



February, 15,2017 4th Quarter, Business Results for the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2016







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\* Unstated amounts are rounded down to the nearest one million yen unit, and percentages are rounded to the nearest unit.

## FY2016 Summary of Consolidated Financial Results





## Operating income reached a new high

(excluding the Investment and Value Creation Business)

Due to a gain on investments in partnership and a gain on sales of investment securities, <u>ordinary income and net</u> income exceeded annual forecasts by a large margin.

The strategy for expanding revenue in the Marketing
 Business remained firm, resulting in an improvement in profitability.
 Revenue increased 10.5% year on year, and operating income rose 46.9% year on year.



#### [Consolidated]

Profitability improved significantly, and net income approximately tripled.

	FY2015	FY2016	ΥοΥ
Revenue	64,052	69,815	+9.0%
Gross profit	13,347	14,405	+7.9%
SGA	11,727	12,486	+6.5%
EBITDA	2,689	2,910	+8.2%
Operating income	1,620	1,919	+18.4%
Ordinary income	1,191	2,004	+68.2%
Net income	267	745	Approx. 3times
Gross profit margin	20.8%	20.6%	(0.2p)
Operating income margin	2.5%	2.7%	+0.2p
Net income margin	0.4%	1.1%	+0.7p



#### [Revenue and Operating Income (Loss) by Segment]

The Marketing Business remained strong and grew significantly for the third consecutive year, and the Investment and Value Creation Business made a significant contribution to non-operating and extraordinary income.

		FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	YoY
Marketing Business	Revenue	58,297	61,828	68,294	+10.5%
	Operating income	890	1,815	2,667	+46.9%
Investment and	Revenue	4,859	1,021	52	-
Value Creation Business	Operating income	4,375	606	(179)	-
<b>Overseas Business</b>	Revenue	1,750	1,424	1,480	+3.9%
	Operating income	(119)	(91)	(96)	-
Total	Revenue	66,984	64,052	69,815	+9.0%
	Operating income	4,471	1,620	1,919	+18.4%

#### **FY2016** Summary of Consolidated Financial Results



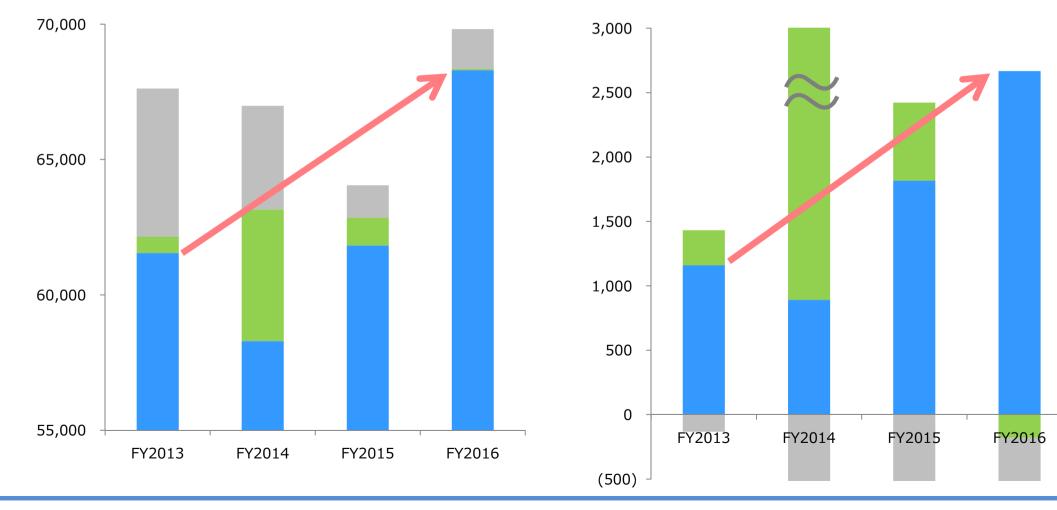
#### The strategy for increasing revenue in the Marketing Business remained strong, and income increased.

#### [Revenue]

- Marketing Business
- Investment and Value Creation Business
- Overseas Business and Other

#### [Operating income]

- Marketing Business
- Investment and Value Creation Business
- Overseas Business and Other





#### [Consolidated Balance Sheets ]

	FY2015	FY2016
Total current assets	27,010	36,950
Total noncurrent assets	10,411	9,374
Total assets	37,421	46,325
Total current liabilities	13,026	16,285
Total noncurrent liabilities	6,785	10,319
Total liabilities	19,811	26,604
Total net assets	17,609	19,720
Total liabilities and net assets	37,421	46,325

## **FY2016 Results of Earnings Forecast**

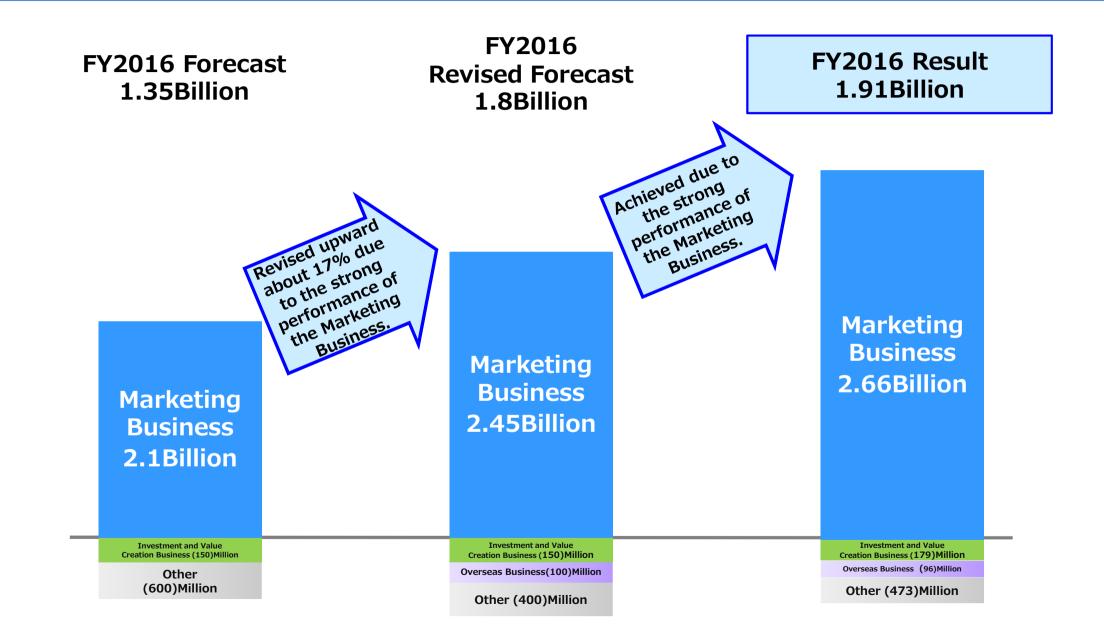


#### All results exceeded the forecasts after upward revisions.

	FY2016 Forecasts	FY2016 Revised Forecasts	FY2016 Result	Achievement
Revenue	66,000	67,000	69,815	104.2%
EBITDA	2,250	2,700	2,910	107.8%
Operating income	1,350	1,800	1,919	106.6%
Ordinary income	1,000	1,300	2,004	154.2%
Net income	270	500	745	149.1%

FY2016 Results of Earnings Forecast <Operating income by Segment>





## FY2016 Q4 Summary of Consolidated Financial Results



#### [Consolidated]

The strategy for increasing revenue in the Marketing Business remained strong. A loss on the valuation of investment securities settled within the assumed range.

