

# **INVESTOR PRESENTATION**

Financial Results for the First Half of the Fiscal Year 2022

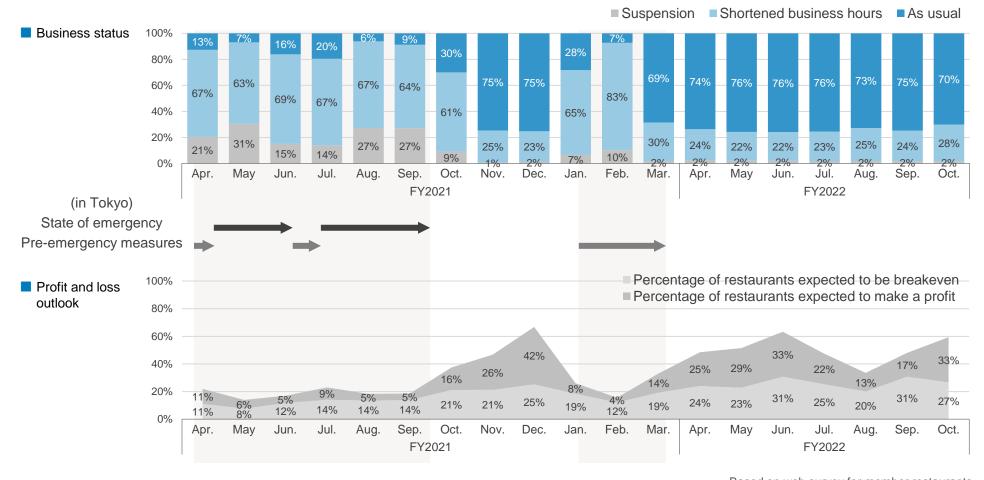
Gurunavi, Inc. (Stock Code: 2440)

**Food:** Satisfying People and Creating Connections



### Preface — Status of restaurants —

✓ The seventh wave of the COVID-19 pandemic impacted profits at restaurants in July and August, but restaurants saw recovery in September



# Summary

# Steady progress to return to profitability in Q4

### Half-year results

- Losses were smaller than revised forecast (announced in August)
  - Sales higher than expected
  - ✓ Thorough cost control by prioritizing focus areas

### **Full-year forecasts**

- No revision to full-year forecast (see p.11 for details)
  - Expect steady recovery of restaurant promotion services but the previous forecast remains unchanged due to delay in establishing sales of new services and other factors

# Financial Highlights

- ✓ Losses narrowed due to review the allocation of management resources, despite the decrease in sales
- Decrease in total paying member restaurants, mainly due to the close of delivery and take-out service on July 24
- ✓ However, the number of Rakuten ID connected members (Gurunavi's user base) increased despite the seventh wave of the COVID-19 pandemic; users increased by 1.36 million to over 6.2 million

	1H (	AprSep.)
	FY2021	FY2022
Net sales	JPY 6,105 million	JPY <b>5,865</b> million
Operating loss	JPY (2,170) million	JPY <b>(1,609)</b> million
Net loss attributable to owners of parent	JPY (2,240) million	JPY <b>(1,405)</b> million
Number of total paying member restaurants (At the end of September 2022)	61,107	46,222
Number of Rakuten ID connected members (At the end of September 2022)	4.85 million	6.21 million



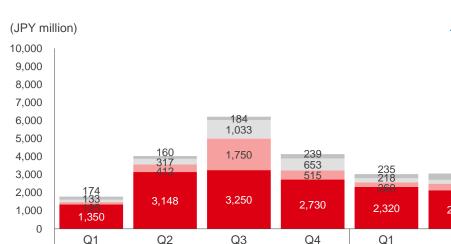
# Consolidated income statement

(JPY million)	1H FY2021 (AprSep.)	Ratio to sales	1H FY2022 (AprSep.)	Ratio to sales	YoY Change
Net sales	6,105	100.0%	5,865	100.0%	(3.9)%
Cost of sales	2,450	40.1%	2,493	42.5%	1.8%
Gross profit	3,654	59.9%	3,371	57.5%	(7.7)%
SG&A expenses	5,824	95.4%	4,980	84.9%	(14.5)%
Operating loss	(2,170)	-	(1,609)	1	-
Ordinary loss	(2,176)	-	(1,565)	-	-
Net loss before income taxes	(2,230)	-	(1,390)	-	-
Net loss attributable to owners of parent	(2,240)	-	(1,405)	-	-



