# Becoming a Digital Services Company That Supports Worker Creativity

Strengths 89

Customer

base

Customer

touchpoints

In-house

intellectual

property

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**Business Model** 

Ricoh Wav<sup>8</sup>

developing and delivering solutions

Customers

ESG Strategy<sup>2</sup> Human Capital Strategy<sup>5</sup>

Ricoh Group's DNA The Spirit of Three Loves/

Customers

Headquarters serves as a core development hub, consolidating

regional case studies while standardizing and scaling them globally

**Mission & Vision** 

**Business portfolio** 

Corporate

As a global workplace services provider, the Ricoh Group leverages its extensive customer base, direct touchpoints, and proprietary intellectual property to consistently generate and deliver value, enhancing worker creativity in line with customer needs. We support the evolving nature of work and empower individual creativity, with a strong focus on driving business growth and ESG-centric management to enhance corporate value.

### **Fulfillment through Work**

#### Planet

Our sustainable society vision
Three Ps Balance

**Prosperity** 

(economic activities)

Resolve social issues while delivering growth

## (the environment) Keep the environmental impact below Earth's regenerative capacity

#### People

(society)

Create a society that leaves no one behind

#### **Key management capital**

- Financial capital
  Factor ROIC into strategic resource
  allocations
- Manufacturing capital Resilient supply chain
- Intellectual capital Innovative prowess
- Human capital Creative talent
- Social capital Global operations
- Natural capital
  Achieve a carbon-neutral,
  circular economy through business

#### Seven material issues<sup>®</sup>

Resolving social issues through business

- Creativity from Work
- Community and Social Development
- Zero-Carbon Society
- Circular Economy

Robust management infrastructure

- Responsible Business Process
- Open Innovation
- Diverse and Inclusive Workforce

## Creating value by leveraging strengths<sup>®</sup> • Regions identify their customer needs at their touchpoint, Providing consistent services as a workplace services provider

Customers

Office Services/Office Printing®®

#### Priority areas

....Growth areas®®

Process Automation

Enable our customers to reduce repetitive tasks and boost productivity by optimizing business processes with digital technology, while unleashing their creativity through Al and data to create new value

Workplace Experience

Empower customers' creativity by providing optimal environments for seamless communication and high-quality collaboration, enabled by our digital technology

• IT Services

Develop the foundational environment for workplaces (communications infrastructure, security, and data management)

Commercial Printing and Industrial Printing businesses®

Thermal Media and Industrial Products businesses®

New businesses that help resolve social issues®

#### management

Innovation Strategy<sup>6</sup> Financial and Capital Strategy<sup>7</sup> (digital, technology, and intellectual property)

governance<sup>4</sup>

Remain close to customers®

## Financial and future financial value creation

#### Financial Fiscal 2023 results

- Operating profit: ¥62.0 billion
- Return on invested capital (ROIC): exceeding 3.3%
- Return on equity (ROE): exceeding 4.5%
- Total return ratio: exceeding 66.7%
- Digital services sales ratio: 48%
- Number of customers: 1.4 million
- Office services adoption rate: 35%
- Recurring sales growth rate: 10% (vs. prior year)

#### Future Financials 200

The quantitative data refers to the ESG Strategy<sup>2</sup>

- 1 Customer satisfaction survey scores
- ② Number of people to whom we have contributed by improving social infrastructure
- ③ Greenhouse gas Scope 1 and 2 reduction rate (compared with 2015)
- ④ GHG Scope 3 reduction rate (compared with 2015)
- ⑤ Renewable energy usage ratio
- 6 Avoided emissions (GHG)
- 7 Virgin materials usage ratio
- 8 Corporate Human Rights Benchmark score
- Overage of Ricoh's core business environment in compliance with NIST SP 800-171
- 10 Percentage of low-compliance risk Group companies
- ① Contracted joint R&D agreement ratio
- ${\scriptsize \textcircled{\scriptsize 12}}$  Digital service patent application ratio
- (Japan) Employees rated Ricoh Digital Skills Level 2 or above
- (14) Process DX Silver Stage certified employee ratio
- 15 Engagement score
- 16 Female-held managerial position ratio

External environment<sup>1</sup>

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### **Our Value Proposition**

#### The changing world of work and customer needs

In recent years, the world of work has undergone significant transformations in employment, organizational structures, work processes, and communication. Customer needs for wherever people work extending beyond traditional offices have become increasingly diverse, driving demand for solutions leveraging digital technology to meet these evolving challenges.