	FY2015Q4	FY2016Q4	YoY
Revenue	15,628	17,444	+11.6%
Gross profit	3,519	3,774	+7.2%
SGA	2,936	3,226	+9.8%
EBITDA	847	804	(5.1%)
Operating income	583	547	(6.2%)
Ordinary income	491	570	+16.0%
Net income	26	(15)	
Gross profit margin		21.6%	(0.9P)
Operating income margin	3 7%	3.1%	(0.6P)
Net income margin	0.2%		

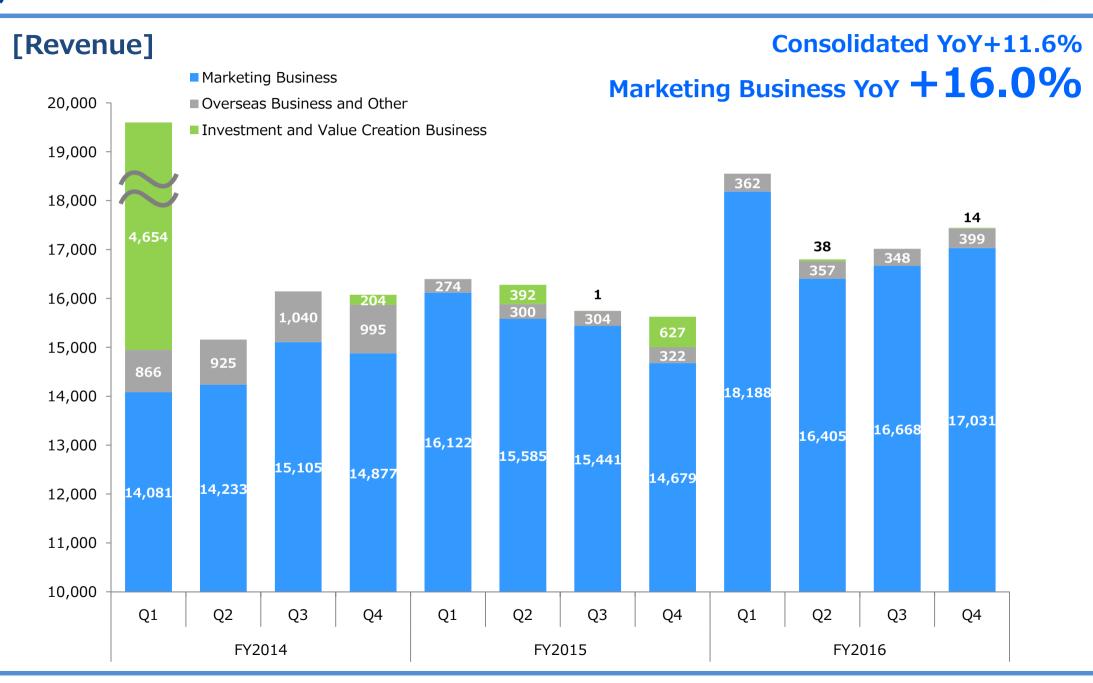


#### [Consolidated Quarterly Revenue and Operating Income (Loss) by Segment]

		FY2014			FY2015			FY2016						
		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	YoY
Marketing	Revenue	14,081	14,233	15,105	14,877	16,122	15,585	15,441	14,679	18,188	16,405	16,668	17,031	+16.0%
Business	Operating income	125	178	298	289	633	340	496	345	1,052	463	437	713	Approx. 2times
Investment and Value	Revenue	4,654	0	0	204	0	392	1	627	0	38	0	14	-
Creation Business	Operating income	4,482	(15)	(31)	(60)	(55)	310	(38)	392	(46)	(34)	(53)	(44)	-
Overseas	Revenue	349	416	503	480	309	358	372	383	363	355	354	407	+6.2%
Business	Operating income	(46)	(70)	(2)	0	(29)	(10)	(34)	(15)	(16)	(62)	(31)	14	_
Other	Revenue	516	508	537	514	(34)	(57)	(68)	(61)	0	2	(5)	(8)	-
	Operating income	(173)	(216)	(144)	(143)	(183)	(186)	(204)	(139)	(100)	(92)	(145)	(136)	_
	Revenue	19,602	15,158	16,145	16,077	16,397	16,278	15,747	15,628	18,551	16,802	17,017	17,444	+11.6%
Total	Operating income	4,388	(123)	120	86	363	454	219	583	889	274	208	547	(6.2%)

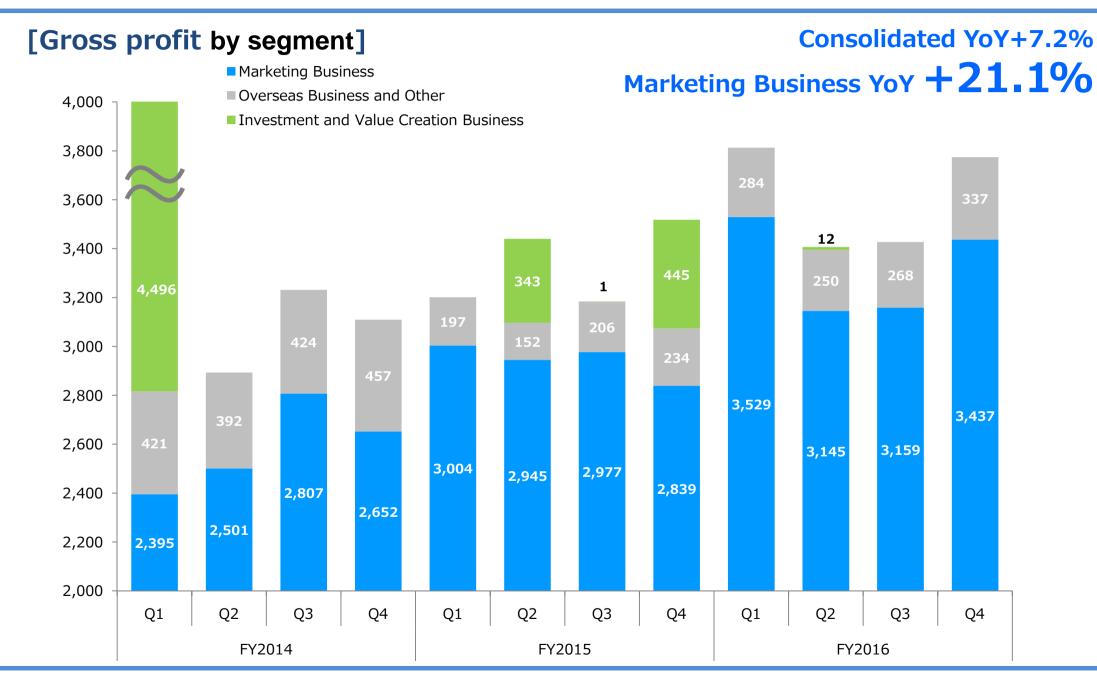
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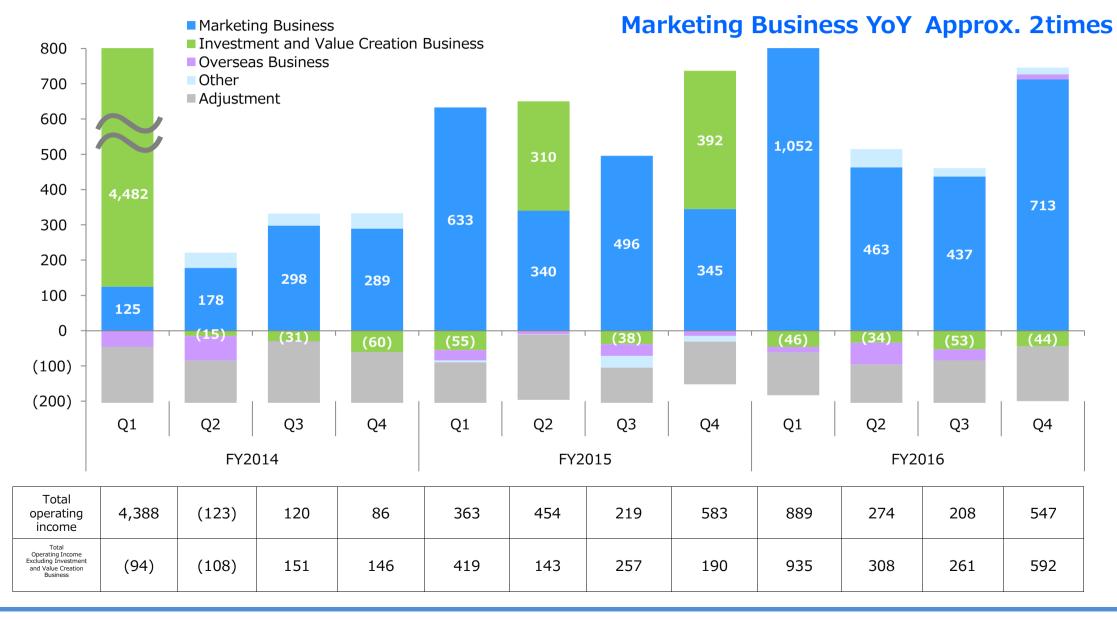


