

2021 Financial Results

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Aiming to be the world's leading investment bank seeking maximum contributions to clients and the happiness of all employees



# Wholeheartedly responding to decisions.

- We will continually pursue higher knowledge, service levels, teamwork and new fields as one of the world's leading groups of professionals and, above all, will work to achieve the solutions and gains our customers expect with earnestness and passion that far exceeds our competitors.
- Our employees will achieve personal growth, economic prosperity and happy family lives through work at a broader and higher level. We understand that our business results and future depend on the success of our employees.
- We are not a small-scale boutique but will continually move forward and expand into an investment bank with the world's top brand, human resources and capabilities. We will maintain thorough confidentiality and legal compliance to protect our credibility and high profitability to strengthen our capital and attract the top human resources.

## **Company Overview**



Trade Name	M&A Capital Partners Co., Ltd.			
Listed Market	Tokyo Stock Exchange First Section (Securities Code: 6080)			
Head Office Location	38F, Gran Tokyo North Tower,1-9-1 Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo			
Business Content	M&A-related services			
Representative	Satoru Nakamura, President and Representative Director			
Established	October 2005			
Capital	2.8 billion yen (as of September 30, 2021)			
Employees	Consolidated: 222 Non-consolidated: 150 (as of September 30, 2021)			
Affiliates	RECOF Corporation, RECOF DATA Corporation, Mirai Financial Planning Co., Ltd.			



# **Business Content**

### M&A-related services

We provide advisory services for the realization of M&A standing between the transferor (seller) and the transferee (buyer) from an independent and impartial position.

**Characteristics** 

We propose M&A-focused solutions and support them to implementation for company owners who have concerns about finding a successor for the business.

# Owner of transferred company (seller)

#### Successor issues

No successor Aging president



# Uncertainty about business

Shrinking domestic market Intensifying competition





### **Transferee (buyer)**

Intensifying competition in existing business due to shrinking market Global competition





Retail and distribution

Supermarkets

Discount stores

Mail order

Supplements

OA equipment

Daily goods

Health food products

Vehicle sales/servicing

Gas and fuel sales

Apparel

Interiors

Outdoor

### M&A coverage spanning a wide range of industries and businesses

#### **Pharmacy**

Pharmacy

#### Construction/ engineering works

Air-conditioning facility construction

Water supply/drainage facility construction

Electrical facilities construction

Telecommunications construction

General contractor construction

Public works

Reinforcing steel construction

Building metal construction

Residential construction

Interior work

Construction-related surveys

Building structural design

Building structural diagnostics

Painting

Temporary material rental

#### **Wholesaling**

Building materials wholesaling

Wooden building materials wholesaling

Processed lumber products wholesaling

Chemicals wholesaling

Fuel wholesaling

Cosmetics wholesaling

Lifestyle products wholesaling

Machinery and appliances wholesaling

Electronic materials wholesaling

Dental materials/ph

materials/pharmaceuticals wholesaling

Solar power wholesaling

Textiles/clothing wholesaling

Miscellaneous goods wholesaling

Food ingredient wholesaling

Food import wholesaling Fishery product wholesaling

Wholesaling of confectionery

Second-hand machinery wholesaling

#### Manufacturing industry

Metal products manufacture/processing

Chemical industry

Industrial machinery manufacture

Tool manufacture

Precision parts manufacture

Electrical machinery/appliance manufacture

Steel fabrication

Rolled-copper product processing

Electronic components manufacture/processing

Transportation machinery/appliance manufacture

Automotive parts manufacture

Air-conditioning equipment

Energy-saving machinery design/manufacture

Cleaning/drying equipment manufacture

Machinery repair

Concrete products manufacture

Medical appliance manufacture

Supplement planning/manufacture

pianning/manufacture

Women's clothing manufacture

Daily goods planning/manufacture

Textile product manufacture

Fishery product processing

Confectionery manufacture

Food manufacture/processing

Pharmaceutical manufacture

Beauty products manufacture

### IT/ information services

Data mining
Information services

Outsourced software development

System development Consulting

### Distribution

General freight transportation Newspaper delivery

Distribution processing Truck rental

Warehousing

#### **Eating out**

Eating out Home-delivered meals

#### Real estate

Real estate brokerage

Multi-unit apartment maintenance

Investment real estate development

Building maintenance

Lease management

### Nursing care/healthcare/welfare

Nursing care business

Clinical study support Medical corporations Daycare

#### media Printing

Printing
Advertising agency

Paper bag manufacture

Event planning/preparation

Advertising/printing/

Design

Video creation

Package software development Game development

#### Other

Lease/rental

Temporary staffing

Temporary engineer staffing BPO

Medical preparatory school

Childcare facilities

Preparatoryschool

Hotspringresorts

Hotels

Operationofamusementfacilities

Facilitiessecurity

Insuranceagency

Buying/sellingoftickets

Sales promotion

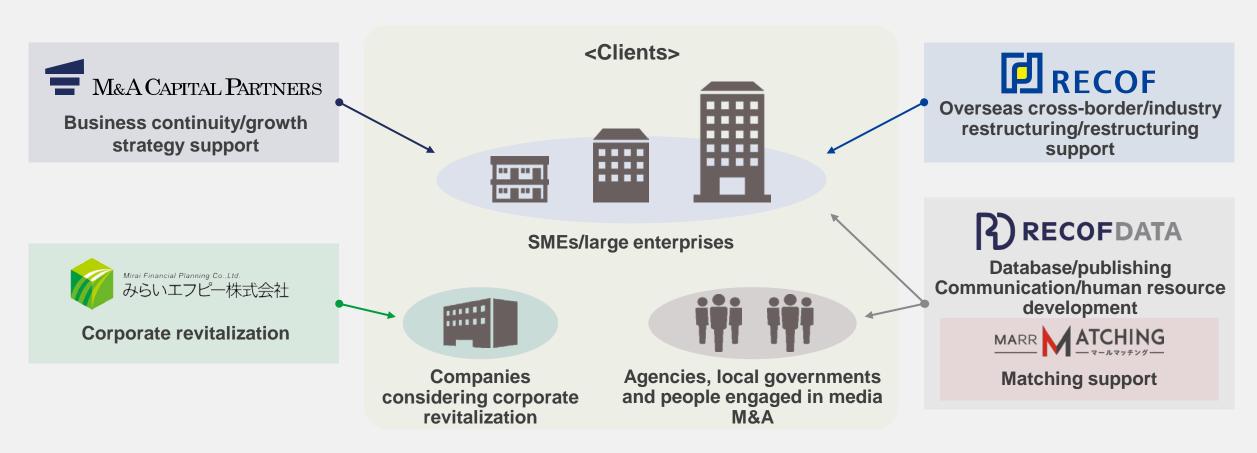
Tradingcompany

Wasteprocessing

Funerals



### Japan's leading professional group able to provide optimal M&A for all clients



Coverage of all service areas related to a variety of forms of M&A by 4 group companies



# Mirai Financial Planning joined the MACP Group as corporate revitalization and business revitalization professionals



Trade Name	Mirai Financial Planning Co., Ltd.		
Head Office Location	9F Saiwai Building, 1-3-1 Uchisaiwaicho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo		
Business Content Corporate revitalization consulting service			
Representative Yasuo Nakatsu, President and Representative Director			
Established	March 2002		
Capital	100 million yen (as of September 30, 2021)		
Number of officers and employees	8 (as of September 30, 2021)		

Enables corporate revitalization and business revitalization projects for which consultations have increased due to COVID-19 to be handled in one stop within the Group, providing a greater contribution to society





The number of deals made exceeded forecasts and reached the highest level on record at 172 (up 23.7% year on year)

Large deals\* were also at the highest level on record at 36 (up 50.0% year on year)



	Result for the year	Forecast for the year	vs. Forecast for the year
Number of deals (consolidated)	172	166	103.6%

#### Non-consolidated

M&A Capital Partners Co., Ltd.

