# SoftBank Business Overview & Growth Strategy

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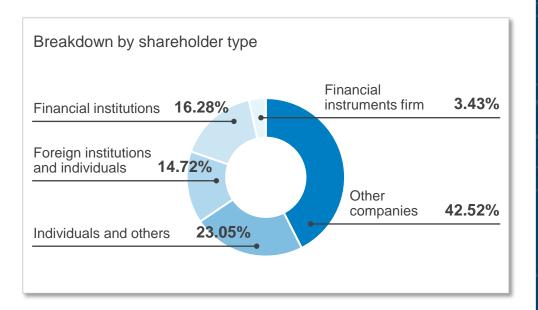


#### Corporate data

Trade Name	SoftBank Corp.
Name and title of representative	Junichi Miyakawa, President & CEO
Founded	December 9, 1986
Nature of business	Provision of mobile communications services, sale of mobile devices, provision of fixed-line telecommunications and ISP services
Number of employees	Standalone: 18,929 Consolidated: 49,581 (As of March 31, 2022)
Common stock	JPY 204,309 million (As of September 30, 2022)

#### Stock information

Number of shares issued	4,787,145,170 shares
Number of Shareholders	885,625



(As of September 30, 2022)



**Mission** 

**Information Revolution** 

— Happiness for everyone

Vision

Becoming a Corporate Group needed most by people around the world

**Growth** strategy

"Beyond Carrier"

Aim to expand business fields other than telecom while further growing the telecom business