#### **FY2016Q4** Summary of Consolidated Financial Results



#### [Operating income by segment]

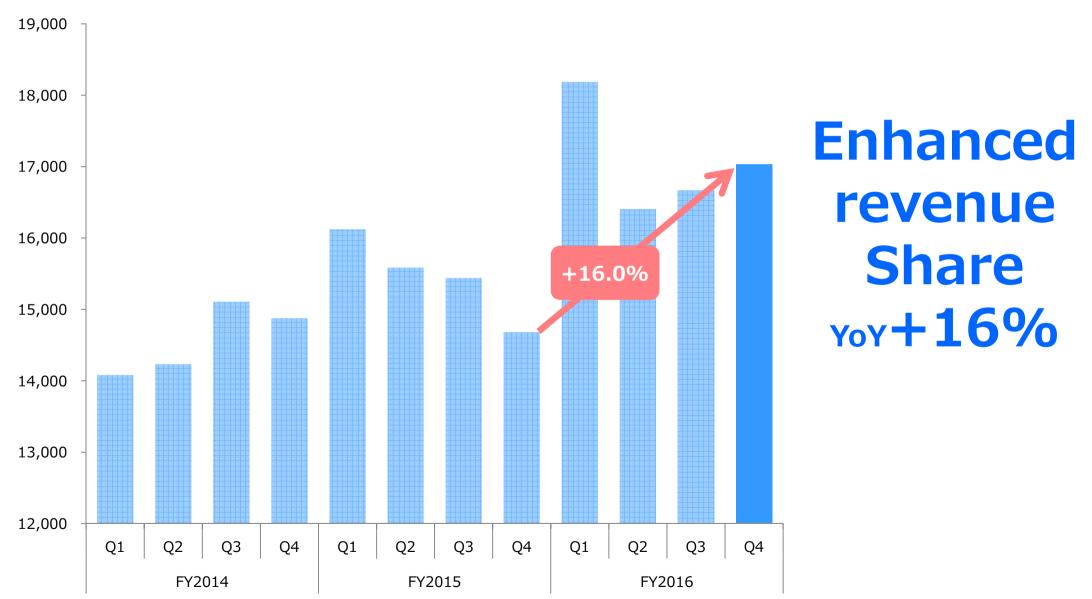
**Consolidated YoY(6.0%)** 



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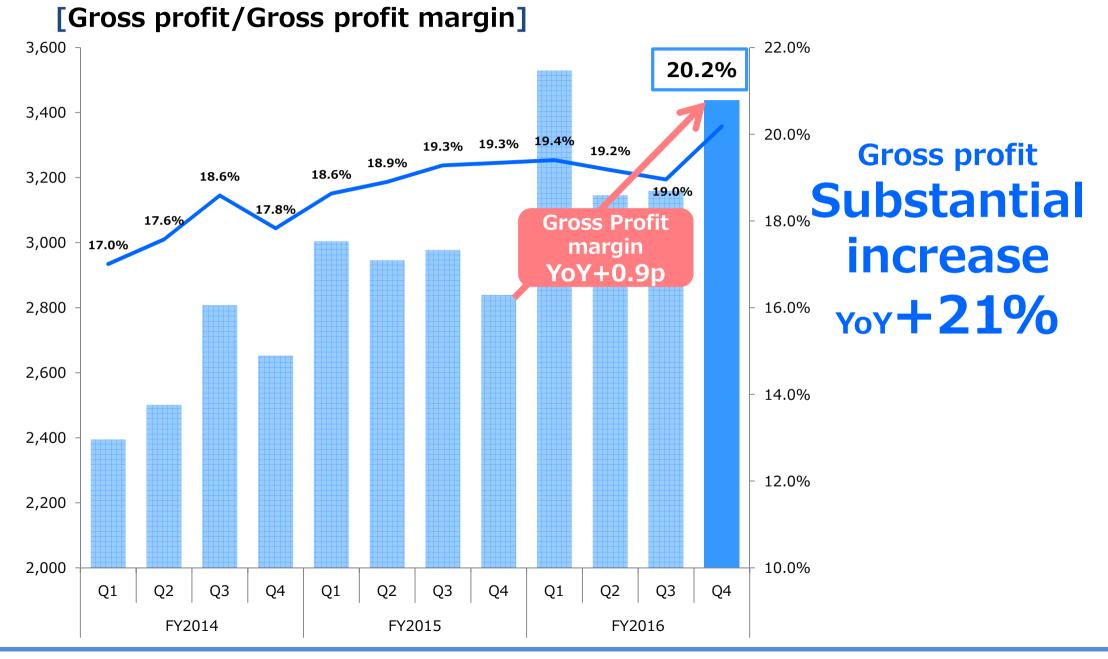
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[Revenue]



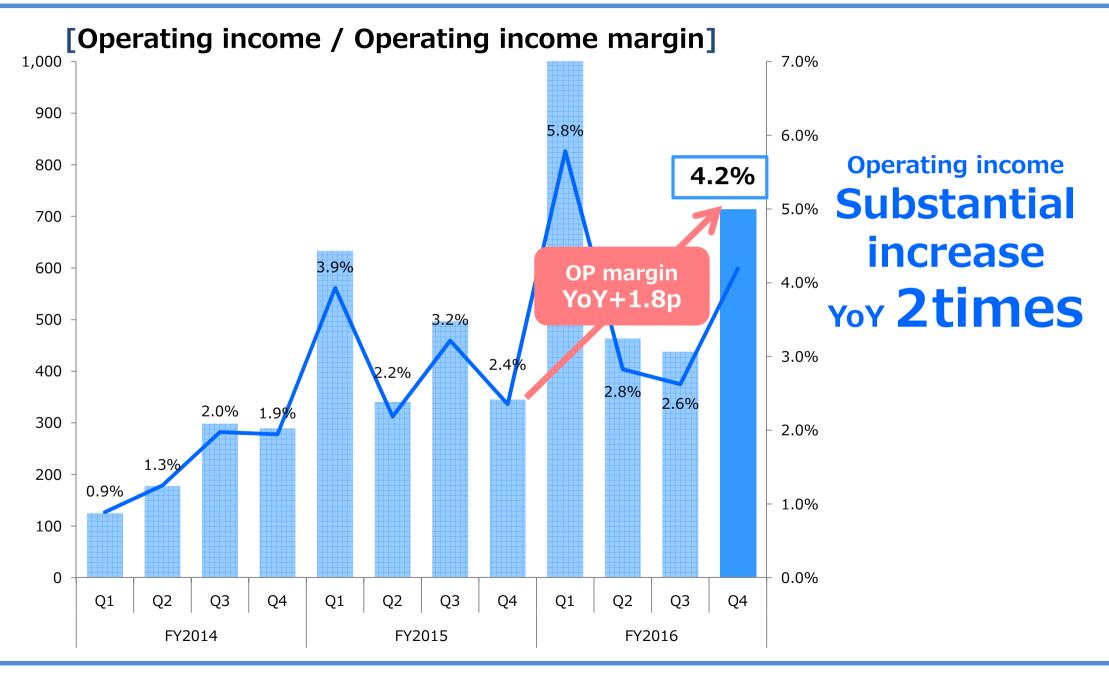
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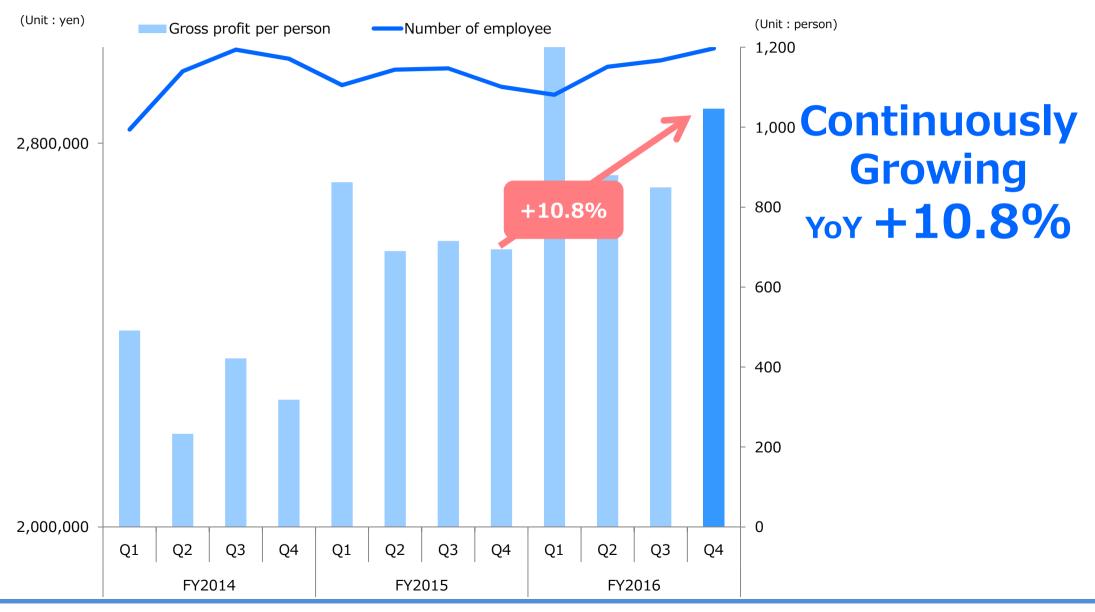