### Consolidated sales breakdown

	(JPY million)	1H FY2021 (AprSep.)	1H FY2022 (AprSep.)	YoY
Ne	t sales	6,105	5,865	(3.9)%
	Restaurant promotion services	5,082	4,433	(12.8)%
	Cumulative retained services	4,452	3,788	(14.9)%
	Spot services	629	644	2.4%
	Promotions	426	543	27.3%
	Related businesses	596	888	49.1%



FY2020

### **Cumulative retained services**

- Decreased YoY due to lower base sales at the beginning of the period driven by impact of declaration of state of emergency and priority measures to prevent the spread of COVID-19 which were implemented intermittently in the previous period
- On a monthly basis, recovery after bottoming out in April

### **Spot services**

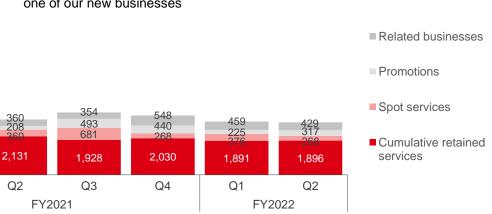
- ✓ Increase in spot sales of sales promotion products, etc.
- Decrease in online reservation commission sales due to the impact of commission revision under the new membership plan launched in September 2021

### **Promotions**

✓ In addition to seeing benefits of continuous review of sales activity systems and techniques, expanded promotion efforts to corporations and municipalities against a backdrop of improvements in the external environment

### Related businesses

 Recorded earnings from commercial facilities in restaurant development business, one of our new businesses

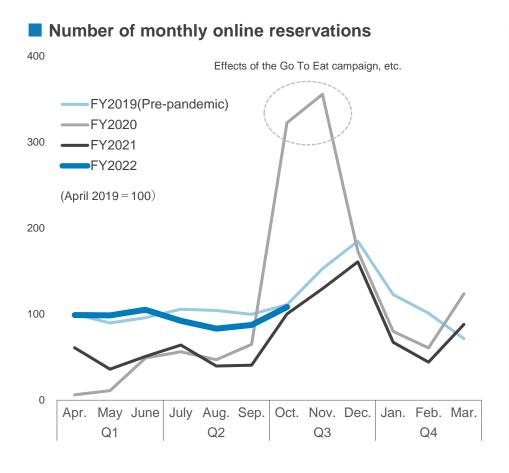


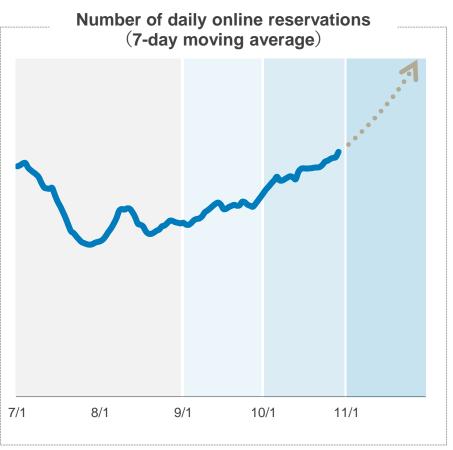
"Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition" (ASBJ Statement No. 29, March 31, 2020) have been applied from the beginning of the fiscal year 2021. There is no change in presentation to the figures for previous years.



### Status of online reservations

✓ The number of monthly reservations turned to increase from September, and is expected to recover and expand further during the year-end party season.





# Monthly change in sales of promotional products for restaurants

- Maintained strong cumulative retained sales despite severe losses by restaurants in July-August due to seventh wave of the COVID-19 pandemic
- ✓ Drove recovery of restaurants' business power and our sales at the same time by implementation of proposals for membership plan upgrades and contract value increases for year-end party season

\*One-month time lag between changes in the restaurant business conditions and our sales of promotional products



<sup>\*</sup> Excluding online reservation commission sales and delivery/takeout service sales



### Consolidated cost breakdown

	(JPY million)	1H FY2021 (AprSep.)	1H FY2022 (AprSep.)	YoY
То	tal cost	8,275	7,474	(9.7)%
	Cost of sales	2,450	2,493	1.8%
	SG&A	5,824	4,980	(14.5)%
	Personnel expenses	3,493	3,170	(9.2)%
	Rent expenses	667	593	(11.1)%
	Business consignment expenses	723	460	(36.4)%
	Advertising and promotion expenses	300	122	(59.4)%
	Other	639	634	(0.9)%

