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New Medium-Term Management Plan

2020-2022

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E-comic Heath IT



Earnings Targets vs. Actual Performance

Essentially achieved targets, owing in part to significant growth in E-comic (core business)
 (Billion yen, %)

		FY03/20 Target	FY03/20 Results	Achievement ratio(%)
Growth	Net sales	60.0~80.0	58.3	97.3
	EBITDA (*1)	7.0~10.0	9.3	134.1
	Ratio of core businesses (*2)	70%	74.4%	106.3
Profitability	ROE	10% and over	16.2%	162.2
Shareholder Returns	Payout ratio	30%	30.6%	102.0

^(*1) EBITDA = Operating income + depreciation and amortization

^(*2) Share of net sales represented by priority businesses (E-Comics, Health IT)

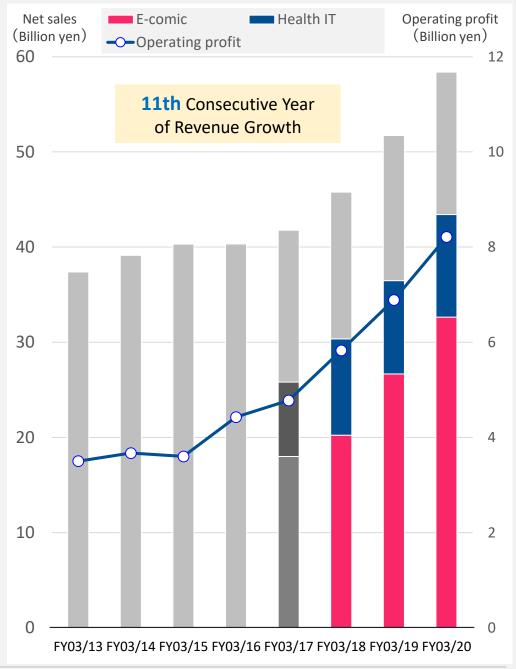
Basic Policies and Initiatives

1. Pursue Growth

- Pursue growth driven by e-comic and health IT businesses
 - ✓ E-comics broke above ¥30 billion
 - ✓ Health IT exceeded ¥10 billion
- Pursue M&A opportunities
 - ✓ Convert Korean e-comics distribution business and nursing professional recruitment business to subsidiaries
 - ✓ Continue large-scale M&A
- Develop businesses leveraging AI and IoT
 - ✓ Use AI to build an advanced e-comic recommendation engine
 - ✓ Use IoT for nursing care support, food temperature management services

2. Continue to Build a Strong Foundation to Support Growth

- Strengthen quality control and use IT to improve service quality
- Generate efficiencies through business process reform and encourage cooperative ventures with society
 - ✓ Offer a more robust telework environment and utilize RPA
 - ✓ Co-create with IT ventures through *Digital Health Connect* and *GnB*
- Strengthen human resource talents in business and technology
 - ✓ Implement training programs to foster employee skills in data use and AI