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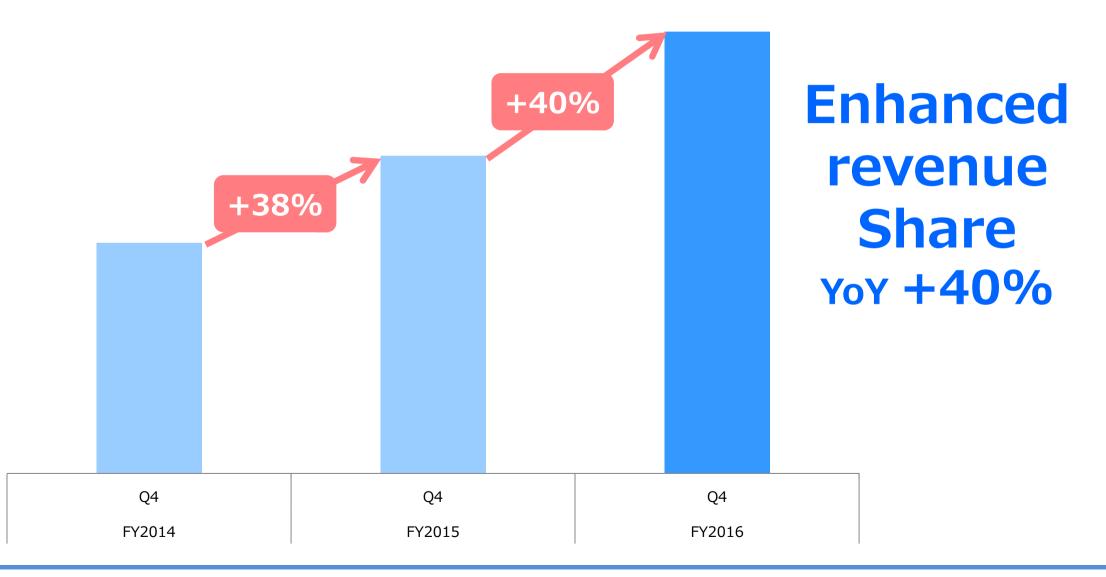
#### [Gross profit per person / Number of employee]





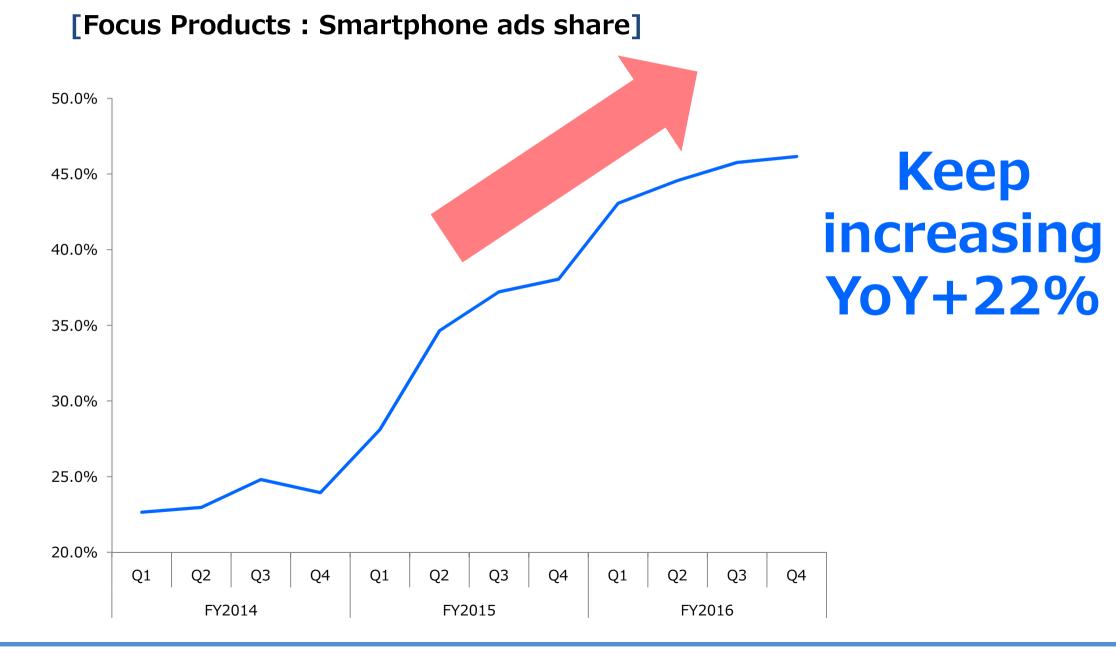


#### [Ad-Network ad Revenue]



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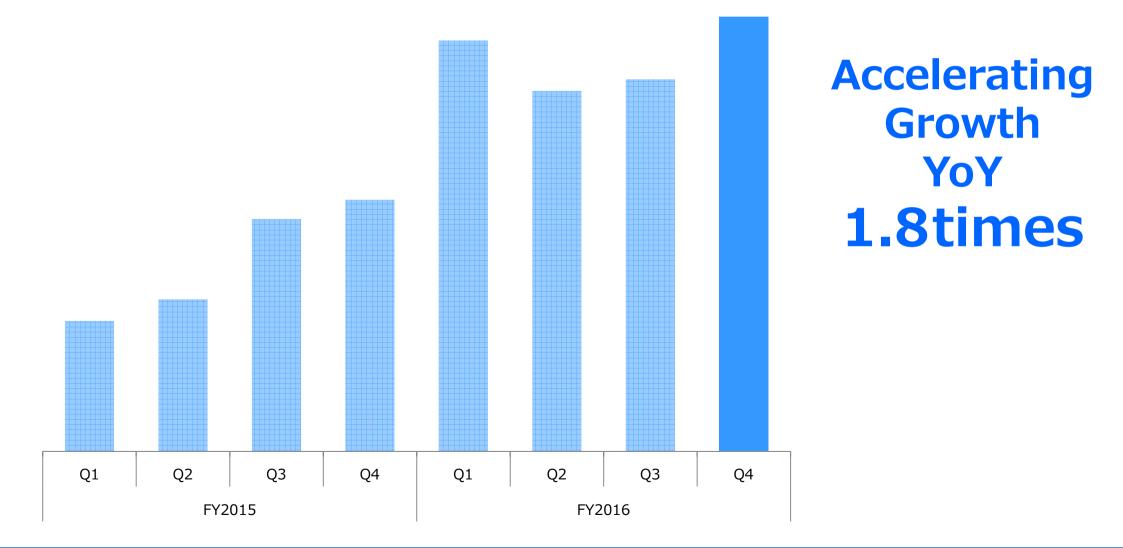






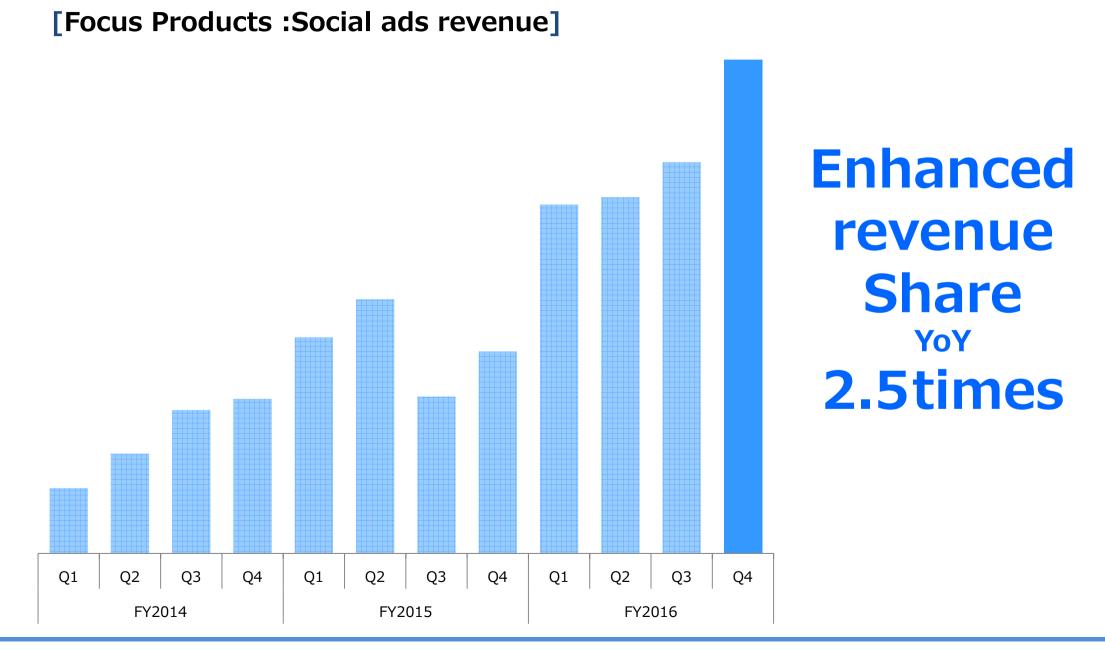


#### [Focus Products: Infeed ads revenue]



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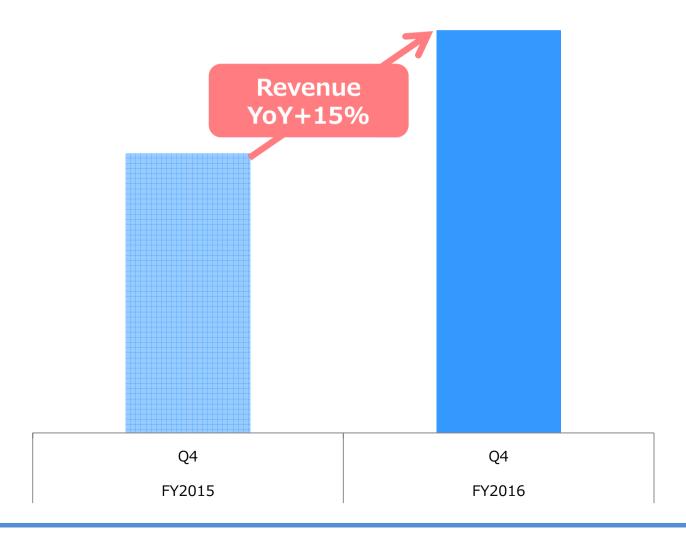








