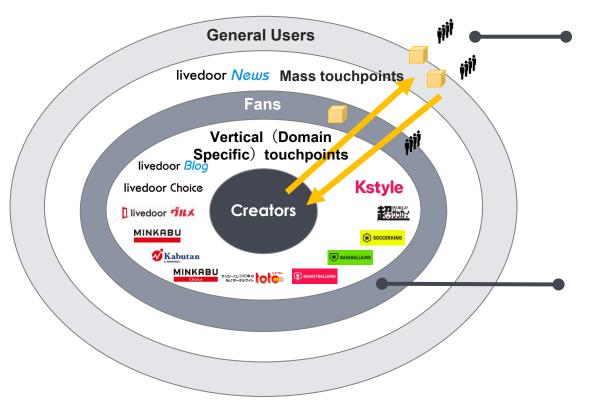


<sup>\*1</sup> MAU Monthly Active Users

# <Strength 1>

Coexistence of a Cyclical Growth Cycle and Strong User Touchpoints

Our ability to maintain both the diffusion power of news and the strong user touchpoints of vertical media allows us to construct a cyclical growth cycle. This ensures the value of media by continuous provision of content demanded by users across various layers.



# Cyclical Growth Cycle

- The more quality content supplied from vertical media, the more news users increase.
- The diffusion power of news continually offers exposure to creators, ensuring an uninterrupted supply of content = the spread of produced quality content (e.g., X's view count is among the top in the world).

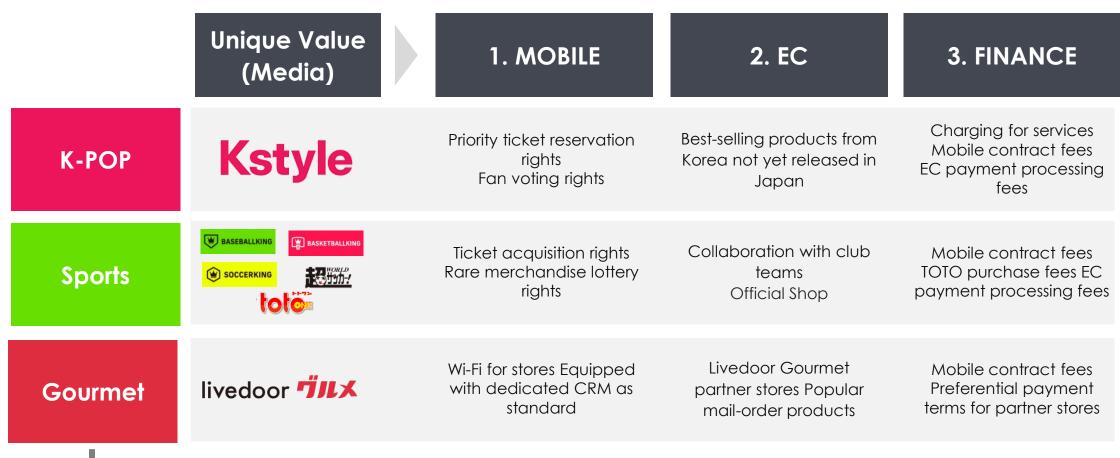
# **Strong User Touchpoints**

- Content with the specificity and unique value characteristic of vertical media receives high engagement from fans passionate about specific fields or themes (e.g., Kstyle has 84% of users visiting daily).
- Such content is less likely to be provided by mass media.

<Strength 2>

"Inherent Added Value Exists" in Each Vertical Media

Simply carving out the unique added value that already exists in each genre instantly becomes serviceable

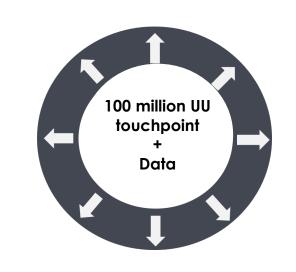


# <Strength 3> Ability to "Attract Users" Without Expensive Advertising

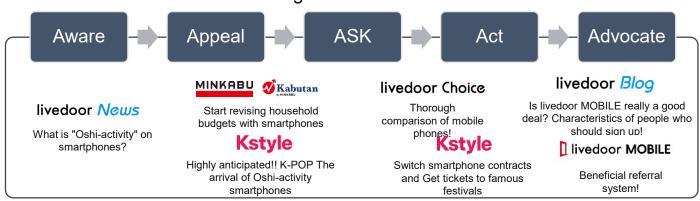
In addition to the "quantity" that can reach 100 million (MAU), we also possess the "quality" of being able to transmit from both PGC + UGC perspectives across multiple genres.

Advantage in "Quantity"

Advantage in "Quality" (e.g., the case of livedoor MOBILE)



People are more likely to be influenced by information from multiple sources of different genres and authors.



Furthermore, all of the above content is disseminated to over 30 million SNS followers.











<Strength 4>

Ability to "construct schemes and systems" efficiently even in new domains.

