# Nihon Enterprise Co., Ltd. Presentation materials for the 3Q of FY2014 ending 31<sup>st</sup> May

As of March 2014







#### Summary of earnings results [ 3Q ]



### Operating review [ Domestic ]

for the 3Q of FY2014



Operating review [ Overseas ]

for the 3Q of FY2014



Outlook for FY2014 [ Earnings forecasts ]

## **Quarterly highlights**



# Content service business

- Contents lineup for "carriers' fixed rate services" increased
- The number of subscribers utilizing monthly charged contents for smartphone stayed the same
- The number of smartphone App users increased

# Solution business

- Moved to accelerate measures of sales growth arising from instore affiliate (\*)
- Inquiries and orders (including development of smartphone Apps) from enterprises increased
- Product development of IP phone

#### Overseas business (China)

- Distribution channels of digital comic titled "九鼎記" expanded BuBuShengLian
- The manga titled "歩歩生蓮", started to publish serially in a magazine
- Sales of mobile phone by China Telecom fall

\* in-store affiliate means performance based sales of contents through the alliances with cell phone distributors (real affiliate).

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## **Consolidated income statements**



(million of yen)

	1 - 3Q FY5/2013	1 - 3Q FY5/2014	YY change	
			volume	percentage
Sales	3,004	3,277	273	9.1%
CGS	1,623	1,686	62	3.9%
Gross income	1,380	1,591	210	15.3%
SG&A	1,107	1,335	228	20.6%
Operating income	272	255	▲17	<b>▲6.3</b> %
Ordinary income	285	259	<b>▲26</b>	▲9.3%
Net income	156	414	257	164.0%

## YY sales comparison



■ Sales of content service business increased

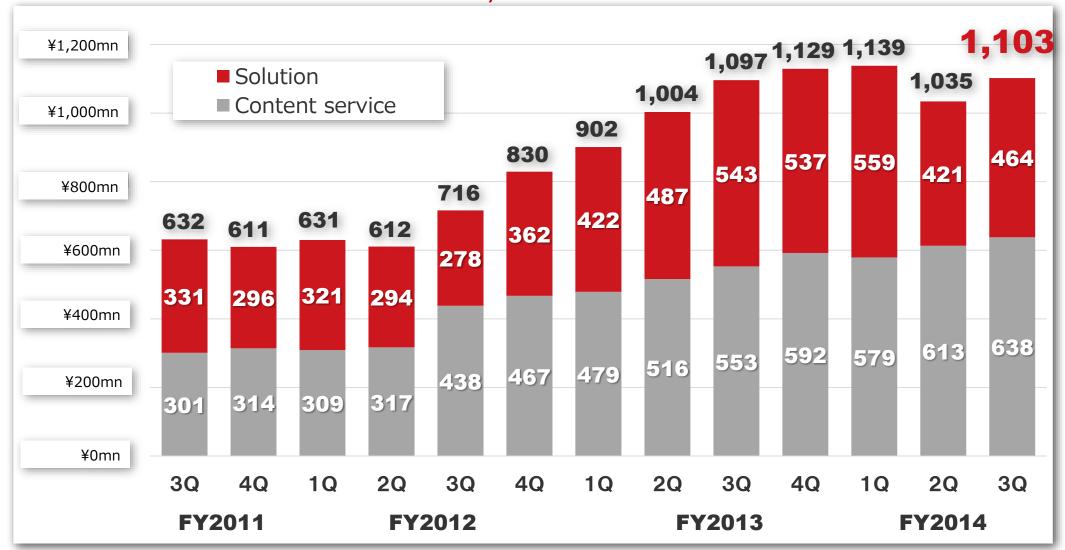
(million of yen)

	1 – 3Q FY5/2013 FY5/2014	YY change		
			value	percentage
Content service business	1,550	1,831	280	18.1%
Solution business	1,453	1,445	<b>▲7</b>	▲0.5%
Total	3,004	3,277	273	9.1%

## **Quarterly sales trends**



■ Sales of content service business accelerated Solution business moved toward recovery