[Focus Products : Movie ads revenue]

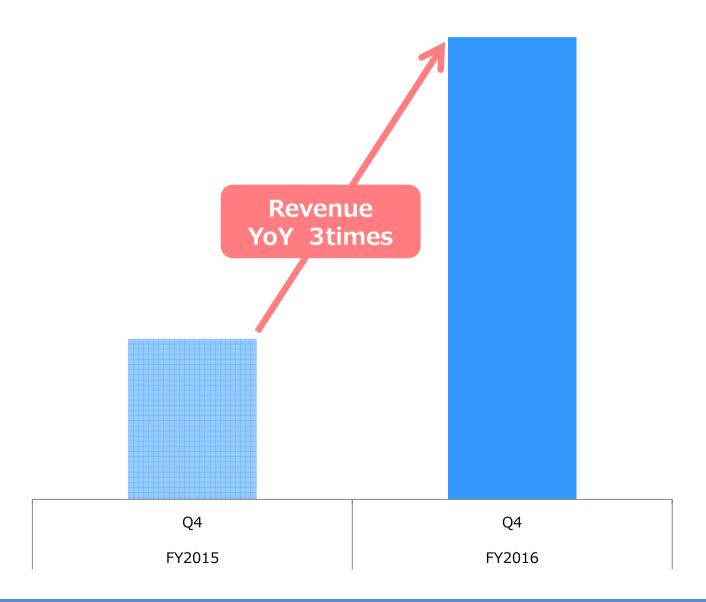


Steadily Increase <sub>YoY</sub> +15%





[Focus Products :LINE revenue]



Enhanced revenue Share yoy 3times

## **Road map to vision**





## - OPT Group Vision

## **New Value Creation**

Leveraging the digital industrial revolution as a key player for "creation, inspiration and support."





Meaning of existence	Create future prosperity by continuing to take on the challenge of "New Value Creation" by creating, inspiring and supporting the digital industrial revolution with a group of independent human resources (fellow employees)!
Vision	FY2030 OPT Group Revenue ¥1trillion, Ordinary income ¥100Billion 100person×100business×¥10Billion
OPT ism	<ol> <li>Moral principles come first, and profit comes second.</li> <li>Challenge (keep transforming constantly )</li> <li>Optimism (positive thinking)</li> <li>Employee happiness (self-reliance) is the most important thing.</li> <li>Each employee is the president.</li> </ol>





**Establishment of Investment and Value Creation Business** 

**Establishment of** digital business Sharing Economy •Big Data •E-Commerce

From an internal perspective, our vision is to generate revenue of ¥1 trillion and ordinary income totaling ¥100 billion. With **100** companies each employing 100 staff, an aggregate workforce of 10,000 employees each taking up one hundred challenges.

**Expansion of digital** 

support business

Marketing Business

**Establishment of Internet** ad Agency



# Group management policy & strategy





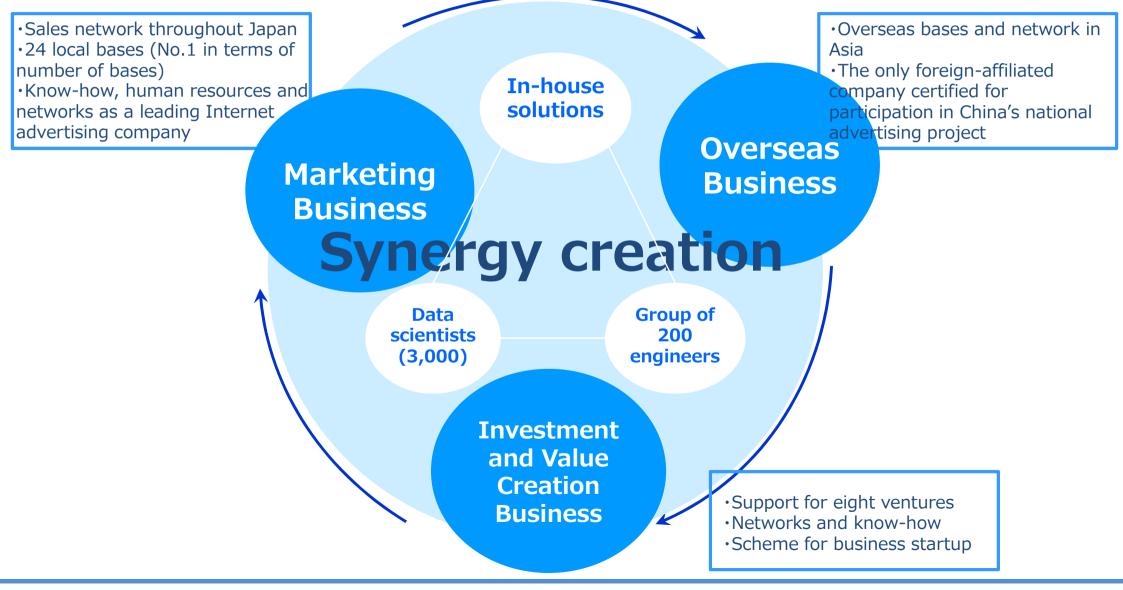
# From individual optimization to Group optimization

For the further acceleration of growth by synergy effects

#### Group collaboration and business synergy



#### For the further acceleration of growth by leveraging the strengths and assets of each business





#### $\sim$ For the further acceleration of growth through synergy effects

Marketing Business	<ul> <li>Higher revenue (increases in the number of customers and the revenue per customer)</li> <li>✓ Strengthen the development of new large customers.</li> <li>✓ Further enhance the local market where we are overwhelmingly strong.</li> <li>✓ Cross-selling based on Group collaboration</li> </ul>
Investment and Value Creation Business	Creation of business synergy ✓ Review and optimize the portfolio. ✓ Cultivate existing portfolio companies and enhance collaborations with them. ✓ Startup of new consolidated businesses and more acquisitions
Overseas Business	Stronger Group collaboration ✓ Use of overseas network and the development of new customers ✓ Stronger inbound and outbound support