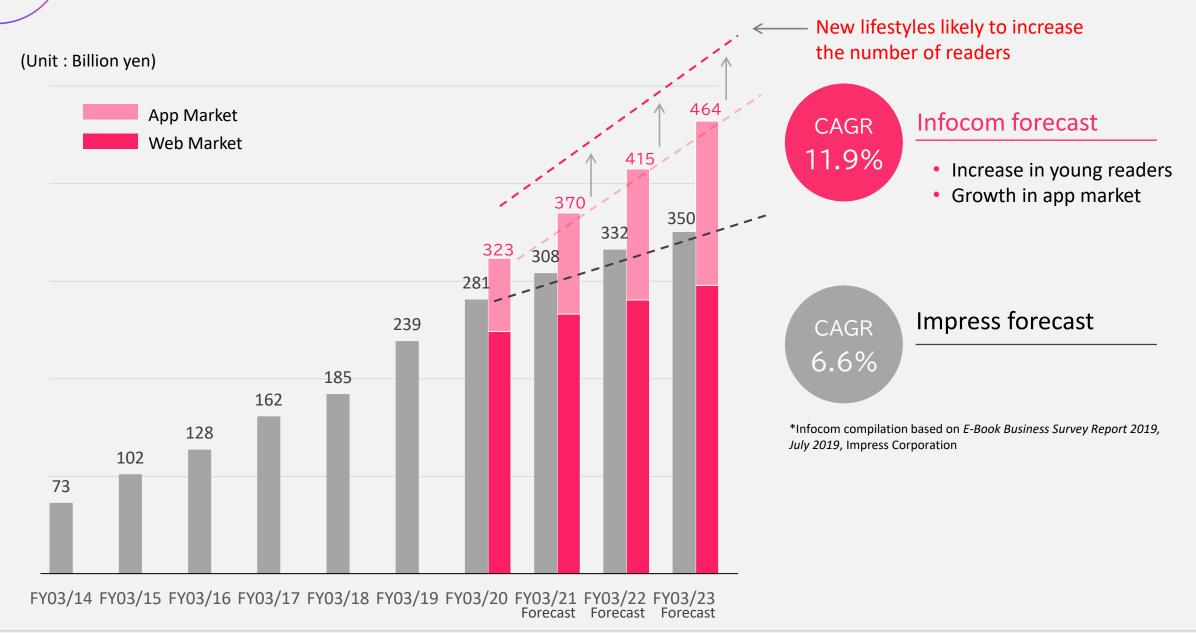


- While the cloud market is driving expansion, traditional IT businesses have contracted gradually and the market is undergoing a structural transition
- The shortage in IT personnel is expected to grow from 220,000 in 2018 to 450,000 by 2030
- Acceleration in digital transformation (DX)*

- In addition to the digitalization of the paper-based market, we forecast the new comic app market, driven mainly by younger readers, to grow an annual 11.9% (2020-2022)→We revised our expectation for even higher growth*
- Advancing alliances among distributors
- New lifestyles have created a new custom of reading comics online/via apps*

- The healthcare IT market continues to grow steadily; will online treatment and online medication counseling become a new norm?*
- The healthcare IT market is growing rapidly in connection with greater needs for nursing care
 - →Shortage in nursing care providers (shortage of 430,000 by the year 2025)
 - →Increase in unemployment will result in temporary shift of labor to the nursing care field*

E-Comic Market Forecast





Slogan

United Innovation Value Co-Creation

1. Pursue Growth

Pursue growth driven by E-comic and Health IT businesses
Evolve into a services-oriented business
Pursue co-creation (M&A, overseas growth)

2. Continue to Build a Strong Foundation to Support Growth

Use IT to strengthen quality control and improve service quality

Advance through AI and data

Improve quality management

Encourage work-style reform

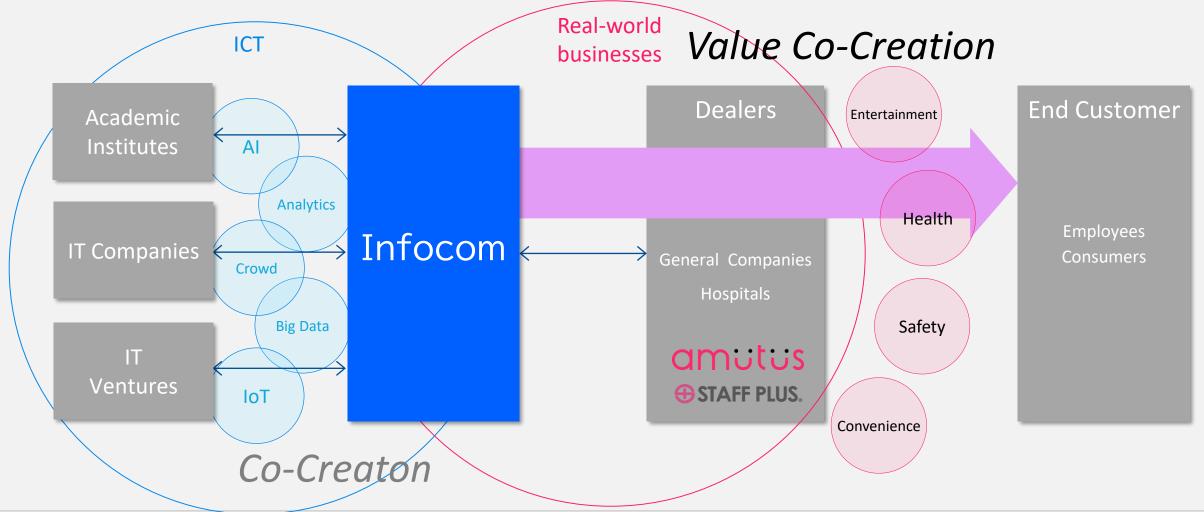
Aiming for High Growth and Profitability