## YY sales comparison of content service business



■ Traffic information, Games, Lifestyle and E-book grow

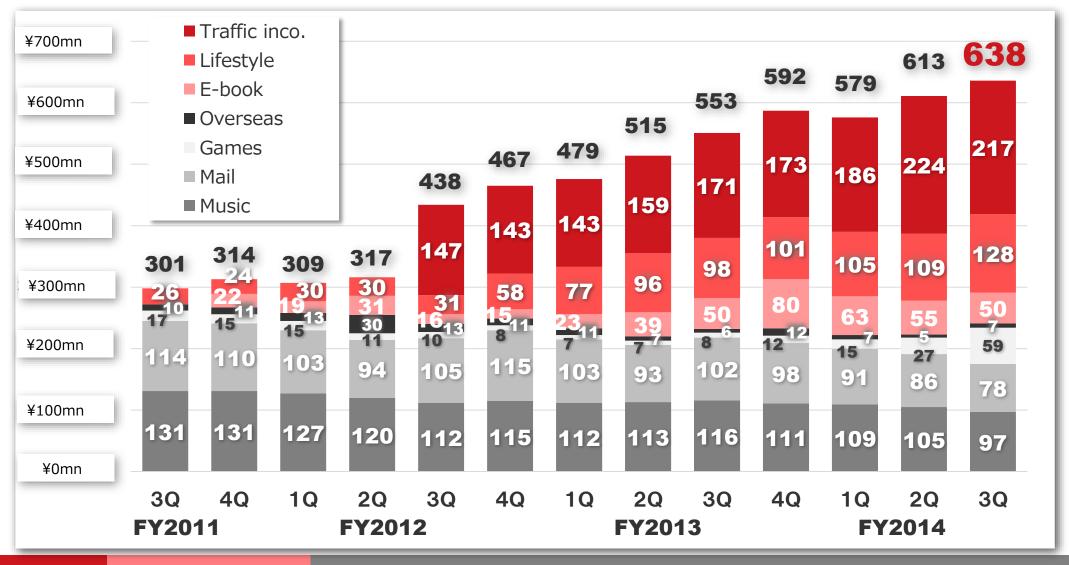
(million of yen)

	1 - 3Q	1 - 3Q	YY change	
	FY5/2013	FY5/2014	value	percentage
Traffic information	474	628	153	32.3%
Lifestyle	272	342	69	25.6%
E-book	113	169	56	49.7%
Overseas	25	20	<b>▲5</b>	▲20.8%
Games	23	102	79	341.7%
Mail	298	256	<b>▲42</b>	<b>▲14.2</b> %
Music	342	312	▲29	▲8.7%
Total	1,550	1,831	280	18.1%

### Quarterly sales trends of content service business



■ Growth in games and lifestyle (Quarterly comparison)



## YY sales comparison of solution business



■ Sales of overseas (China) business grow

(million of yen)

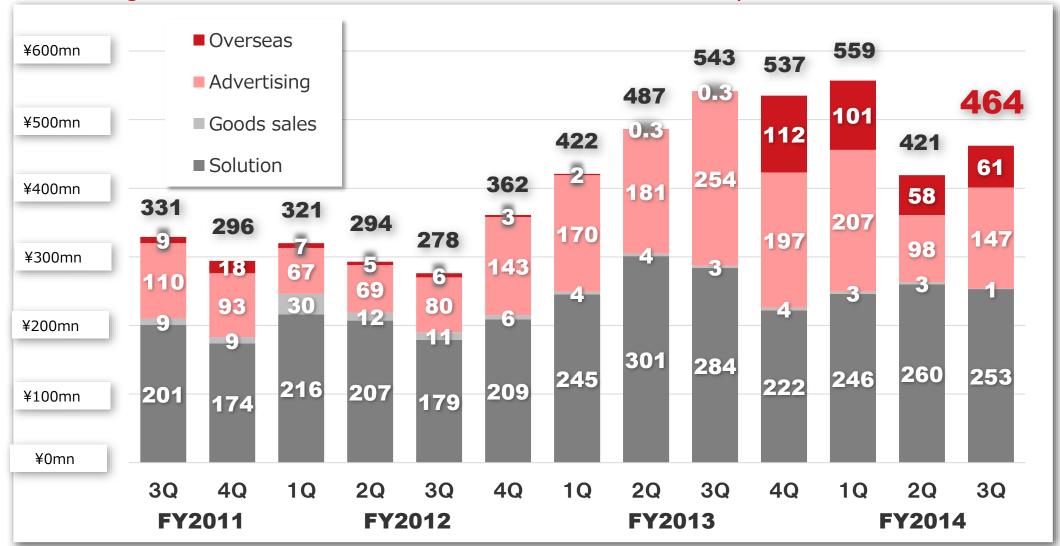
	1 - 3Q	1 - 3Q	YY cl	nange
	FY5/2013	FY5/2014	value	percentage
Overseas	2	221	218	7,730.9%
Advertising	606	454	▲152	▲25.1%
Goods sales	12	9	▲3	▲28.1%
Solution	831	760	<b>▲70</b>	▲8.5%
Total	1,453	1,445	▲7	▲0.5%