#### Customer needs

Employment and organizations:	Customers want flexible IT environments and robust data management and security solutions that support open work styles	
Business processes:	Customers look to automate routine business processes and develop systems that constantly improve ar optimize operations through data-driven insights	
Communication:	Customers seek solutions that bridge gaps in language, culture, expertise, and perception while also fostering worker creativity	

#### Workplace focuses that leverage our strengths

Ricoh aims to be a company that supports customers' workplace creativity by leveraging digital technology to optimize business processes, enhance organizational productivity, and foster high-quality collaboration. We leverage our extensive customer base, direct touchpoints, and digital services based on proprietary intellectual

property to deliver value to workers around the globe.

We are focusing on the growth areas of process automation and workplace experience, emphasizing IT services that support our aim to help customers achieve Fulfillment through Work.

#### **Process Automation**

We enable our customers to reduce repetitive tasks and boost productivity by optimizing business processes with digital technology, while unleashing their creativity through AI and data to create new value.

We draw on our document processing and AI technologies to design and optimize workflows, ensuring they remain effective through our managed services. We uncover and maximize the value of data embedded in customers' business processes and documents and routine data.

This approach enables customers to eliminate redundancies, boost productivity, lower costs, and strengthen security and compliance. It also enhances decision-making and encourages more value-driven activities. 1

#### **Workplace Experience**

We empower customers' creativity by providing optimal environments for seamless communication and high-quality collaboration, enabled by our digital technology.

We optimize IT services and enable seamless communication wherever people work extending beyond traditional offices, offering hardware, software and solutions, and managed services that maintain comfortable working environments.

This approach optimizes collaboration so customers can focus on core tasks, enhancing productivity and creativity. •

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### **Creating Value as a Digital Services Company**

#### Transforming our value creation model

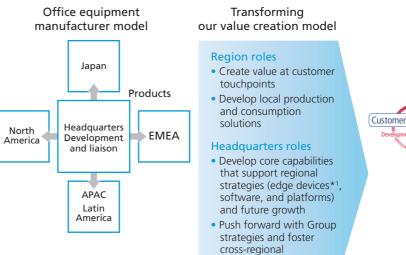
As a digital services company, we create value differently from traditional office automation manufacturers, which rely on headquarters-driven processes. We generate value at customer touchpoints. Each region takes the lead in creating value, developing

and delivering locally tailored and consumed solutions.

The role of headquarters is to enhance group-wide value by providing a common platform, developing or acquiring software, and accelerating collaborative co-creation across regions.

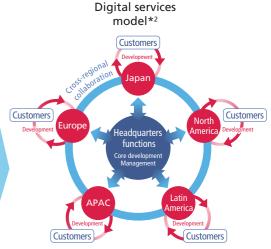
#### Enhance customer touchpoint value

#### Become a digital services company with a strategy to create value with regional customers





collaboration



\*2 Starting from April 2024, the Ricoh Group revised its regional business segmentation

#### Continually creating value through customer touchpoints

We serve a global customer base of 1.4 million companies using our MFPs. The trust we have built with them and our deep knowledge of their industries and operations represent significant strengths. As their co-creation partner, we identify unique challenges and tailor solutions, leveraging global customer touchpoints to

deliver consistent services everywhere.

We enhance our value proposition by addressing customers' myriad issues with effective solutions. We will expand uptakes by offering our solutions to customers facing similar challenges.

#### Increasing value by collaborating across regions

We will broaden our value position as a provider of globally consistent workplace services by leveraging our intellectual property and core technologies to develop and deploy solutions across regions.

