



# Group Profile

As of Dec 2024

STOCK CODE **9449**

<https://www.gmo.jp/en>

## Group Overview | Corporate Slogan

We concentrate our resources on developing Internet infrastructure that supports our products and services

**Internet for Everyone**

**GMO**

# Group Overview

Company Name	GMO Internet Group, Inc.
Founder, Chairman and Group CEO	Masatoshi Kumagai
Address	(Group Head Office) Cerulean Tower 26-1 Sakuragaokacho, Shibuya-ku Tokyo (The 2nd Group Head Office) SHIBUYA FUKURAS1-2-3 Dogenzaka, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo
Established	May 24, 1991
Stock Listing	9449 (Tokyo Stock Exchange Prime Market)
Business Segments	Internet Infrastructure Online Advertising & Media Internet Finance Cryptoassets
Capital (including capital reserve)	JPY5.0 billion
Consolidated Staff	7,565
Group companies	114(As of December 2024)



## Group Overview

# 114 Companies Worldwide

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## 10 Listed Companies

# Group Overview

<b>Prime</b>	<b>4 companies</b>
<b>Standard</b>	<b>2 companies</b>
<b>Growth</b>	<b>4 companies</b>

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**Market Capitalization of the Group**

**JPY 1.4 trillion**

## Group Overview

**7,565**

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**Internet Professionals**

## **Our Strengths for Sustainable Growth**

- 1. Independent management**
- 2. Operations and development of our own technology**
- 3. Solid recurring revenue**

# 1. Independent management

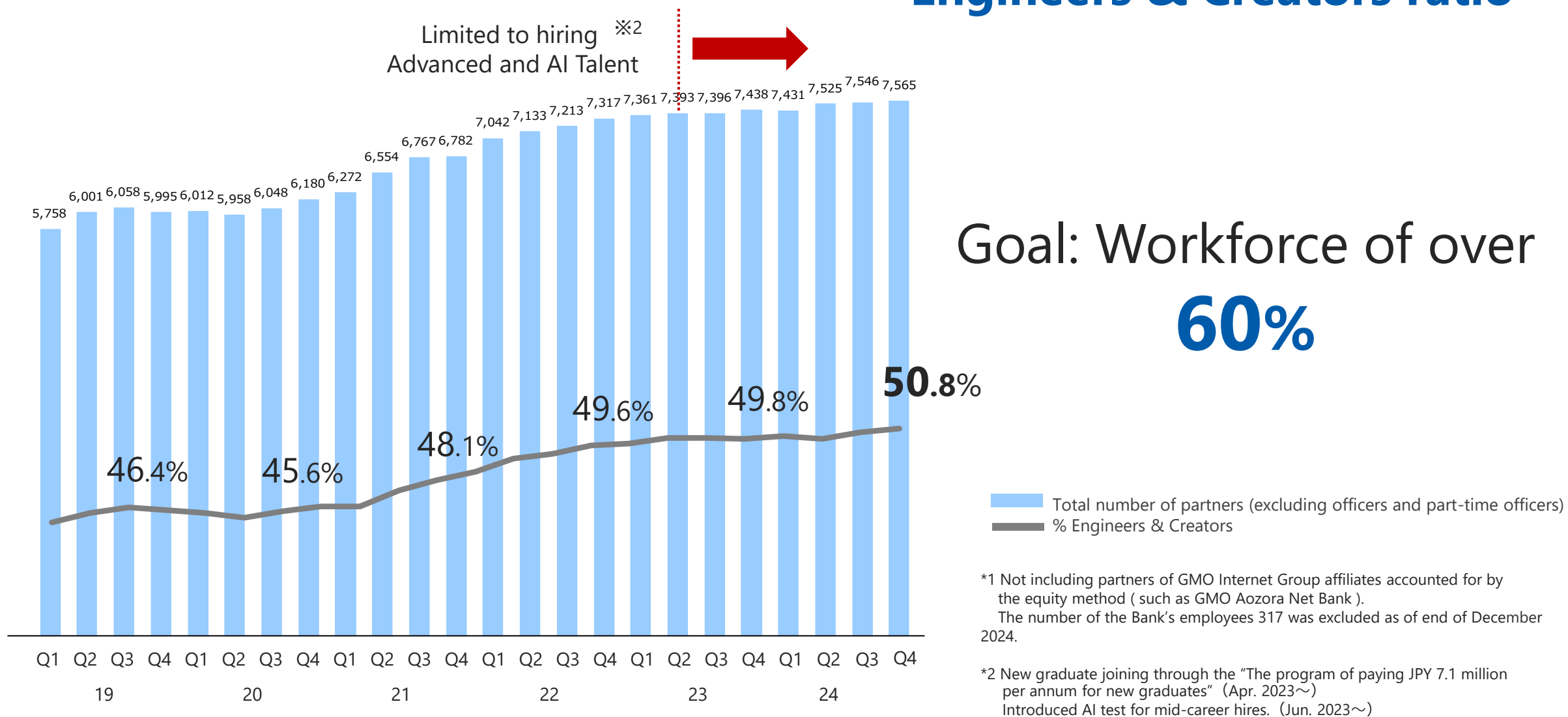
**Each group company pursues the No. 1 strategy under the “GMO-ism” and creates growth products.**