## **Quarterly sales trends of solution business**



■ Sales of solution business grew steadily

Advertising business and overseas business moved to recovery



## YY CGS and SG&A comparison



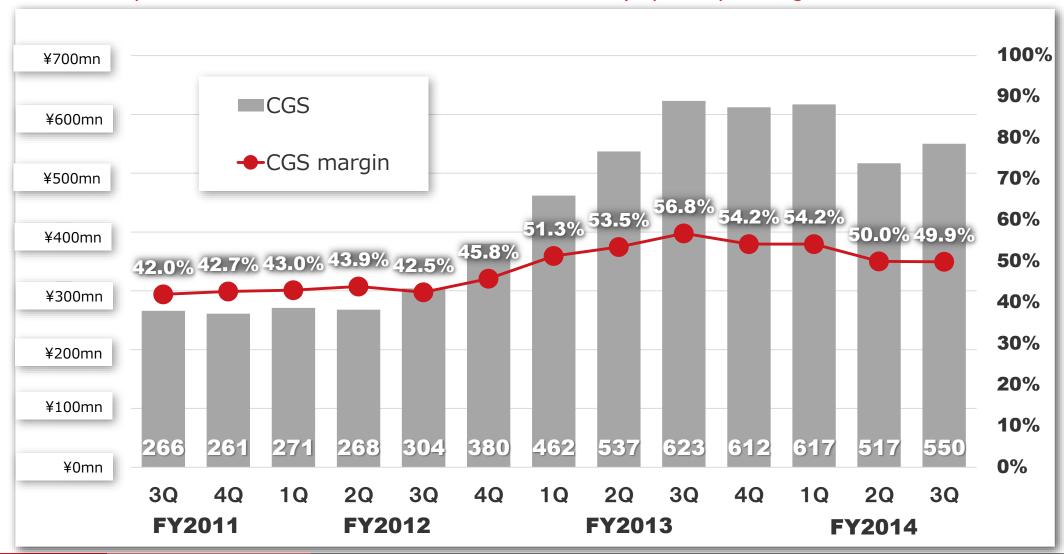
- Cost of sales rose due to;
  - increase of advertising expenditure resulting from the aggressive investment (in content service business)
  - increase of labor cost in China (e.g. for the sales clerks for mobile stores in China) (million of yen)

	1 – 3Q	1 - 3Q	YY change	
	FY5/2013	FY5/2014	value	percentage
CGS	1,623	1,686	62	3.9%
Cost of sales margin	54.0%	51.4%	_	_
	1 – 3Q 1 – 3Q –		YY change	
	FY5/2013	FY5/2014	value	percentage
(Advertising)	224	337	113	50.4%
(Others)	883	998	115	13.0%
SG&A	1,107	1,335	228	20.6%
SG&A margin	36.9%	40.7%	_	_

## **Quarterly CGS trends**



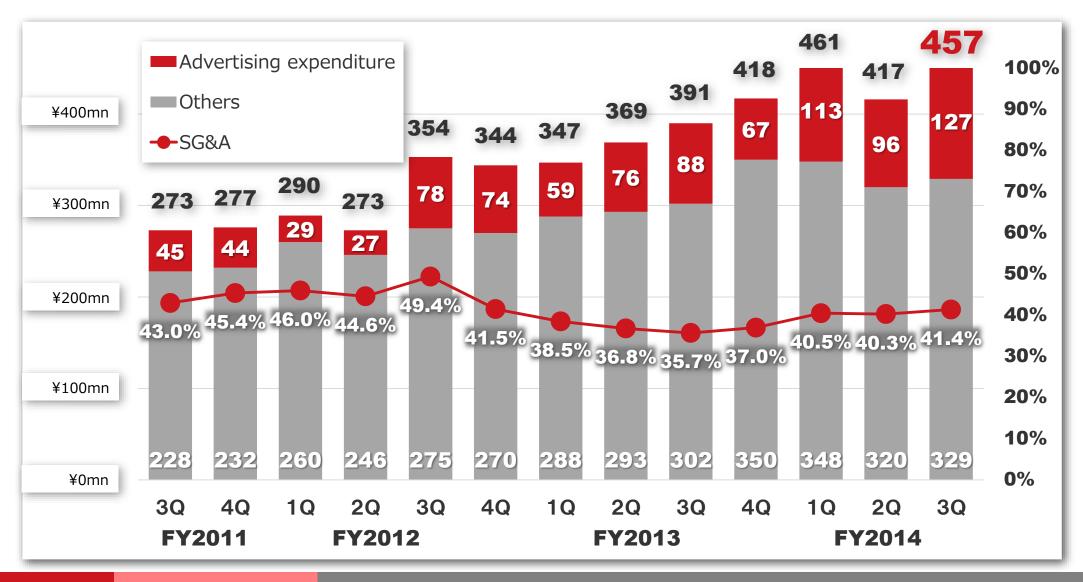
- CGS margin improved
  - driven by increase in sales of content service business (especially through the "carriers' flat rate services")