34 of the 155 deals closed (+31.4% year on year) were large deals



- Closed a record 50 deals in 4Q
- Record number of deals closed for the full year

#### **RECOF**

2 of the 17 deals closed (-19.0% year on year) were large deals



\* Deals with a commission of 100 million yen or more

# **Consolidated Financial Highlights for the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2021**



Achieved the best performance and highest number of deals closed since the company was founded

**Net sales** 

15,161 million yen

(+27.7% year-on-year)

**Ordinary income** 

6,588 million yen

(+30.4% year-on-year)

**Number of Deals** 

**172** deals

(+23.7% year-on-year)

Large deals

Record number of

36 deals

(+50.0% year-on-year)

**Number of consultants** 

168

(+17 year-on-year)

In addition, <u>advances received</u>, which is a useful indicator of order backlog, increased steadily to <u>837 million yen (+33.3% year on year)</u>.

# Non-consolidated Financial Highlights for the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2021



	M&A Capital Partners Co., Ltd.		RECOF	
	Result	Year-on-year Change	Result	Year-on-year Change
Net sales	13,833 million yen	+35.7%	1,079 million yen	-32.3%
Ordinary income	6,889 million yen	+39.0%	-89 million yen	-
Number of Deals	155 deals	+31.4%	17 deals	-19.0%
Large deals	34 deasl	+61.9%	2 deals	-33.3%
Number of consultants	123	+23	45	-6

<sup>\*</sup>Because non-consolidated information is shown, amortization (226 million yen) due to business integration is not included.

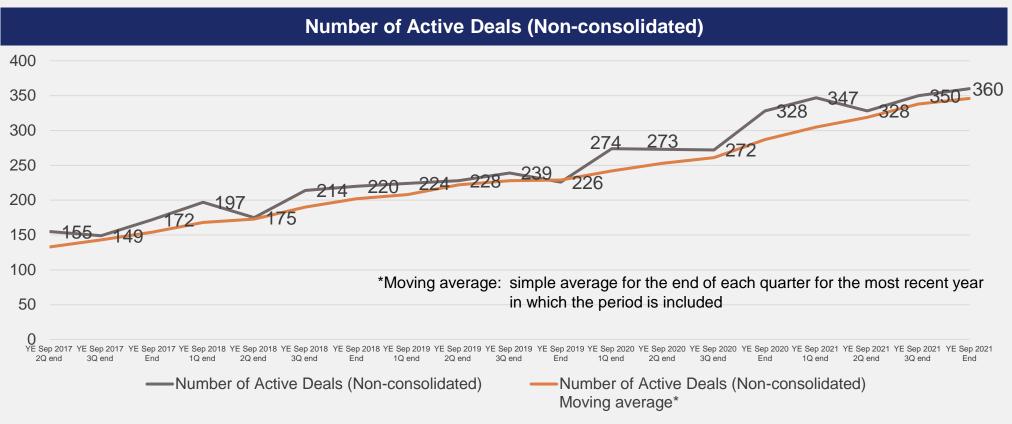
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The number of active deals was the highest on record at 360 (+9.8% year on year)

There was a significant increase in new deals, and the number of deals is expected to remain stable in the 17th fiscal period

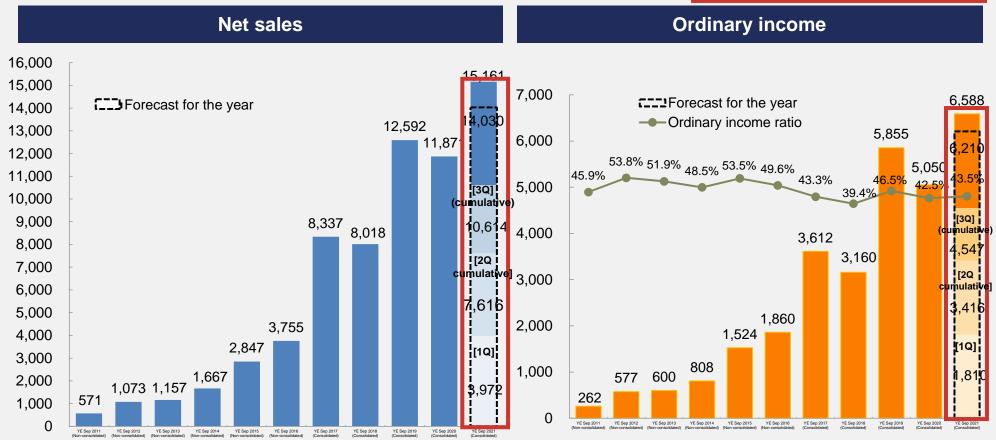




In 8 years since listing (year ended September 2013), Units: Millions of ven

sales have increased rapidly by more than 13x.

	Result for the year	Forecast for the year	Progress for Entire Year
Net sales	15,161	14,030	108.1%
Ordinary income	6,588	6,210	106.1%



# Overview of Statements of Income (Consolidated) for the Fiscal Year Ende September 30, 2021



### Achieved record net sales, operating income and ordinary income

(Units: millions of yen, second line is composition ratio )

	(Units: millions of yen, second line is composition				
		Year Ended September 2021			
	Year Ended September 2021		Year-on-year Change	Main Factors Causing Change	
Net sales	<b>11,871</b> (100.0%)	<b>15,161</b> (100%)	+27.7%	<ul><li>Record number of deals closed</li><li>Closed 36 large deals</li></ul>	
Gross profit	<b>7,968</b> (67.1%)	<b>9,770</b> (64.4%)	+22.6%	Impact of higher revenue	
SG&A	<b>2,916</b> (24.6%)	<b>3,198</b> (21.1%)	+9.7%	<ul> <li>Rents +89 (mostly related to satellite offices)</li> <li>Commission expenses +73</li> <li>Taxes and dues +49</li> </ul>	
Operating income	<b>5,051</b> (42.6%)	<b>6,572</b> (43.3%)	+30.1%	Impact of higher revenue	
Ordinary income	<b>5,050</b> (42.5%)	<b>6,588</b> (43.5%)	+30.4%		
Net income	<b>3,407</b> (28.7%)	<b>4,311</b> (28.4%)	+26.5%		



