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# **2Q FY2025 Presentation Material**

**January to March 2025** 

May 15, 2025

We corrected past annual securities reports and others due to the discovery of an inappropriate accounting treatment at the consolidated subsidiary. Please refer to the "Notice on Submission of Correction Reports of Past Annual Securities Reports and Amendments of Financial Statements for Past Fiscal Years" released on May 15, 2025, for details.

We sincerely apologize for any inconvenience and concern it may cause to our shareholders, investors, partners, and other interested parties.

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# FY25 Q2 Financial Summary

January - March 2025



# FY2025 Q2

Achieved a record high in sales
OP increased year-on-year, driven by
Media & IP and Ad businesses

Increase Sales: 217.3 billion yen up 1.2% YoY

Increase OP: 20.8 billion yen up 0.7% YoY

# Media & IP

Increase in Sales and OP by building a multi-layered revenue stream

Increase Sales: 57.0 billion yen up 14.4% YoY

Increase OP: 3.3 billion yen 6.5x YoY

# Ad

Maintain a high sales increase rate OPM was 5.1%

Increase Sales: 117.5 billion yen up 9.9% YoY

Increase OP: 6.0 billion yen up 8.7% YoY

# Game

Sales and Profit declined due to the console game released in Feb. 2024 However, quarter-on-quarter change was a significant increase

Decrease Sales: 51.4 billion yen down 23.4% YoY (up 34.6% QoQ)

Decrease OP : 15.3 billion yen down 15.7% YoY (4.6x 200)



214.7

217.3

YoY

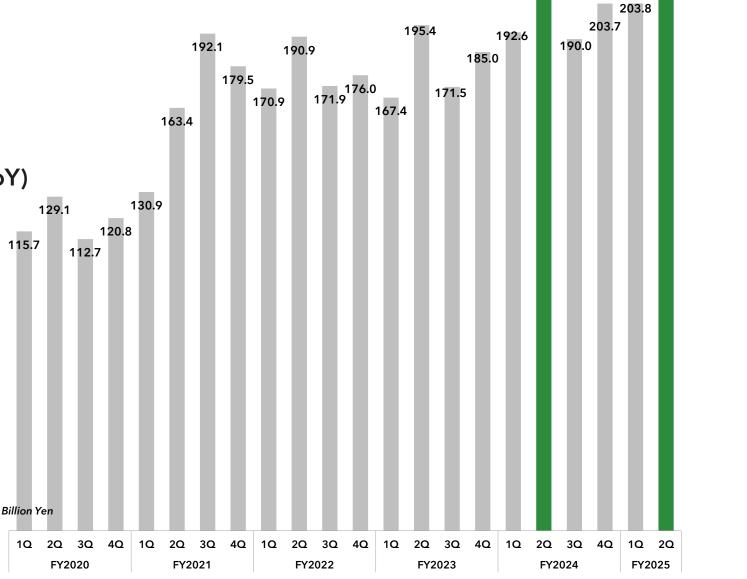
+1.2%

### [Consolidated Sales]

Consolidated sales reached a new record high

Q2 217.3 billion yen (up 1.2% YoY)

115.7





[Consolidated OP]

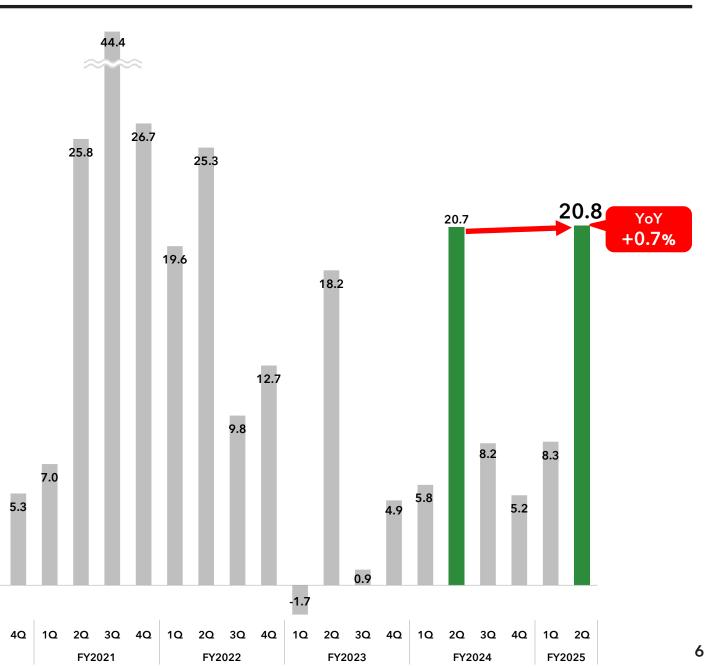
Media & IP and Ad businesses contributed to the OP

Q2 20.8 billion yen (up 0.7% YoY)