(Billion yen, %)

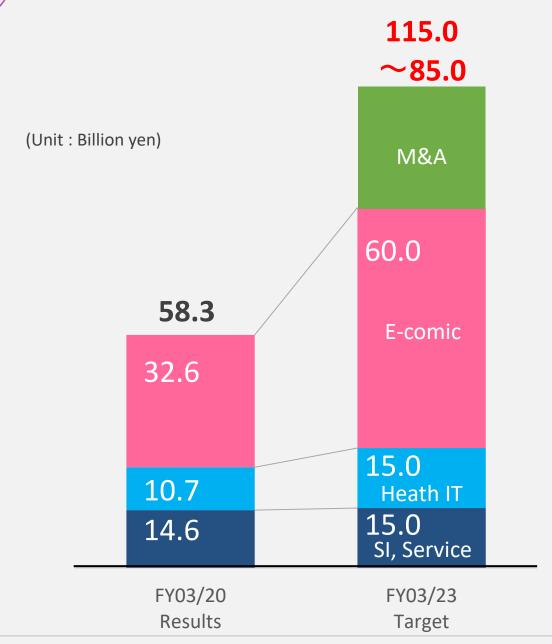
		FY03/23 Target	FY03/20 Results
Growth	Net Sales	85.0~115.0	58.3
	EBITDA (*1)	13.0~16.0	9.3
Profitability	ROE	15.0% and over	16.2%

^(*1) EBITDA = Operating income + depreciation and amortization

Becoming a services company that delivers new value through the co-creation of ICT and real-world businesses



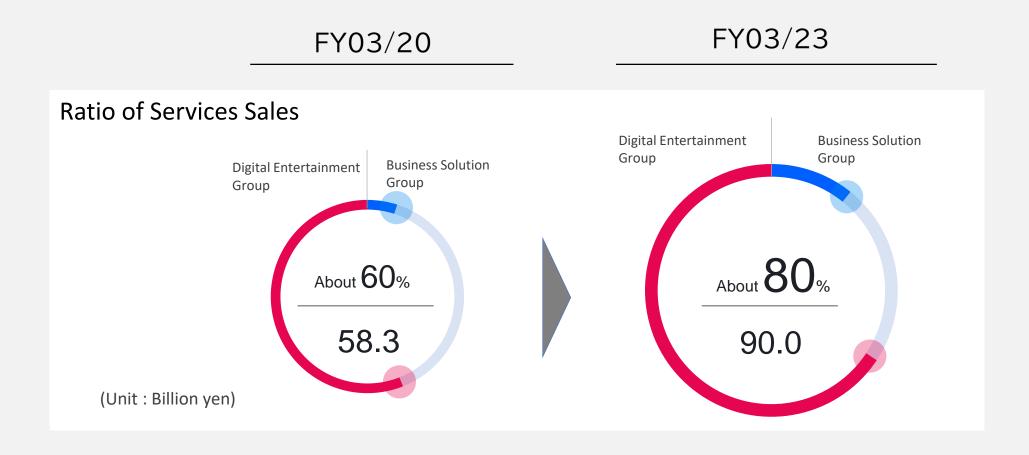
Growth Strategies

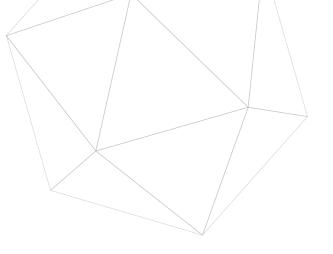


1. Persue growth

- Sustained growth in core businesses
 - <u>E-comic</u> Secure a solid position as an e-comics brand
 - Heath IT
 Launch new services in the nursing care and health fields
- Evolve into a services-oriented business
 - Increase services sales to 80% and over of total sales
- M&A activities
 - Set a strategic investment budget of ¥30 billion

Increase services sales to 80% and over of total sales







Growth Driver Strategies [E-comic]