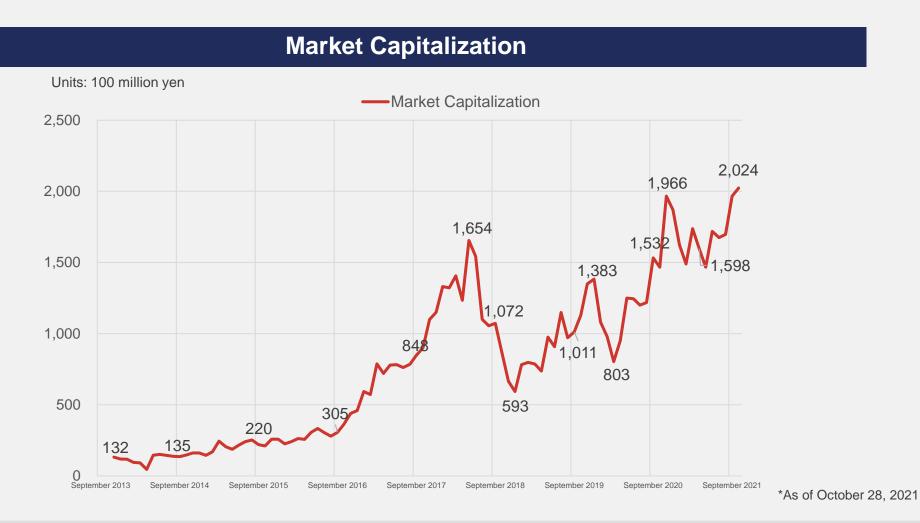
### Solid financial condition backed by stable shareholders equity

(Units: millions of yen, second line is composition ratio)

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	September 30,	September 30, 2021		
	2021		Change	Main Factors Causing Change
Current assets	<b>21,673</b> (90.1%)	<b>27,720</b> (90.0%)	+6,047	<ul> <li>Cash and deposits +5,899</li> <li>Accounts receivable - trade +47</li> </ul>
Noncurrent assets	<b>2,386</b> (9.9%)	<b>3,076</b> (10.0%)	+689	<ul> <li>Goodwill -193 (Amortization of goodwill)</li> <li>Lease and guarantee deposits +827</li> </ul>
Total assets	<b>24,060</b> (100.0%)	<b>30,796</b> (100.0%)	+6,736	
Current liabilities	<b>3,199</b> (13.3%)	<b>4,690</b> (15.2%)	+1,491	<ul> <li>Income taxes payable +779</li> <li>Accounts payable - other +288</li> <li>Advances received +209</li> <li>Accrued consumption taxes +204</li> </ul>
Noncurrent liabilities	<b>229</b> (1.0%)	<b>264</b> (0.9%)	+35	
Total liabilities	<b>3,428</b> (14.2%)	<b>4,954</b> (16.1%)	+1,526	
Total net assets	<b>20,632</b> (85.8%)	<b>25,841</b> (83.9%)	+5,209	
Total liabilities and net assets	<b>24,060</b> (100.0%)	<b>30,796</b> (100.0%)	+6,736	



Highest growth rate among M&A intermediation companies listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange First Section Market capitalization has increased more than 15 times over the 8 years since listing.



# Consolidated Earnings Forecasts for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 2022



**Earnings** Forecasts

The number of active deals will remain strong, and the best performance on record is forecast

**Net sales** 

16,220 million yen

(+7.0% year on year)

**Ordinary income** 

6,823 million yen

(+3.6% year on year)

**Number of Deals** 

Large deals

193 deals

33 deals

(+12.2% year on year)

(-8.3% year on year)

Number of consultants

203

(+35 year on year)

# Non-consolidated Earnings Forecasts for the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 2022



**Earnings Forecasts** 

	M&A Capital Partners Co., Ltd.		RECOF	
		Year-on-year Change		Year-on-year Change
Net sales	14,368 million yen	+3.9%	1,448 million yen	+34.3
Ordinary income	7,083 million yen	+2.8%	104 million yen	-
Number of Deals	168 deals	+8.4%	25 deals	+47.1%
Large deals	30 deals	-11.8%	3 deals	+50.0%
Number of consultants	154	+31	49	+4

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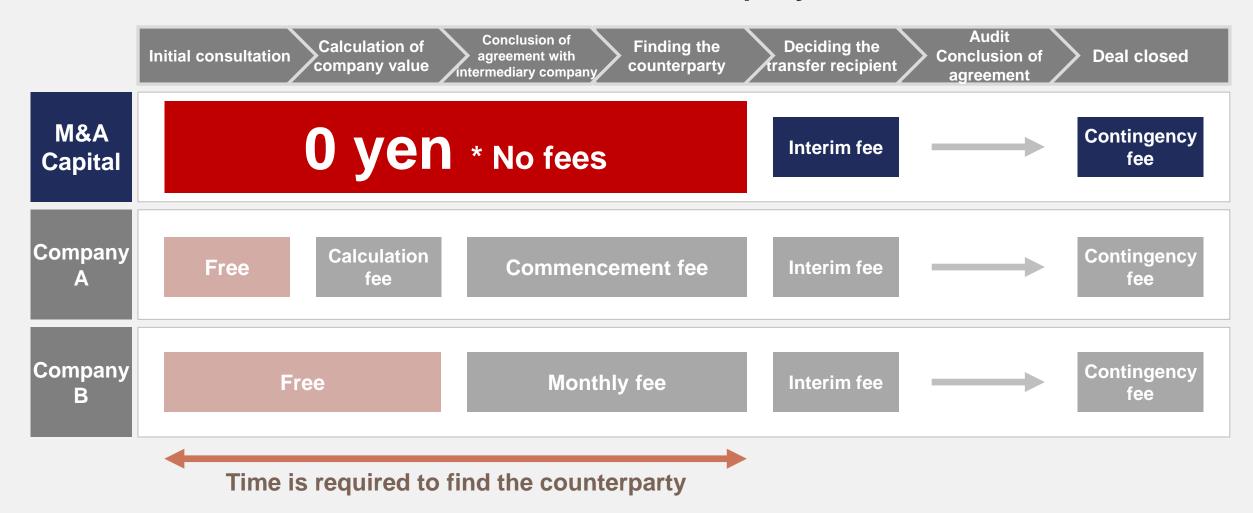


### M&A CAPITAL PARTNERS CORPORATE IDENTITY

# Aiming to be the world's leading investment bank seeking maximum contributions to clients and the happiness of all employees



The clear "no commencement fee" system enabling customers to consult with peace of mind has continued since the company was founded



# The Fee Amount Is Determined Using the "Lehman Formula Based on Share Value"

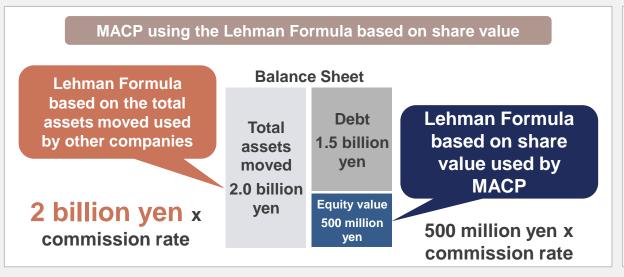


We use the "Lehman Formula based on share value" that leads to overwhelmingly lower costs as the formula for calculating fees in a way that convinces customers

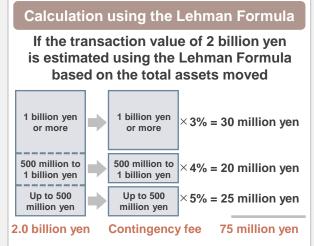
#### What is the Lehman Formula?