### ✓ Personnel expenses

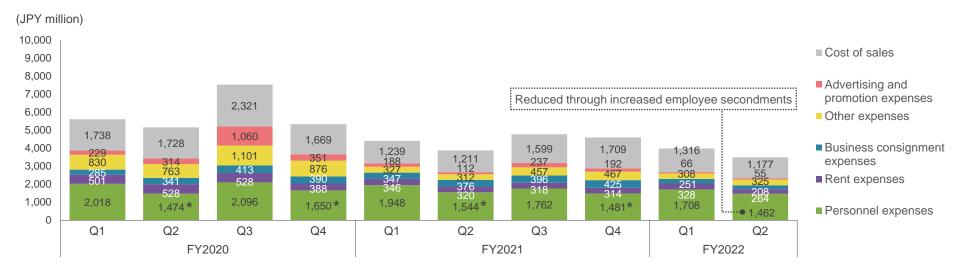
- Decreased mainly due to decrease in number of employees with a natural attrition and restrictive new employment due to severe business performance caused by the pandemic
- Expanded secondment to partner companies from May, completed in July

### ✓ Business consignment expenses

- Decreased YoY due to focus on key services

### ✓ Advertising and promotion expenses

- Reduced advertising costs related to the promotion of online reservations through marketing that utilizes online reservation coupons
- In addition, sales promotion expenses were reduced by focusing on key services



<sup>\*</sup> Impact of reversal of provision for bonuses



### Consolidated balance sheets

### ✓ In August 2022, raised 2.2 billion yen from subordinated capital loan.

(JPY million)	As of Mar. 31, 2022	As of Sep. 30, 2022	Change	(JPY million)	As of Mar. 31, 2022	As of Sep. 30, 2022	Change
Total current assets	10,691	11,928	1,236	Total current liabilities	3,134	3,628	493
Cash and deposits *	6,962	8,809	1,846	Accounts payable- other	1,302	930	(372)
Notes and accounts receivable-trade	2,661	1,995	(666)	Deposits received *	1,040	1,738	698
Accounts receivable- other	740	762	22	Income taxes payable	34	12	(21)
Prepaid expenses	379	374	(5)	Provision for bonuses	239	471	232
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(139)	(65)	74	Provision for point card certificates	19	14	(5)
Other	87	51	(35)	Other	498	460	(37)
Total non-current assets	1,415	1,574	158	Total non-current liabilities	121	2,382	2,260
Property, plant and equipment	-	306	306	Long-term borrowings	-	2,200	2,200
Intangible assets	-	222	222	Other	121	182	60
Investments and other assets	1,415	1,044	(371)	Total liabilities	3,255	6,010	2,754
				Total net assets	8,851	7,491	(1,360)
				Equity	8,767	7,413	(1,354)
Total assets	12,107	13,502	1,394	Total liabilities and net assets	12,107	13,502	1,394

Total amount of commitment line contract as of Sep. 30, 2022 JPY 4 billion (Outstanding borrowing balance – )



<sup>\*</sup> Recorded for cash and deposits and deposits received related to the operation of the contracted business from the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (Go To Eat campaign) (At the end of March 2022: 873 million yen each, At the end of September 2022: 1,658 million yen each)

### **Business forecast**

# Expect steady recovery in restaurant promotion service No change in plan to return to profitability in Q4

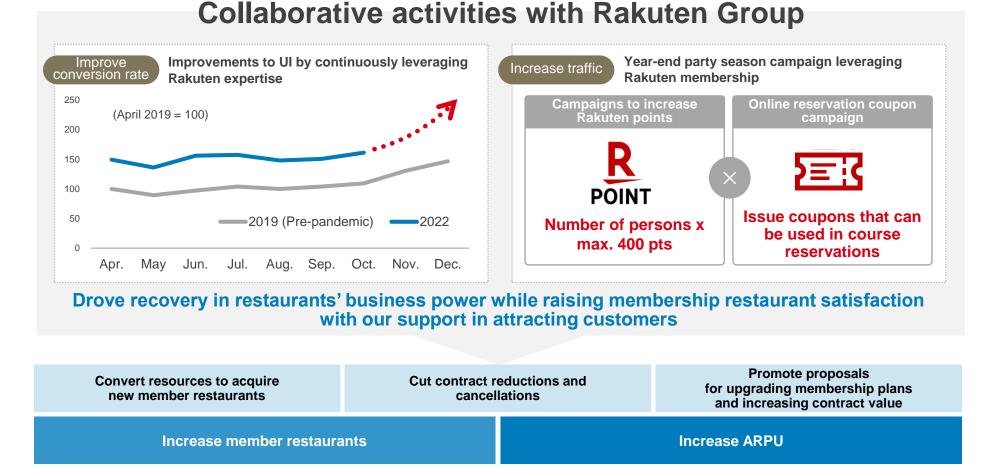
### ■ No revision to full-year forecast

(JPY million)		1st half			2nd half					
(JP 1 million)	Previous forecast	Result	Change	Previous prospect	Prospect	Change	Forecast			
Net sales	5,300	5,865	+565	7,500	6,934	(565)	12,800			
Operating loss	(2,500)	(1,609)	+890	(50)	(940)	(890)	(2,550)			
Ordinary loss	(2,500)	(1,565)	+934	(50)	(984)	(934)	(2,550)			
Net loss attributable to owners of parent	(2,330)	(1,405)	+924	(70)	(994)	(924)	(2,400)			