12.5

Billion Yen

FY2020

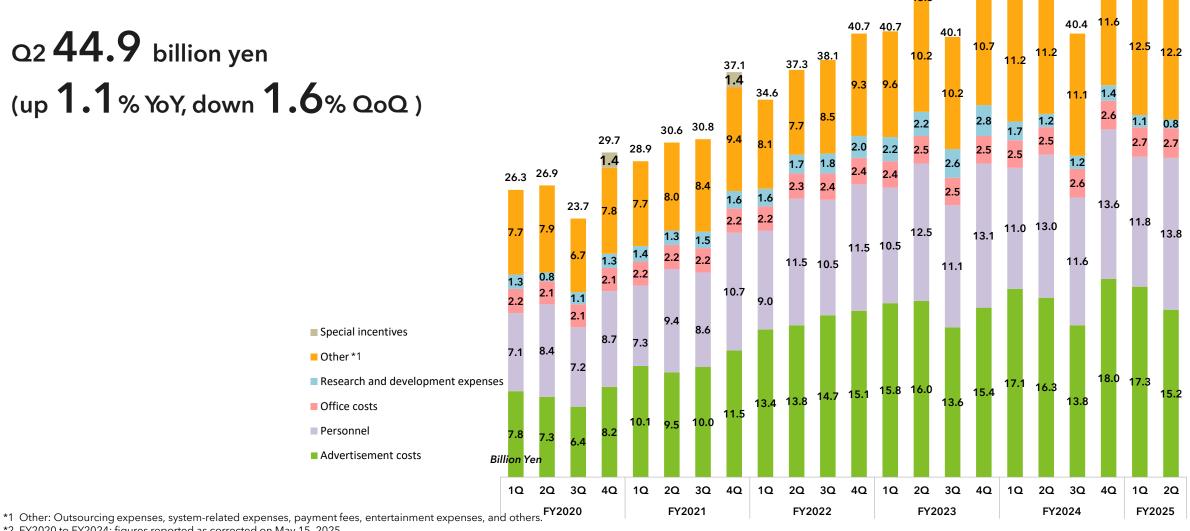




<sup>45.6</sup>44.9

### [SG&A Expenses]

Q2 44.9 billion yen (up 1.1% YoY, down 1.6% QoQ)



<sup>\*2</sup> FY2020 to FY2024: figures reported as corrected on May 15, 2025.



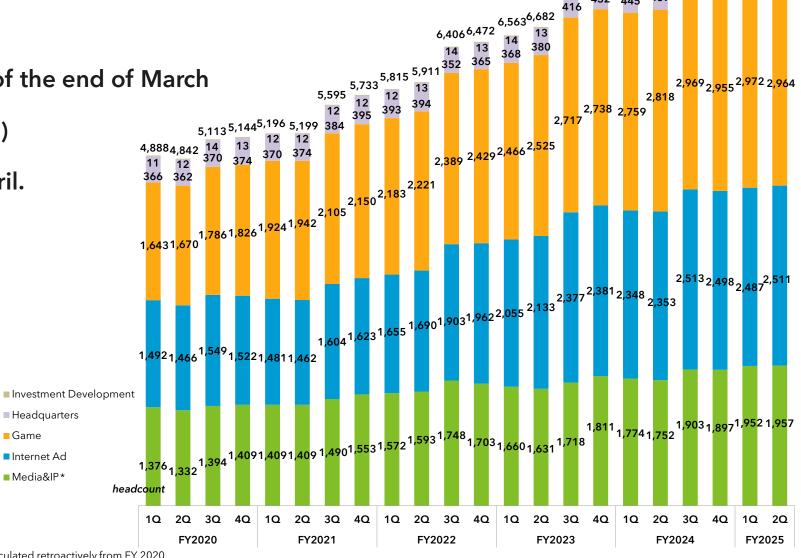
7,374<sub>7,336</sub>7,390 482

## [No. of Employees]

Total headcount was 7,958 as of the end of March

(increased by 568 YoY, 36 QoQ)

397 new graduates joined in April.



<sup>\*</sup> Media & IP: According to the change in the segment, headcount has been recalculated retroactively from FY 2020.

Headquarters

Game Internet Ad ■ Media&IP\*



# [PL]

million yen	FY2025 Q2	FY2024 Q2	YoY	FY2025 Q1	QoQ
Net Sales	217,372	214,789	1.2%	203,842	6.6%
Gross profit	65,827	65,219	0.9%	53,979	21.9%
SG&A expenses	44,959	44,488	1.1%	45,678	-1.6%
Operating income	20,868	20,730	0.7%	8,301	151.4%
Operating margin	9.6%	9.7%	-0.1pt	4.1%	5.5pt
Ordinary income	20,371	20,970	-2.9%	8,806	131.3%
Extraordinary income	508	133	280.4%	1,711	-70.3%
Extraordinary loss	380	1,903	-80.0%	1,312	-71.0%
Income before income taxes and non-controlling interests	20 499	19,200	6.8%	9,206	122.7%
Net income attributable to owners of the parent *1	10,792	9,998	7.9%	5,071	112.8%

<sup>\*1</sup> Net income attributable to owners of the parent is affected by the fact that AbemaTV, Inc. is exempted from the group tax sharing system, and non-controlling equity interest (minority interest) of Cygames, Inc. \*2 FY2024 Q2: figures reported as corrected on May 15, 2025.



# [BS]

Unit: million yen	End of Mar. 2025	End of Mar. 2024	YoY	End of Dec. 2024	QoQ
Current assets	358,758	363,486	-1.3%	367,429	-2.4%
(Cash deposits)	199,171	204,506	-2.6%	205,583	-3.1%
Fixed assets	161,488	132,011	22.3%	153,766	5.0%
Total assets	520,288	495,553	5.0%	521,241	-0.2%
Current liabilities	158,346	164,312	-3.6%	173,182	-8.6%
(Income tax payable)	10,773	10,521	2.4%	2,834	280.0%
Fixed liabilities	99,513	96,021	3.6%	99,787	-0.3%
Shareholders' equity	150,116	135,217	11.0%	139,260	7.8%
Net Assets	262,428	235,219	11.6%	248,271	5.7%
(Reference) Net Cash*1	104,782	96,848	8.2%	87,719	19.5%

