

CIO/CDIO Small Meeting

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SMBC Group **DIGITAL**  **FOR 2020**



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1. Medium-Term Plan: Seven Core Business Areas



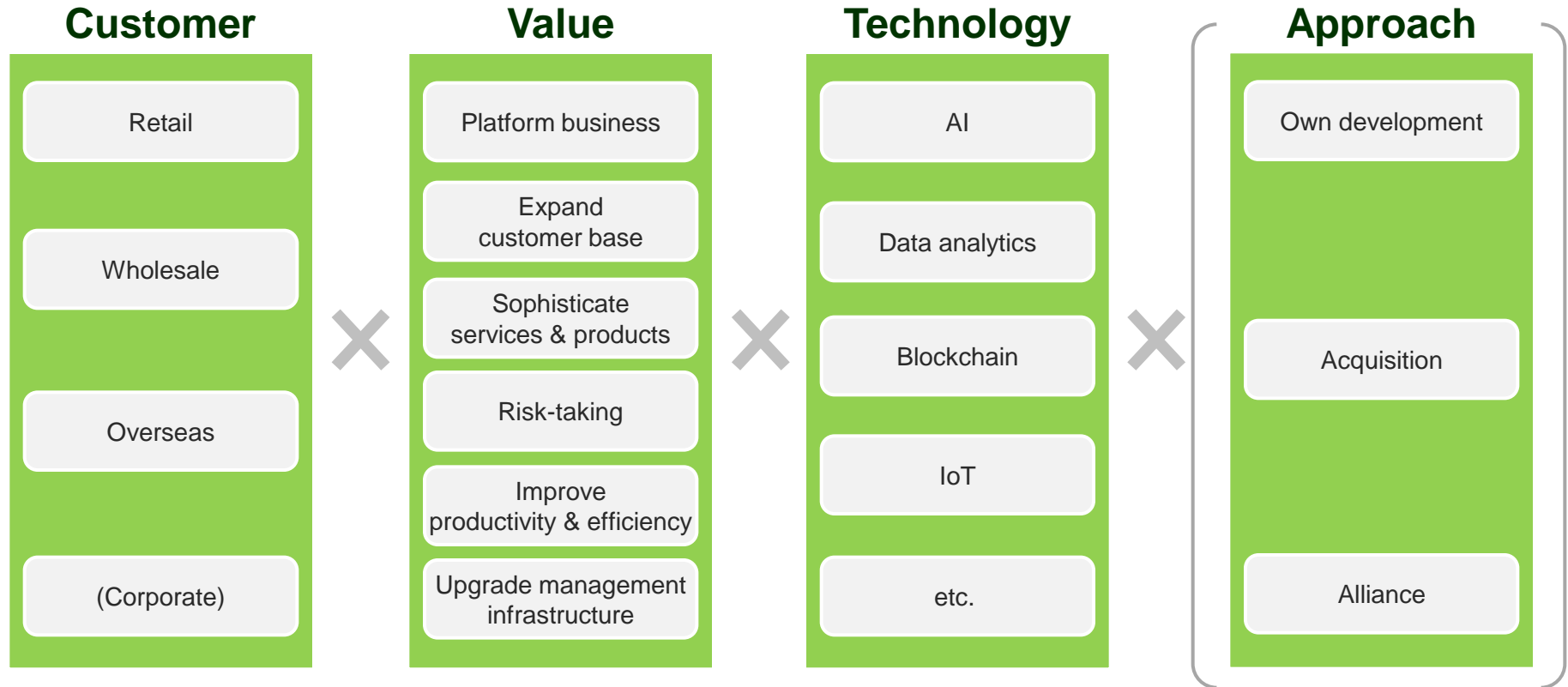
2. Areas of Digitalization

- Promote digitalization in four areas

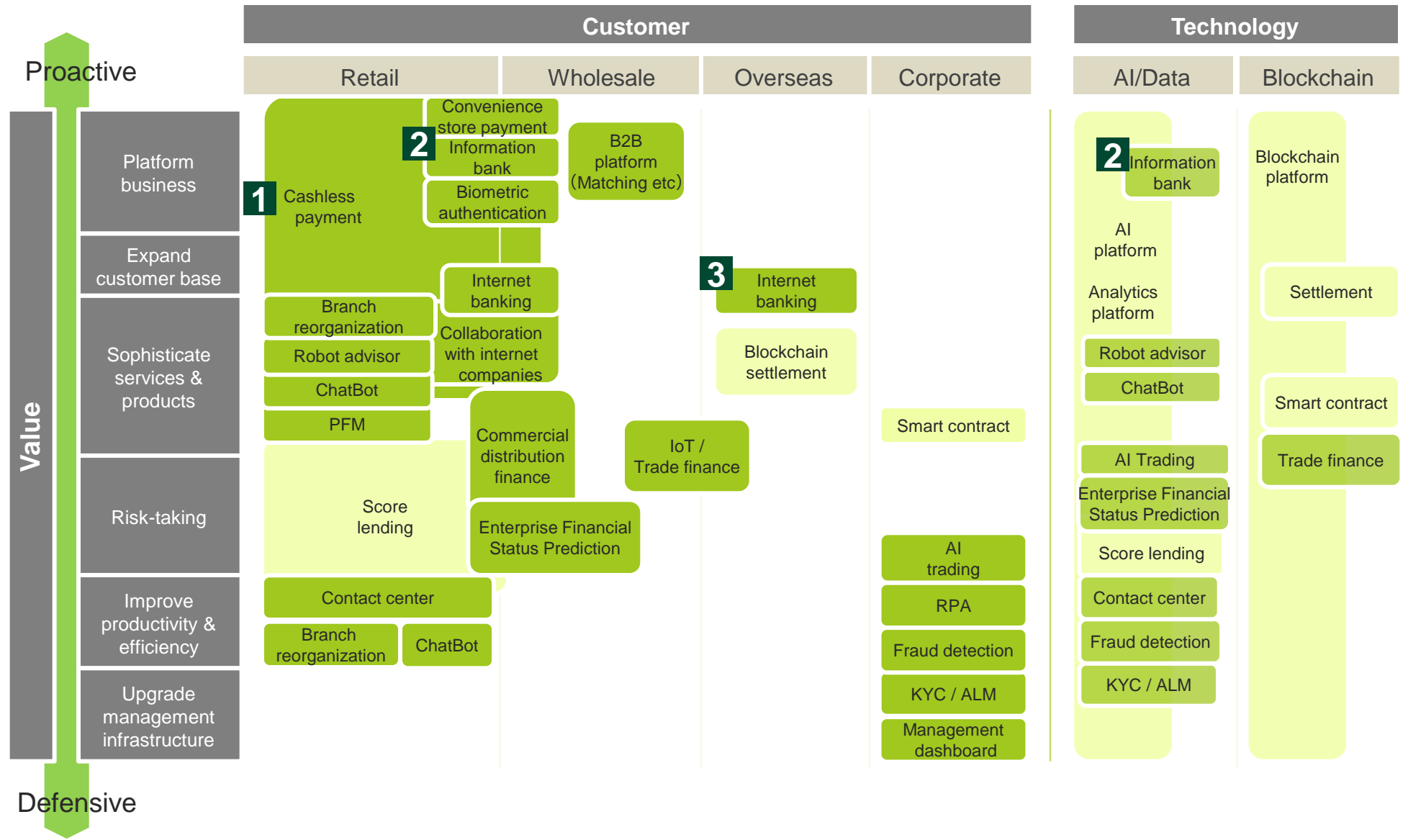
Areas of digitalization		Contents / Purpose	Points
Proactive	Digital innovation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Generate new business Develop platform business 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Speedy creation of new business by innovation team
	Digital transformation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transform business model Create customer benefit Achieve business strategy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collaboration between business units and IT unit Verification of progress of business plan and actual benefits
Defensive	Digitization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cost reduction and operation improvement by automating manual operation / process 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transfer operations from business units to IT unit Verification of cost reduction
	IT infrastructure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establish flexible and solid infrastructure to support mid- to long-term business reform 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Renew infrastructure while maintaining quality Centralized management by IT unit on a group basis