**As a result, our group with diversified risk management strategy.**



## 2. Operations and development of our own technology Engineers & Creators ratio



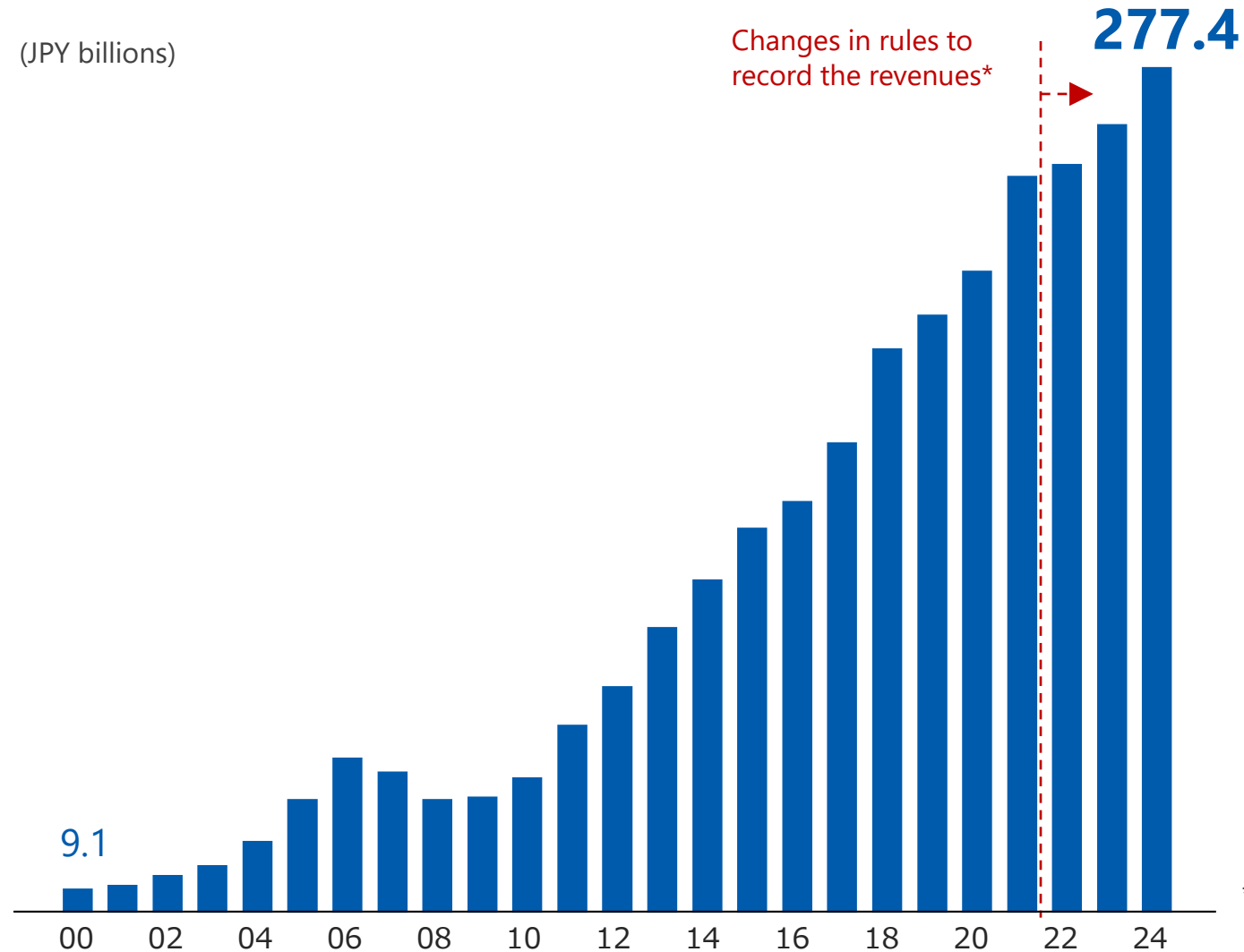
### **3. Solid recurring revenue**

**That means our core business policies,**

**Indispensable products that will not  
disappear  
With  
recurring revenue business model**

# Consolidated Net Sales

(JPY billions)



## Sustainable growth

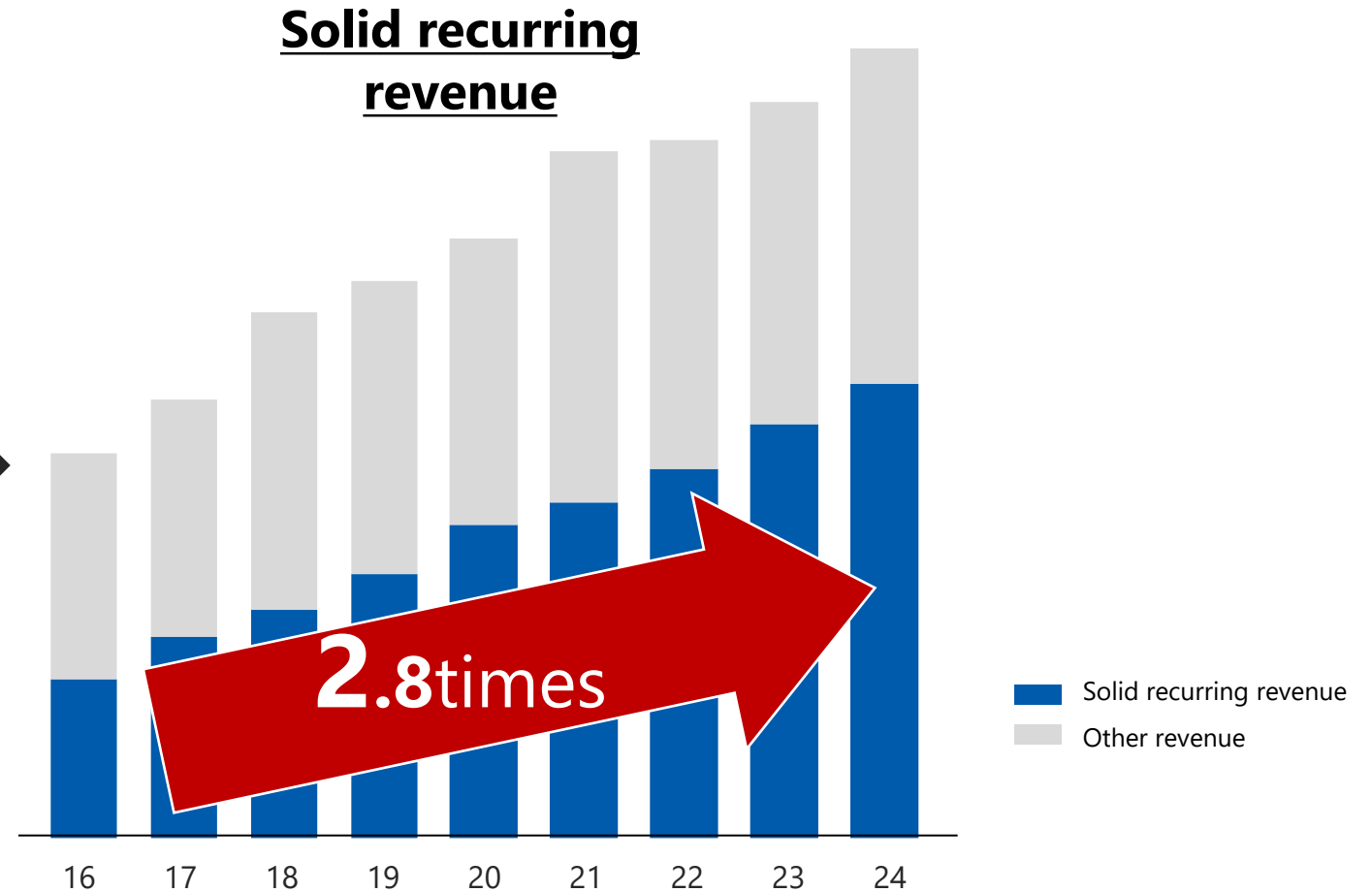
\* "Accounting standards related to revenue recognition" (accounting standard No. 29)

### 3. Solid recurring revenues

Both unit price and number of contracts increased, leading to expansion.