By leveraging the advantages of partnerships and in-house development, reduce the uncertainty inherent in new business ventures







# Power to "PARTNER"

Utilize our extensive domestic user touchpoints to build relationships with partners who are experts in various fields

# Power to "CREATE"

Capitalize on the benefits of quick decisionmaking, quality control, and cost reduction within the group

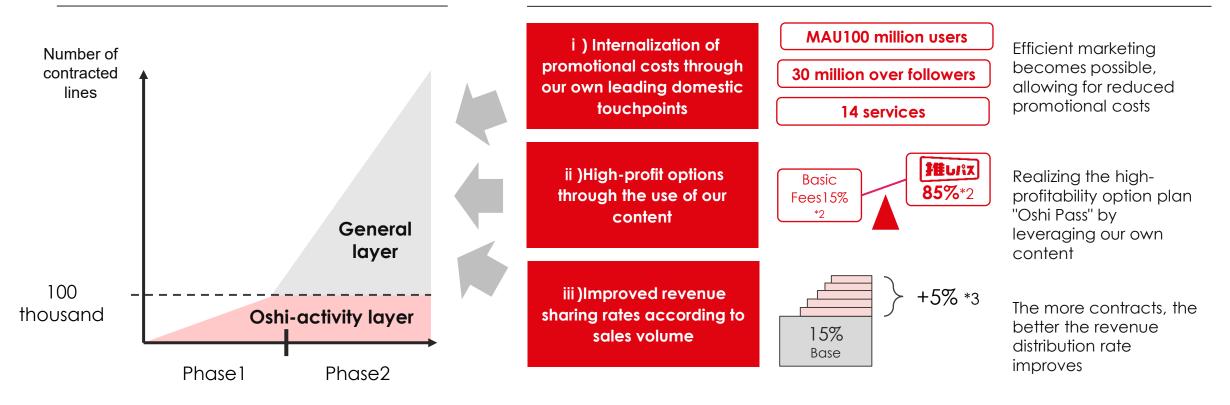
#### <MOBILE>

Leveraging three advantages for a high-profit MVNO business

high profitability in the MVNO business generated through a combination of user base  $\times$  content  $\times$  partnership,

future diffusion image

Creating plans for the general layer by leveraging three advantages



<sup>\*1</sup> As of May 2023, boasting top-class diffusion power globally

<sup>\*2</sup> Our share in the revenue distribution rate with X-Mobile

<sup>\*3</sup> The R/S ratio improves as sales volume increases (1% increase per 10,000 lines, with further negotiations beyond 50,000 lines)

#### <MOBILE>

Regularly held "Kstyle PARTY," one of the leading K-POP events in the country

livedoor MOBILE (Minkabu The Infonoid), Kstyle Party Executive Committee



Event Name

Date of Event Venue

Artist (planed)

Ticket Price

Special site

Organizer

#### **Kstyle Party**

February 24th and 25th, 2024 (thereafter, held annually)

Ariake Arena (Main Arena)

&TEAM, BOYNEXTDOOR, DXTEEN, EVERGLOW, fromis\_9, TEM

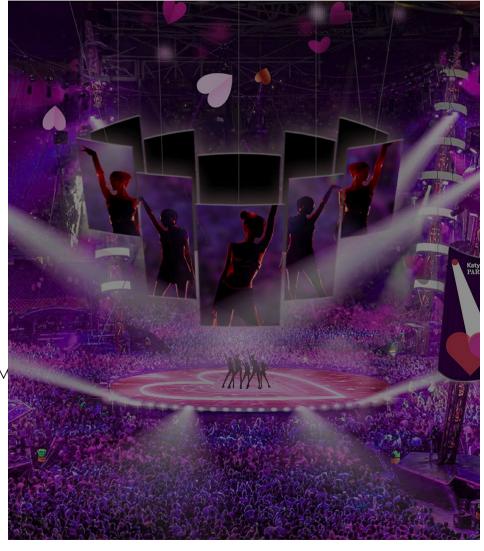
Weeekly, XG, YENA etc.

All seats reserved 14,080 yen (12,000 yen tax excluded)

https://news.kstyle.com/ad/kstyleparty2024/index.html

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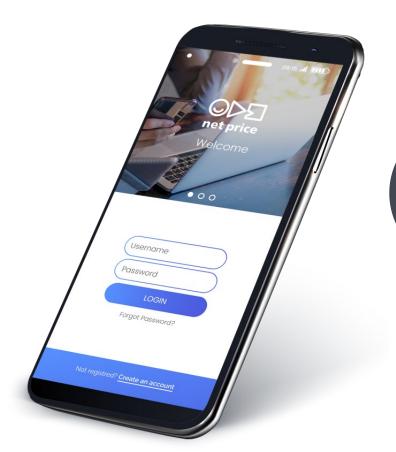
Kstyle Party Executive Committee



#### <EC>

Tap into the EC business at low risk without burdening in-house resources

Through collaboration with Netprice, we can enter the basic EC operations at no cost