# ✓ Sales of new services (*Furusato nozei service* etc.) are expected to be lower than initial expectations ✓ Strengthen promotion to stimulate demand for year-end parties and attract increased number of customers to restaurants ✓ Return to profitability due to steady sales growth and elimination of additional costs in Q3, etc. ✓ Raise the level of cumulative retained service sales, generate profits from next fiscal year

Progress in strengthening measures

# Strengthening the ability to send customers for dine-in



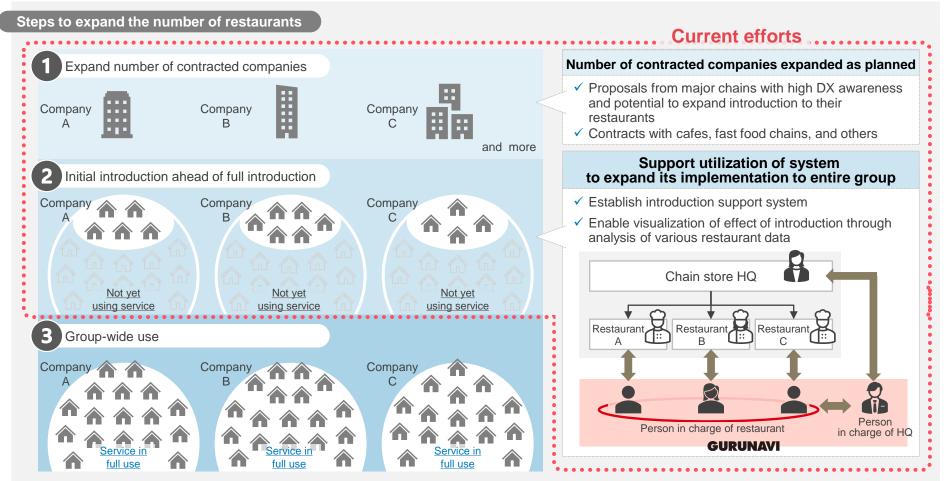
Deepen ties with member restaurants and strengthen customer base to drive new services



# Mobile ordering service

"Gurunavi FineOrder"

### Customer success activities are key to expanding no. of restaurants using our service



Expand number of POS vendors and sales partner collaborations to introduce the system to small- and medium-size restaurants



### **Expand total distribution amount through synergy of four measures** Number of listed products expanded Steady improvement in CVR as planned 400 (Ten thousand items) (April 2022 = 100)Over 40.000 Over 37.000 4.0 at the end of FY2022 300 3.5 3.0 2.5 200 2.0 1.5 < Service overview > 100 1.0 0.5 C 0.0 Aug. Sep. May Jul. Aug. Sep. Apr. May Jun. Jul. **GURUNAVI Suppliers** Food Mall July: Start of demonstration trial Measures to increase awareness and use of services **Delivery** of joint delivery Main measures ✓ Establishment of email newsletter **Restaurant A** distribution system Aggregation of **Restaurant B** ✓ Operation of official LINE accounts **Partner** ordering company (In preparation) **Restaurant C** information ✓ Publication of paper catalogues Restaurant D ( charge wholesalers, manufacturers, etc. a publication fee) Collaboration with external companies to reduce ✓ Collaboration with Tenpos Busters delivery costs, shorten lead times, etc.

# Topic / New initiatives

Contribute to the development of local communities through food

Dispatch our employees as "Regional Revitalization Entrepreneurs"

Collaboration to promote food culture, tourism, etc.



Discover and rediscover local attractions

**Development of products and services** 

Information distribution and promotion

Promote development of "furusato nozei return gifts" and other sales channels

Note: Dispatched to 10 areas as of October 2022 using Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications' corporate personnel dispatch system

# Connecting people with delicious food from all over Japan

Started paid membership service "PREMIUM GOURMET CLUB™" (from 9/1)



Full of delicious things in this country

premium-gourmet.com



### 1. Concierge

Proposing and making reservations on your behalf from among the best restaurants in Japan



### 2. Reserve

Reserving and offering seats in hard-to-book restaurants



### 3. Shopping

Providing the nation's best products, *furusato nozei* return gifts, etc.