Aiming for CAGR in excess of 20%, outperforming market growth

1. Maximize Mecha Comic Income

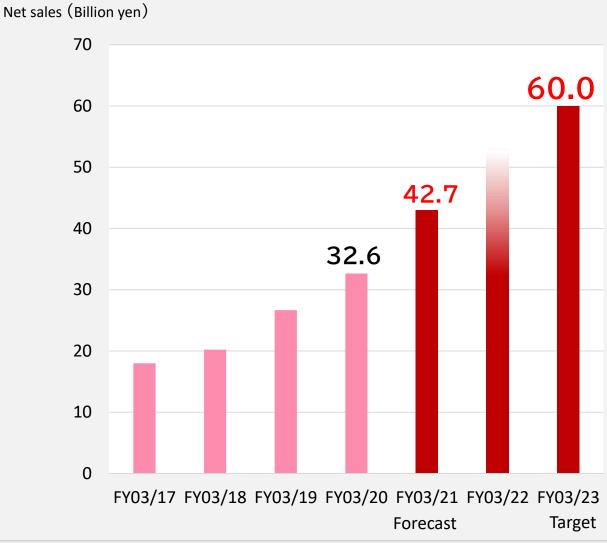
- Expand offerings of original comics
- Use data analysis and AI to strengthen marketing
- Strengthen initial exclusive distributions

2. Build infrastructure for business expansion

- Complete redesign for mobile app
- Shift delivery system completely to the cloud
- 5G compatibility

3. Open new markets

- Overseas expansion
- M&A



Growth Driver Strategies [E-comic]

1. Expand offerings of original comics

Cumulative Titles
Surpass 1,000 titles

2020

2009 2016

Service

Launch

たきは神神

2018

Data Analysis

RISKY ranked No.2 for the year, owing to data analysis at the planning stages



2019

Aoshima Kun ha ijiwaru is current best-seller

2021

2022

- Improve quality and volume through stronger production system
- Expand sales channels for hit titles (repurpose as dramas, overseas markets)
- Support products through AI (medium-, long-term)

2. Complete redesign for mobile app



[FY03/21 Initiatives]

- Complete redesign
- Strengthen promotions

- Capture younger user segment
- Grow income in the app market

Growth Driver Strategies [E-comic]

3. Initial exclusive distributions

Capture customers through initial exclusive distributions
 Only available through Mecha Comic → Capture readers



Create new content with publishers

Co-create content with 50-plus publishers, working mainly with major firms Advantages of initial exclusives for publishers

- Advanced promotions ensure awareness for satisfactory sales for initial stand-alone product
- Demand leads to sales through other e-comic services
- Online strategy can be changed based on reception during initial exclusive

Expand titles on offer



- Offered interesting titles across a wide range of genres to surpass 1,000 titles in the two years after launch in FY03/17
- Continuing to expand offerings of titles from major publishers

Growth Driver Strategies [Health IT]

New Fields

- Launch business in health-related fields
 Launch corporate and individual health-related services
- 2. Overseas expansion
 Roll out systems for hospitals in Southeast
 Asia Launch new services

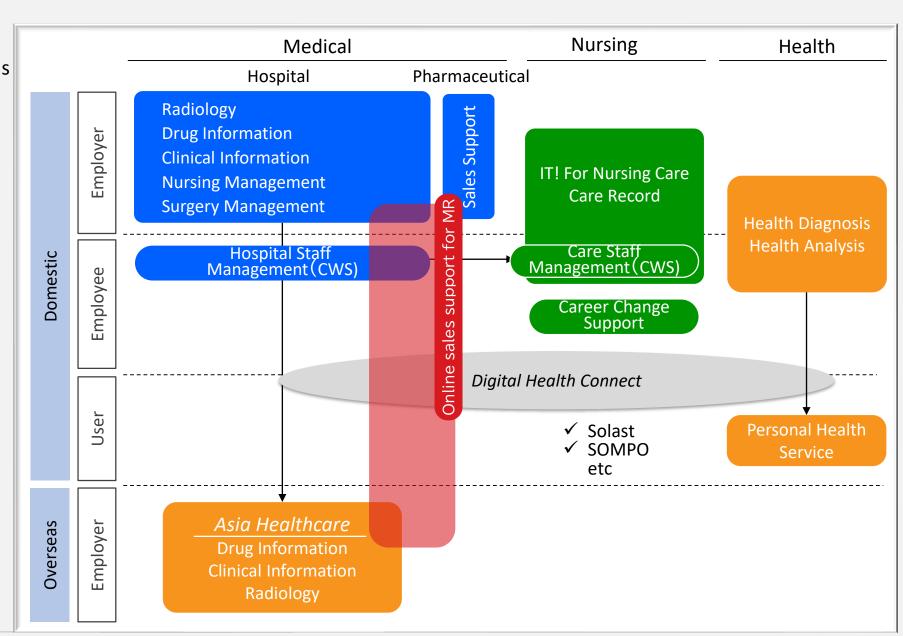
Focus Businesses

3. Expand businesses in nursing care-related fields
Expand career change support,
IT! for Nursing Care,
employee management systems