# Solving social issues through business and corporate activities

Solving social issues through business

Building society and industry through digital transformation







Connecting people to information to create new excitement







**Creating new business** through open innovation







Solving social issues through corporate activities

Contributing to the global environment with the power of technology







Building high-quality social networks







Developing a resilient management foundation









### Operating company to drive the Information Revolution



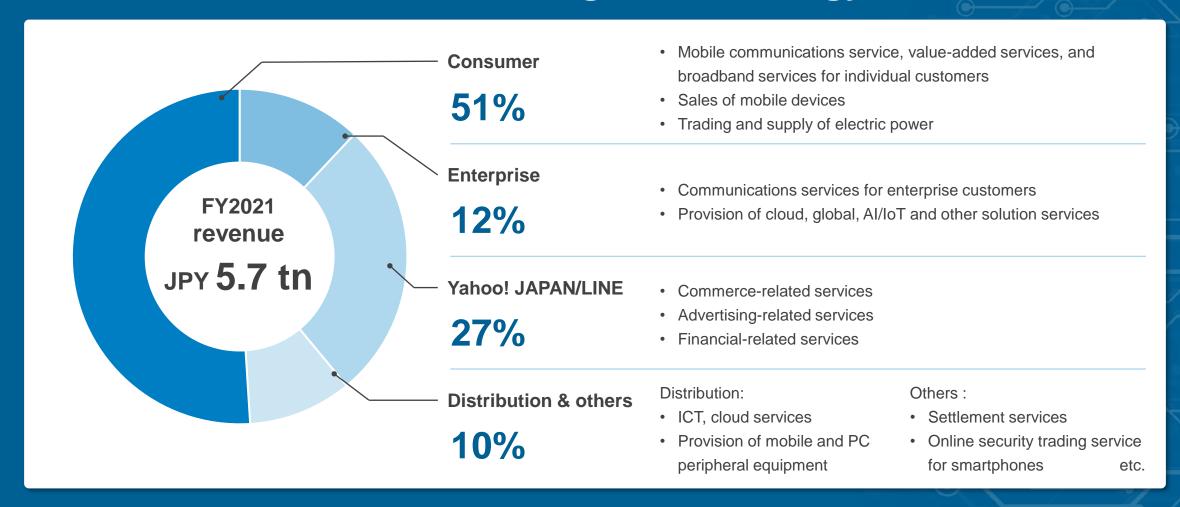
Ratio of voting rights\*1

40.5%



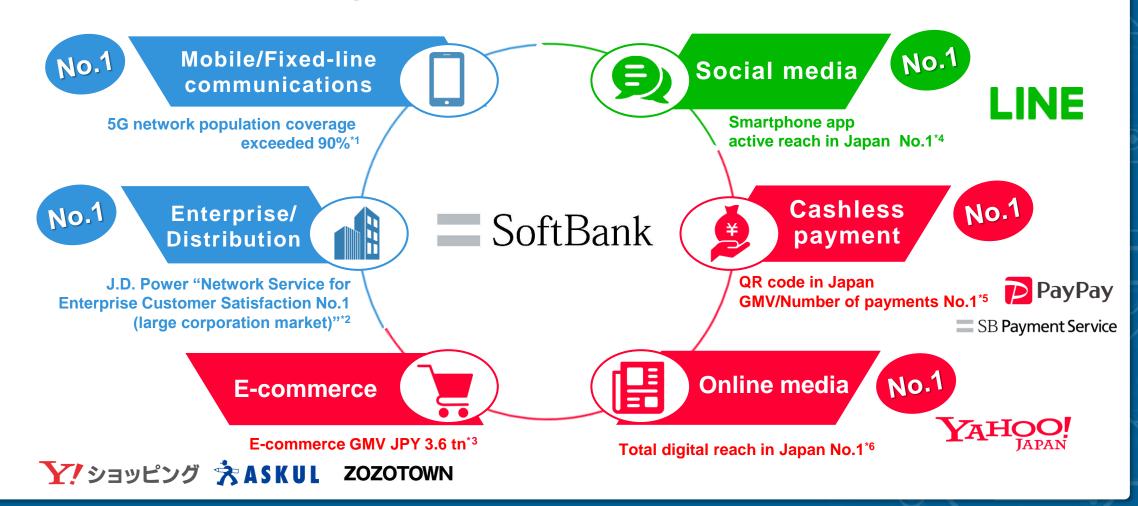


# Developing diverse businesses centered on digital technology





### Providing Japan's top-class ICT services



<sup>\*1:</sup> As of the end of March 2022 \*2: Network Service Customer Satisfaction Survey by J.D. Power. Based on 796 responses from companies with 1,000 or more employees. japan.jdpower.com/awards \*3: FY2021 result. Sum of Merchandise and Services and digital content \*4: Nielsen, TOPS OF 2020: DIGITAL IN JAPAN \*5: Percentage of "PayPay" was calculated from the disclosed data of the Japan Cashless Payment Promotion Council (Results of Survey on QR Code Payment Usage Trends in Japan in FY2021), based on PayPay research \*6: Nielsen, TOPS OF 2022: DIGITAL IN JAPAN



# Aim to expand business fields other than telecom while further growing the telecom business





### Strong business foundation to expand non-telecom fields

### Compelling customer touchpoints

SoftBank

Mobile

39 mil users



Online media

86 mil users



**Smartphone payment** 

**54** mil users \*3



**Communication app** 

**92** mil users \*4

### High technology capabilities







#### Strong sales force



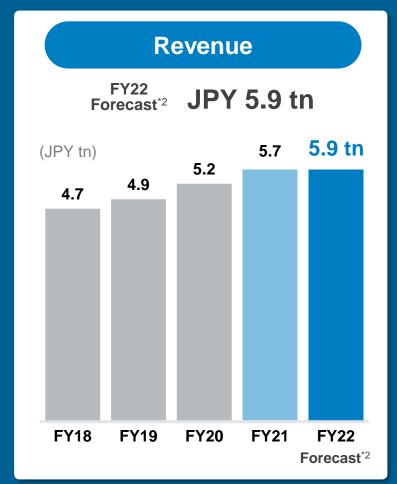


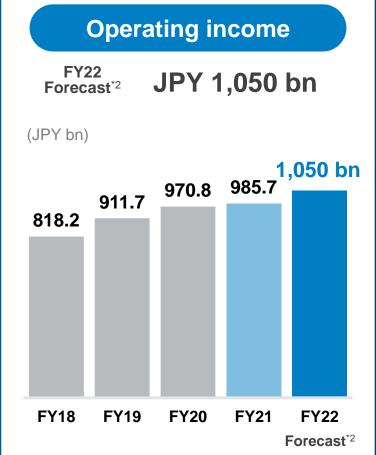


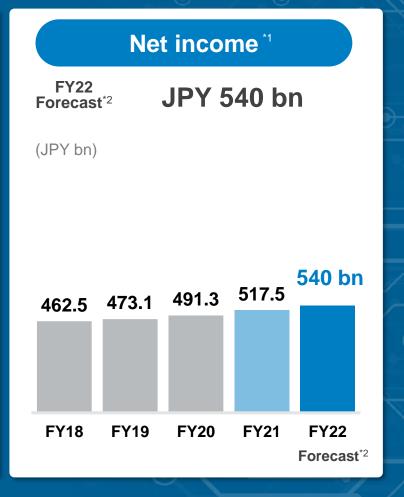
<sup>\*1:</sup> SoftBank = Total no. of mobile main subscribers (as of Dec 2022) \*2: Yahoo! JAPAN = No. monthly users. Nielsen TOPS OF 2021: DIGITAL IN JAPAN (Top 10 Internet services used by users in Japan). Average monthly number of users between January – October 2021. Does not include duplicate users of smartphones and PCs. \*3: PayPay = No. of registered users (as of Dec 2022) \*4: LINE = No. of monthly active users in Japan (as of Mar 2022) \*5: Total of the engineers in SoftBank Corp., Yahoo Japan Corporation and LINE Corporation (as of Mar 2022) \*6: No. of SoftBank Corp.'s sales staff (Mar 2022) \*7: Approximate percentage of listed companies with revenue of JPY 100 bn or more that have transaction with SoftBank Corp. (FY2021) \*8: Total of SoftBank and Y!mobile brands' directly-managed stores, agents, mass merchandisers and other retail channels (as of Mar 2022)