Netprice: Utilizing OEM-style EC construction and operation agency services

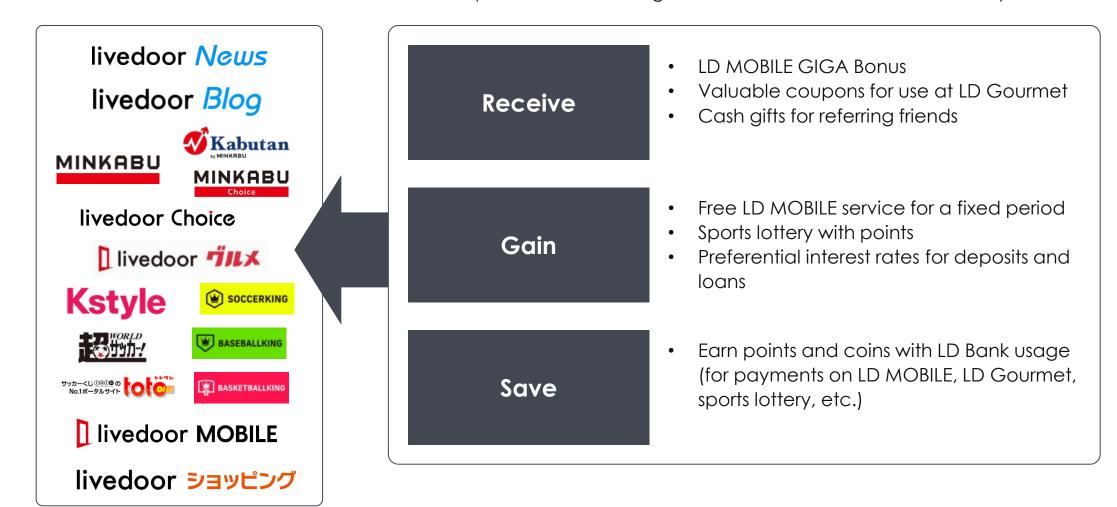


Acquiring revenue generated from the sales margin without incurring the costs associated with EC operations

#### <FINANCE>

Increase accounts by providing value to users without spending on advertising costs

Examples of value offerings that serve as hooks for account acquisition



# <Points & Coins> Essential for encouraging user behavior and strengthening the ecosystem

Issue and distribute Livedoor common incentives (LDP/LDC), to those who have generated economic value.

Cryptocurrency LDC provides "low-cost, high value-added" incentive grants

User Value

# High return rate

As it can expect the utility equivalent to points without the need for reserve funds

#### Potential for substantial returns

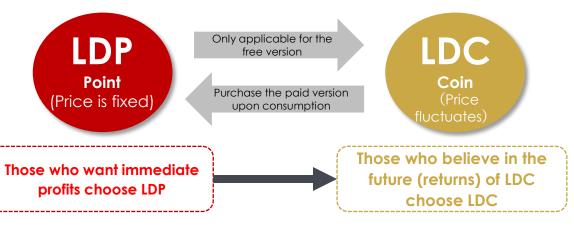
LDC: As the Livedoor economic zone grows, the price increases

# Abundant utility

Use of LDP/LDC at 570,000 locations nationwide, in addition to our services

# Structure of Point Coin Exchange that adds competitiveness

**stable LDP** and **non-stable LDC** exist, and means to exchange the two are gradually provided (users choose which to receive)



Strategy: Reducing issuance costs through increased selection rates of LDC.

As the proportion of coin selection increases, point usage and reserve funds decrease, resulting in lower total incentive issuance costs.

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SOLUTION	3,148	4,005	4,300	+7.3%	1,946	938	1,895	-2.6%
Adjustment (1.)	-20	-41	_	_	-21	_	-74	_
Operating Profit	874	111	1,000	+795.4%	162	-157	-240	
MEDIA (7.)	747	223	850	+280.3%	258	-90	-35	_
SOLUTION (7.)	786	762	1,050	+37.8%	286	176	217	-24.1%
Adjustment (2.)	-658	-874	-900	_	-382	-243	-421	_
Ordinary Profit	828	-207	940		83	-175	-275	
Profit attributable to Parent Company	696	726	900	+23.9%	5	-164	-223	_
EBITDA (3.)	1,539	1,019	2,200	+115.8%	529	144	340	-35.7%

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Subscription revenue (2.)(3.)	392	412	180	-56.4%	26	35	67	+159.0%
Others	32	38	350	+805.3%	12	18	67	+438.7%
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Subscription revenue (3.)	2,195	2,751	2,820	+2.5%	1,440	615	1,279	-11.2%
Billing revenue(3.)	_	_	410	_	166	106	213	+27.9%
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# balance sheet items

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	Consolidated	Consolidated	Consolidated	Changes		
Current assets	4,825	6,567	4,547	-30.8%		
(Cash and deposit)	3,526	4,463	2,654	-40.5%		
Non - current assets	4,932	9,967	10,976	+10.1%		
Assets	9,757	16,534	15,524	-6.1%		
Current Liabilities	942	1,926	2,152	+11.7%		
Non-Current Liabilities	1,372	6,752	6,128	-9.2%		
Liabilities	2,314	8,678	8,280	-4.6%		
Capital stock	3,514	3,533	3,534	+0.0%		
Capital surplus	4,533	4,194	3,804	-9.3%		
Retained earnings	-745	-18	-242	_		
Others	39	55	52	-5.1%		
Non-controlling interests	100	91	94	+2.9%		
Net assets	7,443	7,855	7,243	-7.8%		

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