## **Quarterly SG&A trends**



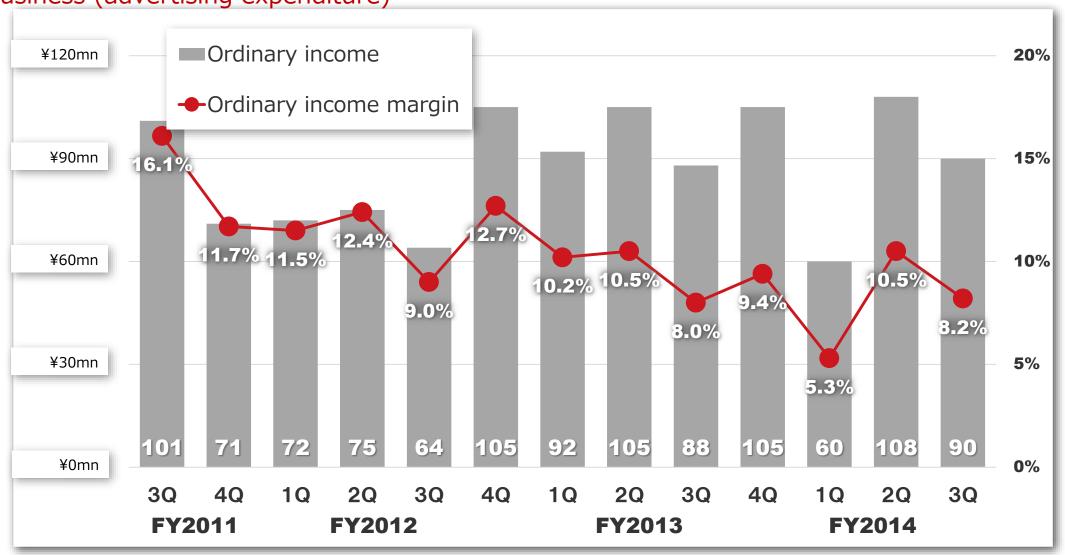
■ Conducted aggressive advertising and promotions for the growth of content service business



## **Quarterly Ordinary income trends**



■ Quarterly ordinary income decreased due to the aggressive investment in content service business (advertising expenditure)







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Operating review [ Domestic ]



Operating review [ Overseas ]

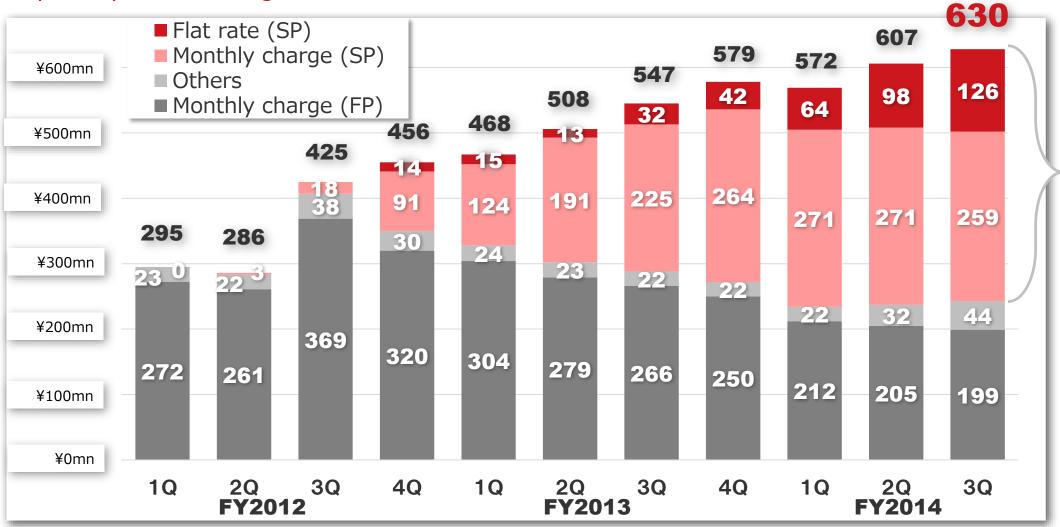


Outlook for FY2014 [ Earnings forecasts ]

# Operating review [ Domestic ] Content service business (adapted for smartphone)



■ Smooth shift from feature phone to smartphone at the earliest stage Especially sales arising from "carriers' flat rate services" increased