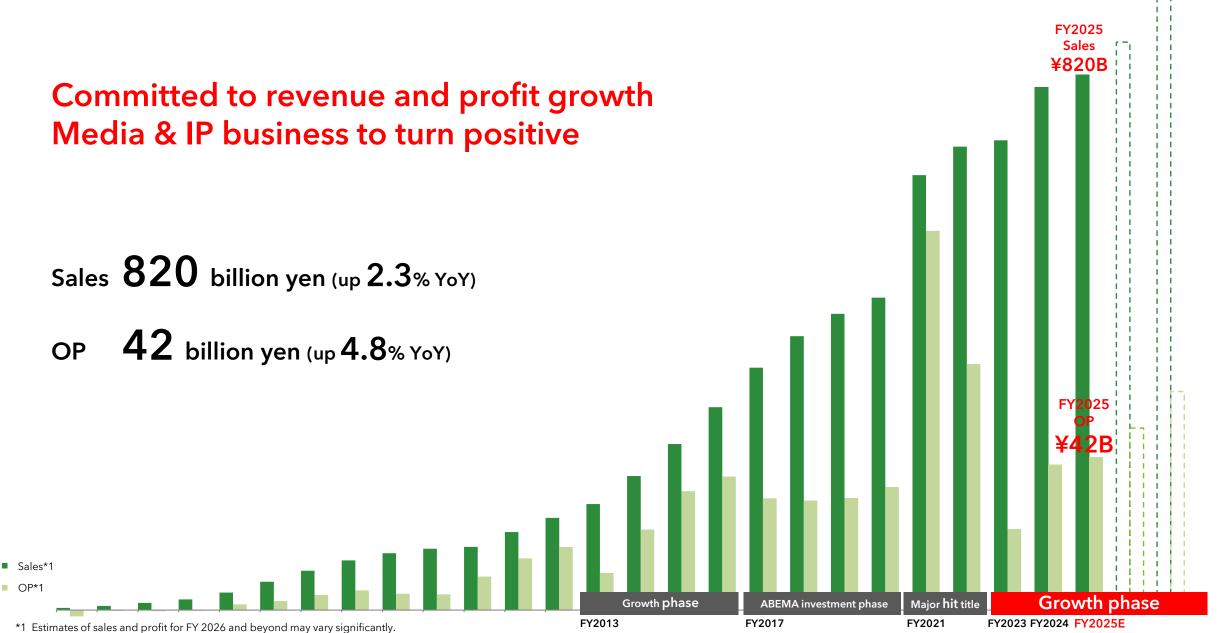
<sup>\*1</sup> Net Cash: Long-term bank loans, convertible bonds, short-term bank loans, and others are excluded from current cash deposits.
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# FY2025 Forecast October 2024 - September 2025

#### 2. Forecast



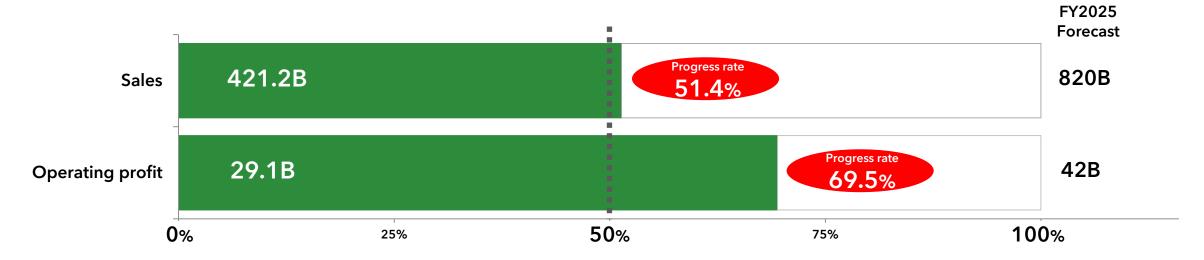


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#### 2. Forecast



# [Forecast] Progress rate is steadily over 50% in the second quarter



Unit: billion yen	FY2025 Forecast	FY2025 1H Total	Progress	FY2024	YoY
Net Sales	820	421.2	51.4%	801.2	2.3%
Operating profit	42	29.1	69.5%	40.0	4.8%
Ordinary profit	42	29.1	69.5%	39.7	5.8%
Net income attributable to owners of the parent*1	21	15.8	75.5%	15.9	31.4%

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# Media & IP



47.9

39.7

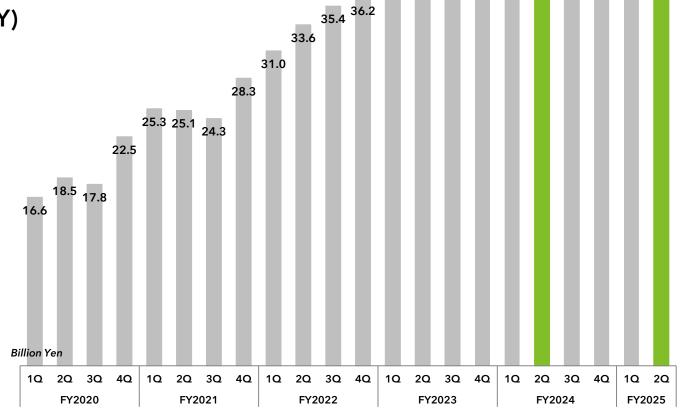
57.0

YoY

[Quarterly Sales]



Q2 57.0 billion yen (up 14.4% YoY)