3. Overview of Digitalization Strategy

- Breakdown the digitalization strategy into (1) Customer, (2) Value, (3) Technology, and (4) Approach



4. Roadmap for digitalization



5. Data strategy

- Promote data strategy under a clear purpose by classifying into four categories

Basic Policy

Utilize	1 st Party Data (in-house data)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide and analyze data under a clear purpose, taking cost and benefit into consideration Promote data sharing among SMBC group companies (subject to customer consent) for marketing analysis and to introduce group-wide points
	2 nd Party Data (partner's data)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strengthen alliances with companies which hold information that cannot be acquired by financial institutions (e.g. retailers and service companies)
	3 rd Party Data (web search data)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In addition to transaction data, utilize browsing and search data for customer targeting - "BrainCell, Inc.", joint venture with Yahoo Japan Corporation
Storage Manage	Information Bank	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a business model leveraging our strengths as a bank (e.g. "Safe and Secure" and "Trust")

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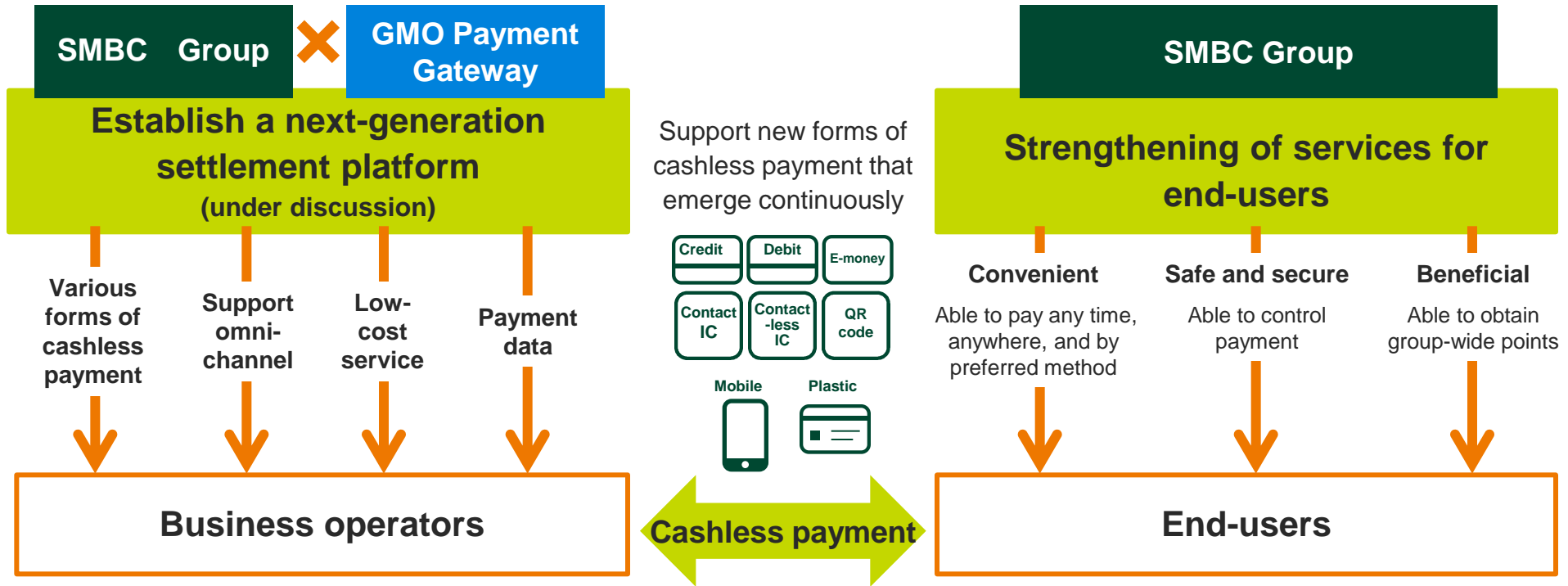
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1. Cashless payment

- Enhance our cashless payment services for the benefit of both business operators and end-users

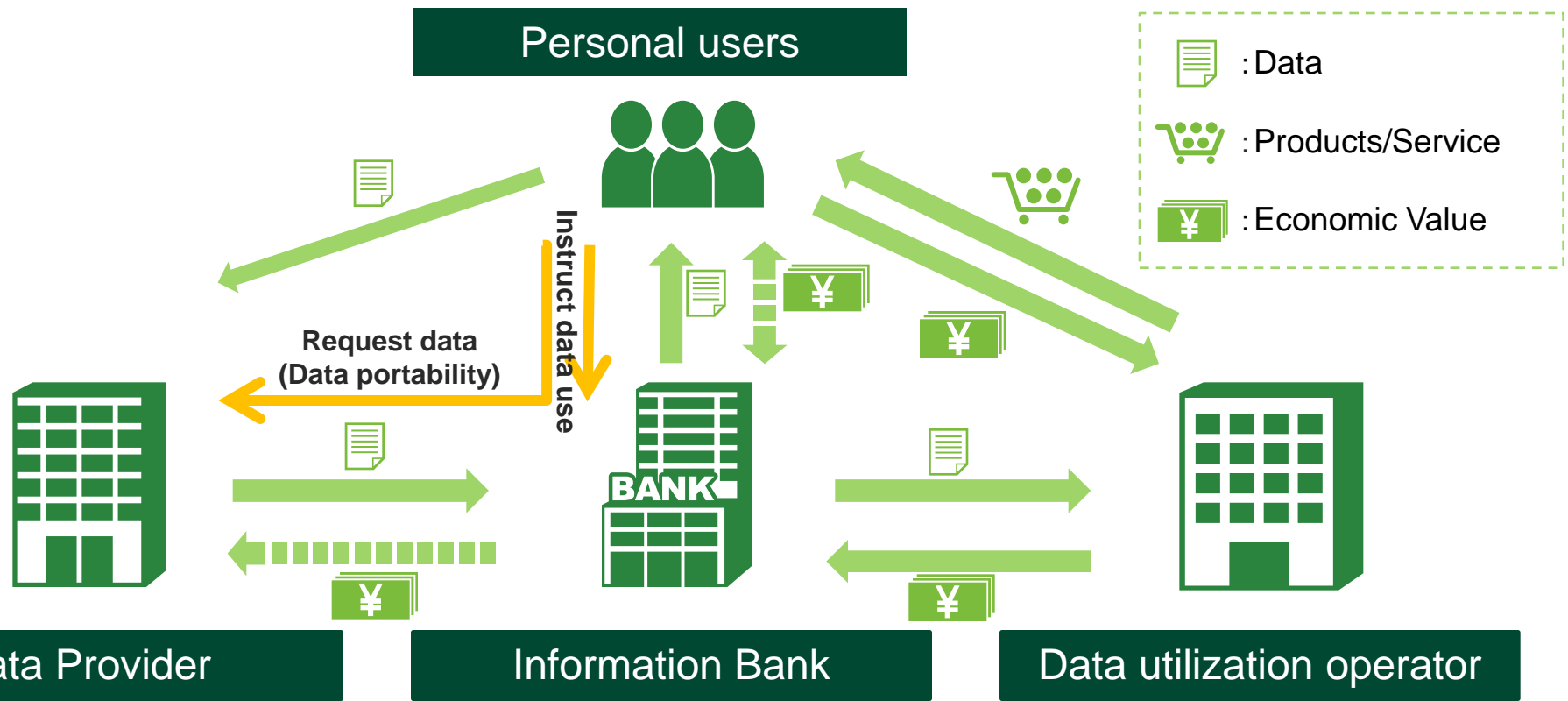


Evolve the cashless payment market in Japan through initiatives that benefit both the business operators and end-users