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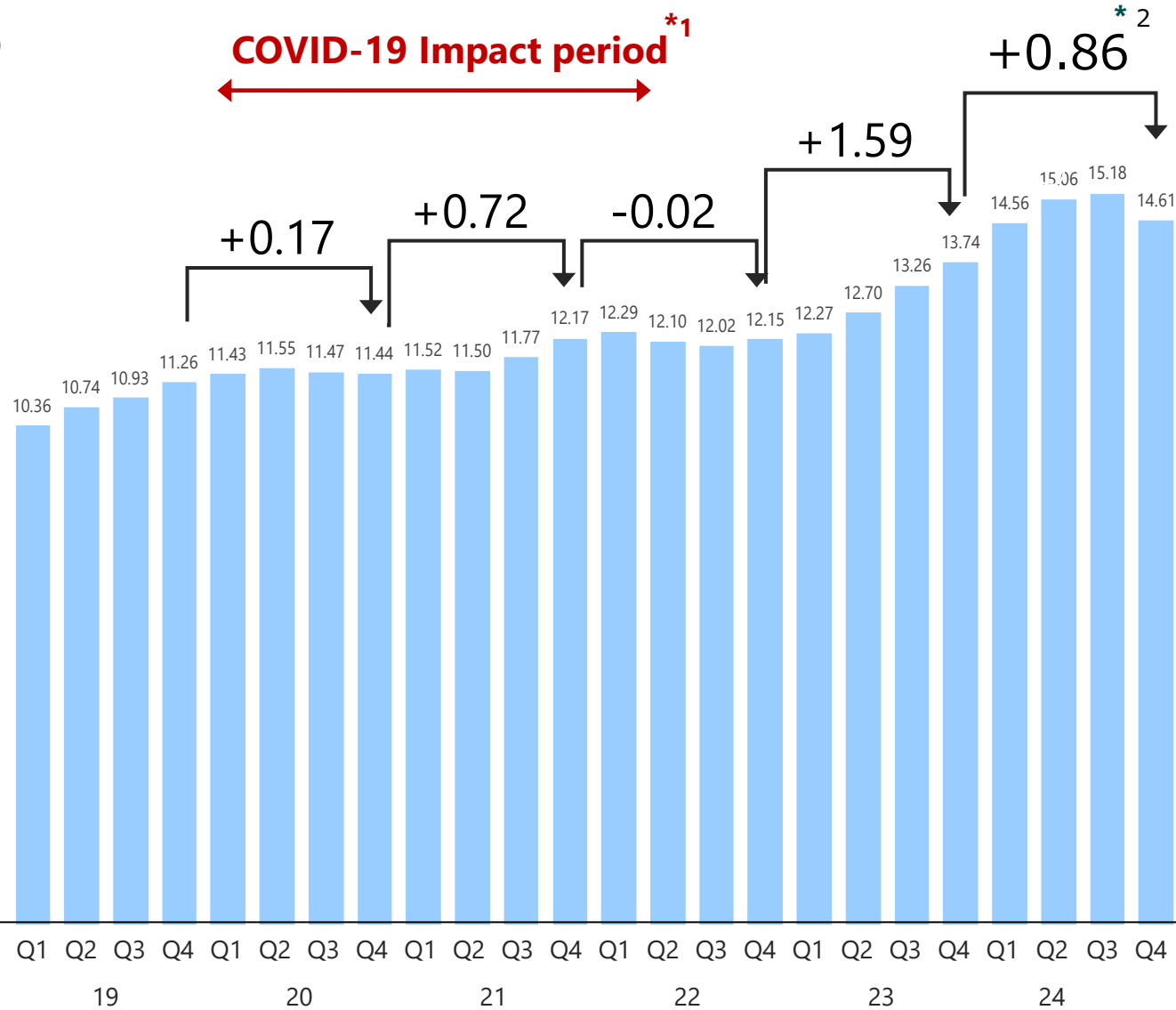


\* The combined value of stock and transaction revenues in the infrastructure business (domains, cloud hosting, part of security, part of EC support, part of payment, and access)

# Internet Infrastructure | Contracts

(millions)

**COVID-19 Impact period**<sup>\*1</sup>



Solid recurring revenues base

**14.61M**

customers

Increased contracts

**0.86M**

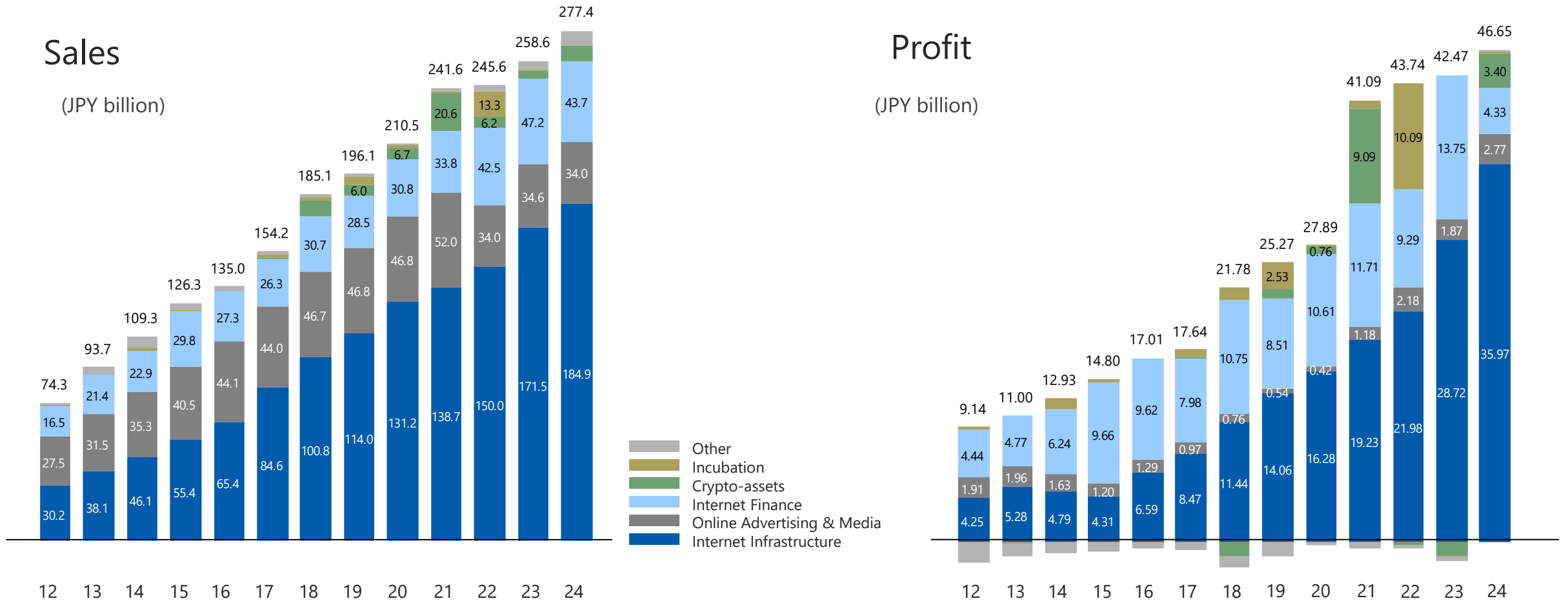
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\*1: The period of declaration of a state of emergency and application of priority measures to prevent the spread