### 4. Experience

Providing inspiring experiences such as helicopter & food experience tours, etc.



## In conclusion

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Protecting and nurturing Japanese food culture

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Food: Satisfying People and Creating Connections

< Mid term vision >

Evolve into management support company for restaurants

# Reference materials

# Initiatives for Sustainability

## For "food," "people," and "society" to continue to prosper

https://corporate.gnavi.co.jp/en/profile/sustainability/





Partners with a range of organizations including other businesses, associations, government agencies, local governments, and educational and research institutions

# New membership plan \*launched in September 2021

- ✓ Set up a new plan with a lighter monthly fixed cost burden compared to the previous plan
- ✓ For restaurants that do not require sales promotion support, such as thriving restaurants, online reservation functions and business support products are provided independently
- → Increase the number of member restaurants and the possibility to reallocate resources to new businesses through the expansion of target restaurants, reduction of churn rate and associated improvement in operational efficiency

Sales promotional plan (	that requires published restaurant page	e)	
	Basic Plan	Light Plan	Start Plan
Basic membership fee	<b>30,000</b> yen / month	<b>10,000</b> yen / month	<b>0</b> yen / month
Assigned sales contact	0	×	×
Online reservation commission		otions available Dinner: 55-205 yen / person	Fixed fee Lunch: 41 yen / person; Dinner: 205 yen / person
Gurunavi Ledger (App version)	0	0	×
Use of coupons	0	0	×
Enhanced exposure (publication on special pages and advertising spaces)	0	×	×
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Purchase of	of optional services available (exposure en	nhancement, outsourced services, in-store	digitalization, management support, etc.)

Non-member sales promotional plan (no restaurant page) include the purchase options of in-store digitalization / management support / outsourced services, etc.



### Number of member restaurants

FY2022 Q2

Number of total paying member restaurants

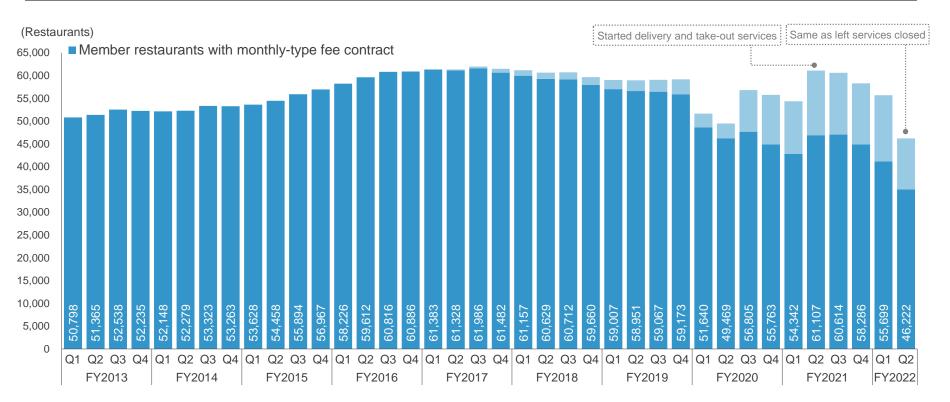
46,222

at the end of September 2022 down by 14,885 from the end of September 2021

Member restaurants with monthly-type fee contract

35,052

at the end of September 2022 down by 11,852 from the end of September 2021



\*The numbers in the graph are the number of total paying member restaurants



### User reach

Number of Rakuten ID connected members

: **6.21** million

(At the end of Sep. 2022; 4.85 million at the end of Sep. 2021)

Number of Gurunavi members

: 23.04 million

(As of Oct. 1, 2022; 21.54 million members as of Oct. 1, 2021)

Unique user per month

: 41.00 million

(In Dec. 2021; 44.00 million users in Dec. 2020)