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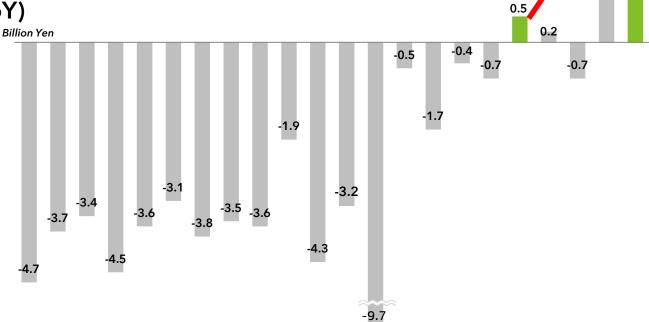
### [Quarterly OP]

FY2020 FY2021 FY2022 FY2023 FY2024 FY2025

1Q 2Q 3Q 4Q 1Q 2Q

# OP increased significantly, driven by sales growth

Q2 3.3 billion yen (+2.8 billion yen YoY)



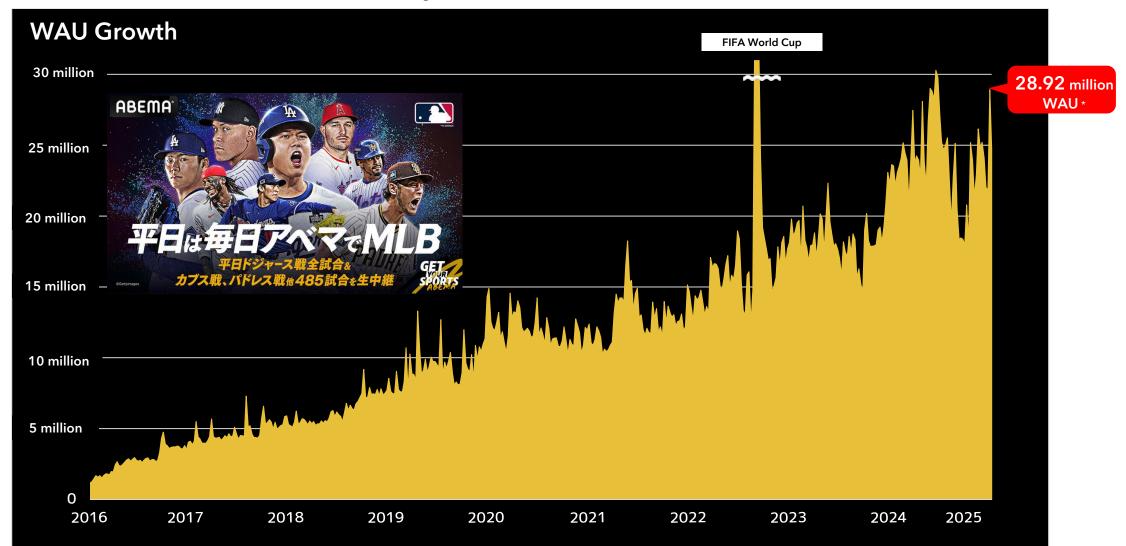
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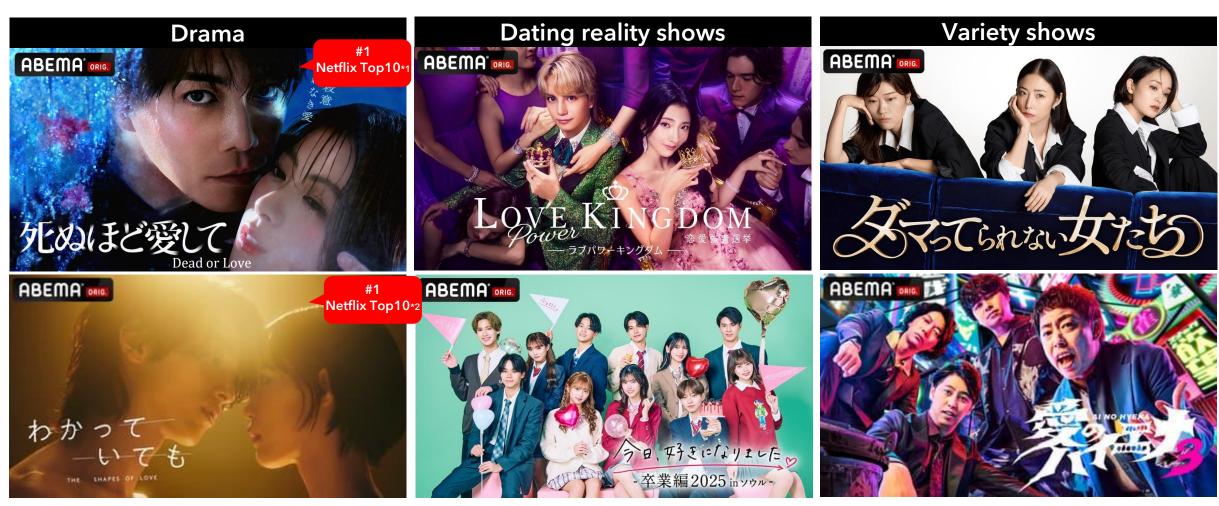


[ABEMA] Sports content had strong viewership in addition to popular genre such as anime and variety