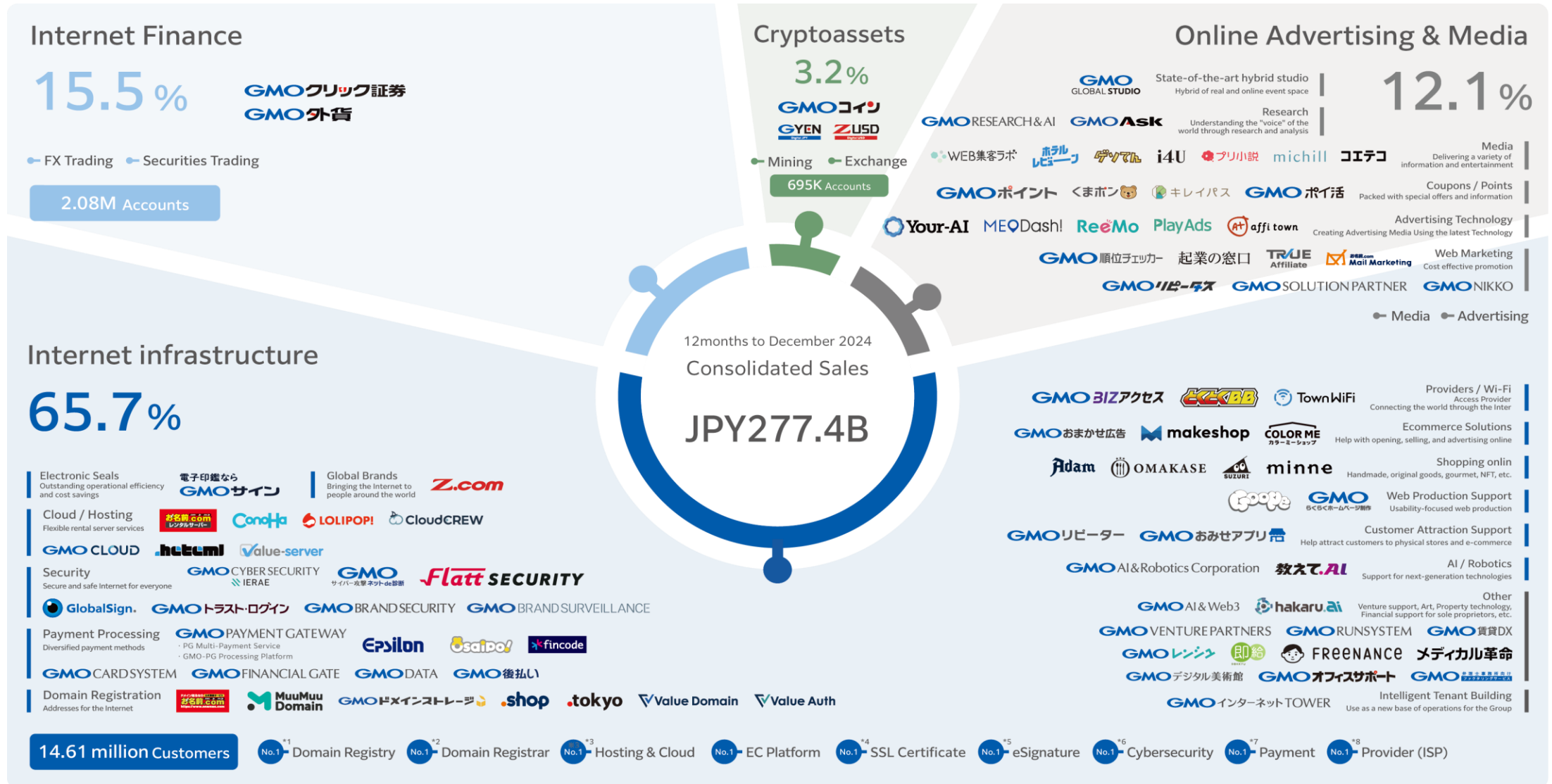
\*2: Impact of overseas domain account review (approximately 900,000 accounts) reflected in 24Q4.

# Consolidated results transition

## Sales increased for 16 consecutive fiscal years



# Group of businesses with a customer base of 17.91 million



\*1 Based on our own data \*2 Based on ICANN data \*3 Based on domaintools.com data \*4 Country code based on Netcraft data \*5 GMO GlobalSign Holdings survey, number of e-contract accounts that have introduced "GMO Sign" and number of contracts. \*6 Based on the Fermi estimate \*7 Certain franchisees with a large number of tenants are counted as one shop, regardless of the number of tenants \*8 Winner of the Best Satisfaction Award in Hikari Collaboration Award 2024

# Internet Infrastructure



# Domain Registration



No.1<sup>\*</sup>  
Market Share

**83.7%**

Domains under  
Management

**9.6M**

\* Based on ICANN data

# Web Hosting



No.1  
Market Share \*

**60.2%**

Contracts

**1.1M**

\* Based on domaintools.com

# Ecommerce Solutions

GMOクラウドEC 

 **makeshop**

  
**COLOR ME**  
カラーミーショップ

Paid Stores

**47k**

# Payment

**GMO** PAYMENT GATEWAY

**GMO** EPSILON

**GMO** PAYMENT SERVICE

**GMO** FINANCIAL GATE

Transaction Volume

**JPY 19.8**tr/year

# ISP(Provider)



“Hikari Collaboration Award”  
Satisfaction Ranking \*

**No.1**

Contracts

**2.20**  
**million networks**

\* Winner of the Best Satisfaction Award in Hikari Collaboration  
Award 2023

# Infrastructure

## Three Types of Security

# 'GMO will protect your Internet Security' project

Enhancing group synergies  
to their full potential

Enhancing Structural  
Efficiency

**GMO will protect  
your Internet Security**

# GMO

**A safer future for Everyone**

# 'GMO will protect your Internet Security' project | Part 1 'GMO Security 24'

Providing a free 24-hour password leak diagnosis, web risk diagnosis and security consultation AI.

The screenshot shows the main interface of the 'GMO Security 24' service. At the top, it reads '総合ネットセキュリティサービス' (Comprehensive Internet Security Service) and features the 'GMO' logo. Below the logo is the main title 'Security24'. To the right, there is a shield icon with the text 'ネットのセキュリティも' (Internet security too), the 'GMO' logo, and the slogan 'すべての人に安心な未来を' (A secure future for everyone). The interface is divided into two sections: 'パスワード漏洩・Webサイトリスク診断' (Password leak and website risk diagnosis) and 'その他のセキュリティ相談' (Other security consultation). A central message states: 'パスワードの漏洩、WEBの侵入リスクなどを無料でお調べいたします' (We will check for password leaks, web intrusion risks, etc. for free). At the bottom, there is a search bar with the placeholder text 'メールアドレス or URLを入力' (Enter email address or URL) and a green button labeled '無料診断' (Free diagnosis). A QR code is located on the right side of the interface.