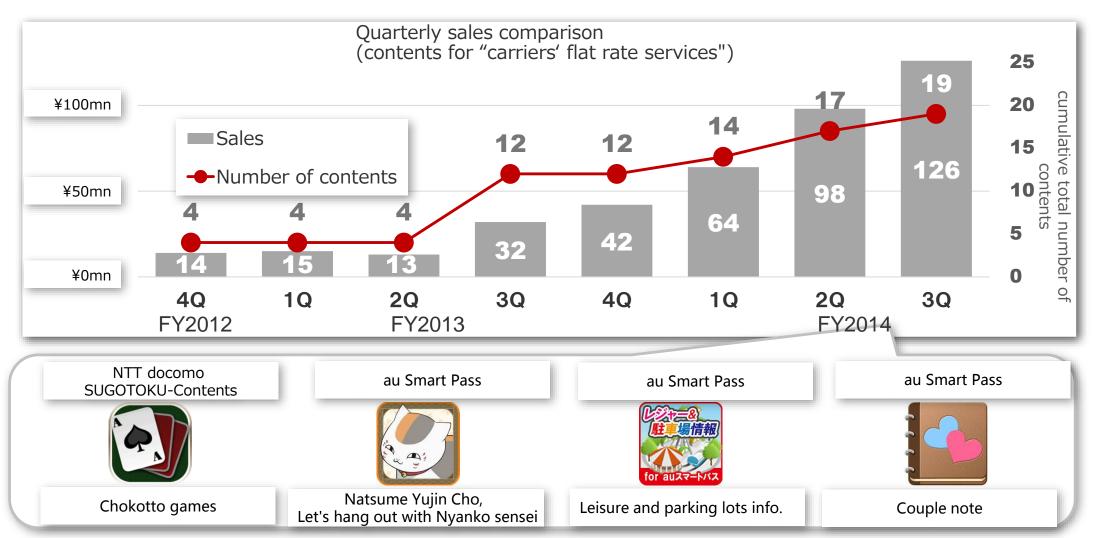


Percentages occupied by SP increased by **61%** 

## Operating review [ Domestic ] Content service business (Carriers' flat rate services)



■ Pursued aggressive expansion of contents line-up and promotions for "carriers' flat rate services"



Continuous sales growth for the 4Q arising from additional contents release and aggressive promotions



■ User demands for healthcare Apps increased

the App to support women's mental and physical health



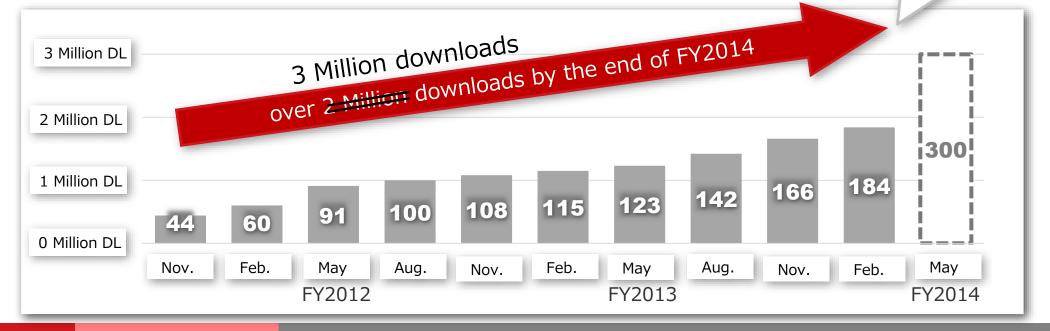
「Women's Diary」 (Free)







Already achieved 2 million the downloads! The number of downloads has been accelerated since March





■ User demands for messenger Apps increased



the Messenger App

[Fivetalk]

(Free)

Released in Oct. 2013



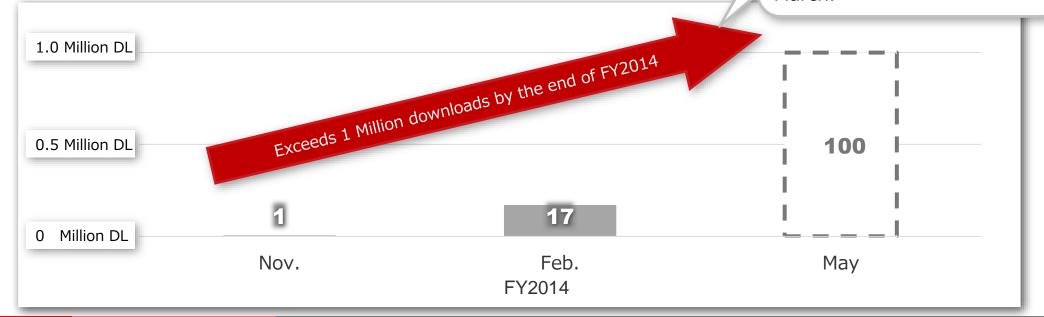


the messenger App with a variety of functions such as hand drawing & greeting cards





Already achieved 2 hundred thousand downloads!
The number of downloads has been accelerated since March.