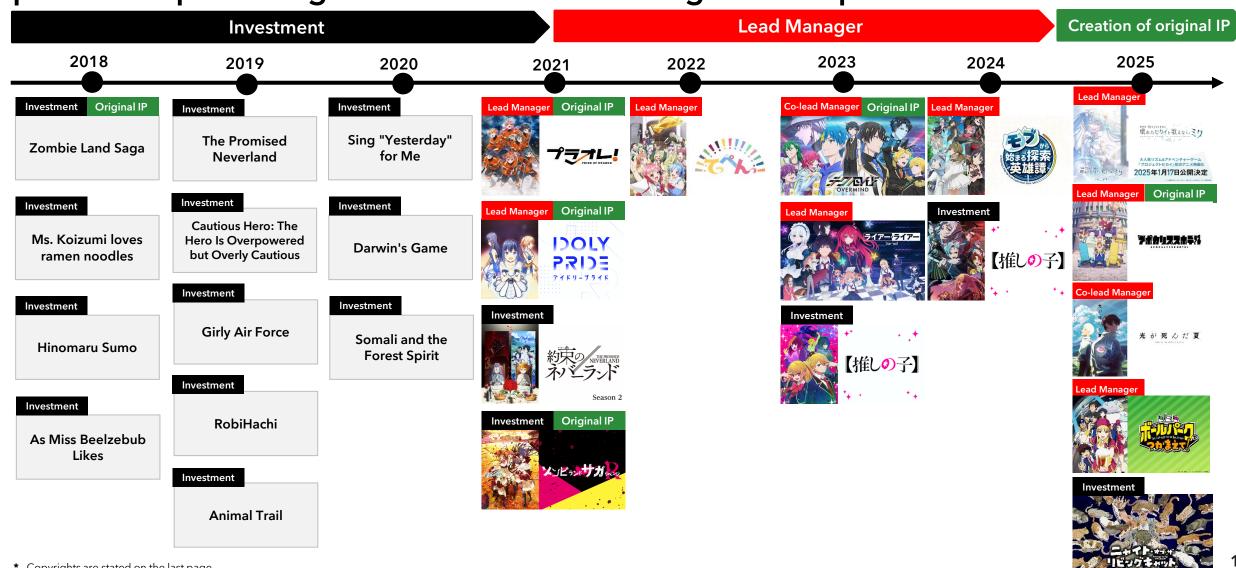
# [ABEMA] Original programs gained popularity 2 ABEMA original dramas topped the Netflix weekly ranking



<sup>\*1</sup> Dead or Love took the #1 spot for the week of March 31 and April 6, 2025, in the top 10 ranking.

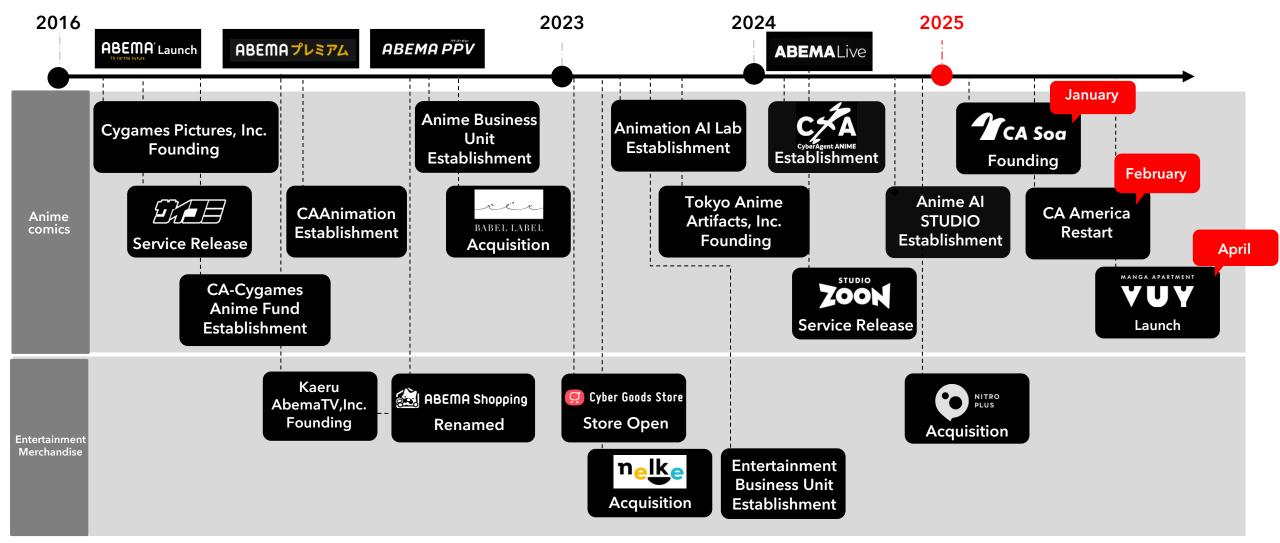


[IP Business] Small investments in building relationships led us to take a leading position in producing anime. Aim to create original IP in parallel with investment





# [IP Business] IP business has been expanding gradually since ABEMA's launch





## [IP Business] Many new businesses, new projects are launching









[IP Business] Building a one-stop system from original IP creation to monetization













# Internet Advertisement



117.7

111.8 110.8

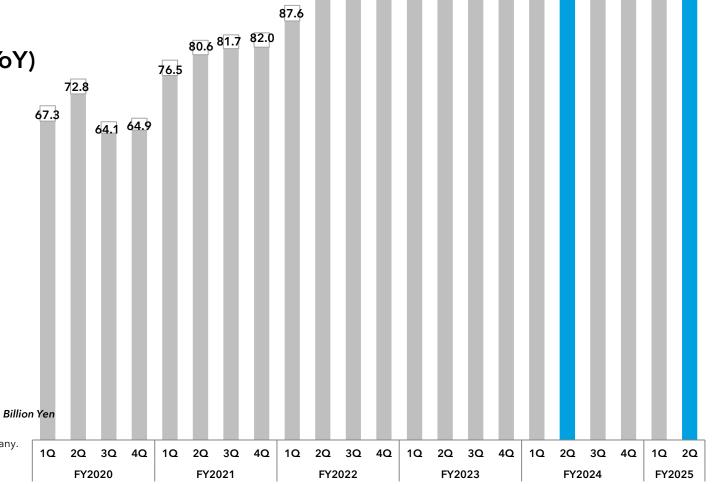
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YoY





Q2 117.5 billion yen (up 9.9% YoY)



96.8

indicates the sales of MicroAd, Inc., which became a non-consolidated company.