\* <https://www.gmo.jp/security/>



## Security | Three areas

**Preventing Eavesdropping,  
Tampering, and Identity Spoofing.**  
(**Cryptographic** Security)



**Countermeasures against cyberattacks.**  
(**Cyber** security)



**Monitoring and removal support for  
impersonation threats.**  
(**Brand** security)



# 1.SSL Security



Market Share<sup>\*</sup>  
**No.1**

\*Country code (according to Netcraft's research)

# 1. Cryptosecurity | eSignature

電子印鑑なら  
**GMOサイン**

**Dual  
crown**

No.1  
Market Share

**Number of e-contract  
accounts**

**2.5M**

**Number of contracts**

**4.6M/Q**

# 1. Cryptosecurity | Service usage (eSignature)



## 2. Cybersecurity

**GMO** CYBER SECURITY  
// IERAE

**GMO** *Flatt Security*

Number of  
white hat hackers  
in Japan<sup>\*</sup>

**No.1**

<sup>\*</sup> Fermi estimation

# Cyber Security Assessment

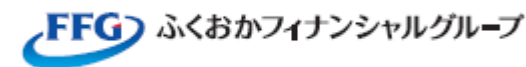
## More than **10,500** cases



※1:Based on our survey ※2:HTB Business CTF 2024: No.1 in Japan ※3:2023 DEF CON 31 'Cloud Village CTF, 2024 DEF CON 32 'Cloud Village CTF: World No.1

## 2. Countermeasures against cyberattacks business | Service usage

GMO CYBER SECURITY  
IERAE



## 2. Countermeasures against cyberattacks business Working with public institutions

### Self-defense forces

Carried out training to improve the skills of Cyber Defense Command\*1



### National Police Agency

Received a letter of thanks for technical assistance\*2



\*1: "Penetration test drills for JSDF Cyber Defense Command carried out by GMO Cybersecurity by Ierae" (February 1, 2023)

\*2: Received a letter of thanks from National Police Agency (January 30, 2023)





# GMO

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### 3. Brand security | Trademark & Rights Protection

**GMO** BRAND SECURITY

**72.0%** \*

Of Companies in the Top  
100 Japanese Corporate  
Brand Ranking  
Are using

\* % of the Best Japan Brands 2024 Rankings Top 100

### 3. Brand security | Service usage

GMO BRAND SECURITY

TORAY

SUNTORY

BRIDGESTONE  
Solutions for your journey

ISUZU

FamilyMart

RICOH

WACOAL

ABC-MART

TSI HOLDINGS

TOPPAN

よろこびがつなぐ世界へ  
KIRIN

PREMIER ANTI-AGING

AMANO

MICHIKO LONDON  
KOSHINO

SHARP

BATHCLIN

エバラ

EPOCH 株式会社エポック社

HOKUETSU

TSUBURAYA

自然を、おいしく、楽しく。  
KAGOME

RISO

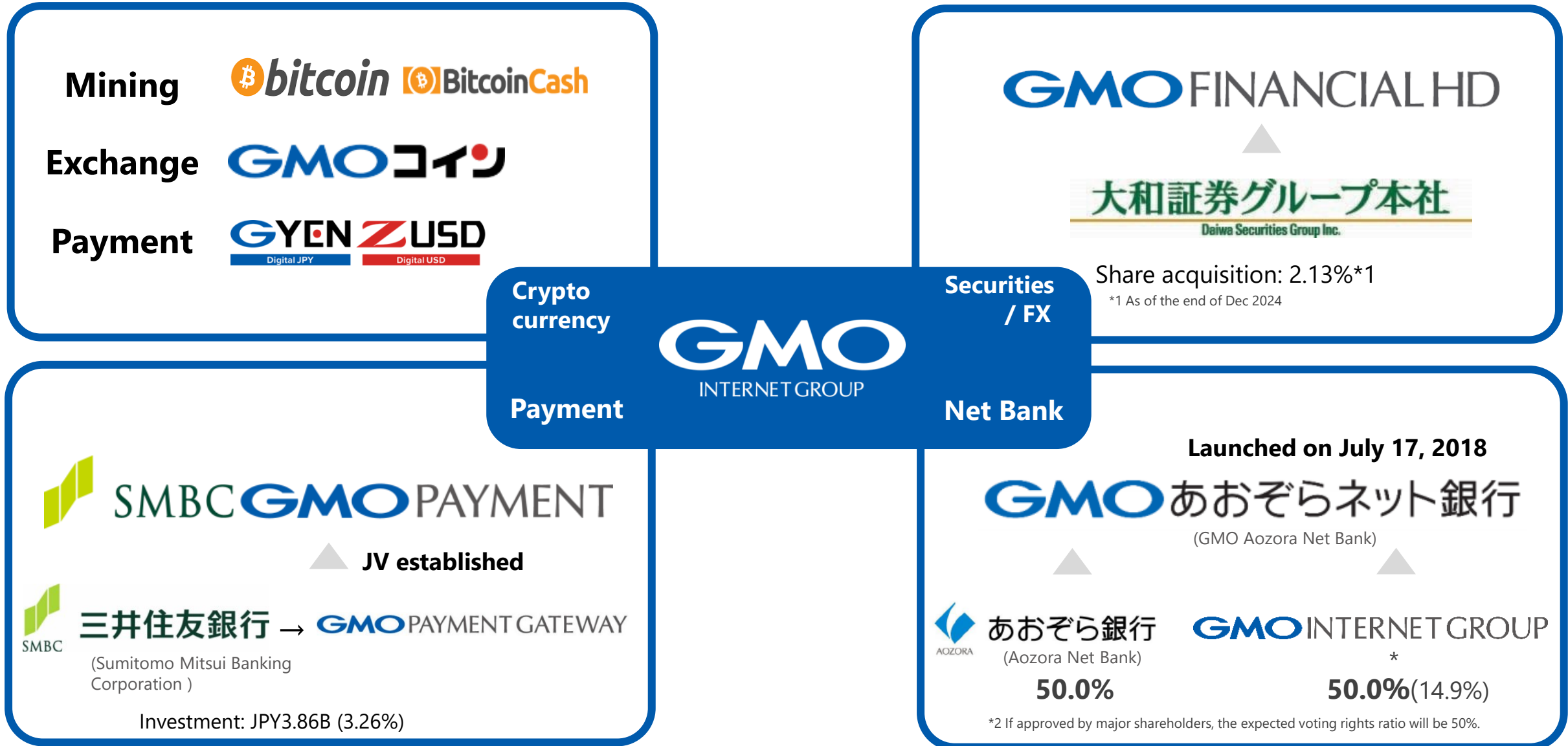
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# Finance, Payment, and Cryptoassets