\*Unique users per month: Based on browser count

\*Gurunavi member: An individual who has registered for membership at Gurunavi

# Quarterly sales data (consolidated)

Net sales (Unit: JPY million)			FY2	019			FY2	020			FY2	021		FY2	022
Net sales (Offit. 3F F Hillinott)		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
Cumulative retained services	а	6,014	5,978	6,093	5,823	1,350	3,148	3,250	2,730	2,320	2,131	1,928	2,030	1,891	1,896
Spot services	b	967	1,021	1,511	995	125	412	1,750	515	260	369	681	268	376	268
Restaurant promotion services	c= a+b	6,982	6,999	7,605	6,819	1,475	3,561	5,000	3,245	2,581	2,501	2,610	2,299	2,267	2,165
Promotions	d	118	179	200	293	133	317	1,033	653	218	208	493	440	225	317
Core businesses total	e= c+d	7,100	7,178	7,805	7,113	1,608	3,879	6,033	3,899	2,799	2,709	3,104	2,739	2,493	2,482
Related businesses	f	451	433	461	382	174	160	184	239	235	360	354	548	459	429
Total	g= e+f	7,551	7,611	8,267	7,495	1,783	4,040	6,217	4,139	3,034	3,070	3,458	3,288	2,953	2,911

	(Unit: JPY)	FY2019				FY2020				FY2021				FY2022	
	(Offic. 3F 1)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
- 1	estaurant promotion services revenue h *1	39,227	39,557	42,961	38,449	8,878	23,486	31,367	19,224	15,628	14,442	14,298	12,892	13,263	14,164
	Cumulative retained services revenue per restaurant(ARPU) i *2	34,872	35,071	35,924	34,547	8,617	22,136	23,064	19,657	17,631	15,838	13,687	14,724	14,646	16,585

<sup>\*1)</sup> Sum of sales of cumulative retained services and those of spot services devided by the average of number of total paying member restaurants at previous and current quarter-end h=2/3\*c/(jt-1+jt)

<sup>\*2)</sup> Sales of cumulative retained services devided by the average of number of member restaurants with monthly-type fee contract at previous and current quarter-end i=2/3\*a/(kt-1+kt)

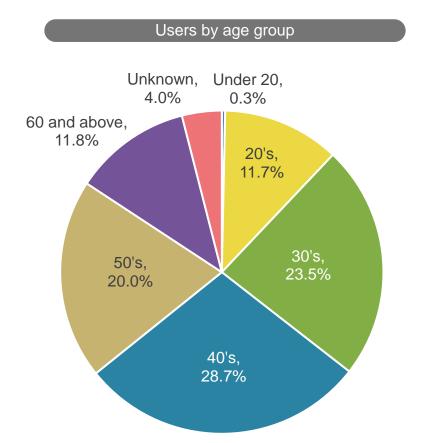
The deviation from figures disclosed before the first quarter of fiscal year 2021 is due to a recalculation based on the number of member restaurants with monthly-type fee contract defined in Note 3)

Number of member restaurants		FY20	019			FY2	020			FY2	021		FY2	022
(Unit: restaurants)	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
Total paying member restaurants j	59,007	58,951	59,067	59,173	51,640	49,469	56,805	55,763	54,342	61,107	60,614	58,286	55,699	46,222
Member restaurants with monthly-type fee contract k*3	57,027	56,612	56,469	55,910	48,580	46,256	47,694	44,917	42,830	46,904	47,050	44,906	41,195	35,052

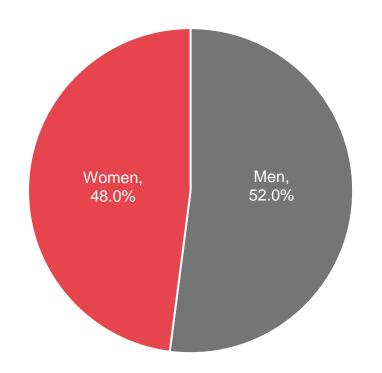
<sup>\*3)</sup> Restaurants using the fixed monthly fee service (regardless of whether they have a paid listing contract on the Gurunavi site)