Existing Fields

Remote Field

- 4. Introduce online services
 - Online sales support for MR
 - Online medical treatment Other

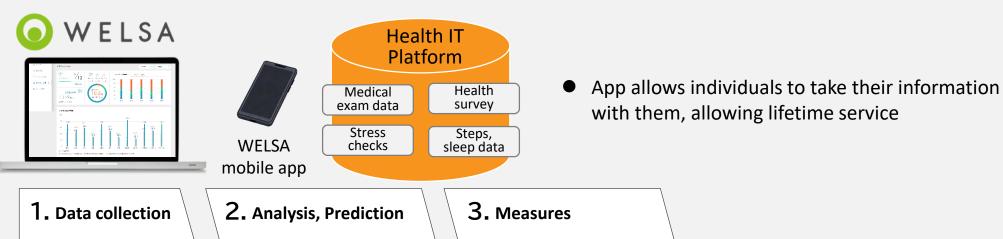


Growth Driver Strategies [Health IT] Launch Business in Health-Related Fields

Introduced WELSA, Corporate Health Management Service

Integrated employee health management that also provides analyses, forecasts, and suggested solutions related employee health risks and lifestyle-related diseases, etc.

⇒ Aiming for 500 companies and 500,000 individuals within three years of launch



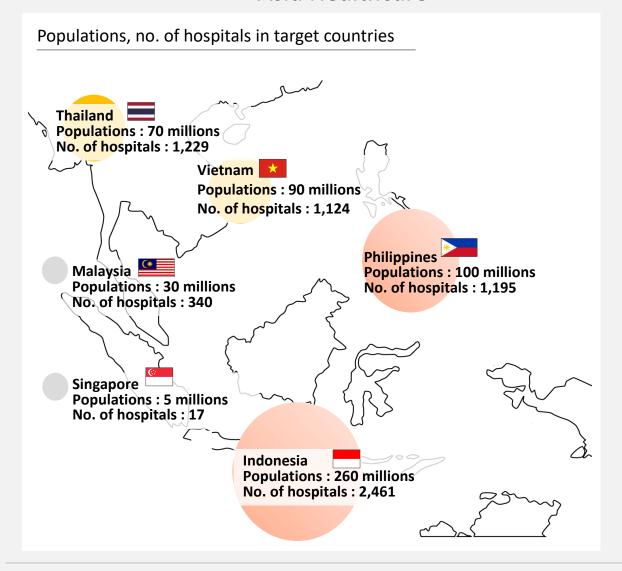
- Medical checkups
- Stress checks
- Attendance

- Health management reports
- Stress checks, group analysis report
- Disease risk projections

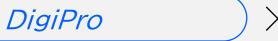
- Health seminars, programs
- -Sports trainers
- -Nutritionists
- -Chiropractors
- -Counselors
- -Physicians

Growth Driver Strategies [Health IT] Overseas Expansion

Asia Healthcare



- Roll out systems for hospitals in Southeast Asia
 (Drug information management, Clinical information, Radiology)
 - ✓ Roll out in Indonesia or the Philippines, where IT is advancing
- Launch new services using individual medical data
 - ✓ Work with HealthXCapital and engage in local marketing, conduct proof-of-concept tests at hospitals and engage in M&A



Remote technologies

Online sales support for MR

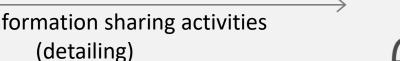
Medical Staff

Sales support tools for MR

Pharma Company Sales Staff



Remote information sharing activities (detailing)





zoom

<Functions>

- Provide only documents approved by the company Compliance with national Guidelines for MR Activities
- Central document management
- Monitor medical interviews

Growth Driver Strategies [Health IT] Online Medical Initiatives

Remote technologies Information linked to in-hospital systems [In-hospital] Hospital systems Infocom Systems Online ICU Charts/ Medical NOALON (AIR WATER INC.) Prescription vitals images history Link Link NOALON Client Link Electronic chart system NOALON Client Ordering system NOALON Satellite Medical administration system

studying potential commercialization)

[Outside of hospitals]

Online medical treatment



Online medication instruction

Development

: AIR WATAR BIO DESIGN INC.