2. Information bank

- Manage data as the agent of personal users
- Make the ecosystem economically independent and pursue market development

Information Bank Ecosystem



3. Digitalization at BTPN

- Promote digitalization at BTPN in Indonesia

Digital banking

High-net-worth
Middle-class



- Specialized for smartphones
- Launched in August 2016



Mass market



- Branchless banking using feature phones
- Launched in September 2015



Business Efficiency

- Promote paperless
- Reduce the number of branches using digital technology
- Automate and centralize operations to shared service centers



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1. hoops link tokyo

- Open innovation space provided to create new businesses
- Hold open innovation workshop “SMBC Brewery” to explore the seeds of new co-business

Daytime (9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.)

- Provide workspaces and networking opportunities for business creators (members only)
- Hold various events for active communication among visitors, e.g. Lunch Meet-up and Pitch Contests



of visitors

More than
10,000

*As of August 2018

Night (5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.)

- Used for a range of events, e.g. study sessions, seminars, hackathons, and business contests
- Various company sponsor events. Themes are diversified and not limited to FinTech Contests



of events

220

* As of August 2018

2. PoC : Blockchain

- Steadily accumulated insight and knowledge of blockchain based on the needs and convenience of customers, while many issues still remain for commercialization

Research and study (technology / usage / legal system)

Joint research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Institute of Informatics Kindai University HAW International Inc.
Endowed Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Waseda University (FY2017)
Global consortium	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> R3 (US)
Cooperation with domestic financial institutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Japanese Bankers Association Japan Exchange Group, Inc.

Proof of concept (PoC) for practical use

Syndicated loans	Domestic IT companies
Payment service (Internal coins)	Domestic IT companies
Trade finance	IBM Japan, Mitsui & Co. Mitsui O.S.K. Lines Mitsui Sumitomo Insurance Company
P2P cash transfer	Fujitsu
Identity verification	Deloitte Tohmatsu Consulting SMBC Group MUFG Mizuho FG

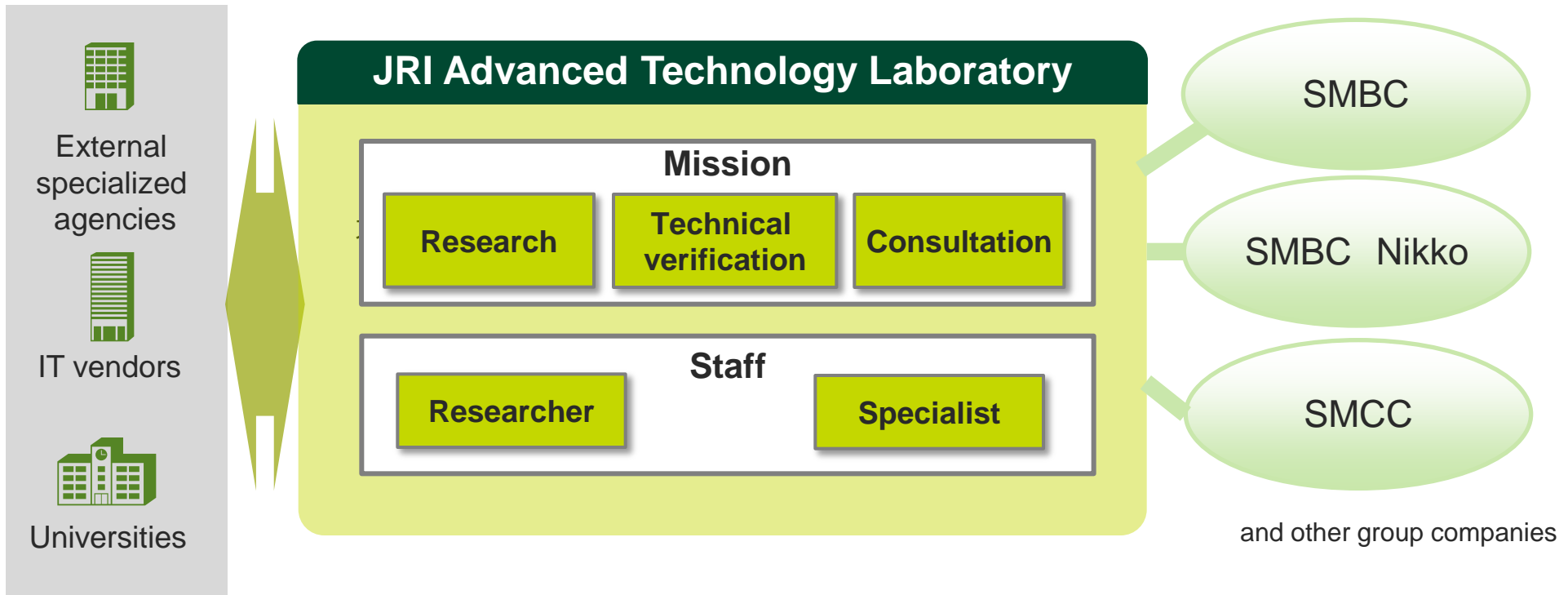
- Use and experience the advanced technologies through industry-academia cooperation
- Monitor developments in the industry

- Accumulate technologies among SMBC Group and conduct feasibility study
- Create business opportunities

3. JRI Advanced Technology Laboratory

- Established JRI Advanced Technology Laboratory to research and verify new technology and promote digitalization within SMBC group
- Collaborate with external specialized agencies, IT vendors and universities to verify the evolution of technology

JRI Advanced Technology Laboratory



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1. Medium-Term IT Strategy

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- 1 Achieve a leading position in IT cost management on a global basis
- 2 Establish flexible and solid IT infrastructure to support medium- to long-term business reforms
- 3 Further expand digitalized business fields to improve customer value and business value
- 4 Further sophisticate the IT governance and human resource management on a SMBC group and global basis
- 5 Strengthen cyber security and system risk management continuously

2. IT cost management

(1) IT investment strategy

- Since the large renewal of systems has been completed, IT investment is expected to decrease in the current Medium-Term Management Plan. In the mean time, we will further allocate our resources to “strategic investments” ; investments for business innovation through digitalization and the creation of new businesses

Previous Medium-Term Management Plan

Current Medium-Term Management Plan

Main subject

Large renewal of systems

- Bank accounting system
- Core systems in group companies

Up front investment to strategic areas

- Asia, retail, settlement, etc.