# User overview

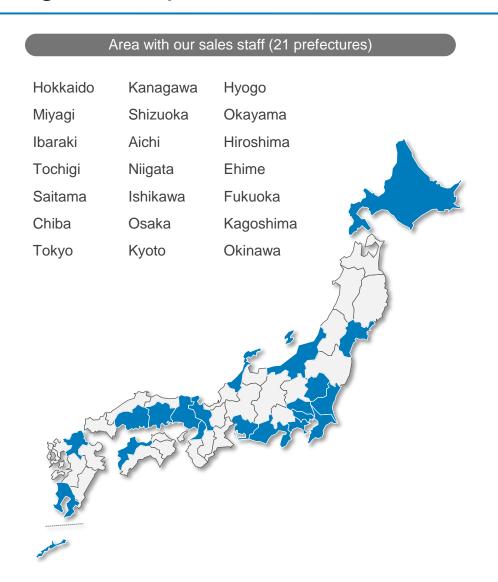


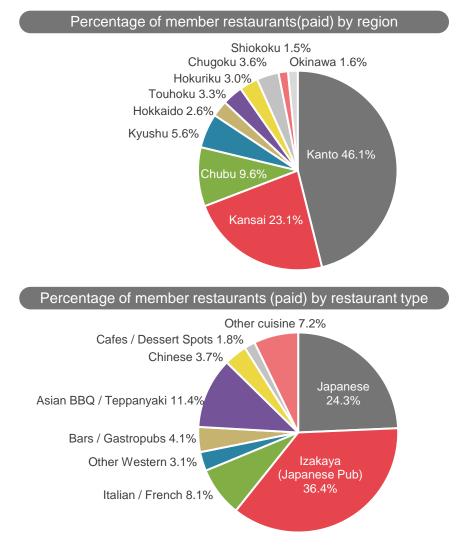
### User composition by gender



Source: Gurunavi member data (In September 2022)

# Regional expansion and member restaurants

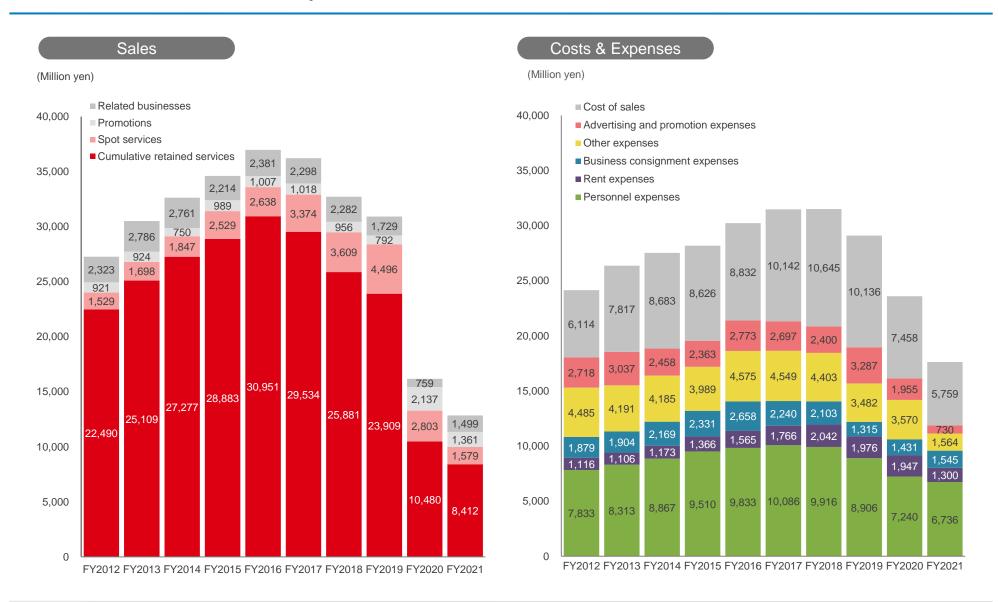




\* In September 2022



# Sales and costs & expenses





# Historical data (consolidated)

(Unit: JPY million)	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2015	FY2016	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021
			Consolidate	d business resu	lts					
Net sales	27,265	30,518	32,636	34,617	36,979	36,226	32,728	30,927	16,181	12,852
Operating income (loss) *1	3,116	4,147	5,099	6,429	6,740	4,742	1,216	1,821	(7,423)	(4,786)
Ordinary income (loss)	3,153	4,167	5,127	6,492	6,813	4,809	1,289	1,894	(7,269)	(4,692)
Net income (loss)	1,959	2,420	3,279	4,367	4,799	3,192	581	949	(9,704)	(5,768)
			Assets • Lia	bilities · Net asse	ts					
Total assets	19,103	22,071	23,665	27,322	23,917	25,457	23,797	23,979	13,567	12,107
Cash and deposits	7,399	9,448	10,492	13,131	7,922	8,000	7,630	11,653	7,507	6,962
Liabilities	5,005	5,926	6,201	7,026	5,878	6,270	5,093	4,709	4,192	3,255
Net assets	14,098	16,145	17,464	20,296	18,038	19,186	18,704	19,270	9,375	8,851
Equity	14,042	16,099	17,427	20,266	18,013	19,166	18,662	19,211	9,290	8,767
			Per	share data						
Earnings per (loss) share(JPY) *2	40.15	49.56	67.26	90.19	102.25	68.27	12.42	20.26	(206.90)	(114.46)
Dividends per share(JPY) *2	10	15	28	38	42	44	8	8	-	-
				Other						
Operating margin(%)	11.4	13.6	15.6	18.6	18.2	13.1	3.7	5.9	-	-
Return on equity(%)	14.7	16.1	19.6	23.2	25.1	17.2	3.1	5.0	-	-
Return on assets(%)	10.9	11.8	14.3	17.1	18.7	12.9	2.4	4.0	-	-
Payout ratio(%)	24.9	30.3	41.6	42.1	41.1	64.5	64.4	39.5	-	-
Shareholders' equity ratio(%)	73.5	72.9	73.6	74.2	75.3	75.3	78.4	80.1	68.5	72.4
Number of shares of treasury stock	1,585,400	1,503,649	266,059	216,459	1,924,559	1,892,159	1,839,162	1,806,562	1,757,262	1,128,462
Total paying member restaurants	50,310	52,235	53,263	56,967	60,886	61,482	59,660	59,173	55,763	58,286