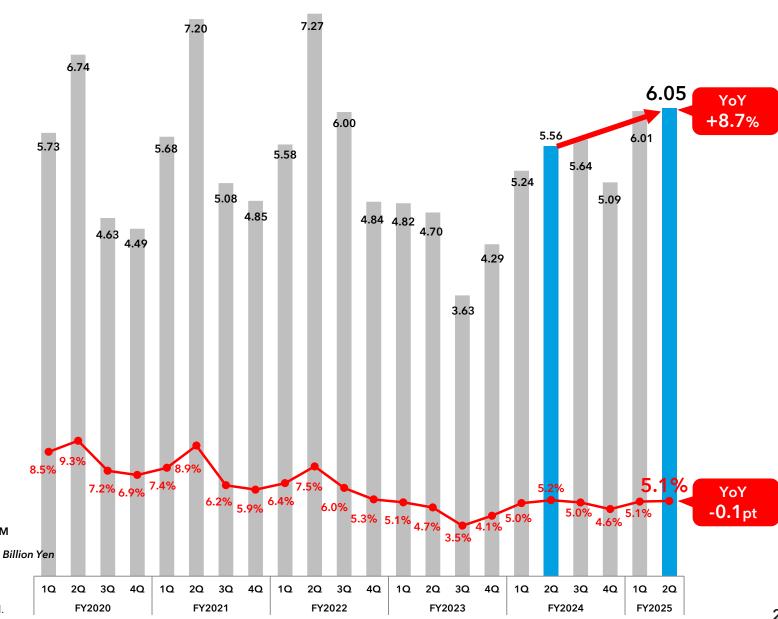
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# [Quarterly OP]

Q2 **6.0** billion yen (up **8.7**% YoY)

**OPM** was **5.1**%

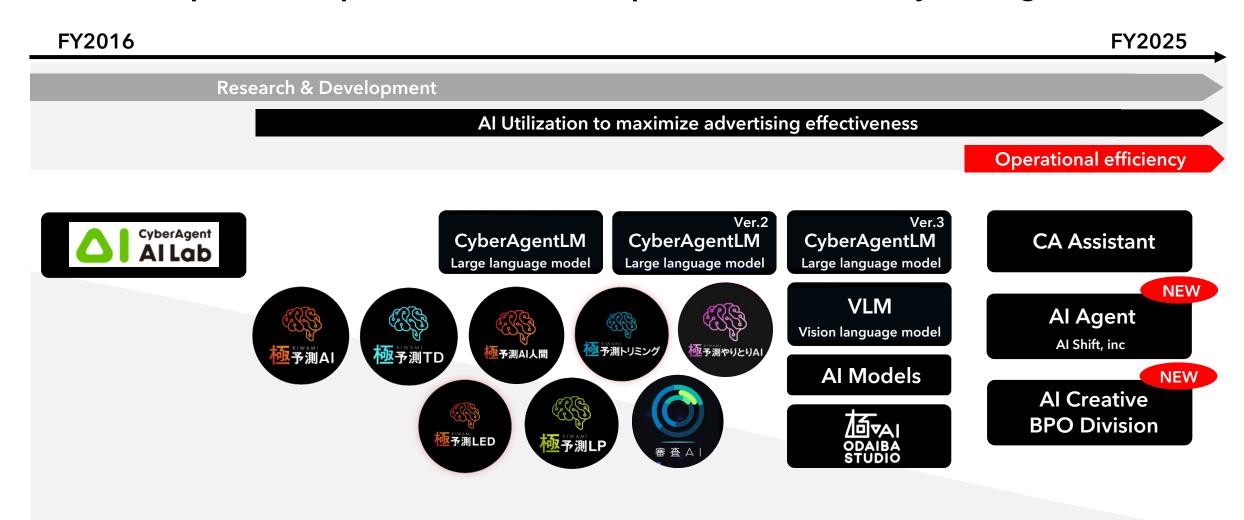


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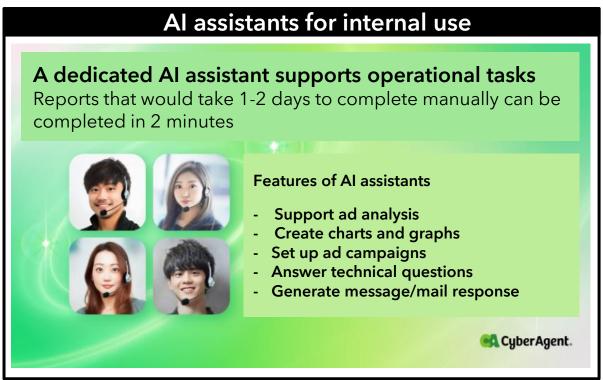


[AI] In addition to leveraging AI to maximize advertising effectiveness, our scope also expands to enhance operational efficiency through AI





[AI] AI agent service developed for internal use is now available to external clients.