Selected investments to strategic areas

- Select strategic and growing areas to invest in, such as investments for business innovation through digitalization and the creation of new businesses

Adoption of efficient development method and utilization of new technology

Annual amount of IT investment

approx. JPY 170 bn

approx. JPY 150 bn

Allocation of resources to strategic investments



+ α
JPY 50~60 bn

Review of budget

Once / year

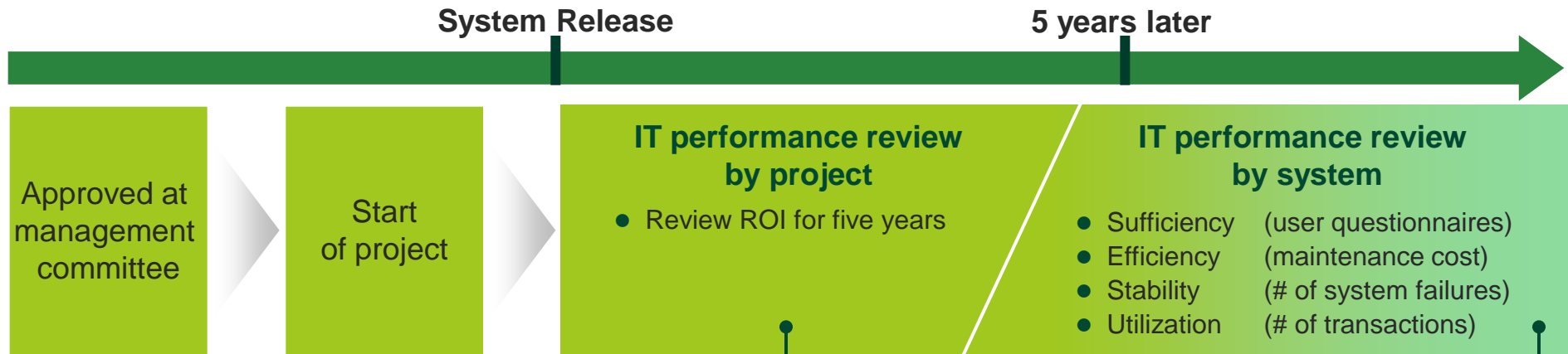


Because of the dynamic changes in IT environment, we will review the budget flexibly

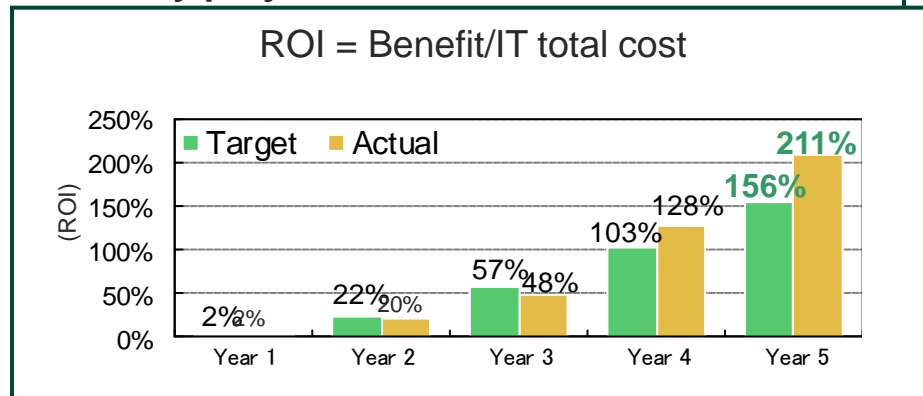
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(2) IT performance review

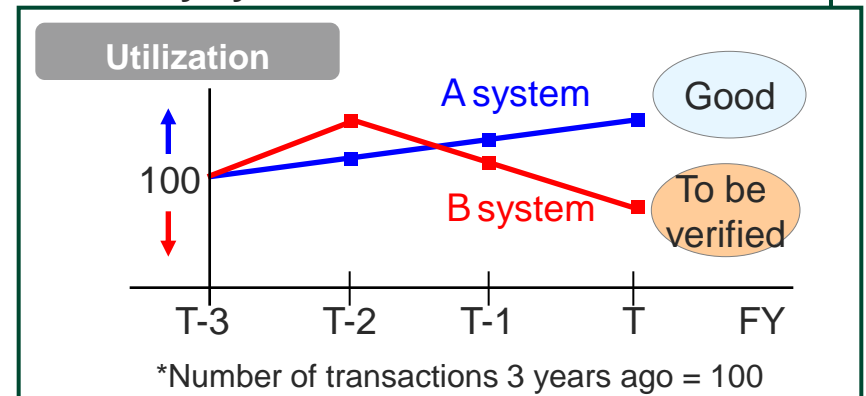
- Review performance by project for disciplined investment and visualize its benefit
- Continue to review performance by system to increase the value of each system



Review by project



Review by system

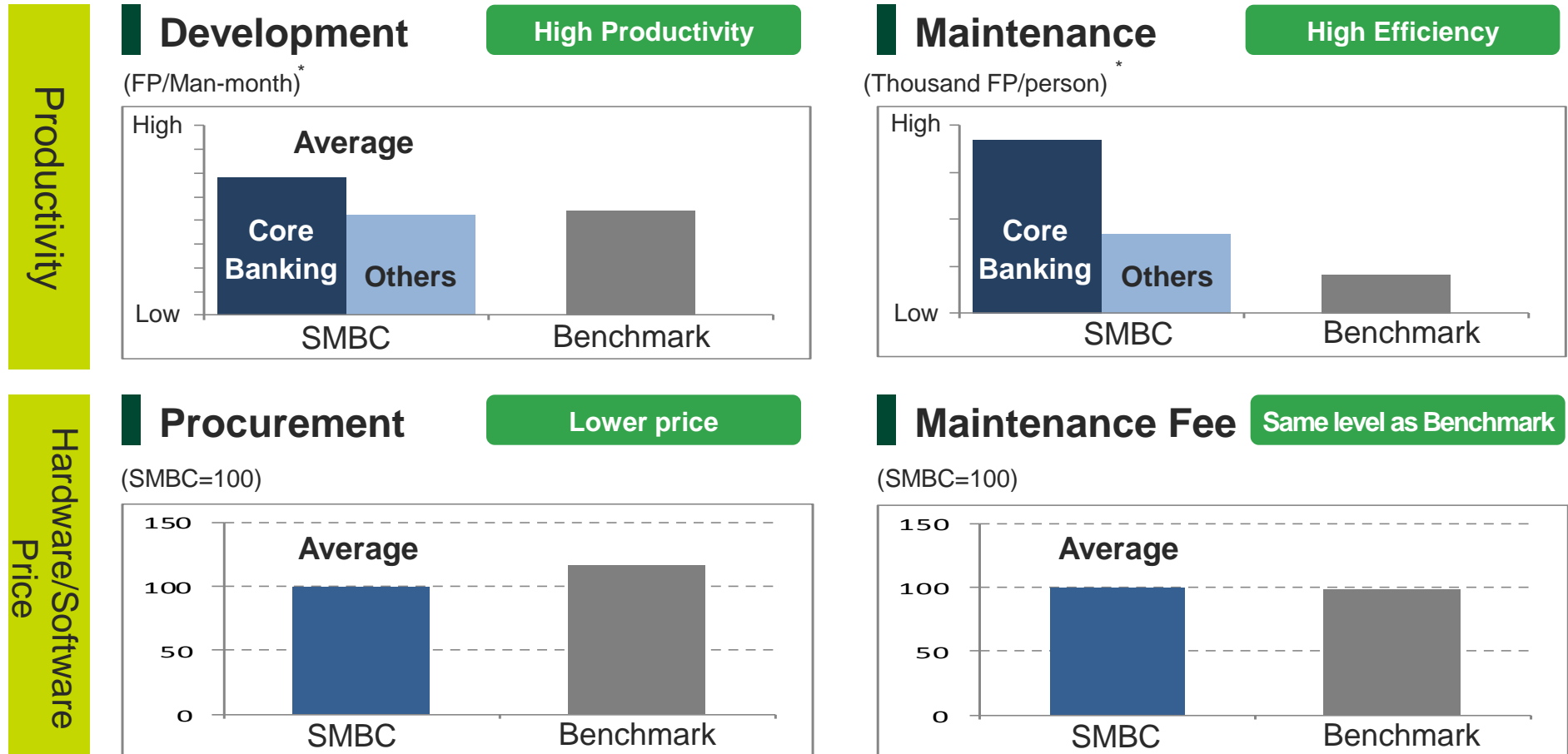


2. IT cost management

(3) Productivity

- Compare with benchmarks and analyze 1) productivity and 2) price of hardware and software
- Achieve a balance between high productivity and high quality