## Marketing Business





# Expand the revenue share

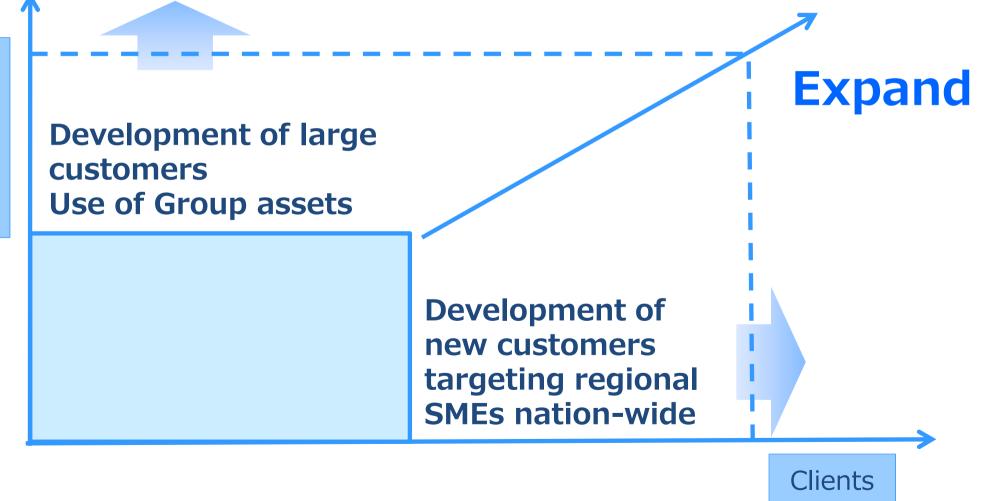
From measures to improve profitability

to the phase of revenue expansion





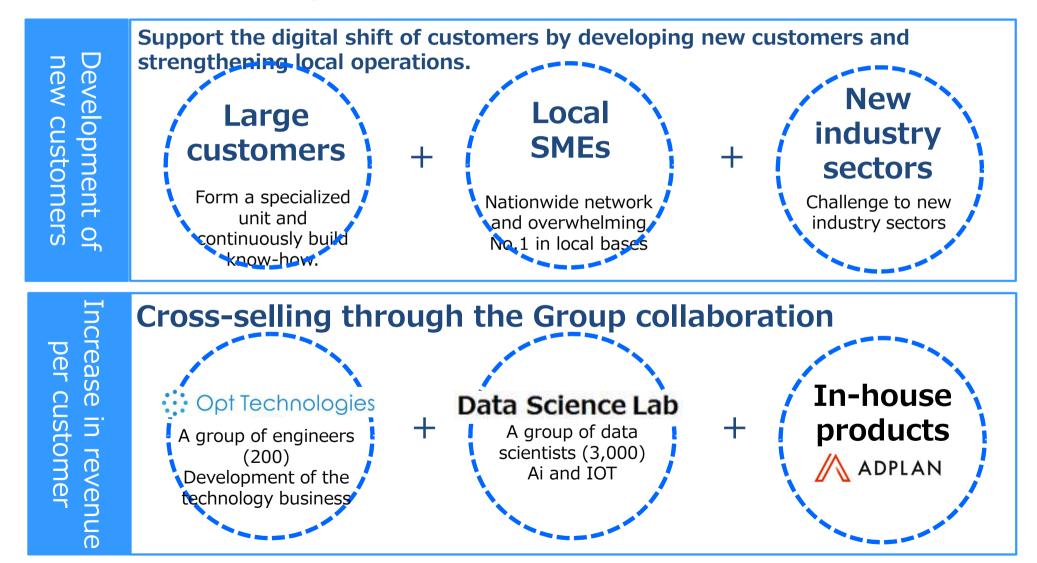
#### **Share expansion = Number of customers × Revenue per customer**







#### Use of strengths and assets of the OPT Group







## Investment and Value Creation Business





## From active investment to creation of business synergy

## **Maximize Group value**



#### Past record

### **Returned gains on sales to the Group**

- •Total number of portfolio companies: 150
- •Total amount of investments: 25.0 billion yen
- •Valuation amount: 45.0 billion yen

#### **Strengths of the OPT Group**

#### **Eight venture support services**

Shared services for the administrative division
Mediation of a management team
Human resources support
Funding

- Management guidance
- Referral of customers
- e-marketing support
- Latest information on the U.S.

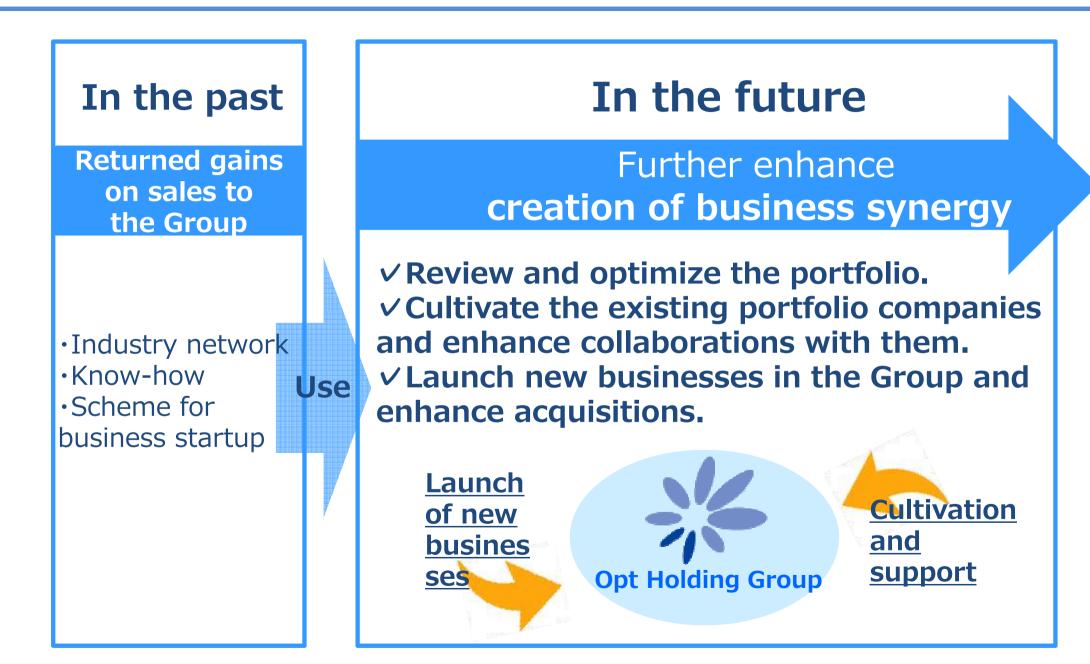
#### Human resources

(Persons with experience in business startup) Company structure (3 companies by function)

Network in the industry (Information and reference)









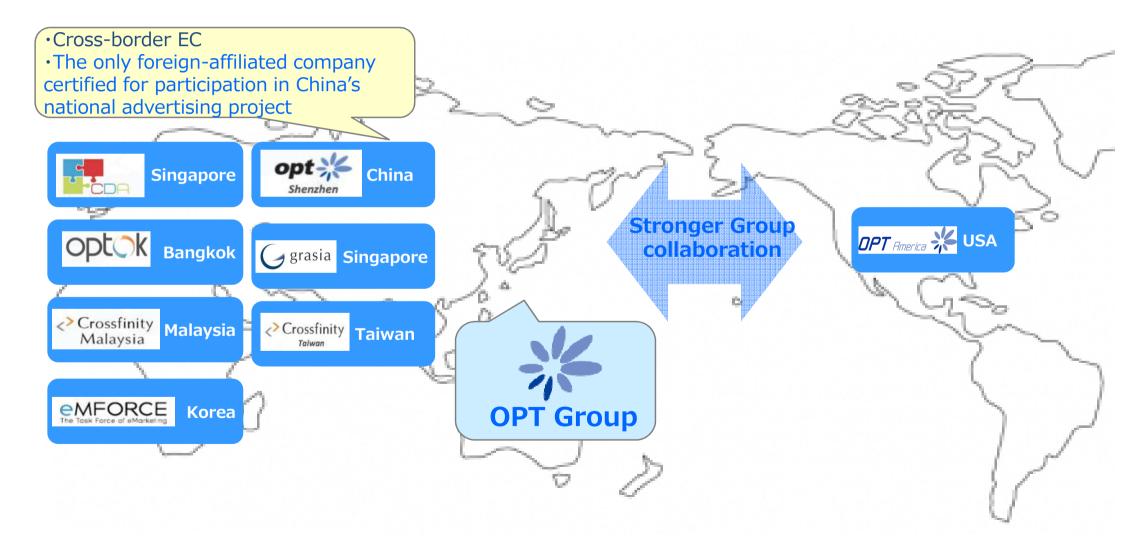


## **Overseas Business**





#### Use of sales promotion network mainly in Asia Development of new customers and stronger inbound and outbound support



## FY2017 Earnings Forecast/ 3yaers management plan



#### <u>Share expansion "Development of new customers" ×</u> <u>"Increase in revenue per customer"</u>

 $\sim$  Creation of synergy through stronger Group collaboration and further improvement in profitability through Group optimization  $\sim$ 

	FY2016 Result	FY2017 Forecast	YoY
Revenue	69,815	80,000	+14.6%
EBITDA	2,910	3,350	+15.1%
Operating income	1,919	2,400	+25.1%
Ordinary income	2,004	1,750	(12.7%)
Net income	745	1,000	+34.1%

\*Earnings forecast includes costs only and does not incorporate the sale of operational investment securities.