# Finance, Payment, and Cryptocurrency



# Internet Securities

**GMOクリック証券**

**GMO外貨**

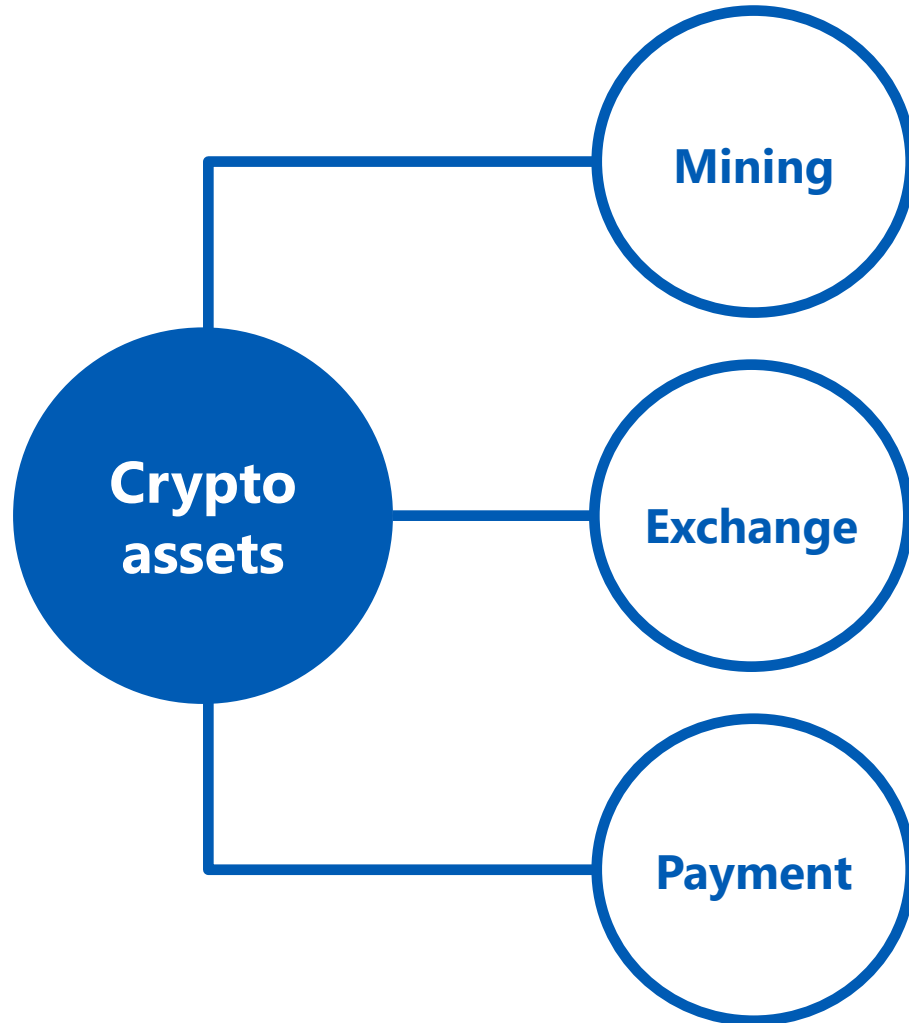
## Accounts

**FX : 1.5M**

**CFD: 220K**

**Securities: 530K**

# Cryptoassets



Cryptoassets mining business

Cryptoassets Trading Business

Cryptoassets payment  
└ Issue stablecoin

**GMO**   
Crypto Accounts  
**695K**

**GYEN**

# Bank×IT

Born in July 2018



あおぞら銀行

AOZORA

**Banking management know-how**



**Technology**



すべてはお客さまのために。

# No.1

テクノロジーバンクを目指して

All for our customers. Strive to be the No.1 Tech Bank.

Point1

**Focus on corporate clients**

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Point2

**The core business :  
Exchange, Debit cards, and business loans**

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Point3

**Bank System + Bank API + In-house development**

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Point4

**BaaS byGMOAozora**

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Point5

**Approximately 40% of employees are engineers**

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# Becoming the No.1 Corporate Group Pioneering the Future with AI



# Our initiatives towards realization (1/2)

Driving research and development in AI, particularly in financial data analysis, and achieved significant results since hiring our first data scientist approximately 10 years ago.

<b>FY2013</b>	GMO NIKKO has built and analyzed big data analytics(DMP)infrastructure GMO AdMarketing developed and analyzing recommendation widget systems and machine learning models.
<b>FY2014</b>	Consistently reinforce our recruitment efforts for AI talented after the 1 <sup>st</sup> data scientist was hired.
<b>FY2015</b>	Intensified our research and development efforts in AI
<b>FY2016</b>	The initial AI-supported product "TAXEL" was released, marking the beginning of GMO Click Securities data analysis platform development.
<b>FY2017</b>	GMO Click Securities started data analysis operations
<b>Jan.2020</b>	Restructured to the data analysis and development group. GMO TownWifi started utilizing casual inference techniques for measuring the effectiveness of functions and initiatives.
<b>Apr.2022</b>	Established of the AI Research and Development Department

## Our initiatives towards realization (2/2)

We promptly began utilizing ChatGPT across the entire group, expecting its potential impact after the emergence of it in November 2022.

**① Time and Cost savings**

**② Improvement in the quality of existing services**

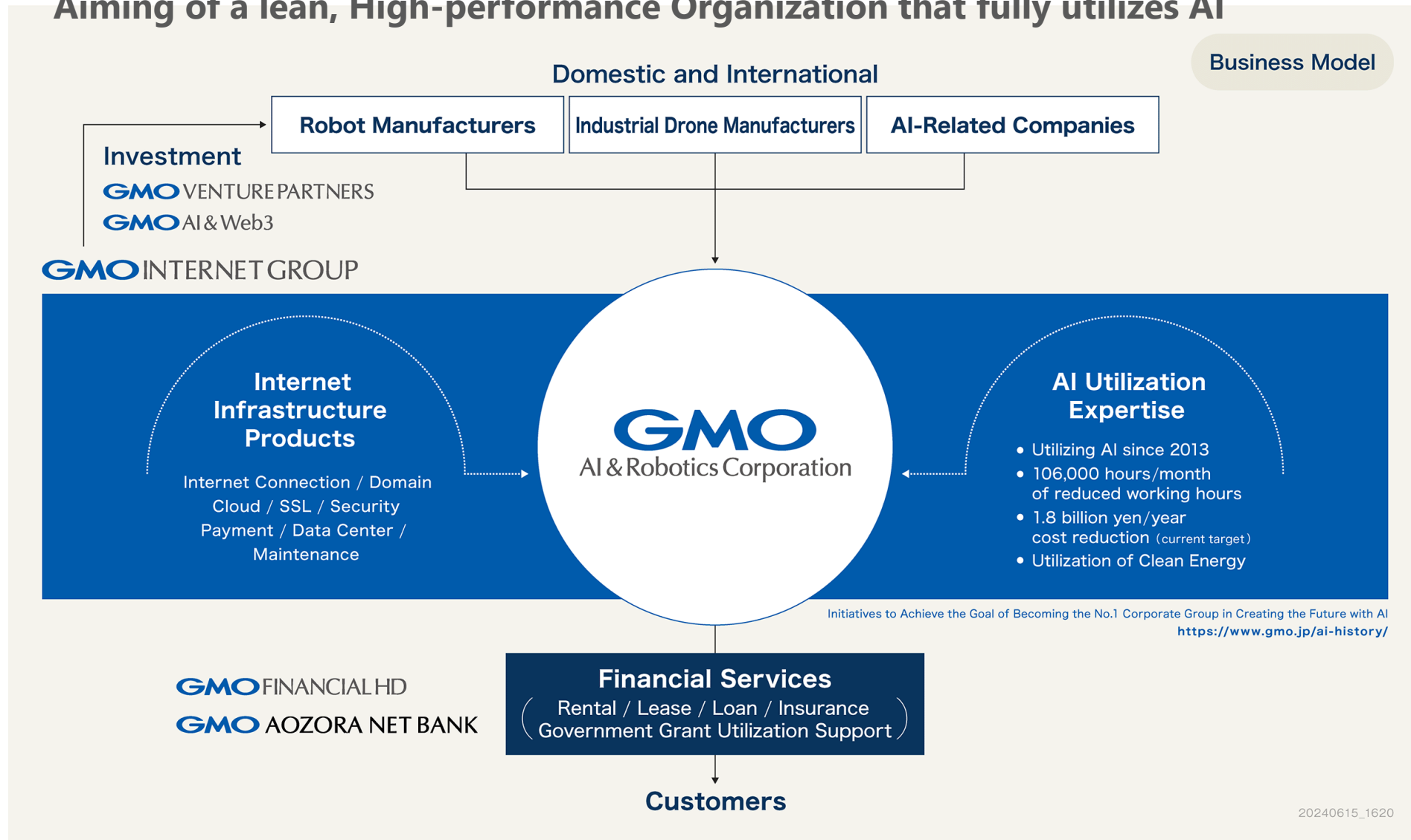
**③ Offering new services to the AI Industry**