Technical Support: INFOCOM CORPORATION

Resource Investments and Shareholder Return Policies

Give weight to growth investment in priority businesses and offer appropriate shareholder returns, assuming we have secured a stable financial foundation

Financial Soundness

 Secure financial soundness based on the characteristics of business and risk, while at the same time using appropriate financial leverage and engaging in growth investment

Growth Investment

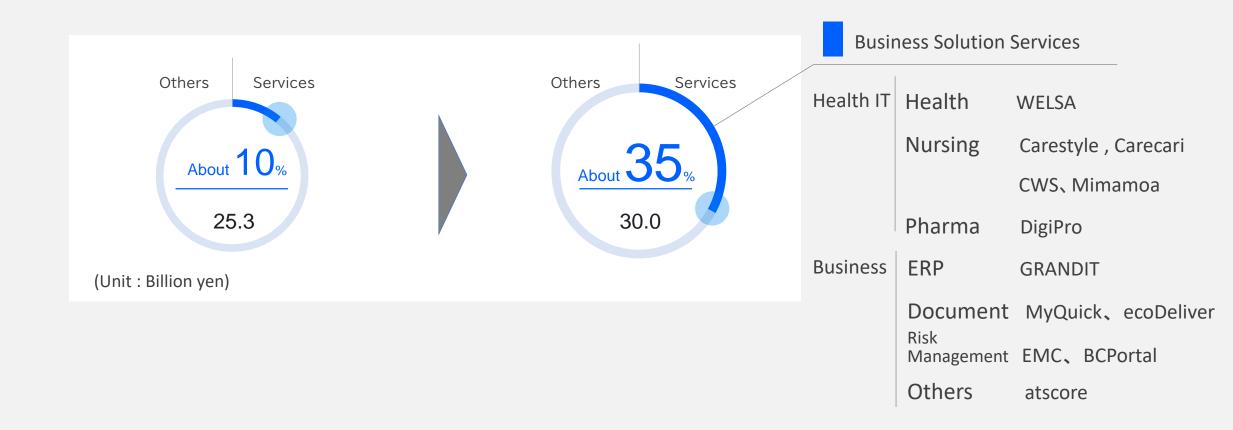
- Invest to maintain and accelerate growth, mainly in priority businesses
- M&A Investment: Established ¥30 billion budget for strategic investment

Shareholder Returns

In addition to stable dividends, strive to increase dividends linked to performance;
 aim to maintain a 30% payout ratio

[Reference]

[Reference] Ratio of Services Sales to Total IT Services Sales





What Value Creation Means to Infocom

The Infocom Group works toward sustainable societies, evolving ahead of changes in markets and technologies, offering high-quality, innovative services that create new ways of using information and communications technology.

Value Creation Story [Our History to Date]

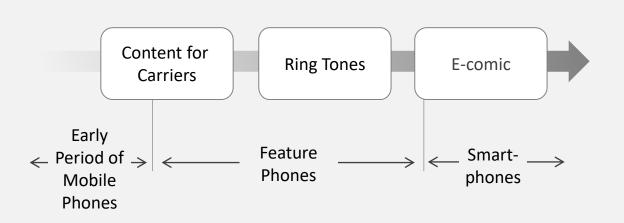
The Infocom Group contributes to society, creating new ways of using information and communications technology

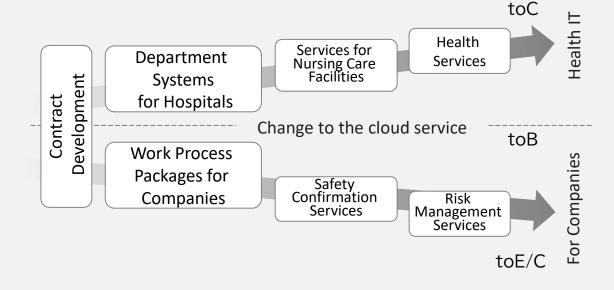
Digital Entertainment

During the early period of mobile phones, we anticipated the creation of new markets and pursued new ways to use this invention

Business Solution

Release new packaged software products to the market based on expertise developed through contract development work



