

I.2Q FY2021 Consolidated Financial Highlights





2Q FY2021 Consolidated Overview(1)

Sales and earnings decreased because of COVID-19 but were generally as expected

Net sales: ¥4,293 million (-41.8% YoY)

There is still uncertainty about the magnitude of the impact of COVID-19. A third state of emergency has been declared in some areas of Japan.

Although sales are recovering slowly, the number of weddings and average sales per wedding were smaller than one year earlier.

Operating profit: \(\frac{1}{648}\) million

Operating profit was lower than one year earlier because of COVID-19 but generally as expected.

Profit attributable to owners of parent: $\frac{(942)}{}$ million

Subsidies for employment adjustment of ¥687 million recorded as non-operating income.

Record high

Order backlog (at the end of April 2021): 5,960 weddings (+23.7% YoY)

The backlog of wedding orders increased to an all-time high because of postponements caused by COVID-19.



2Q FY2021 Consolidated Overview(2)

Procured funds and cut costs in response to the COVID-19 crisis

Fund procurement

Procured funds to maintain financial stability

- ¥9.5 billion current account overdraft agreement(¥2.1 billion has been used)
- ¥1.1 billion loan for long-term working capital
- At the end of April 2021, the equity ratio was 40.4% and the debt-to-assets ratio was 33.5%

Cost cutting

SG&A expenses decreased ¥605 million from one year earlier

Personnel and other expenses decreased because of the smaller number of weddings, investment plans were revised, and expenses that were not necessary or urgent were cut. The result was a big reduction in expenses from the previous fiscal year.

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I. FY2021 2Q results

(Millions of yen)

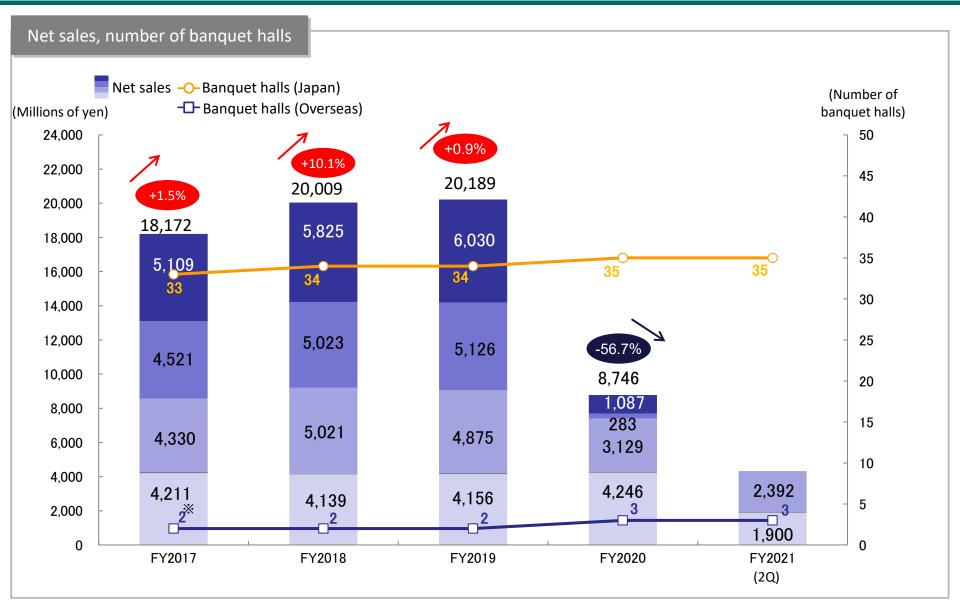
	2Q FY202	2Q FY2020		2Q FY2021			
	Amount	% to sales	Amount	% to sales	YoY change		
	Amount	∕₀ to sales	Amount	% to sales	Amount	%	
Net sales	7,376	100.0	4,293	100.0	(3,082)	(41.8)	
Wedding operations	7,114	96.5	4,002	93.2	(3,112)	(43.7)	
Nursing-care operations	262	3.6	274	6.4	12	4.7	
Food Business	-	-	30	0.7	30	_	
Gross profit	3,953	53.6	2,289	53.3	(1,664)	(42.1)	
SG&A expenses	4,543	61.6	3,937	91.7	(605)	(13.3)	
Operating income	(589)	-	(1,648)	_	(1,059)	_	
Ordinary income	(575)	-	(928)	-	(352)	_	
Profit attributable to owners of parent	(436)	-	(942)	_	(505)	_	
Net income per share (Yen)	(14.67)	-	(32.22)	_	_	_	

^{*} On October 2, 2020, IKK established Meitokuan Inc. to operate the food business.