- A general calculation formula used for M&A intermediary contingency fees. Calculating fees according to a fixed commission rate against the value of the transaction
- Typical examples are the "Lehman formula based on the total assets moved" multiplying the total assets moved by a commission rate and the "Lehman Formula based on share value" multiplying the share value by a commission rate

\* It is a calculation formula created by referring to the fee structure used by the U.S. investment bank Lehman Brothers. The M&A team of the former Yamaichi Securities led by RECOF Corporation founder Masaaki Yoshida first adopted it in the Japanese market in 1974, and it has been widely used by RECOF Corporation to calculate contingency fees in the M&A industry since then. It is also referred to as the "Lehman Scale."

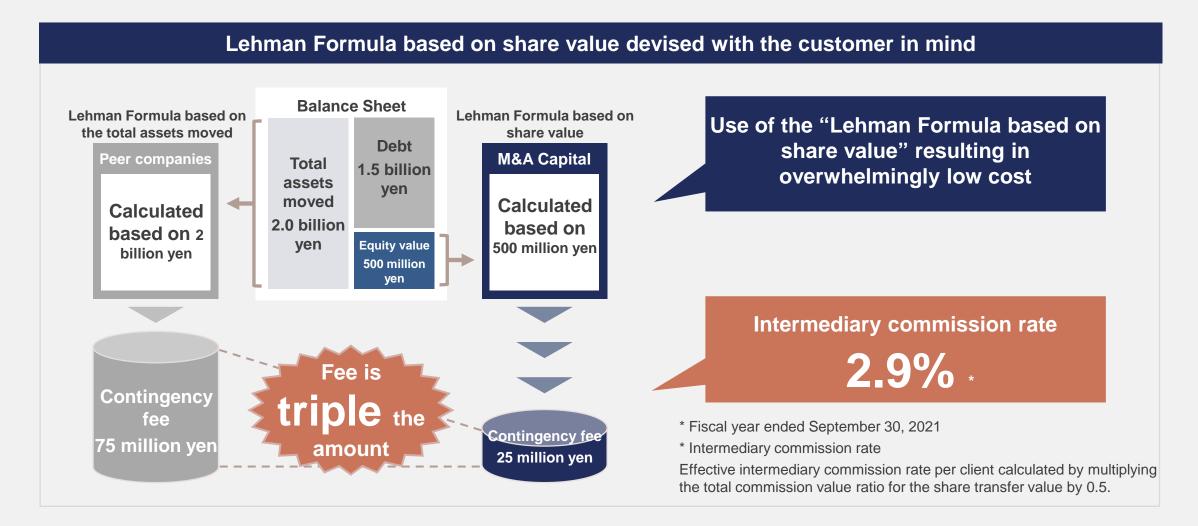


Examples of Lehman Formula rates				
Transaction value, etc.	Commission rate			
Over 10 billion yen	1%			
5 billion yen up to 10 billion yen	2%			
1 billion yen up to 5 billion yen	3%			
500 million yen up to 1 billion yen	4%			
Up to 500 million yen	5%			





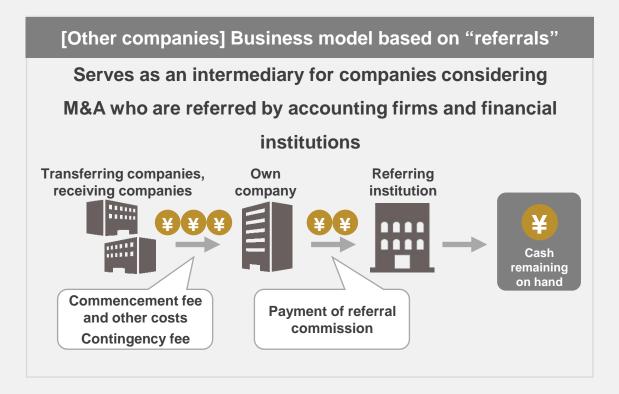
### Overwhelmingly low commission rate within the M&A intermediary industry

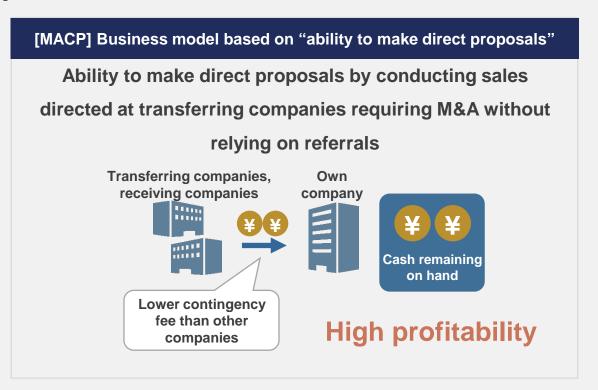




A "true M&A intermediary" that does not rely on just referrals

A unique business model in the industry made possible by overwhelming ability to make direct proposals

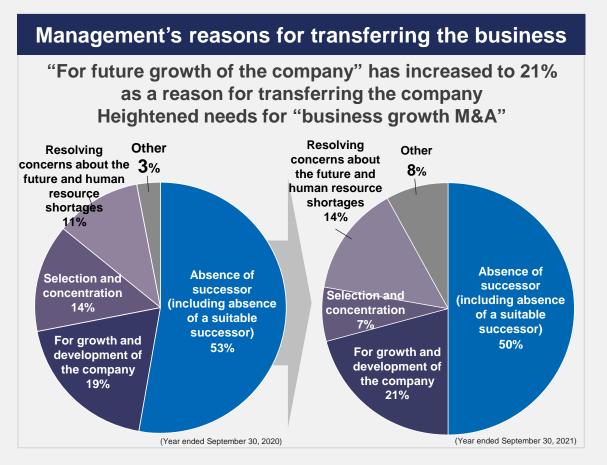


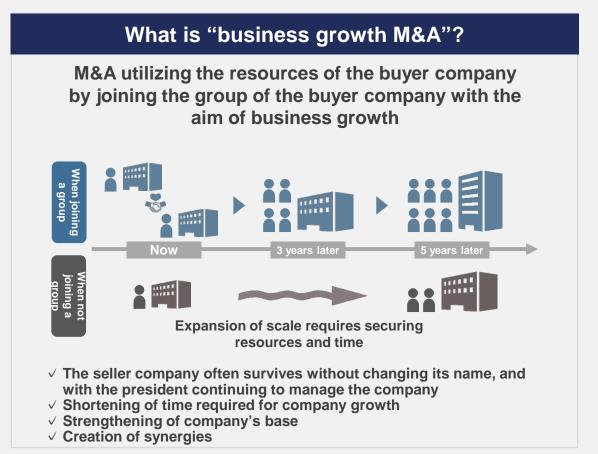


Realization of not only conventional "business succession M&A" deals where the transferring company emerges, but also latent "business succession M&A" and "business growth M&A"