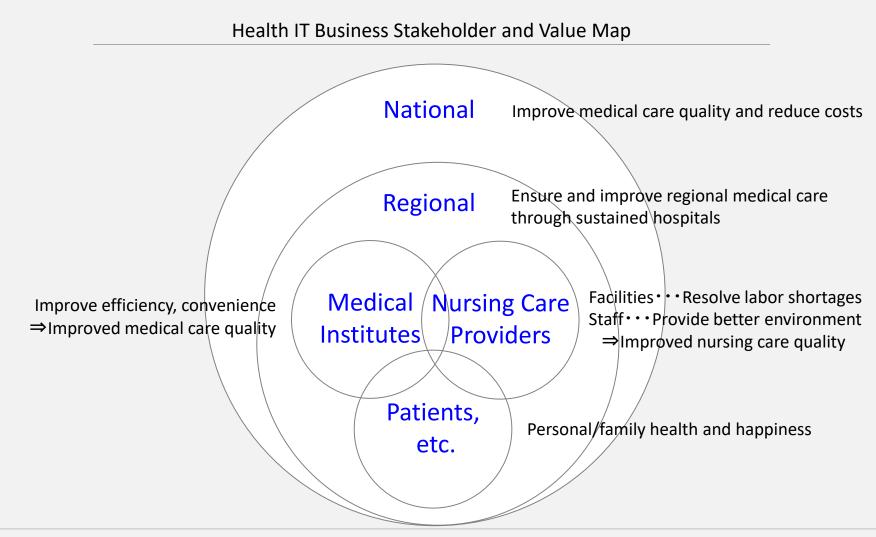


Providing an Enjoyable Respite to the Daily Routine

E-Comic Business Stakeholder and Value Map Shared... Enjoyment Stress relief New discoveries Consumers Concerns **Publishers Overseas Expand sales opportunities** Spread of *manga* culture E-comic Business Environment Creators Reduce footprint (greenhouse gas) Create workspaces via digitalization Offer space for expression **Shareholders Employees** Increase self-esteem Corporate value improvement

Value Creation Story [Health IT]

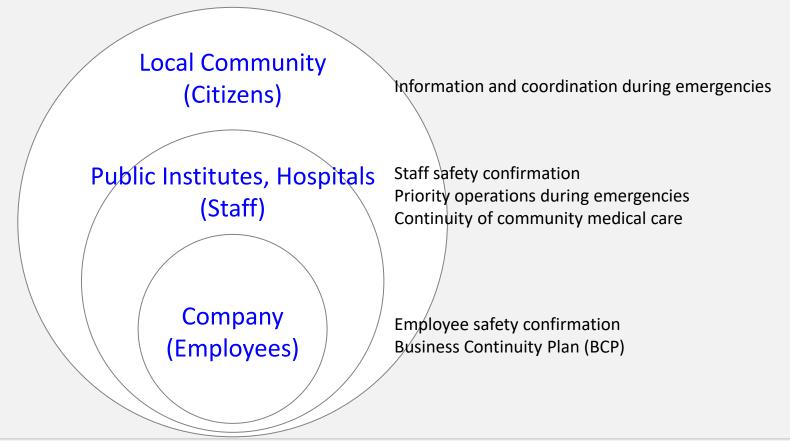
Improve Medical and Nursing Care to Contribute to Human Happiness and Health



Value Creation Story [Risk Management Services]

Provide Individual Security and Safety via Companies, Etc.

Risk Management Services Business Stakeholder and Value Map



Value Creation Story [Iwanuma Minna no ie]

Contribute to Communities Through Disaster Recovery Support Businesses

Established a Recovery Support Base for the Tohoku Region in Iwanuma City, Miyagi Prefecture, Affected by the Great East Japan Earthquake and Tsunami, to Create New Businesses in Tourism and Agriculture



Open Iwanuma minna no ie



- Established recovery support base for Tohoku
- Providing regional and community functions through regular events

Iwanuma Reconstruction Agritourism



- Highlight the attraction of Iwanuma through farm experience tours creating a sense of unification with local citizens
- Selected as a new Tohoku leadership model business by the Reconstruction Agency

Minna no nogyo IT!