# Steady progress toward FY2022 operating income target of JPY 1,050 billion





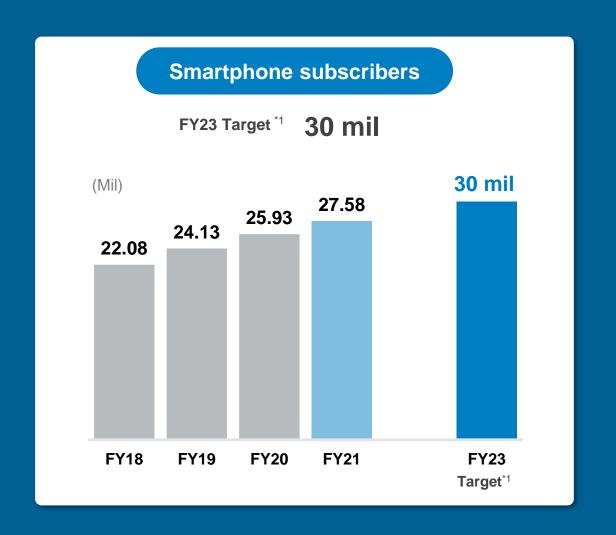


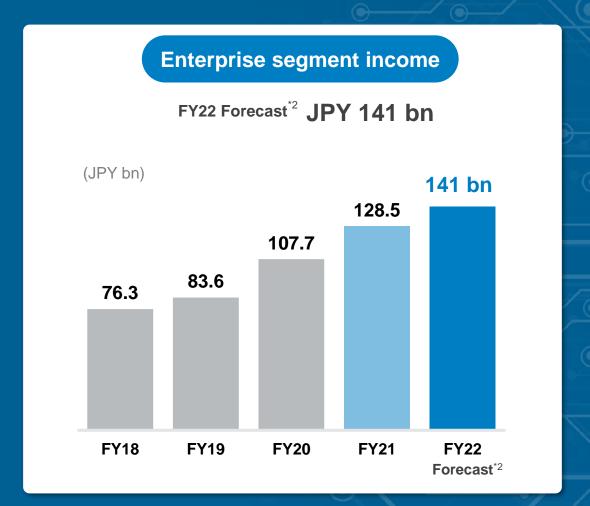
<sup>\*</sup> Figures for FY21 are before retrospective revision due to the change in accounting policy for transactions under common control in FY22 Q3

<sup>\*1:</sup> Net income = net income attributable to owners of SoftBank Corp. \*2: Revised forecasts announced in November 2022



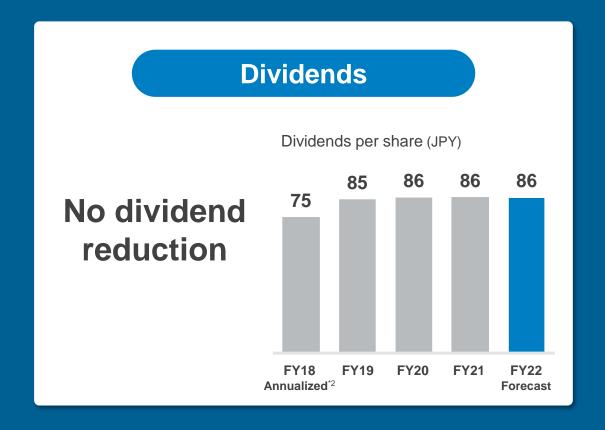
### Expand smartphone subscribers and enterprise solutions business