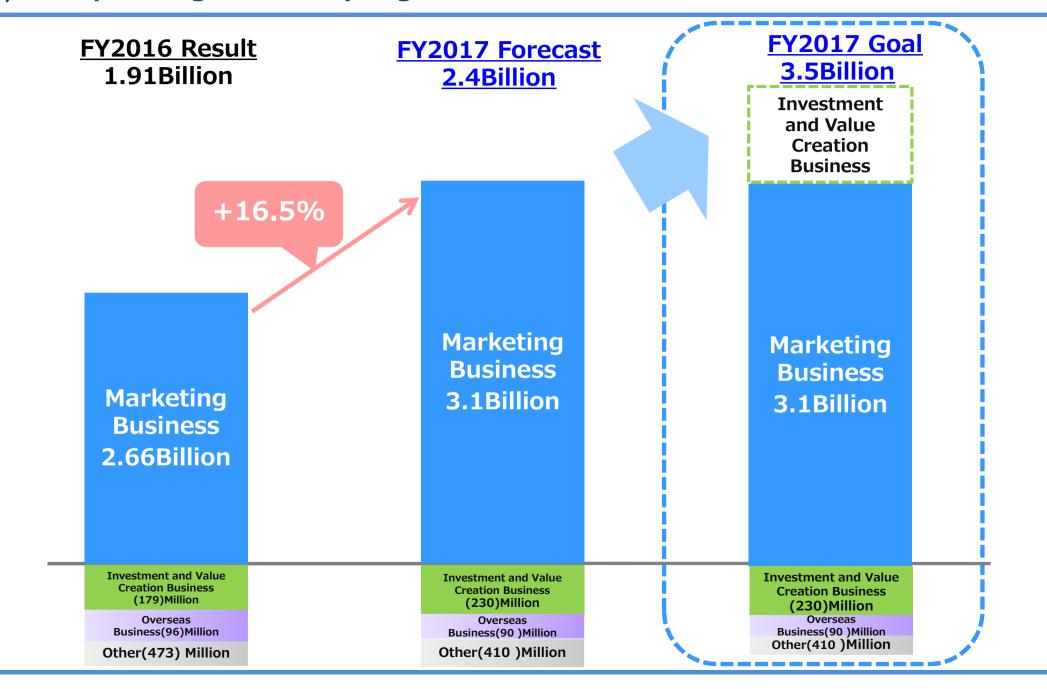




<b>3years plan</b>		Progress			
	FY2017 Goal	FY2015 Result	FY2016 Result	FY2017 Forecast	
Revenue	90,000	64,052	69,815	80,000	
EBITDA	4,800	2,689	2,910	3,350	
Operating income	3,500	1,620	1,919	2,400	
Ordinary income	3,890	1,191	2,004	1,750	
Net income	1,680	267	745	1,000	
ROE	8~10%	1.6%	4.5%	7.2%	

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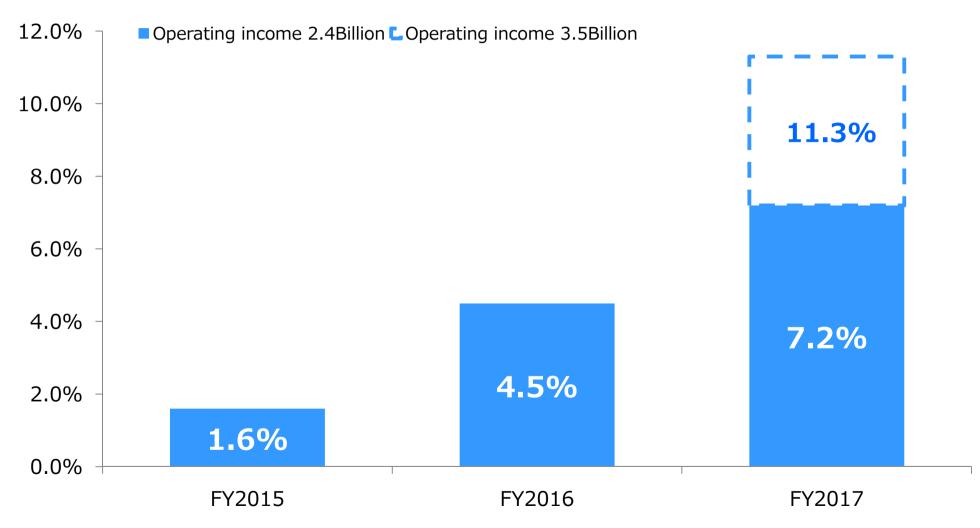








#### Improvement in ROE due to higher net income and the acquisition of own shares



## Information

Measures to strengthen governance for Group management

VDissolution of capital and business alliance with Dentsu

Shareholder return

Measures to strengthen governance for Group management opt



## Establishment of the nominating committee and the compensation committee (voluntary)

To be established in April 2017



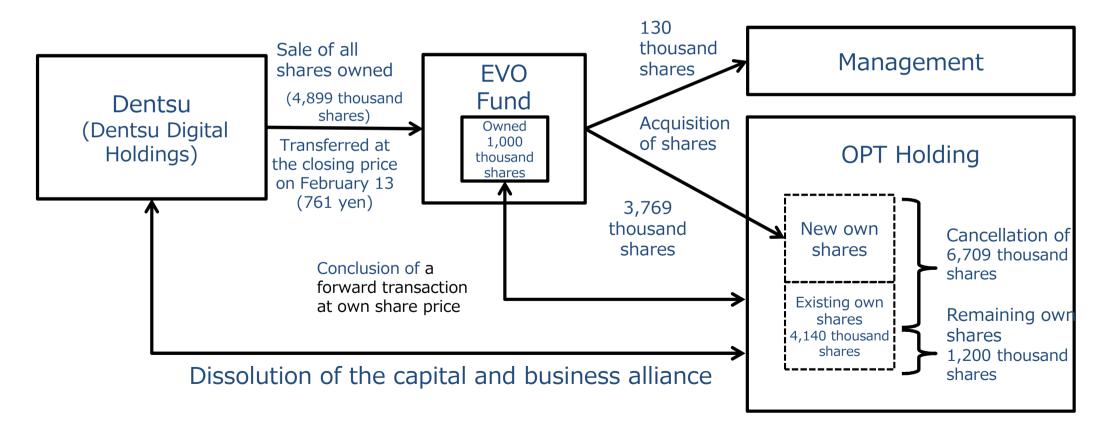
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#### Background

Both parties agreed to dissolve the alliance because they decided that they had achieved certain results for the purpose of capital and business alliance and made changes in the environment for the Internet advertising business.

#### Overview of releases published on February 13 and 14



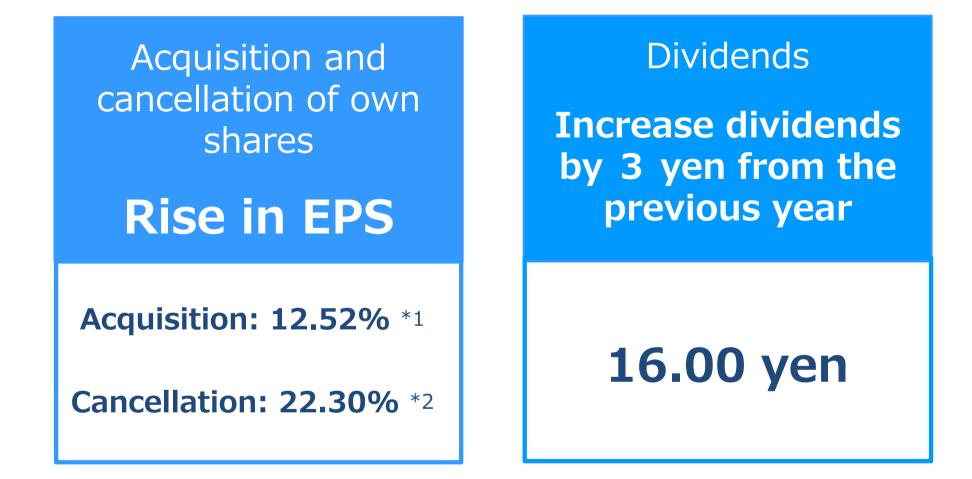




	As of end of 2016 Number of stock share	As of Feb.13 2017 Number of stock share	As of Feb.14 2017 Number of stock share	As of Feb.28 2017 After cancel treasury stock Number of stock Share	
Dentsu Digital Holdings	4,899,000 18.87%	_			
EVO FUND		4,899,000 18.87%	<u>1,000,000</u> <u>3.85%</u>	1,000,000 <u>4.50%</u>	
Treasury stock	4,140,000	4,140,000	<u>7,909,000</u>	<u>1,200,000</u>	
Time & Space ( <sup>※1</sup> )	260,800 1.00%	260,800 1.00%	<u>390,800</u> <u>1.56%</u>	390,800 <u>1.76%</u>	
Atsushi Nouchi (Boad of director)	885,000 3.41%	885,000 3.41%	885,000 3.41%	885,000 <u>3.99%</u>	
H I B C (※2)	4,899,200 18.88%	4,899,200 18.88%	4,899,200 18.88%	4,899,200 <u>22.08%</u>	

X1:Time & space is an asset management company whose shares are solely held by Mr. Atsushi Nouchi, director of OPT Holding,Inc.
 X2:HIBC Co., Ltd. is an asset management company whose shares are solely held by Mr. Noboru Hachimine, Founder, President and CEO of OPT Holding,Inc.