Comparison with benchmarks (SMBC)



3. Infrastructure

(1) Core systems

SMBC

- Integrated IT systems and data centers of Sumitomo Bank and Sakura Bank after the merger (2002)
- Renewed platform of core banking systems (2015)
- Implemented mutual backup function between centers (2016)
- The platform that can be used until 2025

SMCC

- Completed next-generation core systems project and integrated the platform (2016)

SMBC Nikko

- Integrated IT systems of SMBC Nikko and SMBC Friend (January 2018)

SMBC Trust

- Launched SMBC Trust Bank's new IT systems (July 2018)

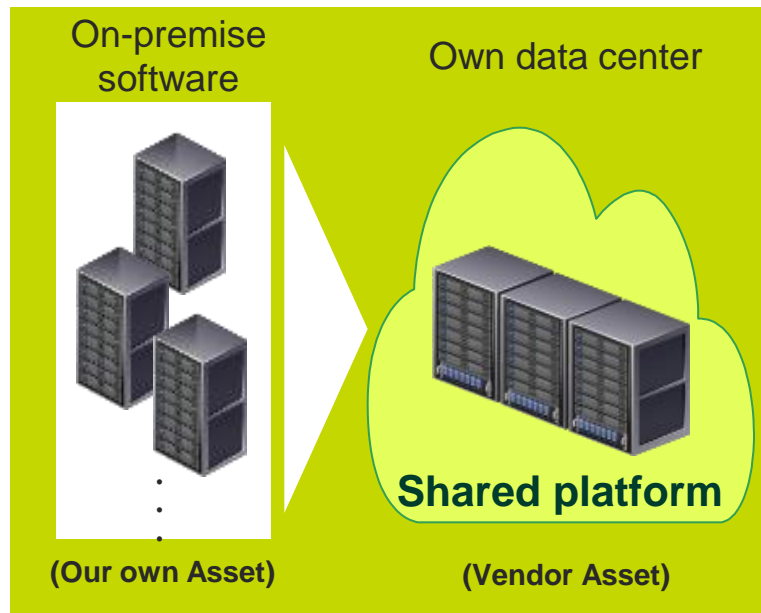
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(2) Utilization of cloud

Utilization of cloud	1	Not to have ledger files of customers deposits on the public cloud	2	Pursue economic rationality on a risk base	3	Shift to public cloud as well as private cloud
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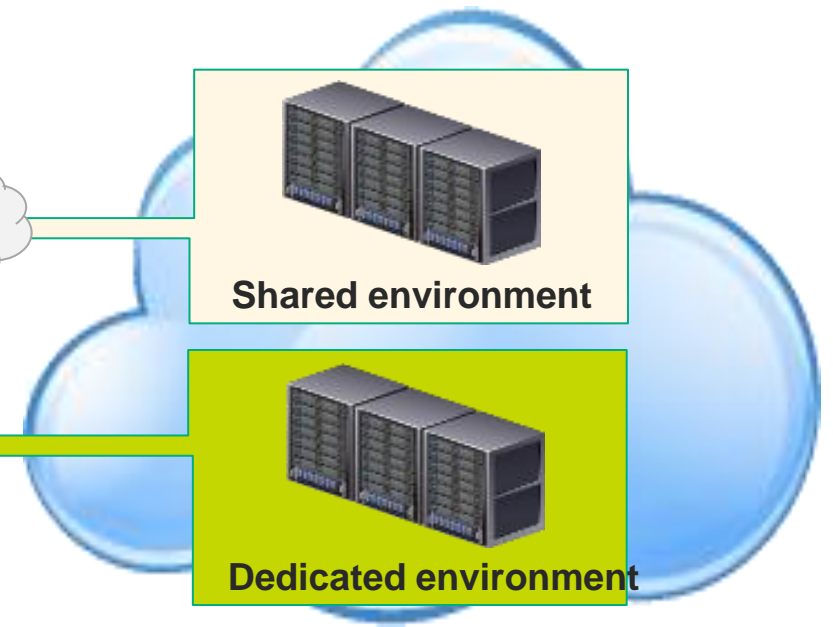
Private cloud

Running more than 200 applications on a shared platform



Public cloud

Shift to Public cloud



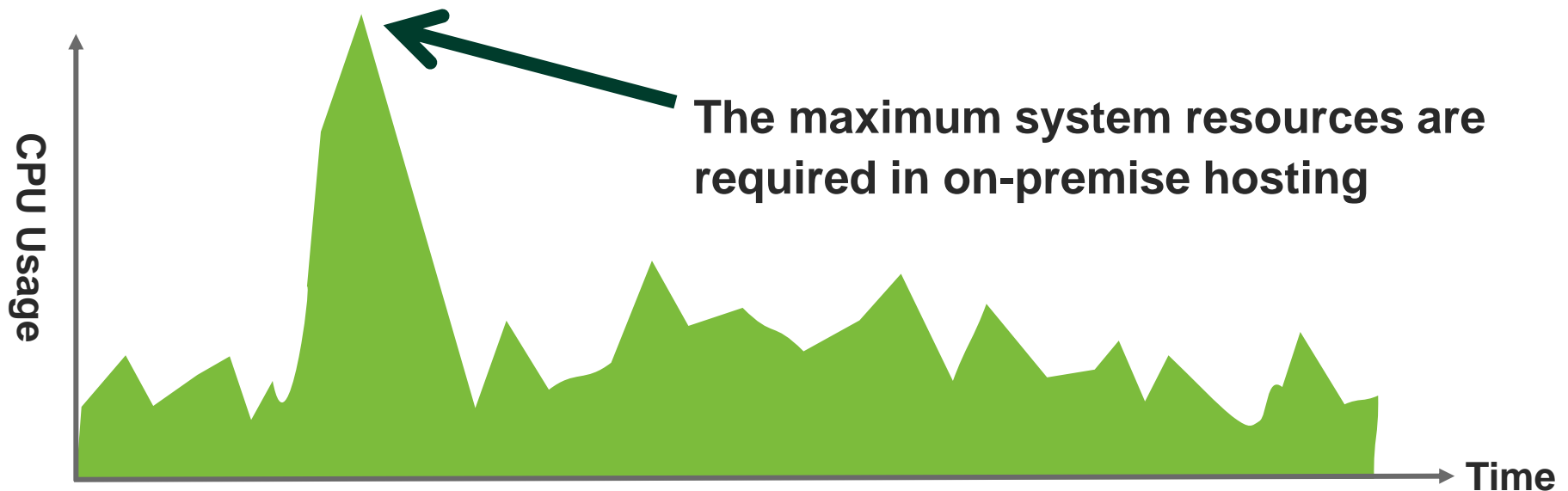
Ref: Cloud - credit risk calculation

- Utilize public cloud for credit risk calculation system which needs large amount of calculations
- Characteristics including “difficult to predict the amount of calculation” and “intensive calculation in certain period” highly conforms with public cloud