<sup>\*1:</sup>The credit commitment fee payable to financial institutions, previously included in the "payment fee" under selling, general and administrative expenses, is separated to the "commitment fee" under non-operating expenses from the fiscal year 2020.



There is no change in presentation to the figures for previous years.

<sup>\*2:</sup>Gurunavi implemented a 2-to-1 split on April 1, 2014. Calculated on the assumption that these share split were conducted the beginning of the fiscal year 2012 (April 1, 2012).

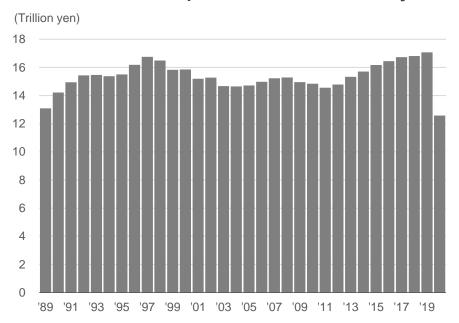
### **Business Environment**

### Number of restaurants

### 490 thousand outlets in 2016 (peaked at 650 thousand outlets in 1986)

\*Sources: 1986 Business Census; 2016 Economic Census for Business Activity

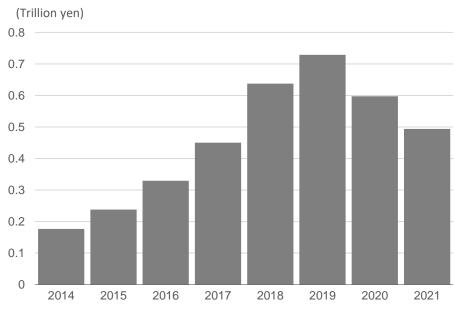
### ■ Market size of the Japanese restaurant industry



\*Source: Food Industry Research Institute; Size of restaurant market

12.6 trillion yen in 2020, 26% decrease year on year

### Market size of online reservation in restaurant



\*The Ministry of Economy, FY2021 E-Commerce Market Survey

17% decrease year on year in 2021

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# Company profile as of the end of September 2022

Name	Gurunavi, Inc. (stock code: 2440)
Establishment	October 2, 1989 (incorporated) February 29, 2000 (Gurunavi, Inc. established)
Head office	1-1-2 Yurakucho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo
Capital	100 million yen
Number of shares issued	Common shares: 56,124,500 Class A preferred shares: 3,400,000
Business description	Web-based information provision relating to restaurants etc. using the platform of PC and smartphones etc. Provision of support service associated with the management of restaurants etc. and other related business
Directors	Chairman and Director: Hisao Taki President and Representative Director: Akio Sugihara Outside Directors: Koichi Tsukihara (Independent Director), Hidehiko Sato (Independent Director), Hirohisa Fujiwara (Independent Director), Kazunori Takeda, Yui Ono
Top 10 shareholders	Rakuten Group, Inc. 16.9%, Hisao Taki 12.9%, The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Trust account) 7.0%, SHIFT Inc. 4.1%, Japan Traffic Culture Association 3.4%, Akio Sugihara 2.3%, Odakyu Electric Railway Co., Ltd. 2.1%, Tokyo Metro Co., Ltd. 1.8%, Hiroko Taki 1.5%, BNY GCM CLIENT ACCOUNT JPRD AC ISG (FE-AC) 1.4%  *The ratio of shareholding is calculated based on the total number of shares issued after deduction of treasury stock (1,128,462 shares).
Number of total personnel	Non-consolidated : 1,235 Consolidated : 1,441
Consolidated subsidiaries	Gurunavi Promotion Community, Inc. (100%), Gurunavi (Shanghai), Inc. (100%) Gurunavi Research Institute, Inc. (100%), Gurunavi Support Associe, Inc. (100%), G dining Inc. (100%)





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