#### ■ Established a subsidiary

(1) Company name : HighLab Co.,Ltd.

(2) Company headquarters : 1-17-8 Shibuya, Shibuya-ku Tokyo, Japa

(3) Representative : Koichi Sugiyama (concurrently managing director of Nihon Enterprise Co.,Ltd.)

(4) Main business : mobile contents business focusing on native Apps<sup>(\*)</sup>

(5) Paid-in capital : 50 million yen (capital reserve:50 million yen)

(6) Founded : 1st April 2014

(7) Fiscal year end : 31st May

(8) Capital ownership : 100% owned by Nihon Enterprise Co.,Ltd.



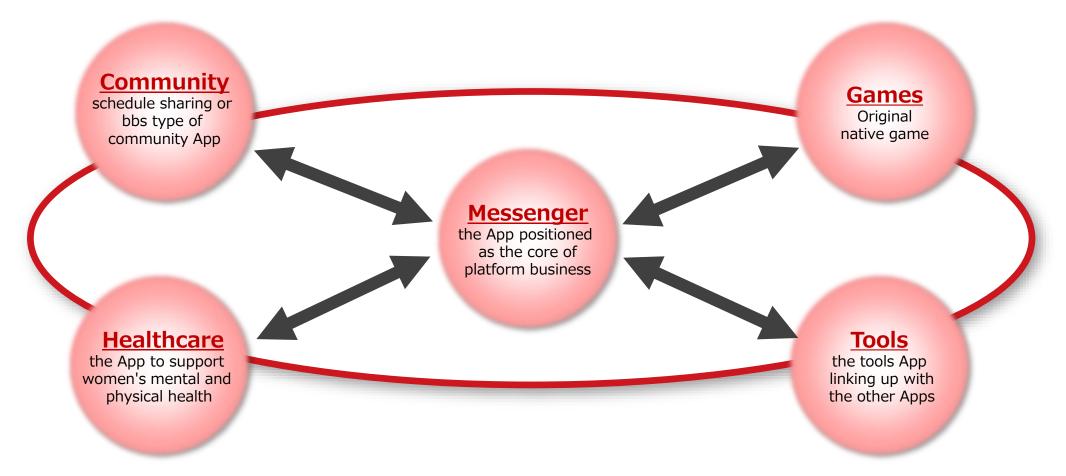




\*\*native App means the application developed by programs running on smartphone, which can be downloaded at App markets such as AppStore and GooglePlay.



■ Business strategy

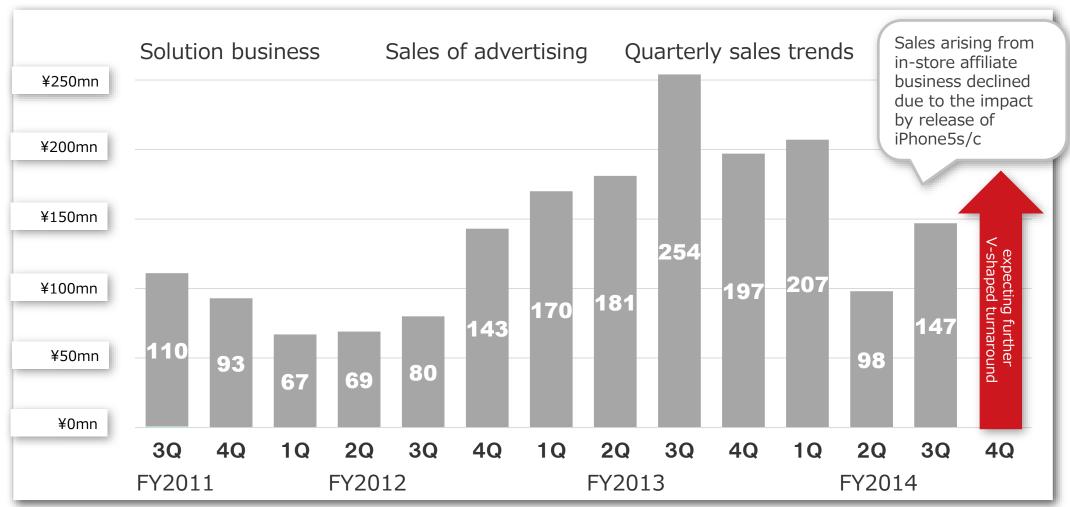


- •To create smartphone games based on native application to win a big market!
- •To create the worldwide contents platform originated from Japan!