Credit risk calculation for derivatives

# of calculations	# of scenarios
1-2 million/day	1,000 - 2,000

**30% cost reduction
vs. on-premise hosting**

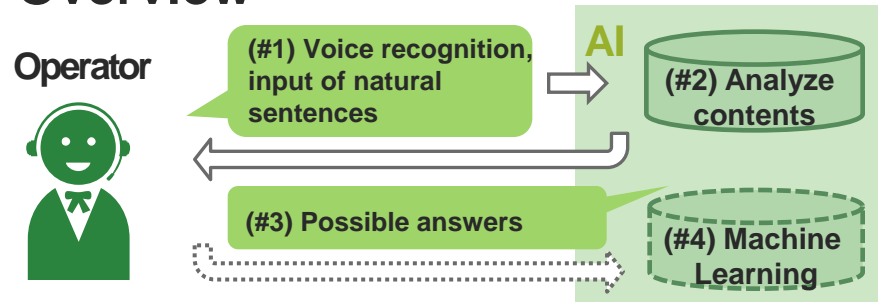


4. Digitalization

(1) AI : contact center

- Introduced AI to support contact center operations
- Progress is shown in the cost reduction per call and the decrease in turnover in new staffs

Overview



- (#1) Accept questions in natural sentences
- (#2) Analyze and interpret contents
- (#3) Show possible answers with certainty factors
- (#4) Improve accuracy by learning from answering history

Output

- Cost reduction per call
(# of call : Over 1 million / year)
- Improvement of newly joined operators' performance
(answer all by her/himself)
- Reduction of turnover of newly joined operators

(60) yen/call



Cost reduction

+13%



Improvement of newly joined operator's performance



Contact Center World Awards

- Asia Pacific Contest : Gold Award
- London World Contest
Technology Innovation Section : Gold Award



Japan Institute of Information Technology

- Customer Support Award Program
2016 : IT Usage Award
2017 : Outstanding Performance Award

Ref: Risks of AI

- To manage AI-specific risks, decision on whether or not to use AI based on business characteristics and appropriate AI engine selection/learning are essential
- Joined the conference toward AI Network Society hosted by Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications

AI-specific risks

Measures

1

Answer accuracy

Answer accuracy cannot be 100%

Create workflow where human users conduct final decisions as necessary

2

Blackbox

Process of calculations cannot be understood by human users

Limit usage of AI where process of the calculation is important

3

Engine characteristics

Answer accuracy depends on AI engine characteristics

Choose appropriate AI engine based on purposes

4

Data bias

Data can be biased based on learning source

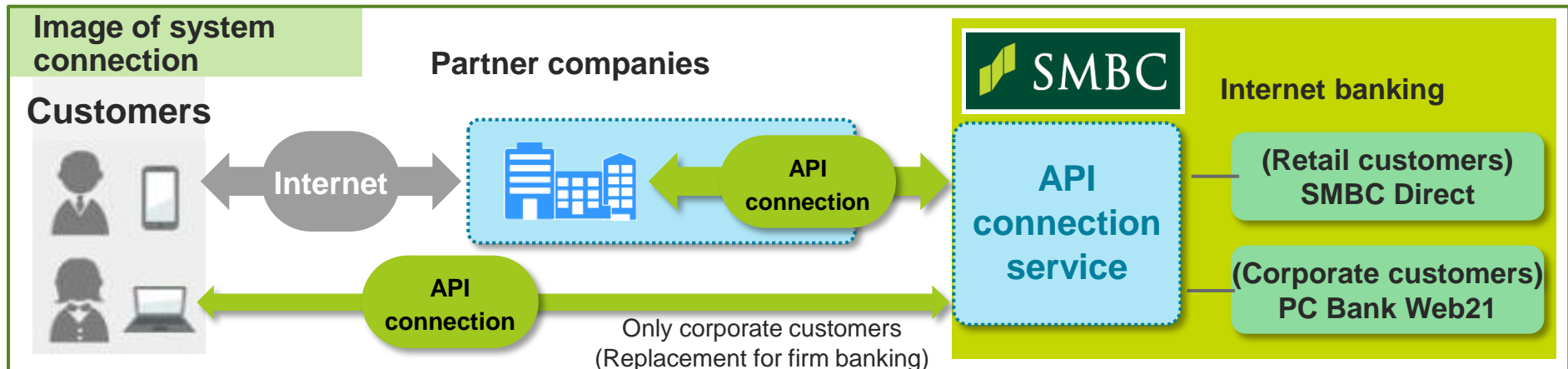
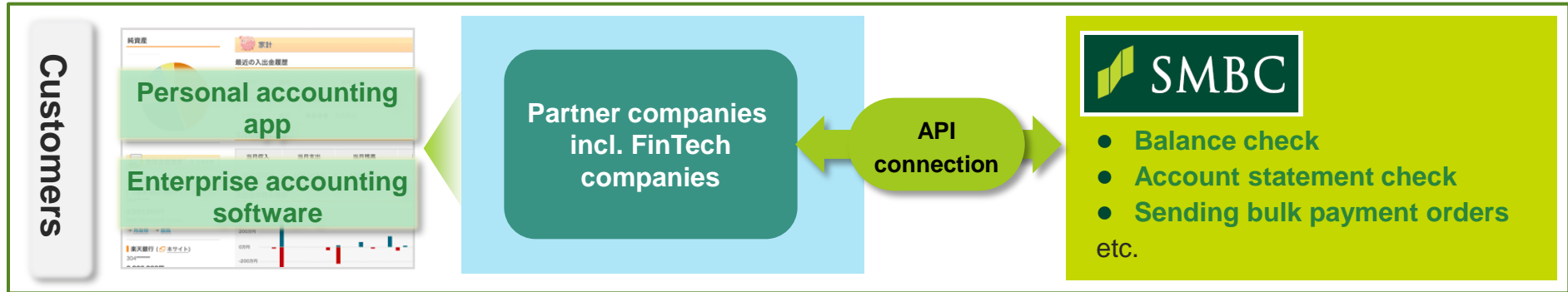
Prepare enough learning data based on purposes and conduct accuracy feedbacks

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(2) API

- Accelerate collaboration with FinTech companies through secure and convenient API connection service