"Business succession M&A" resolving the absence of successor, which continues to be in demand and "business growth M&A" leading to growth with an eye to the future that has been increasing in recent years







Realizing an extraordinary average value of share transfer in the M&A intermediary industry by working on many difficult large deals



<sup>\*</sup> Non-consolidated for the year ended September 30, 2021

### M&A CAPITAL PARTNERS CORPORATE IDENTITY

# Aiming to be the world's leading investment bank seeking maximum contributions to clients and the happiness of all employees



# The highest level of compensation in Japan attracts the best talent in the country, enabling the company to provide the highest level of M&A services

### ■ 2021 ranking of companies by annual income (top 5)

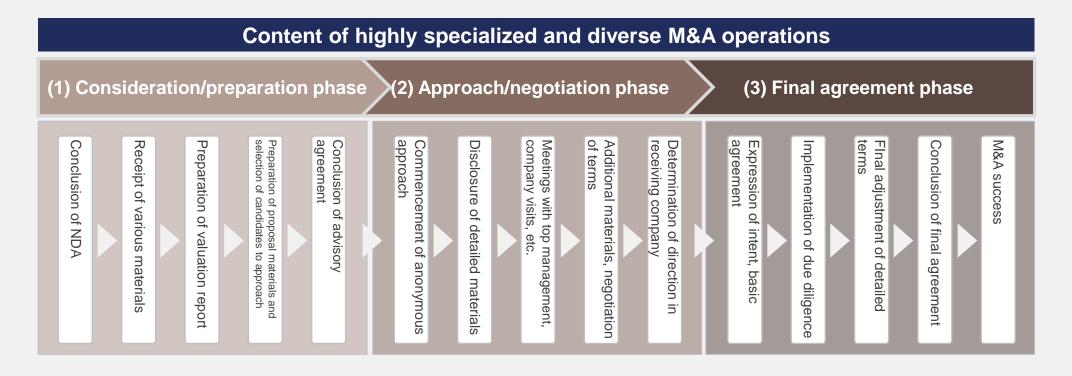
Rank	Company name	Average annual income (10,000 yen)	Average age (years)
1	M&A Capital Partners Co., Ltd.	2,269.90	31.4
2	Company A	1,751.80	35.8
3	Company B	1,708.20	39.4
4	Company C	1,678.40	42.7
5	Company D	1,627.80	42

Source: Diamond Online (July 19, 2021)

The most important element in an M&A intermediary company is "human resources" and the abilities of M&A consultants are very important in particular



# Highly specialized and diverse M&A operations Importance of a sense of responsibility and mission to growth the Japanese economy



The skills required of an M&A consultant include not only a wide range of specialized knowledge on M&A, but it is also important to be able to make proposals that match the customer's feelings



We have created a training program for further developing the best talent in Japan into the best talent in the world



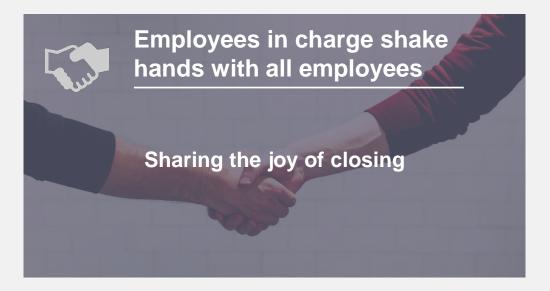


Individual growth leads to growth of the organization as a whole



# Individual growth is a source of growth of the organization as a whole Corporate culture emphasizing deep-rooted teamwork since the company was founded





Toward "happiness for all employees" envisaged by M&A Capital Partners



Overwhelming productivity per person in the M&A industry proving that we have the best consultants in Japan

Net sales per consultant

135.61 million yen

(+10.4% year-on-year)

**Ordinary income per consultant** 

67.54 million yen

(+13.1% year-on-year)

\* Non-consolidated fiscal year ended September 30, 2021 (number of consultants is based on the start of the fiscal year)

# Wholeheartedly responding to customers' resolutions.

M&A Capital Partners' passion for customers since the company was founded Satoru Nakamura

# **M&A** with heart

Passion for customers that has continued since the company was founded in 1987 RECOF founder Masaaki Yoshida

## DNA passed on from the founders of M&A in Japan



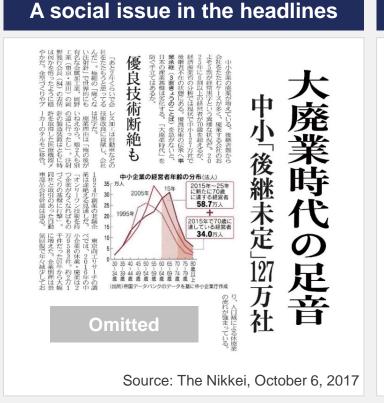


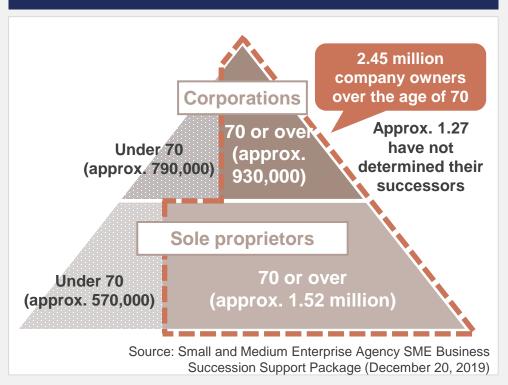
#### The Social Mission to Be Fulfilled by the Company