# Operating review [ Domestic ] Solution business (In-store affiliate)



■ In-store affiliate business had a V-shaped turnaround

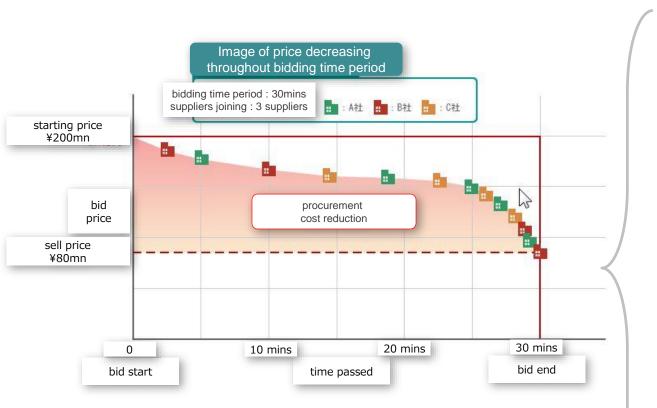


Start to develop new alliance partners (mobile phone distributors) (in coming March) to increase the number of participating mobile shops

# Operating review [ Domestic ] Solution business (Cost reduction service)



■ Implementations of reverse auction service expanded



\*As a successful use case of Profair, one of our customer achieved more than 1 billion yen of annual cost reduction

## Profair

ASP type of service reverse auction & quotation collection system

Customized system for utilization in buyers' data center

On premise (in house operation) type of service developed to meet buyers' demands