Collaboration with partner companies using API connection services

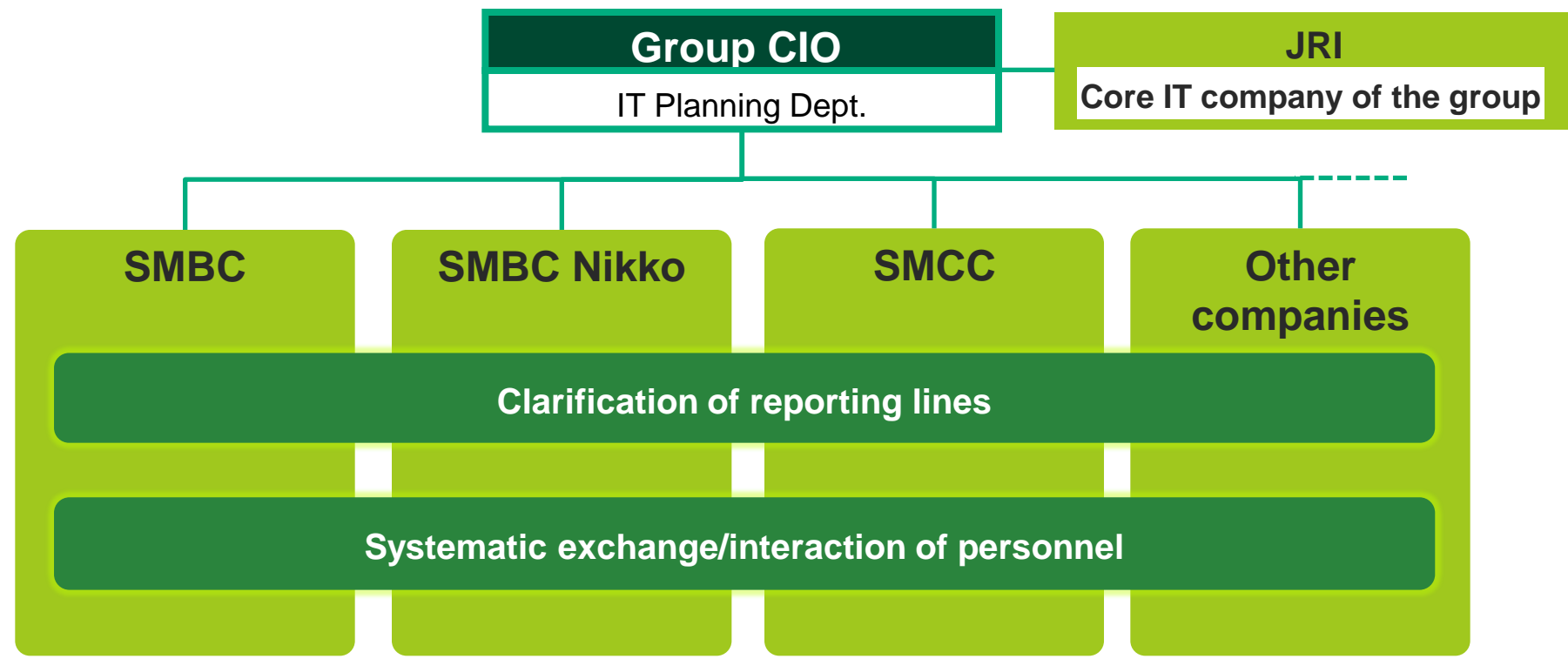


Consider providing new services utilizing various forms of data by accelerating API connections with other industries

(1) Group IT governance

- Established IT governance structure under the Group CIO on a group-wide basis
- Exchange/interact personnel among the group companies and place personnel appropriately

SMFG



5. Organization and human resources

(2) IT university

- Established IT university in JRI to improve IT planning, project management, and IT literacy of SMBC Group

IT university for SMBC Group

Group's own training

- Original training which cannot be provided by training agencies or consulting firms
- Use "real" examples which actually happened in the group

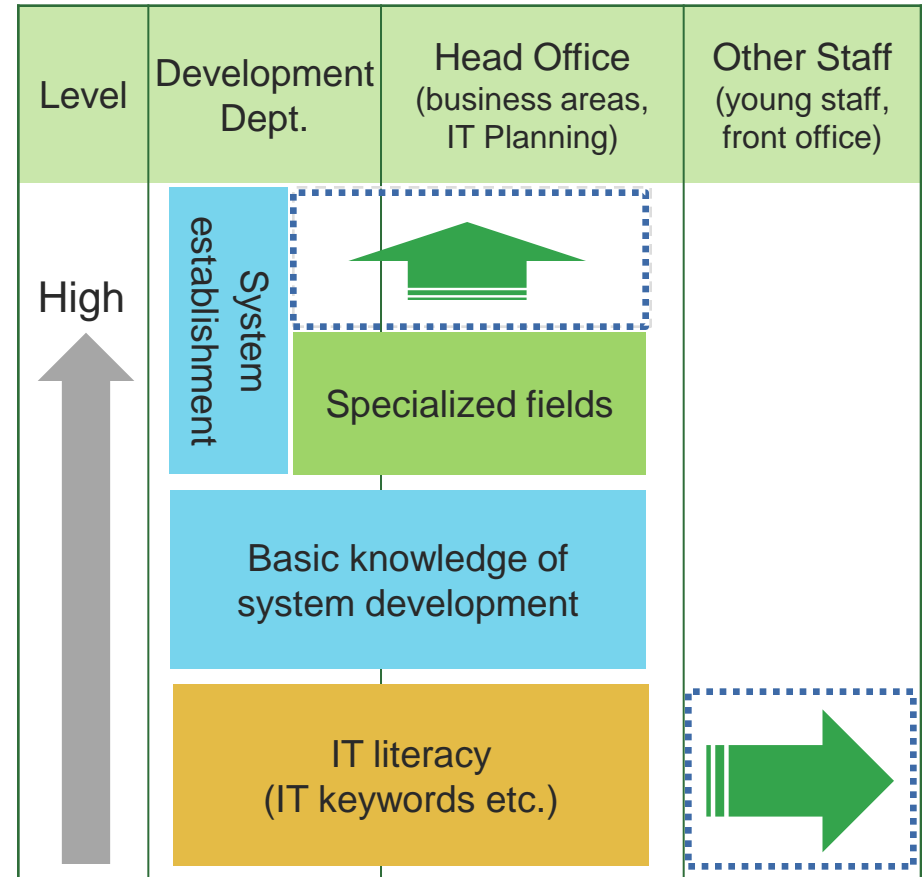
Training for each group company

- Share information of operations and organizational structure at each SMBC group company
- Create connections among the group companies for productive collaborations and discussions

Utilization of expertise within the group

- Collaborate with various departments within SMBC Group
- Cover latest technologies