- Study the usage of IT and e-commerce in creating 6th industries
- Provide local industry goods to shareholders as shareholder benefits

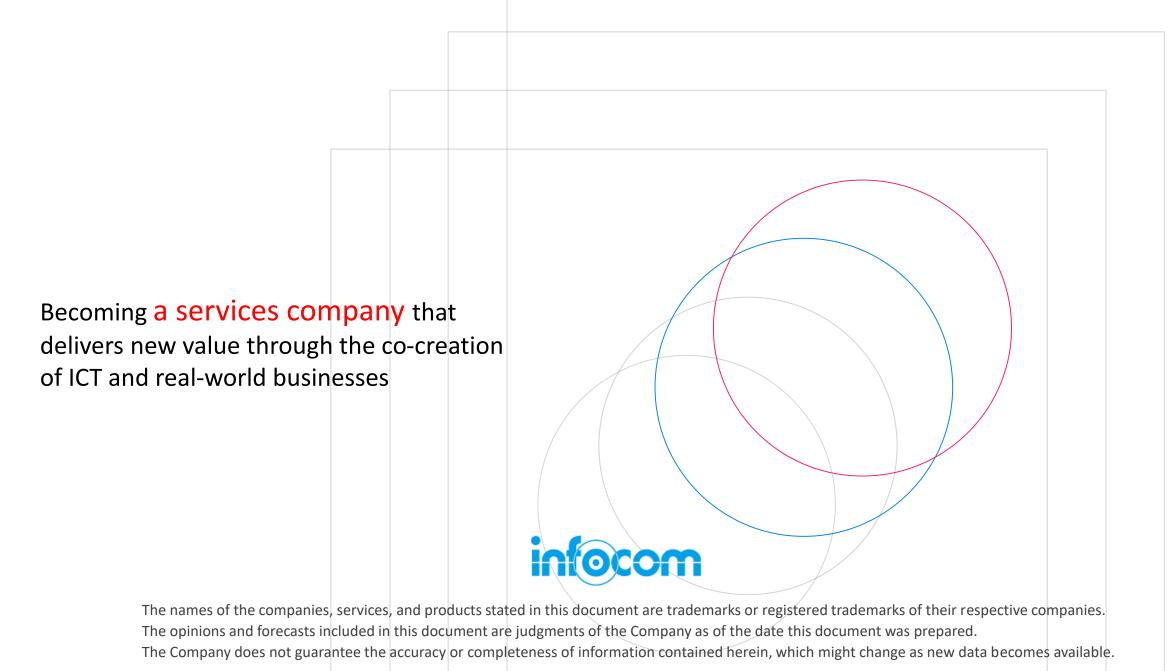
Minna no E-commerce



- Sell agricultural goods via e-commerce
- Offer return gifts in return for hometown tax donation for Iwanuma City

Relationship Between Infocom Businesses and the SDGs

	Our Services		Corresponding 17 Global Goals	
Digital Entertainment	E-Comic Offer a daily enjoyable respite through digital content	15 Wiles	Life on land	
Health IT	Information Management Systems for Hospitals Digitalize medical and medical imaging information to improve medical care quality	3 GOOD HEALTH AND WILLIAMS	Good health and well-being	
	Serivices for Nusing Care Facilities Provide nursing care facility support and nursing career change support	3 GOOD HEATH 8 ECCENT WOOK AND LINE SECONDARY CONVENTION AND WILLIAMS AND WILLIAMS AND WILLIAMS AND	Good health and well-being Decent work and economic growth	
	Health management Services Analyze and forecast employee health risks for disease prevention and health maintenance	3 GOOD HEALTH AND WILL SEING	Good health and well-being	
For Companies	Risk Management Services Integrated management of safety information during disasters, offering safety and security	11 MISTANDER CITIES AND CHIMANTIES	Sustainable cities and communities	
	Business Management System (ERP) Process digitalization for improved management speed, contributing to greater corporate growth	8 DECENT WORK AND COMMIN	Decent work and economic growth	
	Digital Archive Create an academic database available to all, promoting the use of academic materials	4 QUALITY EDUCATION	Quality education	
	Document Management Services Digitize paper documents to encourage move to paperless	15 UFF	Life on land	
Others	Infocom fund, Digital Health Connect Co-create with Japanese and Asian venture firms to create new businesses	9 REUTER ANYONITHE 17 PROTECTIONS AND INTERNATIONAL SECTION AND S	Industry, innovation, infrastructure Partnerships for the goals	
	Iwanuma Minna no ie Promote recovery support businesses in the agriculture and tourism sectors, making a contribution to disaster areas	9 AND THE MONTH TO THE STATE OF	Industry, innovation, infrastructure Life on land	



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