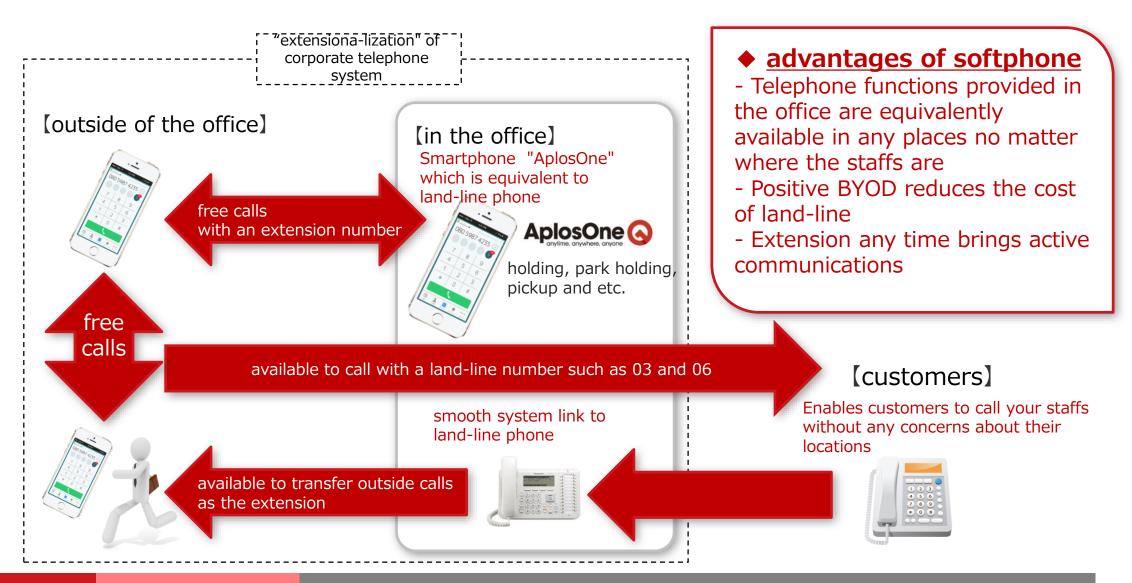
## Profair-SP

on premise type of service reverse auction & quote collection system

# Operating review [ Domestic ] Solution business (Cost reduction service)

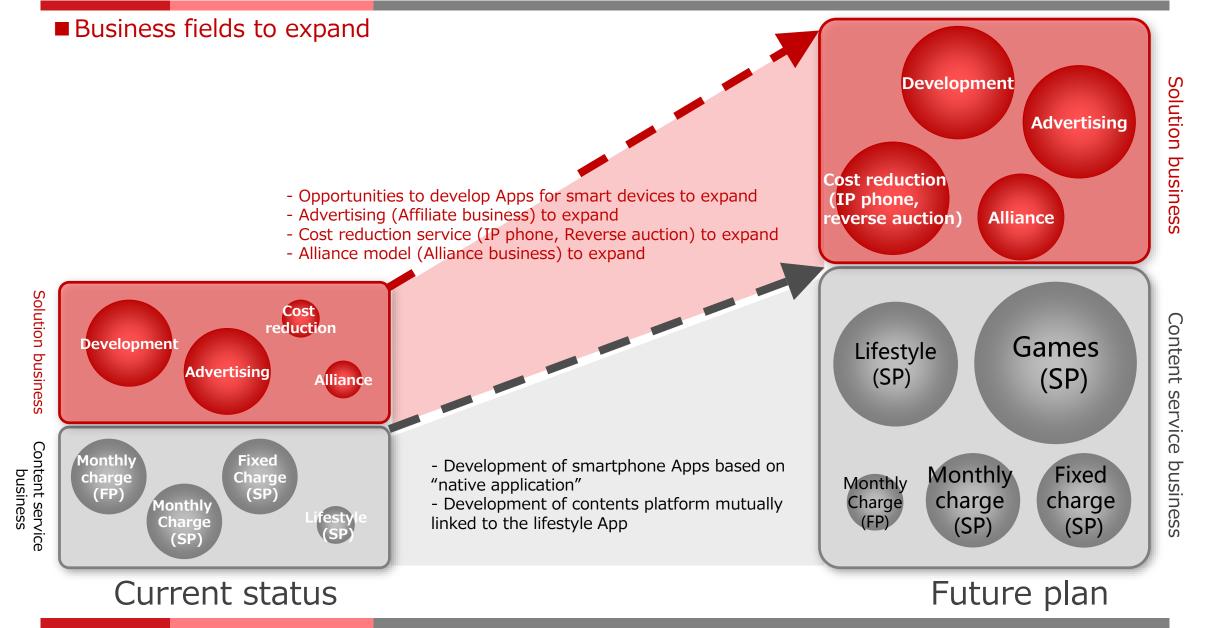


■ Communication service for the corporate clients by using highly qualified softphones pursued



## Outlook [Domestic] - Future business plan









Summary of earnings results [3Q]



Operating review [ Domestic ]



Operating review [ Overseas ]



Outlook for FY2014 [ Earnings forecasts ]

# Operating review [ Overseas ] Content business (Digital comic)



BuBuShengLian

■ New title "歩歩生蓮" started to publish serially in a magazine

## The second title「步歩生蓮」



- a manga sold over 10 million copies
- will be started to publish serially in a magazine named "漫品" in Feb.

(future plan)
Comic book to be published
(paper book)

Digital comic to be distributed

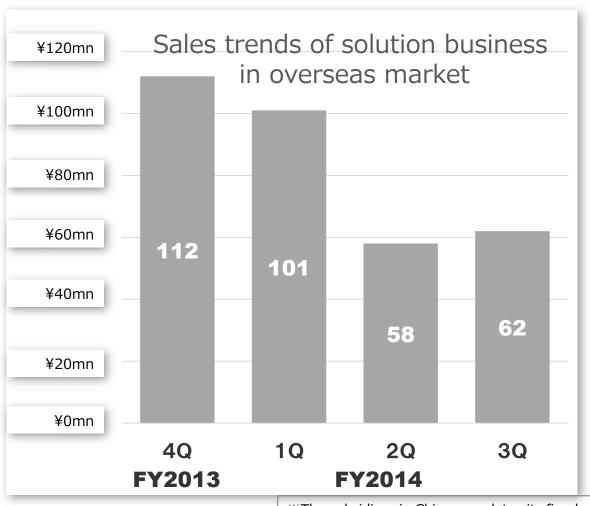
 $\mbox{\%}$  Business model of content service business in China (digital comic) Popular novels in China  $\rightarrow$  Publish them in form of Manga  $\rightarrow$  Distribute them in form of digital comic

※The first title "九鼎記": has been distributed on several platforms including "騰訊動漫" (achieved 10 million views totally)

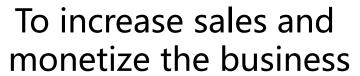
# Operating review [ Overseas ] Solution business (sales of mobile phone)



■ Sales of mobile phone at the mobile stores (China Telecom)



China Telecom 東方路店 (existing / big stores) China Telecom 黄金城道店 (to be open in April 2013)



\*\*The subsidiary in China completes its fiscal year at the end of December. The provisional accounts as of the end of March are used in the creation of the consolidated financial accounts. Necessary adjustments for any remarkable transactions occurred between this day and the consolidated accounting closing date were taken place.





Summary of financial earnings [ 3Q ]



Operating review [ Domestic ]



Operating review [ Overseas ]



Outlook for FY2014 [ Earnings forecasts ]

## Outlook for 2014 [ Earnings forecasts ]



■ Consolidated Earnings forecasts

(million of yen)

	1 - 4Q FY5/2013	1 - 4Q FY5/2014	YY change	
			value	percentage
Sales	4,134	5,000	865	20.9%
Operating Income	372	520	147	39.7%
Ordinary Income	391	500	108	27.7%
Net Income	354	569	214	60.3%

Forecast for dividends per share:2 yen  $\times$  On 1st Dec, 2013 the company conducted a 100-for-1 stock split of share



# Nihon Enterprise group promises to bring happiness and touched experience to all the customers through our content service business

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