Target areas



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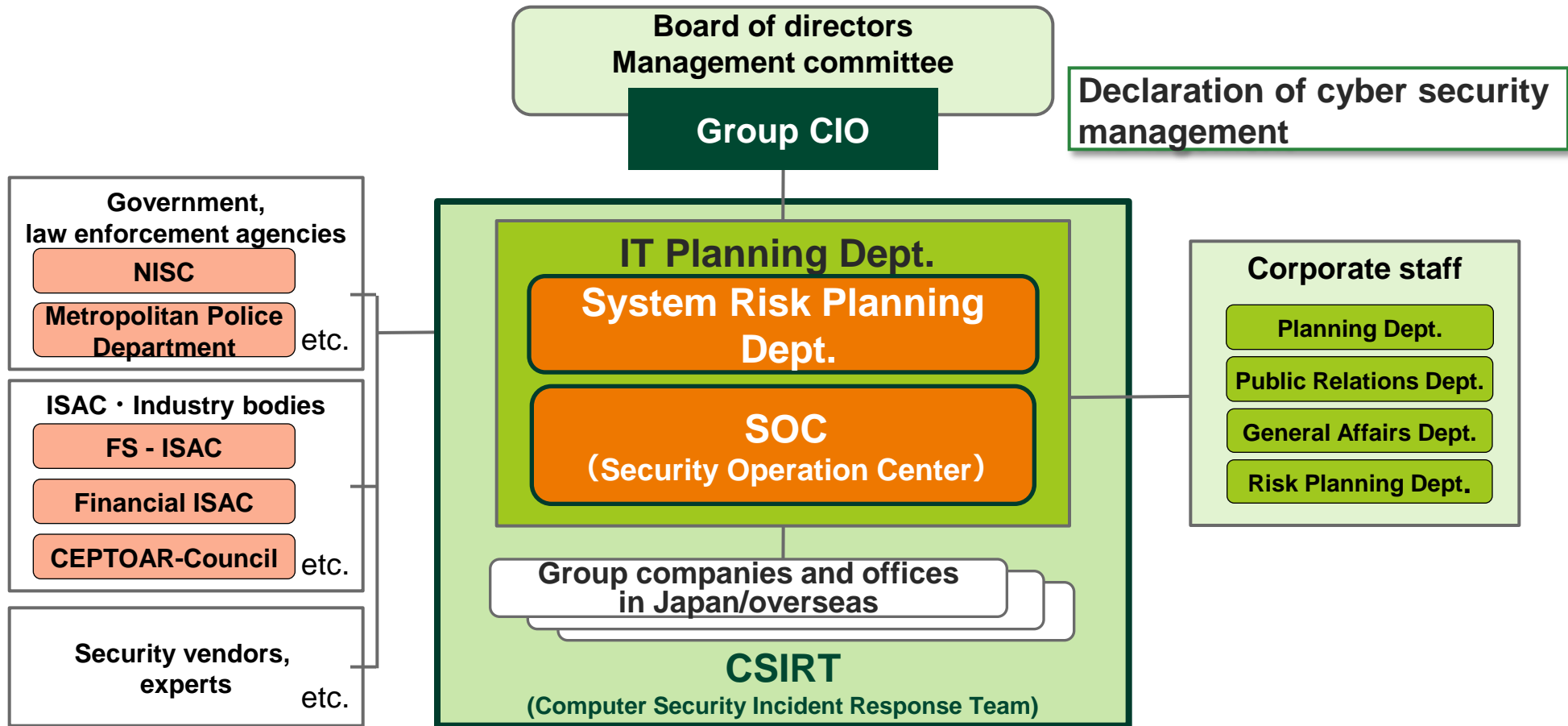
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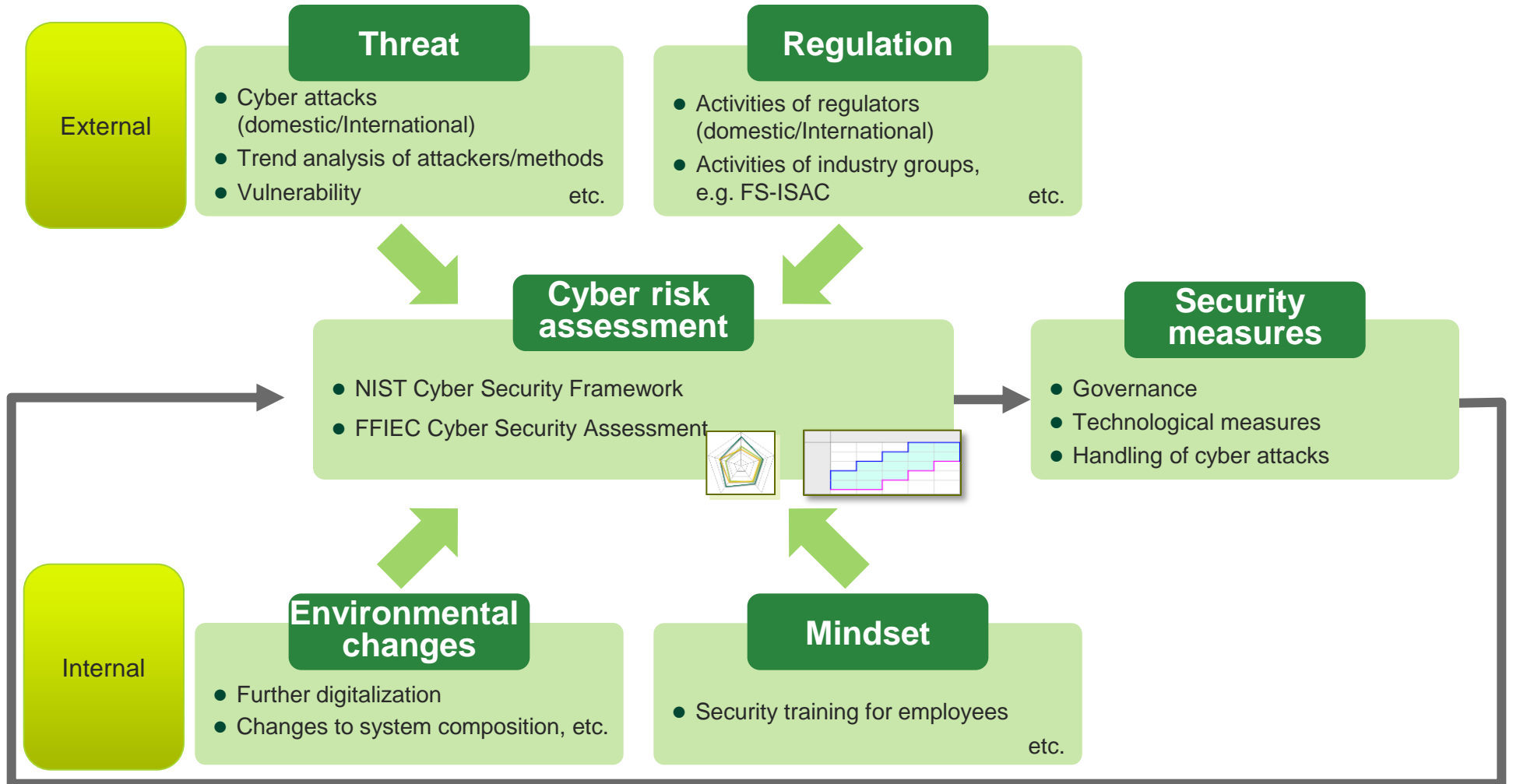
1. Cyber security governance

- Set cyber risk as one of the top risks and formed CSIRT and SOC under the Group CIO
- Established monitoring structure on a group/global basis



2. Cyber security management cycle

- Strengthen security measures by continuously assessing cyber risks based on changes in external/internal environmental changes



3. Cyber security human resource development

- Defined required security skills using frameworks, e.g. SecBok
- Focus on 1) advanced security personnel development for SOC etc. to provide assistance to each group company and 2) security training for all employees to improve IT literacy

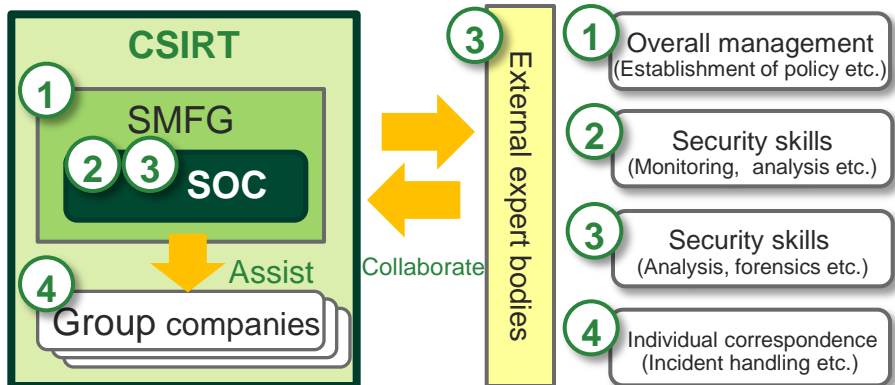
Develop advanced security personnel

Framework / Guidelines

- NICE Cybersecurity Workforce Framework (NIST)
- SecBoK (JNSA)
- Ten Strategies of a World-Class Cybersecurity Operations Center (MITRE)
- Handbook for organizations regarding security management (ISOG-J) etc.

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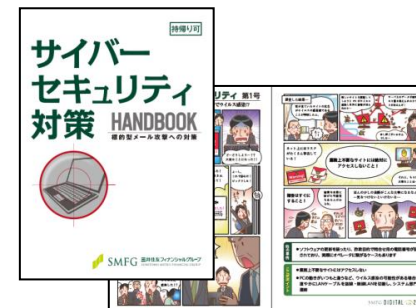
- Split into four areas based on SMBC Group's organization



Educational measures for employees

The diagram illustrates 'Cyber Hygiene' using analogies from physical hygiene. A large blue circle labeled 'Cyber Hygiene' is surrounded by boxes for 'Password & access management', 'Information management', and 'Safe browsing / e-mail'. To the left, icons represent 'Gargle', 'Hygiene', 'Mask', and 'Hand-Wash'. A yellow arrow points down to a box indicating:

- Continuous training to foster "safety habits"



Educational pamphlets



E-learning (movie / study session)



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