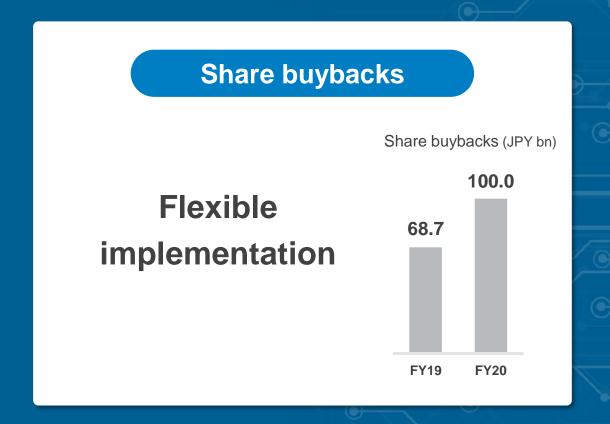






# Total shareholder return ratio of approx. 85% (FY2020-FY2022)





<sup>\*1:</sup> Total amount of dividends paid and treasury stock retired during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of the Company during FY20-FY22 / total amount of net income attributable to owners of net income attributable to owners of net income attributable to



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Naomi Koshi Partner Lawyer at Miura & Partners (Former Mayor of Otsu City)



Junichi Miyakawa President & CEO

Dec. 1991 KK Momotaro Internet Representative Director & President

Jun. 2000 Nagoya Metallic Communications Corp. (currently SoftBank Corp.)

President and Representative Director

Apr. 2006 Vodafone K.K. (currently SoftBank Corp.) Director & Executive Vice President (CTO)

Apr. 2021 SoftBank Corp. President & CEO, in charge of Government Relations (to present)



Ken Miyauchi Representative Director & Chairman



Yasuyuki Imai Representative Director & COO (Enterprise Business)



**Kentaro Kawabe Board Director** (President and Representative Director, Co-CEO of ZHD)



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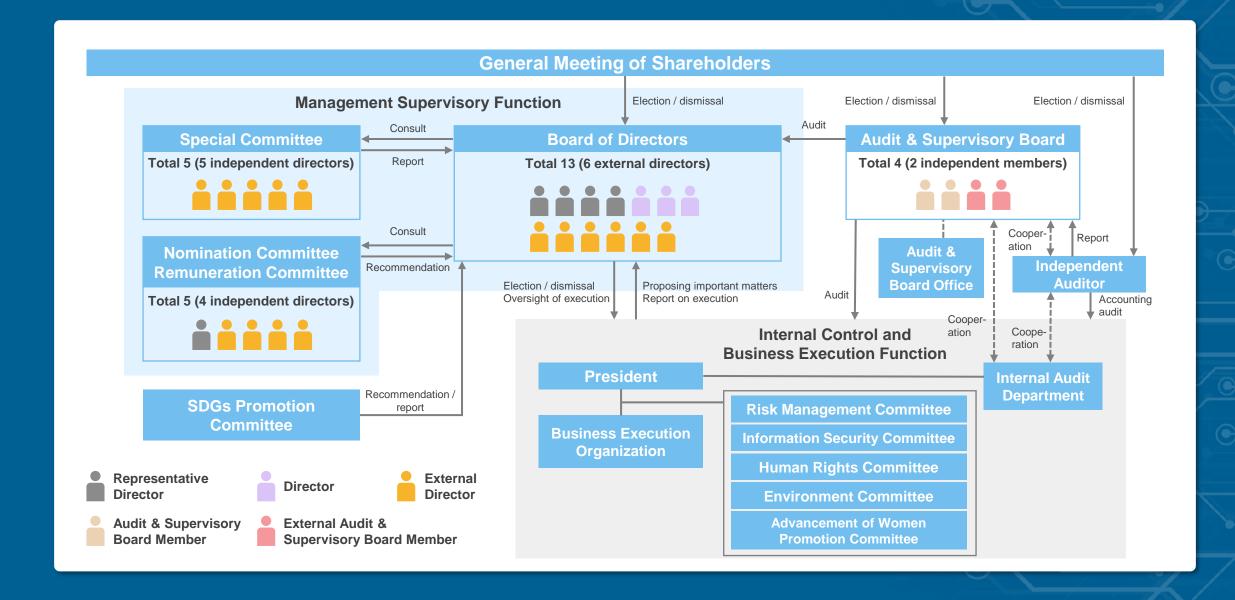


Kazuhiko Fujihara Board Director. Executive Vice President & CFO



Masayoshi Son Board Director, Founder (Representative Director, Corporate Officer, Chairman & CEO of SBG)







#### **Initiatives to Achieve 'Net Zero'**

### Achieving virtually zero greenhouse gas emissions

- Achieve virtually 100% renewable energy for Scope 1, 2 by FY2030 ("Carbon Neutral 2030"\*1)
- Reduce greenhouse gas emissions generated by entire value chain (Scope 3) to virtually zero by FY2050\*1
- Contribute to the realization of a decarbonized society by using technologies