## Save as many SMEs as possible from closure, and contribute to growth of the Japanese economy through M&A

**Absence of approximately 1.27 million successors** 





Approx. 60,000 companies require support each year

Approx. 1.27 have not determined their successors

600,000

companies
Companies at risk of black-ink
bankruptcy in the decade until 2025

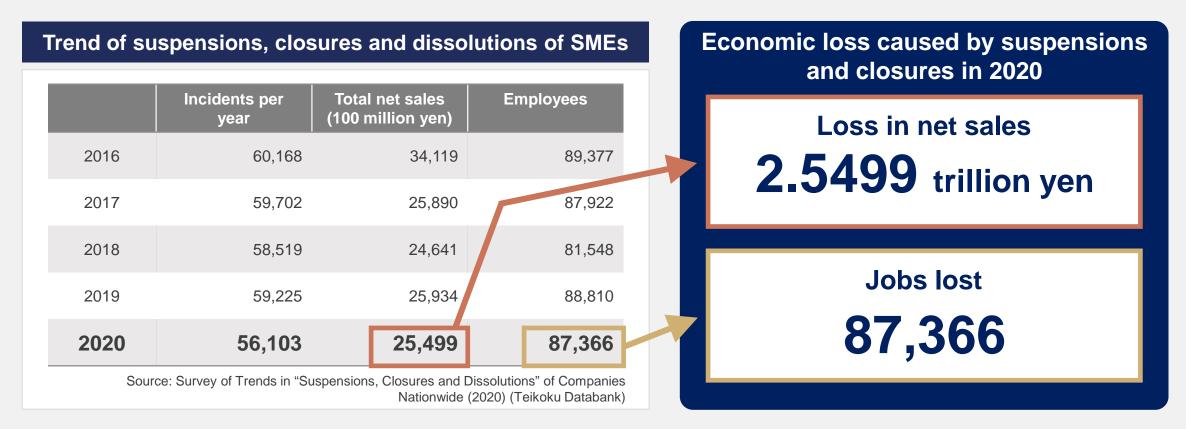
Approx. 60,000 business operators require M&A support each year

Source: Small and Medium Enterprise Agency (December 20, 2019)

The Company's social mission of "business succession" and "creating new growth opportunities" for the next generation of SMEs



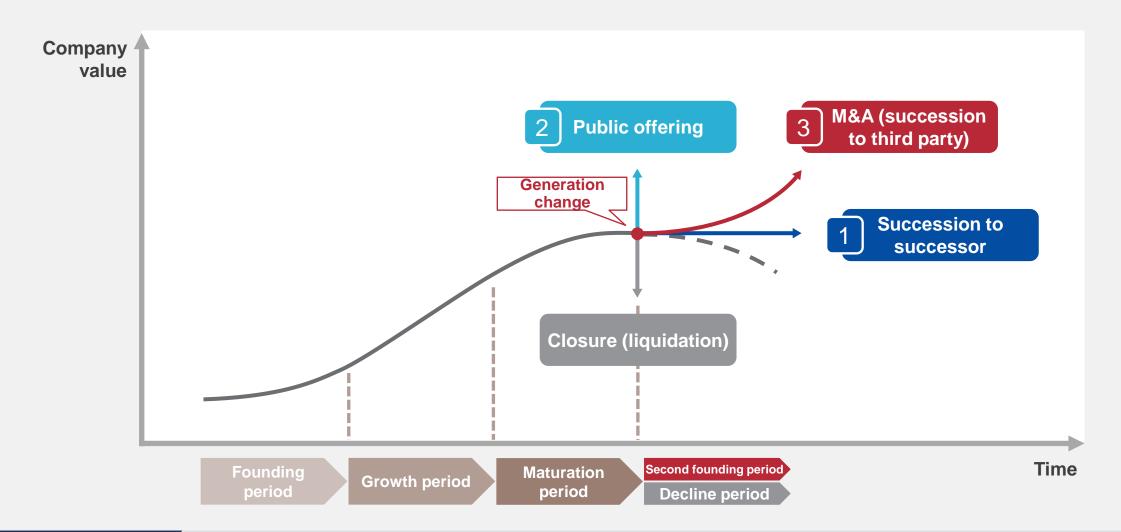
## Increase in SMEs choosing to close business Further accelerated by uncertainty caused by COVID-19



Closures have an extremely large impact on reginal economies and the Japanese economy, such as the loss of employees' jobs and the impact on business partners



#### Company owners are faced with four options when determining business succession



#### The Choice of M&A Saves SMEs from Closure



## M&A maintains employees' jobs and relationships with business partners The personal suretyship is also lifted, making it the optimal means of maximizing founder's profit

Option		<ul><li>Advantages</li></ul>	▲ Disadvantages	
Closure (liquidation)		Securing profit for founder (less than other options)	▲Termination of business (inconveniencing business partners ▲Dismissal of all employees ▲Risk of being unable to repay debt during closure	
Succession to successor	Relatives	Continue status as owner's family	▲ Absence of successor	
	Officers and employees	<ul> <li>Passed on to officers and employee who understand the business</li> </ul>	▲Lack of funds to purchase shares ▲Risk of being unable to remove president's personal suretyship	
2 Public offering		<ul><li>Separation of management and capital</li><li>Improvement of recruiting and funding capabilities</li></ul>	▲ Stricter listing criteria ▲ Requires years of time ▲ Does not lead to succession of capital (shares cannot be converted into cash)	
3 M&A (succession to third party)		<ul> <li>Company: Growth with stronger operating base</li> <li>Owner: Securing profit for the founder, removal of personal suretyship</li> <li>Employees: Stability of employment</li> </ul>	▲Time may be required for consideration	

### Our Contribution to Sustainability of Japanese Economy through M&A



Our contribution to sustainability of the Japanese economy ever since the Company was founded is over 1.2144 trillion yen

In the 16th fiscal year, the level of contribution was 260.2 billion yen and 7,716 jobs in terms of sustainability of the economy and jobs, respectively

Contribution to sustainability of Japanese economy since the Company was founded over 1.2144 trillion yen (Cumulative sales of transferred companies)

Contribution to sustainability of Japanese economy in the 16th fiscal year

260.2 billion yen

(Cumulative sales of transferred companies)

Contribution to sustainability of jobs in the 16th fiscal year

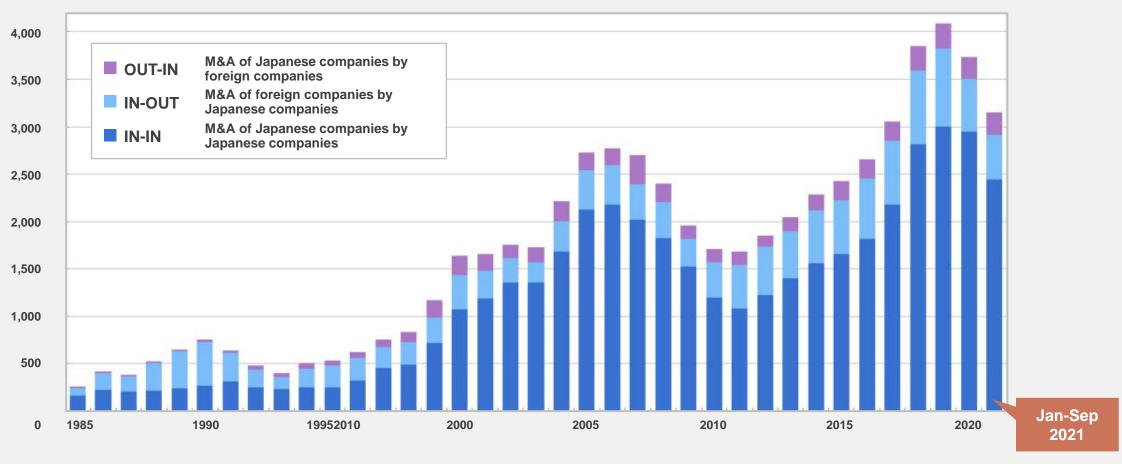
7,716 jobs

(Cumulative number of employees of transferred companies)