# Game

#### 5. Game Business

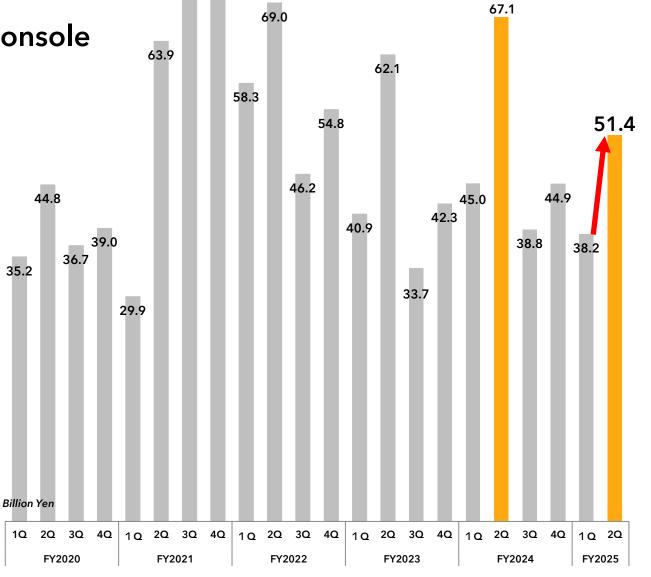


[Quarterly Sales]

Year-on-year decrease due to the hit console game released on February 1, 2024

Q2 51.4 billion yen (down 23.4% YoY)

34.6% quarter-on-quarter increase driven by new games and anniversary events



76.4

#### 5. Game Business

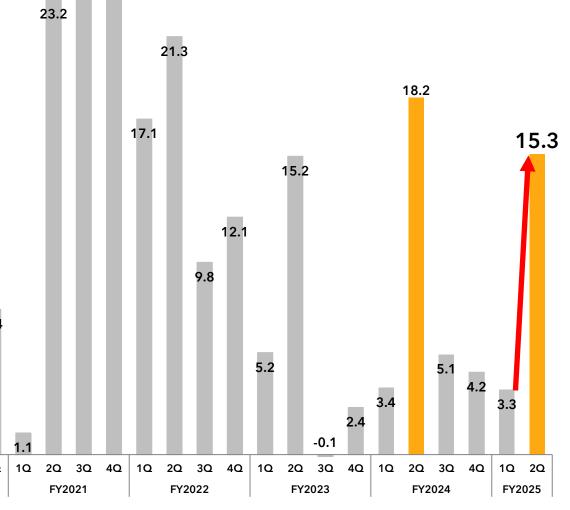


# [Quarterly OP]

Year-on-year decrease due to the hit console game released on February 1, 2024

Q2 15.3 billion yen (down 15.7% YoY)

4.6x quarter-over-quarter increase



28.1

10.4

5.1

Billion Yen

2Q

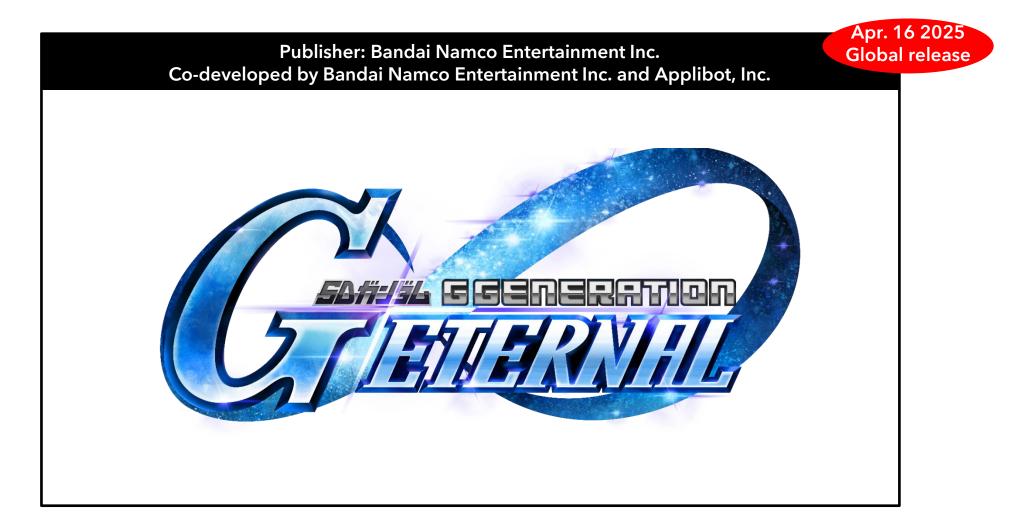
3Q

FY2020

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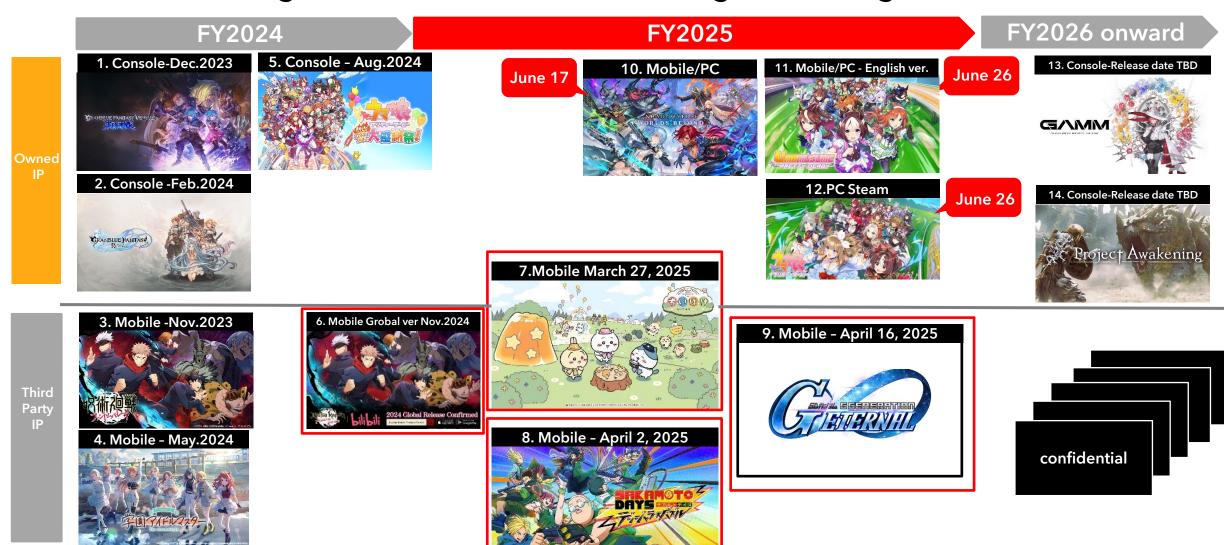
# [New Game] SD Gundam G Generation ETERNAL\* off to a good start with high user appreciation