#### **Provision of telecom infrastructure**

### Eliminate global information disparities

- Deliver telecom services to people around the world with airborne base stations of HAPSMobile Inc.
- Raised JPY 30 bn through first ESG bond to promote HAPS\*2 business
- SoftBank and Smart Africa Secretariat agreed to collaborate on providing affordable broadband solutions in Africa

<sup>\*1:</sup> This declaration applies to SoftBank Corp. on a standalone basis



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**2022** CONSTITUENT MSCI JAPAN ESG SELECT LEADERS INDEX

**2022** CONSTITUENT MSCI JAPAN EMPOWERING WOMEN INDEX (WIN)



#### **Highly rated in domestic surveys**



DX Stock 2022 (Only company selected in the ICT Industry for consecutive two years)



**PRIDE Index** (LGBT-related initiatives)



Nikkei SDGs Management Survey



NIKKEI Smart Work Awards 2023 **Grand Prize** 

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#### **Credit rating**

R&I

Rating and Investment Information, Inc.

A+

Long-term rating

a-1

**Short-term rating** 

(As of Nov 14, 2022)

**JCR** 

Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd.

AA-

Long-term rating

J-1+

**Short-term rating** 

(As of Oct 26, 2022)

#### **ESG** rating

MSCI ESG Rating

AA

(As of Jan 17, 2023)

FTSE Russell ESG Rating

4.5

(As of Dec 19, 2022)

Sustainalytics ESG Risk Ratings

Low risk

(As of Nov 16, 2022)

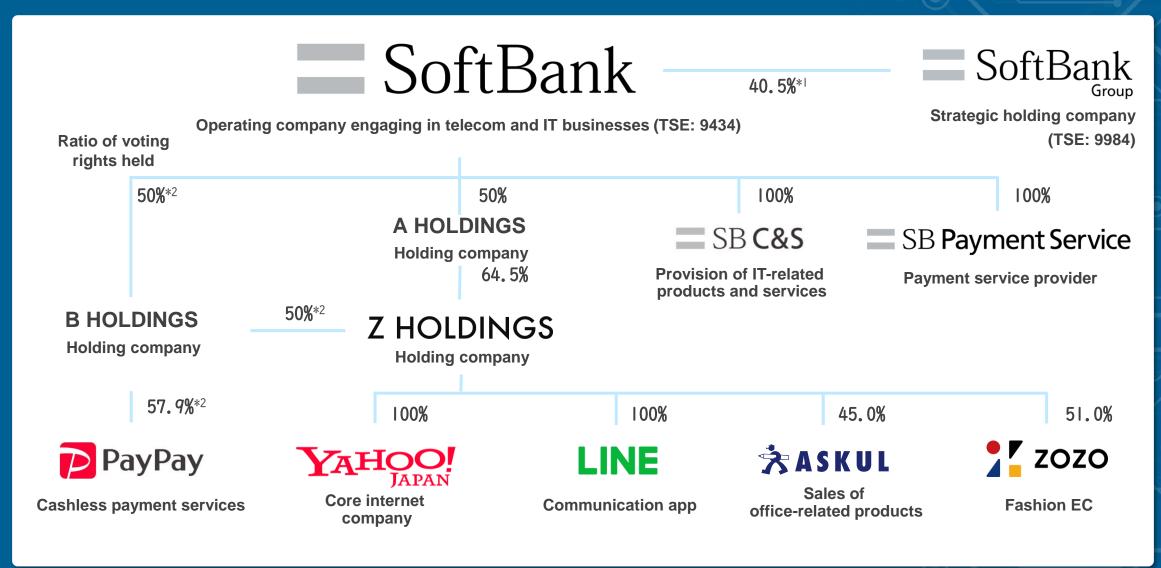
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(As of Dec 2022)

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<sup>\*</sup>Above shows a simplified grouping structure. Ratio of voting rights held as of September 30, 2022, unless otherwise specified. \*1: The Company is directly owned by SoftBank Group Japan Corporation, a wholly owned subsidiary of SoftBank Group Corp. The stated 40.5% is the voting rights held by SoftBank Group Corp. \*2: As of the end of December 2022. The Company and Z Holdings Corporation each hold 5.9% of the voting rights in PayPay Corporation directly, on top of voting rights owned by B Holdings Corporation. SoftBank Vision Fund 2 holds 30.2% of the voting rights of PayPay Corporation. The Group's ratio of economic interest in PayPay Corporation is 46.1% (before the exercise of stock acquisition rights by Paytm)