\* Estimates based on internal research (as of September 30, 2021)



#### M&A deals involving Japanese companies are at the highest level on record The M&A market is expected to be lively after COVID-19

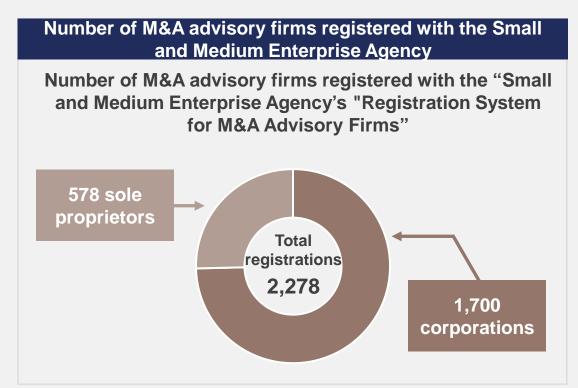


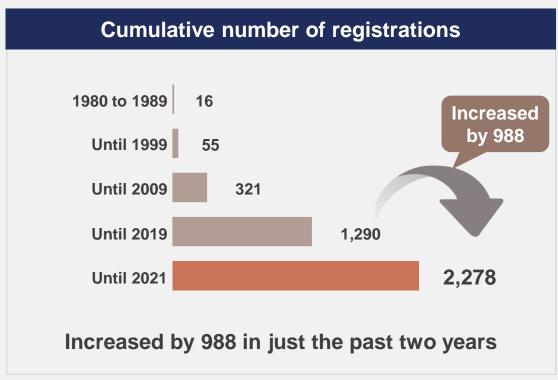
Source: RCOF M&A Database

#### **Continually Increasing M&A Advisory Firms**



#### M&A advisory firms have rapidly increased since 2020





Source: Small and Medium Enterprise Agency "Final Announcement of Registered Financial Advisors and Brokers for the M&A Support Institution Registration System" (as of October 15, 2021)

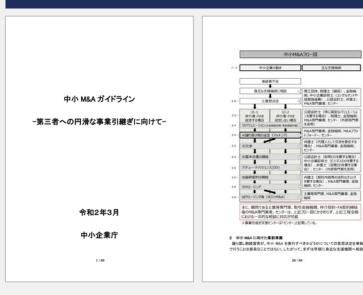
There is an urgent need to establish a foundation for increasing M&A advisory firms to enable SMEs to engage in M&A with confidence

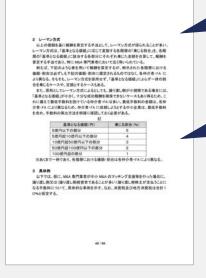
### **Coordinated Initiatives by Government and the Private Sector to Address Social Issues**



We have begun working with the Small and Medium Enterprise Agency to provide managers of SMEs with understanding of M&A and enable M&A advisory firms to conduct appropriate M&A in order to resolve the business succession problem

#### SME M&A Guidelines established on March 31, 2020





Publication of basic matters to encourage understanding of M&A among SMEs without successors and ensure the appropriate execution of M&A by M&A advisory firms

<u>"Business Succession Guidelines" Review Committee</u>

Two people from the MACP Group participated in drafting

Toward resolution of (1) lack of knowledge and experience, (2) concerns about cost, and (3) distrust of M&A support that cause SMEs hesitate to engage in M&A

Other coordinated support activities by government and the private sector

- "SME and Small Business Operator Policy Study Group" (December 3, 2019)
- "Establishment of M&A Support Institution Registration System" (October 7, 2021)

Strong coordination between government and the private sector continues to be vital going forward for addressing the progressing problem of absence of successors

### The M&A Intermediary Industry Is Moving from Competition to a New Era of Cooperation



The "M&A Intermediaries Association" was established on October 1, 2021 as an industry group aimed at the sound advancement of the M&A industry and developing and maintaining the Japanese economy



Directors of the M&A Intermediaries Association at the launch press conference, MACP President Nakamura is at the center of the photo

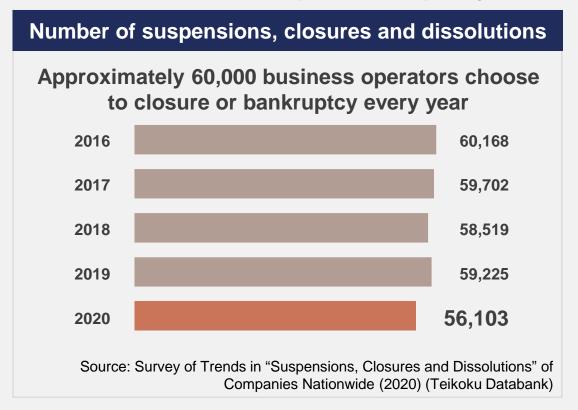


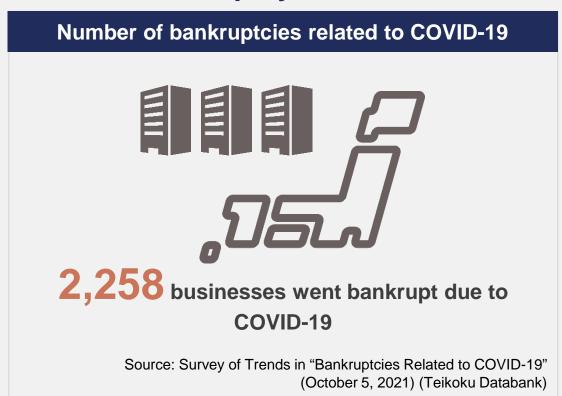
MACP President Nakamura commenting on his appointment as a director at the launch press conference

Our greatest mission as a leading company in the M&A industry is the creation of a sound M&A industry



## Toward the creation of a sound M&A industry to save approximately 60,000 business operators per year from black-ink bankruptcy