#### 5. Game Business



[Upcoming games] 4 new games already launched so far, 6 games. in total will come out in FY 2025. Aim for global success on both the strong IPs and original IPs



<sup>\*1</sup> PC Steam version of Umamusume: Pretty Derby is not included in the new games.

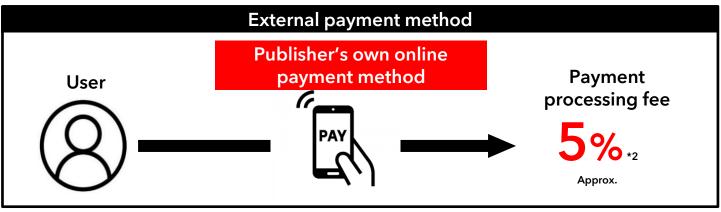
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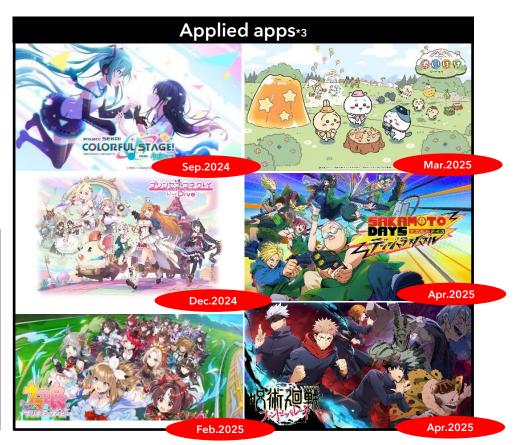


External payment method is introduced under the Act on Promotion of Competition for Specified Smartphone Software.

Continue to implement in other apps







<sup>\*1</sup> The Act on Promotion of Competition for Specified Smartphone Software was enacted in June 2024, partially enforced on December 19, 2024, and will be fully enforced by December 18, 2025.

<sup>\*2</sup> Payment processing fee varies depending on the payment methods.

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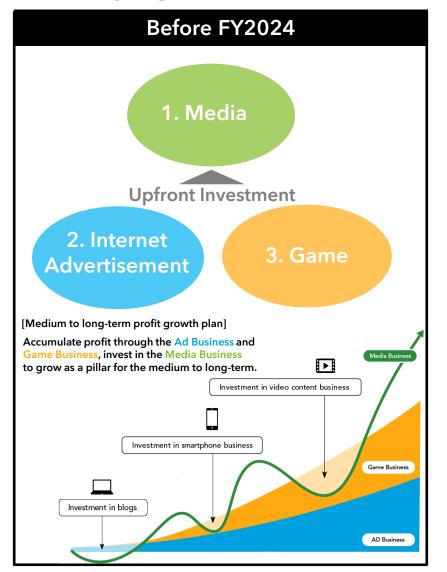


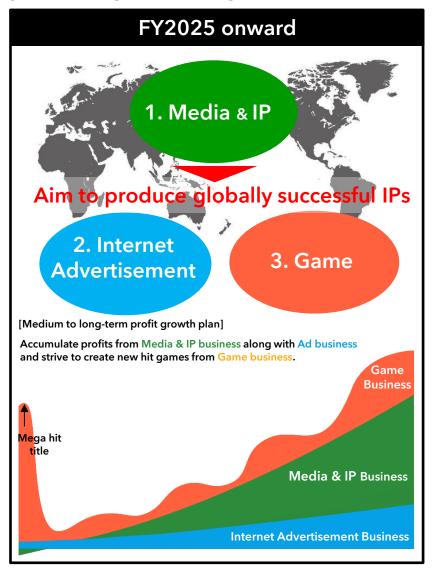
# Medium to Long-Term Strategy

### 6. Medium to Long-Term Strategy



# Media & IP business to drive profitability in FY2025 Build a high-profit business model by strengthening the IP business







Aiming to be a company with medium to long-term supporters



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# To break through stagnation with new power and the internet

Contribute to the digital shift of all industries.

Make ABEMA the television of the future, an easily accessible social infrastructure.

Challenge the world with a fusion of technology and creativity.

Eliminate the seniority system and embody the Japanese economy of the 21st century.

Adapt to the changing times and aim to become a global company.

Vitalize Japan with the internet.



# Integrated Report CyberAgent Way 2024



This year's report features an interview with two Outside Directors regarding the succession plan, which began in 2022. In addition, Koichi Watanabe, Representative Director of Cygames, Inc., talks about future prospects. The growth strategies of the three main businesses and our initiatives to support sustainable growth, including talent development and ESG information are also covered in the report.

Integrated Report
CyberAgent Way 2024

https://report.cyberagent.co.jp/en/





#### [Forward-looking statement]

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