Based on these three pillars, we continue our efforts to become the "No.1 AI-Utilizing Corporate Group" while staying up-to-date with the latest AI developments on a daily basis. Furthermore, in 2024, we will evolve our catchphrase to "Becoming the No.1 Corporate Group Creating the Future with AI," and accelerate its realization.

Details : <https://www.gmo.jp/ai-history/>

# Established GMO-AIR Co.Ltd | Business Model

Aiming of a lean, High-performance Organization that fully utilizes AI



# Efforts related to Sustainability

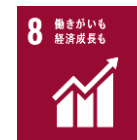
# ESG activities | Materiality

## Solving social issues through business

### Challenge

#### Dedication to the No.1 Service.

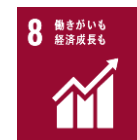
We are dedicated to providing the dominant No.1 service in the Internet industry by operating and developing our own technology.



### Safety

#### Responsibility to protect our customers' smiles.

We ensure a safe and secure Internet infrastructure to protect our customers' smiles.



### Environment

#### Solving social issues through business activities.

We strive to address pressing challenges that benefit the environment, society, and individuals.



## Strengthening the foundation of management

### Human Talent

#### Cultivating a group that evolves together.

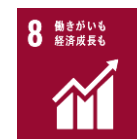
An environment where every partner excels is key to creating the No.1 service.



### Trust

#### Maximizing stakeholders' smiles.

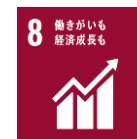
We aim to increase our fanbase through dialogue with everyone involved.



### Governance

#### Foundation for Hundreds of Years.

We are building a robust structure that will ensure our business group thrives for hundreds of years, prioritizing sustainable growth.





# ESG activities | Materiality Matrix

The key issues were identified through an assessment based on opportunities and risks from the perspective of both "importance to stakeholders" and "Significance to GMO Internet Group."



# ESG activities | Sustainability management for SDGs

電子印鑑なら  
**GMOサイン**



**コエテコ** by **GMO**



**GMO光アクセス**  
for **Education**



**GMO CYBER SECURITY**  
IERAE



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**Our business helps  
Social and  
environmental issues  
to be solved.**

# ESG activities | Disclosure Processes/External Evaluation

[Disclosure Progress]

## Assessment by ESG rating agencies / Inclusion in ESG indexes

**MSCI**  
ESG RATINGS



CCC B BB **BBB** A AA AAA

In April 2024, GMO Internet Group, Inc. received a rating of "BBB" (on a scale of AAA-CCC) in the MSCI ESG Ratings assessment \*1



**FTSE Blossom**  
Japan Sector  
Relative Index \*2

FTSE ESG Ratings  
2.3

FTSE ESG Ratings  
2.8

Mar. 2023



Dec. 2023



Jan. 2024



Expanding Human capital disclosure

Plans to publish integrated report (September 2025.)

Identifying Material Issues.

TCFD Disclosure

Expanding ESG disclosure

Introduced of a group executive officer system

Updated CG report

FTSE ESG Ratings  
1.2

Set up sustainability promotion committee

Drawn up basic sustainability policy

Released our Activities for SDGs

Dec. 2013



2021

2022

2023

2024

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# Domestic Bases and Global Operations

# Domestic Bases

**6,032**

Domestics partners ("employees")

## Fukuoka / Kitakyushu

14 companies  
349 partners



Kitakyushu, GMO kitaQ

## Miyazaki

6 companies  
249 partners



Miyazaki, GMO Hinata



## Osaka

7 companies  
149 partners

## Sapporo

2 companies  
56 partners

## Sendai

2 companies  
191 partners



## Niigata

2 companies  
4 partners

## Nagoya

4 companies  
11 partners

## Shizuoka / Hamamatsu

4 companies  
17 partners

## Kobe

1 companies  
4 partners

## Kagoshima

1 companies  
22 partners

## Tokyo

51 companies  
4,621 partners



Setagaya-ku, Yoga  
GMO Internet TOWER  
(GMO GLOBAL STUDIO)