Owners of SMEs need an environment in which they can utilize M&A with confidence



#### Philosophy and visual symbol of RECOF since it was founded in 1987







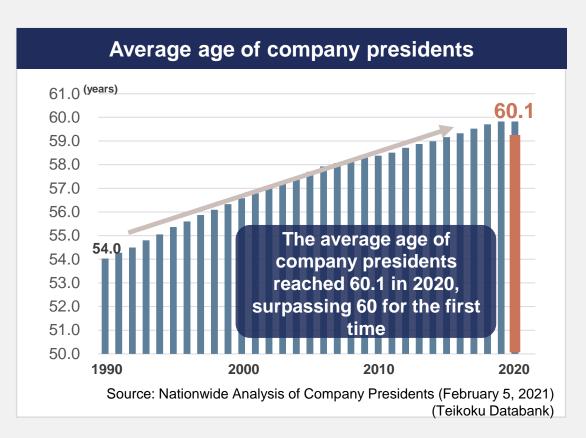


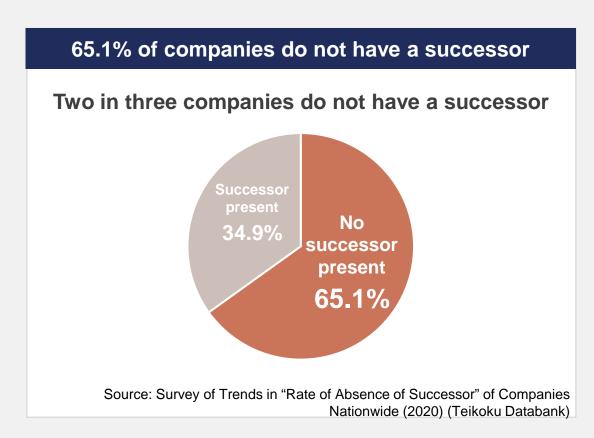
#### M&A CAPITAL PARTNERS CORPORATE IDENTITY

# bank seeking maximum contributions to clients and the happiness of all employees



## Ages of company presidents are higher than ever The number of companies without successors also remains high

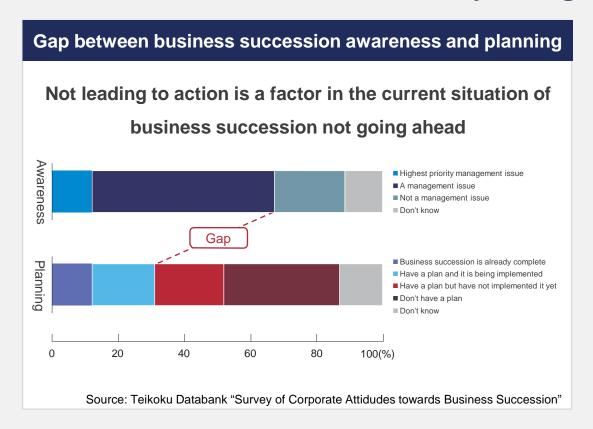




Business succession by companies without a successor is a major key for the future growth of the Japanese economy



## 70% of company owners are conscious of business succession but have not reached the point of planning It is necessary to dig up latent needs for M&A

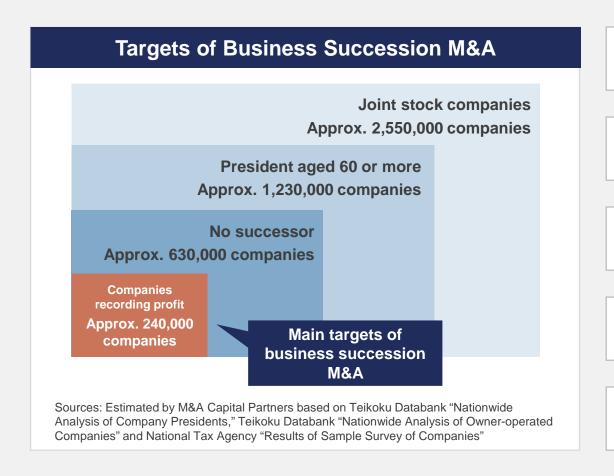


Issues in implementation of business succession							
	Past difficulties	%		Potential difficulties	%		
1	Development of successor	48.3	1	Development of successor	55.4		
2	Tax measures such as inheritance tax and gift tax	31.7	2	Determination of successor	44.6		
3	Handling of assets such as the company's shares	30.5	3	Understanding of employees	25.5		
4	Determination of successor	28.2	4	Enhancement of future potential and appeal of business	22.3		
5	Transfer of authority to successor	26.4	5	Handling of assets such as the company's shares	19.6		
Source: Teikoku Databank "Survey of Corporate Attidudes towards Business Succession"							

Latent needs can be approached through the ability to make direct proposals, which is MACP's strength



## There is still a large business succession M&A market, and approaches will continue to be made to companies with business succession needs



It is estimated that the targets for business succession M&A number around 240,000

The Company has handled 172 business succession M&A deals (per year)

The business succession M&A market is extremely large

Able to grow steadily by continually hiring consultants

Focus on M&A intermediary business centered on business succession M&A



## To be the world's leading investment bank

Resolve the business succession problem and support the growth of SMEs for the development of the Japanese economy

Listed on

**Tokyo Stock** 

Exchange

**First Section** 

2014

Listed on

**Tokyo Stock** 

Exchange

**Mothers** 

2013

**Established** 

2005

Now

2021

Flagship company supporting the Japanese economy

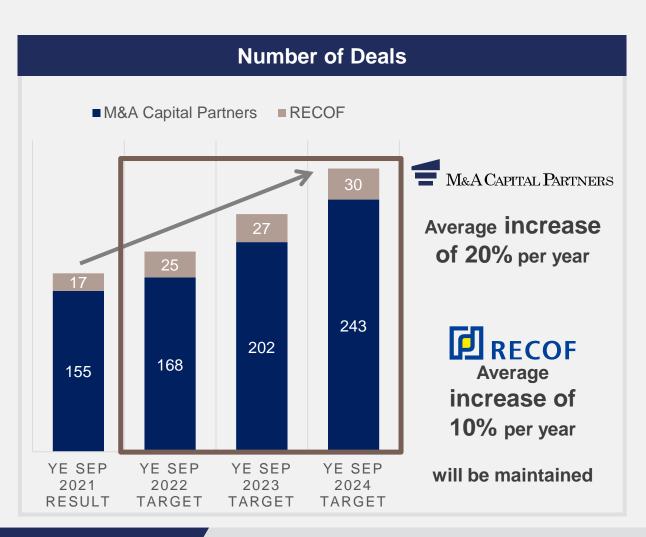
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One of the world's leading M&A companies

#### The MACP Group's Medium-term Vision



Three-year plan for the number of deals and the number of consultants required to fulfill our social mission (Year Ending September 2022 to Year Ending September 2024)







#### The head office will be relocated to Tokyo Midtown Yaesu on January 1, 2023 to expand business in pace with growth and lead to further development



**Depiction of completed Tokyo Midtown Yaesu** 



Good access directly connected to Tokyo Station

Source: Mitsui Fudosan Co., Ltd.



#### Role of communicating "M&A" to the public as a leading company in the industry

#### **Television commercial lineup**

<Regular commercial slots>

TV TOKYO World Business Satellite (WBS), Fuji Television Nichiyo Hodo THE PRIME, TBS Hodo Tokushu





Increased awareness of "M&A" through the popular "lion president" commercials



Drive a sound M&A industry and strengthen seminars communicating "fair M&A" to owners of SMEs

Seminars providing information on "fair M&A" will be held on November 12 (Fri) and 19 (Fri)





Communication of "fair M&A" to owners of SMEs through seminars

## Aiming to be the world's leading investment bank seeking maximum contributions to clients and the happiness of all employees



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