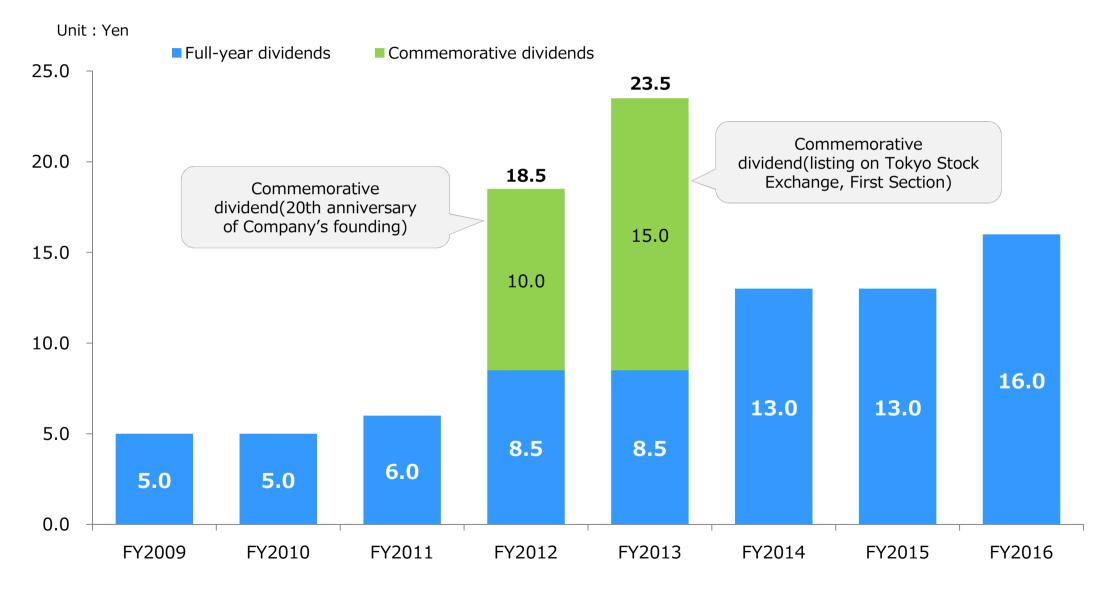


Total number of shares outstanding as of December 31, 2016: 30,089,600 shares \*1: Own shares acquired this time: 3,769,000 shares \*2: Treasury shares owned in the past 4,140,000 shares + 2,569,000 shares of those that were acquired this time = 6,709,000 shares were cancelled.





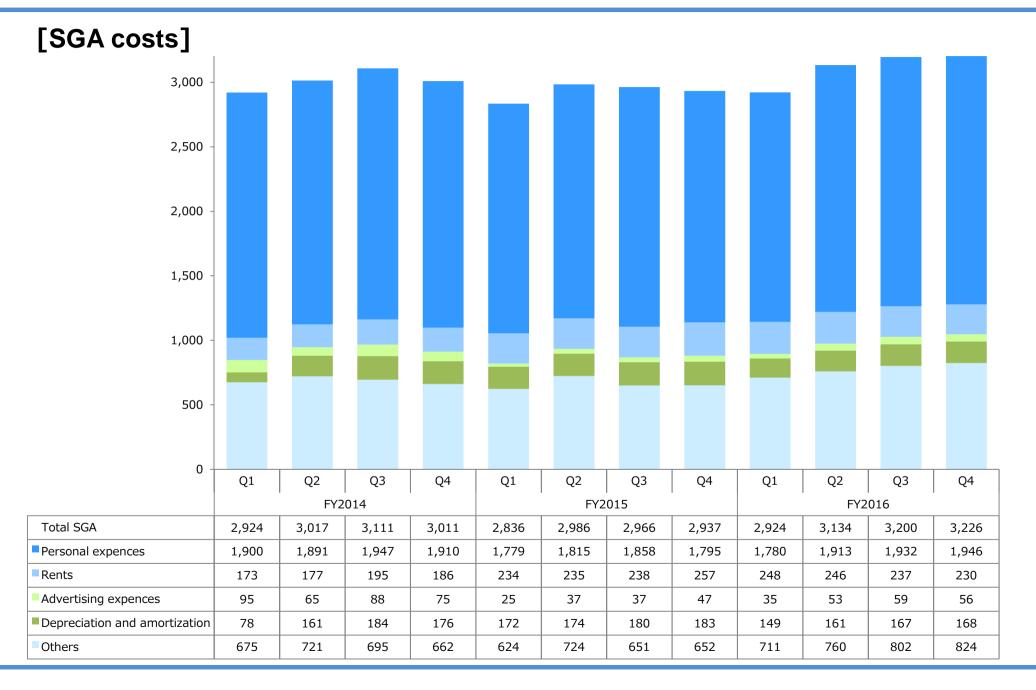
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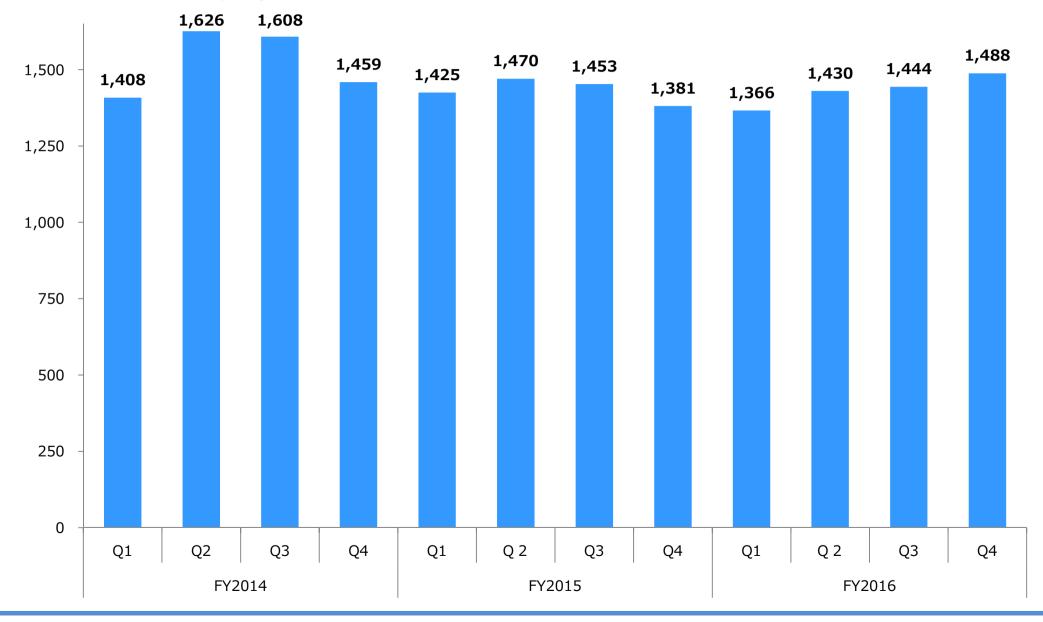
















#### Major consolidated Companies (As of FY2016 Q4-End)

Name	2	Business	Ownership	Status
OPT, Inc.		Marketing business	100.00%	Consolidated subsidiary
CLASSIFIED	🔨 CLASSIFIED	Planning and sales of classifieds	66.01%	Consolidated subsidiary
Crossfinity	<> Crossfinity	SEO and media consulting business	90.00%	Consolidated subsidiary
SOLDOUT		Advertising agency for mid-sized and venture companies	66.60%	Consolidated subsidiary
s1o interactive	STOR	Trading desk business	100.00%	Consolidated subsidiary
SkillUp Video Technologies	VIDEO PLATFORM & INTEGRATION	Digital contents platform business	92.50%	Consolidated subsidiary
ConnectOM	ConnectOM	Omni-channel solution business	100.00%	Consolidated subsidiary
Search LIFE	earch 🌐 LIFE	Internet advertising operation business	(53.28%)	Consolidated subsidiary
Writeup. Co., Ltd	Write Ag!	Internet-related business	40.00%	Consolidated subsidiary
Grooover, Inc.	<b>G</b> rooover	Native Ad and media business (incl. consulting) of smart device	100.00%	Consolidated subsidiary
TechLoCo, Inc.	techloco	Marketing technology proposal business for mid-, small- and medium-sized as well as growth companies	(66.66%)	Consolidated subsidiary
Growth Gear Co,.Ltd	6 <sup>9</sup> Growth Gear	Human resource support services business for mid-, small- and medium-sized as well as growth companies	(66.66%)	Consolidated subsidiary
Platform ID	<b>platformid</b> Open Data Platform Service	Database business	51.00%	Consolidated subsidiary
eMFORCE	CONFORCE The Task Force of eMarkeling	Internet advertising agency in South Korea	92.82%	Consolidated subsidiary
OPTSEA	opt sea	Marketing business and Investment business in Taiwan, Hong Kong and South East Asia	94.19%	Consolidated subsidiary
OPT America	OPT America 🔆	Consulting, investment, and alliance business in the US	100.00%	Consolidated subsidiary
OPT Ventures, Inc.	Sopt Ventures	VC business, investment business, public offering advisory business, management information service, other	100.00%	Consolidated subsidiary





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