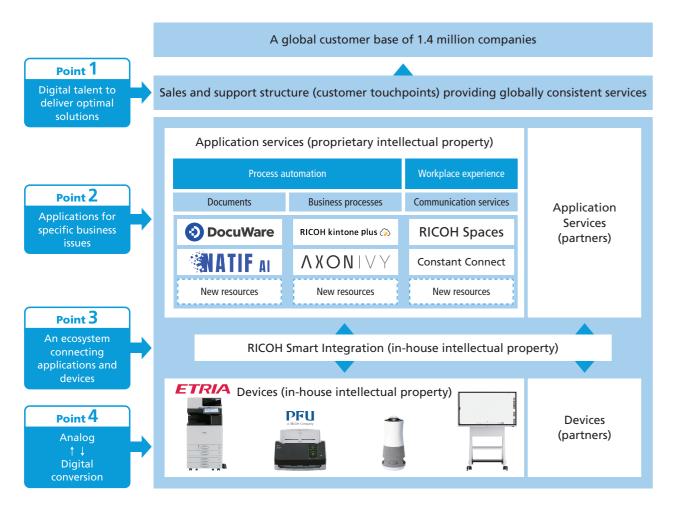


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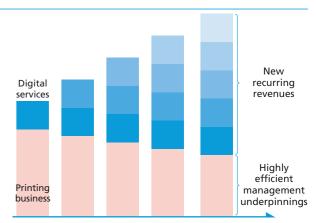
## **Bolstering Resources for Sustainable Growth**

We draw on our ample capital resources to combine our key strengths to deliver optimal solutions to customers. These capabilities are our extensive customer base, direct touchpoints, and proprietary intellectual property (software and hardware). We are reinforcing our resources to deliver even better services. Efforts include developing digital talent to drive customer value and reinforcing our proprietary intellectual property through in-house development, acquisitions, and business partnerships.



#### Amassing recurring revenues

To achieve sustainable growth as a digital services company, it is crucial to steadily build up recurring revenue streams. This involves thoroughly optimizing our foundational printing business while encouraging customers to adopt multiple digital services. In addition, by employing a One-to-Many approach, we will scale our solutions to other customers with similar challenges, expanding the number of companies using our offerings. By developing services that meet a variety of customer needs at key touchpoints and efficiently rolling them out to a wider customer base, we aim to improve profitability across the entire Group.



Envisaged recurring revenue and earnings growth

#### **Earnings expansion mechanisms**

In the Office Services business, we set three key performance indicators to measure profit growth progress: the number of customers, the number of Office Services deployments, and the recurring sales growth rate.

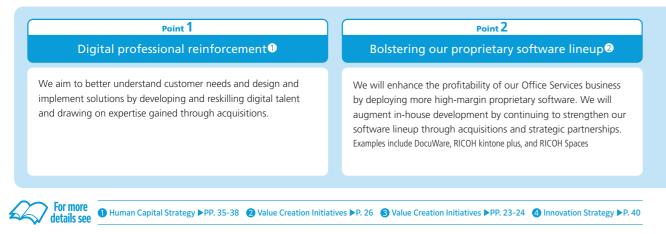
We aim to increase the percentage of companies adopting our Office Services among our 1.4 million customers, driving growth in recurring revenues.

#### Key performance indicators and fiscal 2023 results

Key performance indicators for measuring earnings growth progress	Number of customers	Office Services deployment rate*	Recurring sales growth rate*
	Total number of targeted customers	Percentage of customers deploying Office Services offerings	Growth rate for recurring sales that will become the recurring revenue base (in Office Services)
Fiscal 2023 results	1.4 million companies	35%	+10% 17% after factoring in exchange rate impact

<sup>\*</sup> The Office Services deployment rate and recurring sales growth rate are based on around 970,000 companies, excluding customers of Ricoh Japan's dealers

#### Examples of efforts to reinforce resources



## Point 3 Evolving a global common service provision platform 9

A key driver to expanding recurring revenue is the ecosystem powered by RICOH Smart Integration (RSI). By connecting edge devices, software, and services through this platform, we will continually enhance the value we deliver to customers. RSI allows us to deploy solutions developed in one region to others, accelerating synergies across the group.

## Point 4 Edge devices supporting our digital services company drive 4

Devices seamlessly connecting analog and digital information are pivotal for us to grow as a digital services company. ETRIA, which we established in July 2024, will drive our expansion by efficiently innovating devices as an industry leader.

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