## Shibuya

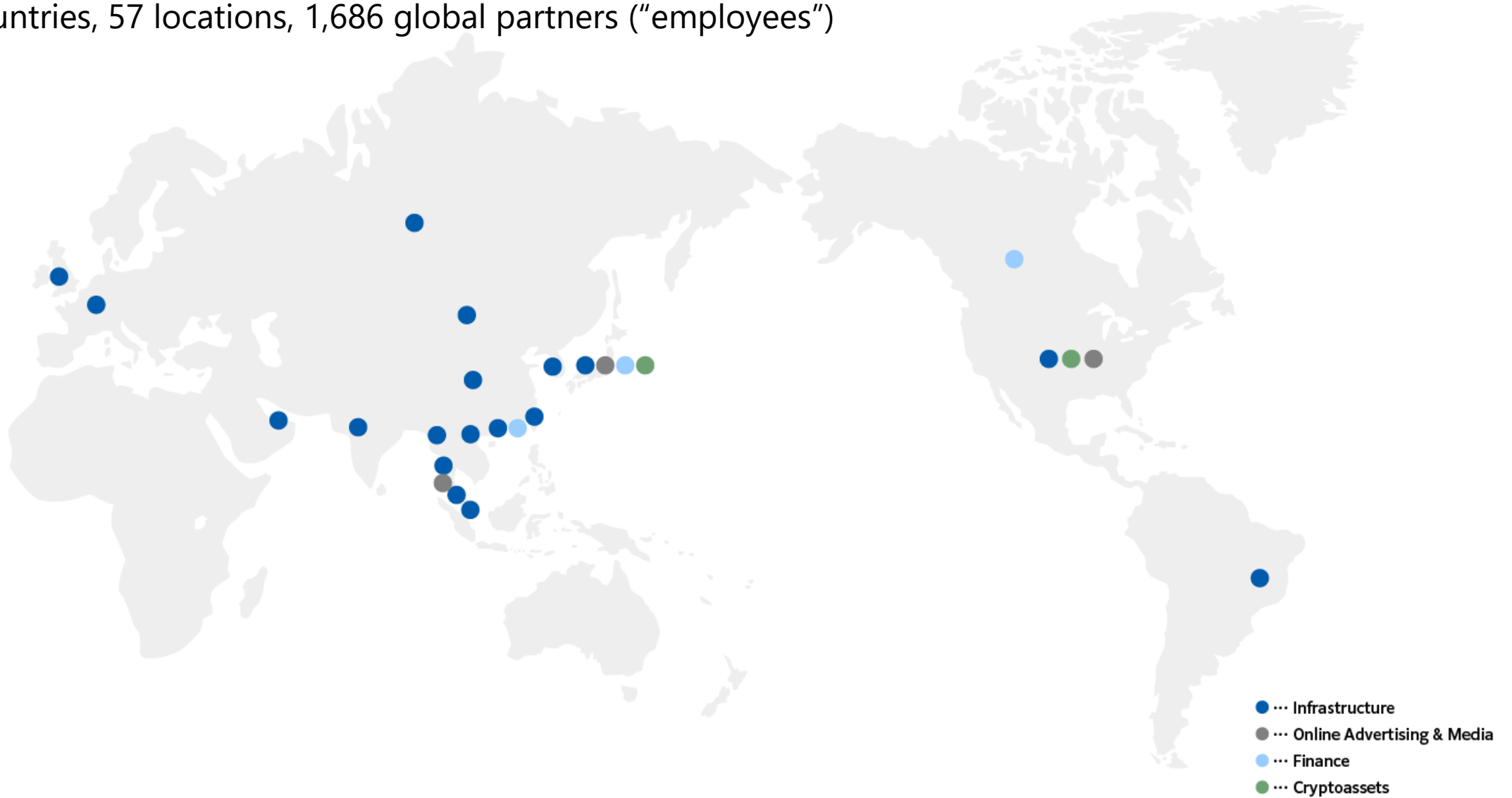
Group Head Office :  
Cerulean Tower  
The 2nd Group Head Office :  
SHIBUYA FUKURAS

## Okinawa

4 companies 47 partners

# Global Operations | Locations

21 countries, 57 locations, 1,686 global partners (“employees”)



# Global Operations | Wholesale & Directsale

## Wholesale



Exclusive wholesale Internet addresses



Wholesale encryption technology  
(SSL certificates)

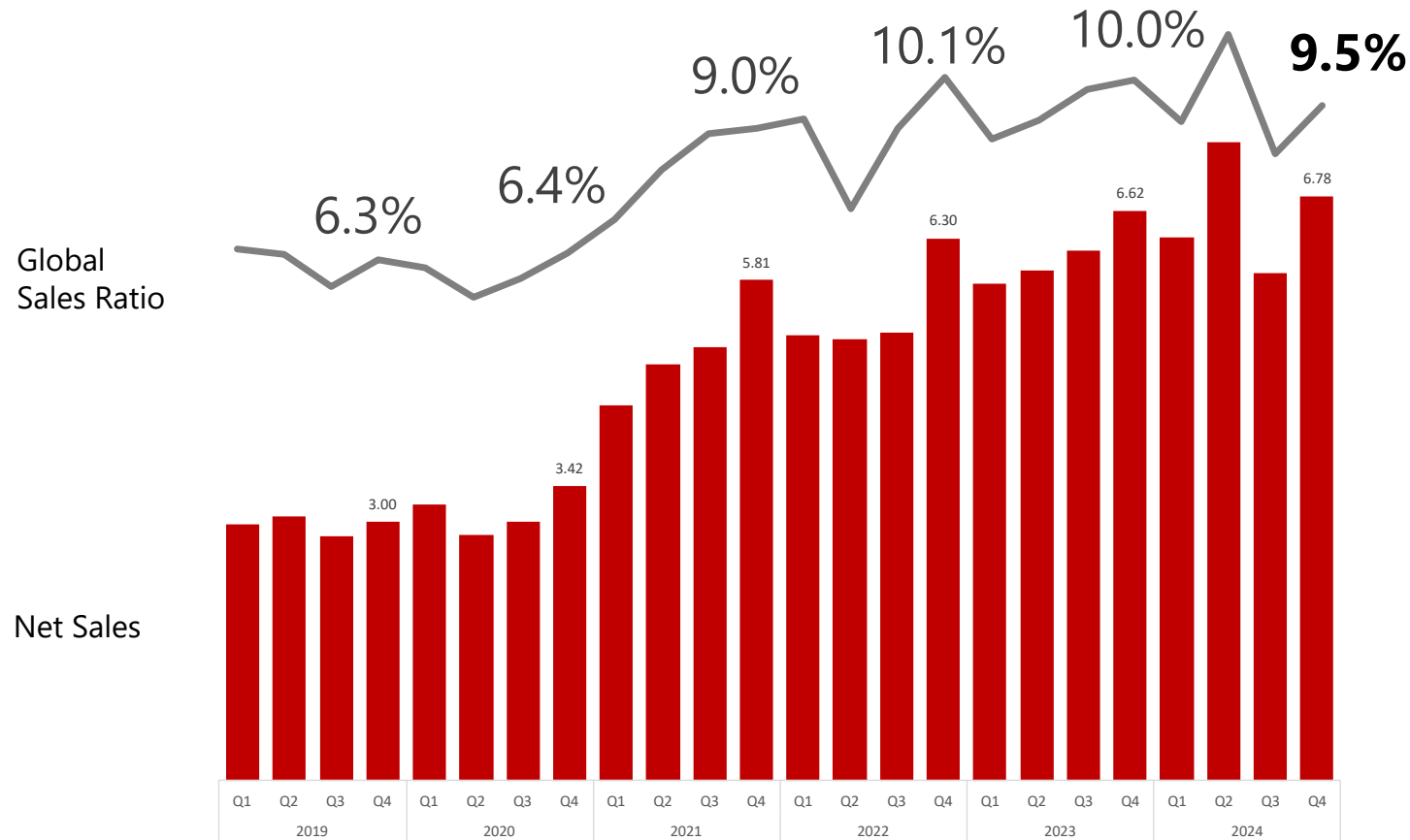
## Directsale



Providing the No.1 proven service in Japan

# Global Operations | Global Net Sales

(JPY billions)



Net sales

YoY

**2.4% Up**

Since Q2 FY2020, MacroKiosk is no longer a consolidated subsidiary. We deducted MacroKiosk values from net sales retroactively to Q1 FY2017 in this chart.



**Internet for Everyone**

**GMO**