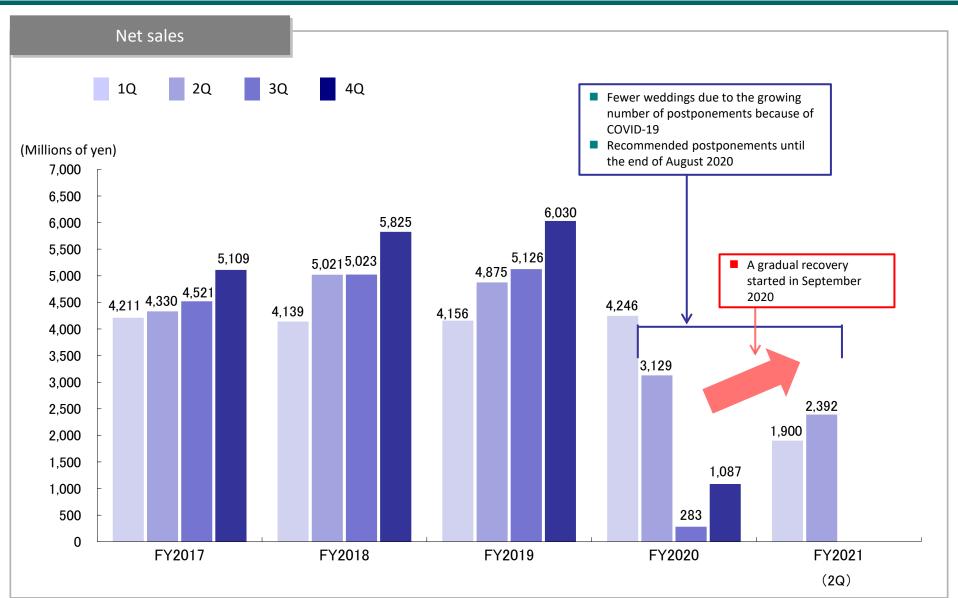
Net Sales



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Quarterly Net Sales



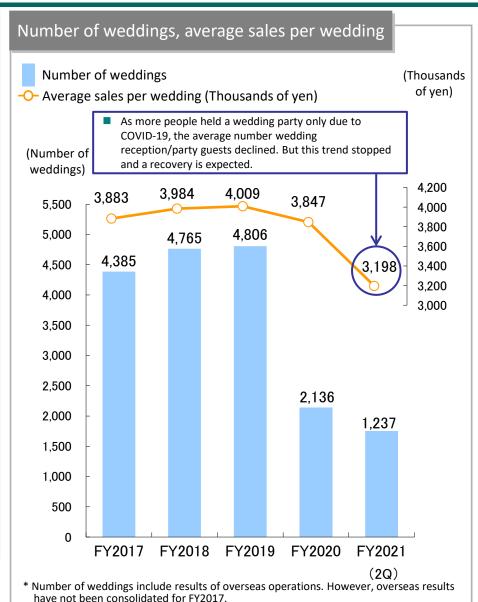


Wedding Operations

		2Q FY2020	2Q FY2021	YoY cha	nge
		results	results	Amount	%
	Net sales llions of yen)	7,114	4,002	(3,112)	(43.7)
	Number of nches in Japan	18	19	1	5.6
	Number of ches overseas	2	2	_	-
	Number of weddings	1,753	1,237	(516)	(29.4)
	Japan	1,669	1,218	(451)	(27.0)
	Overseas	84	19	(65)	(77.4)
	Orders for veddings*1	2,403	1,599	(804)	(33.5)
Ord	ler backlog*1	4,818	5,960	1,142	23.7
Average sales per wedding* ² (Thousands of yen)		4,074	3,198	(875)	(21.5)

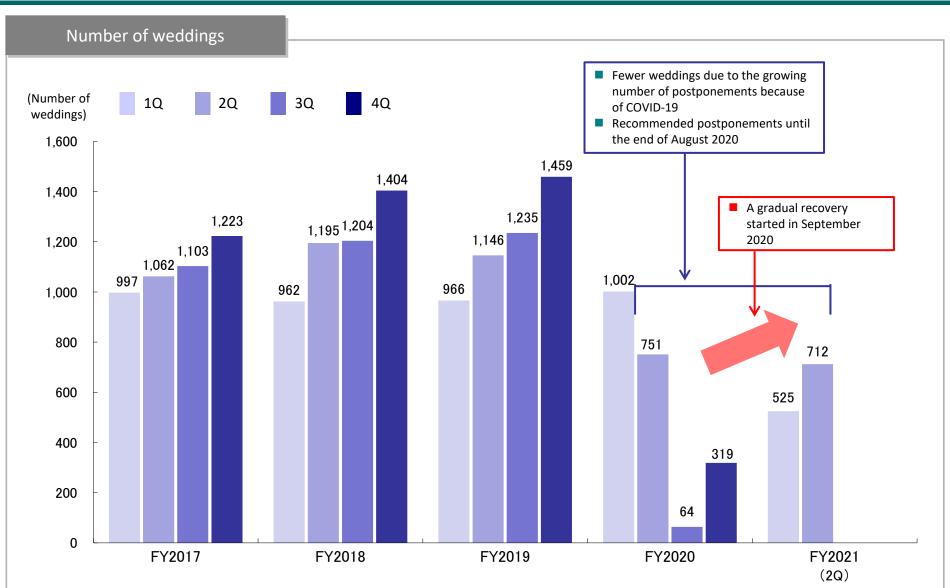
^{*1} Orders for weddings and order backlog do not include overseas wedding operations.

^{*2} The average sales per wedding does not include ordinary banquets, cancellation fees and overseas wedding operations.





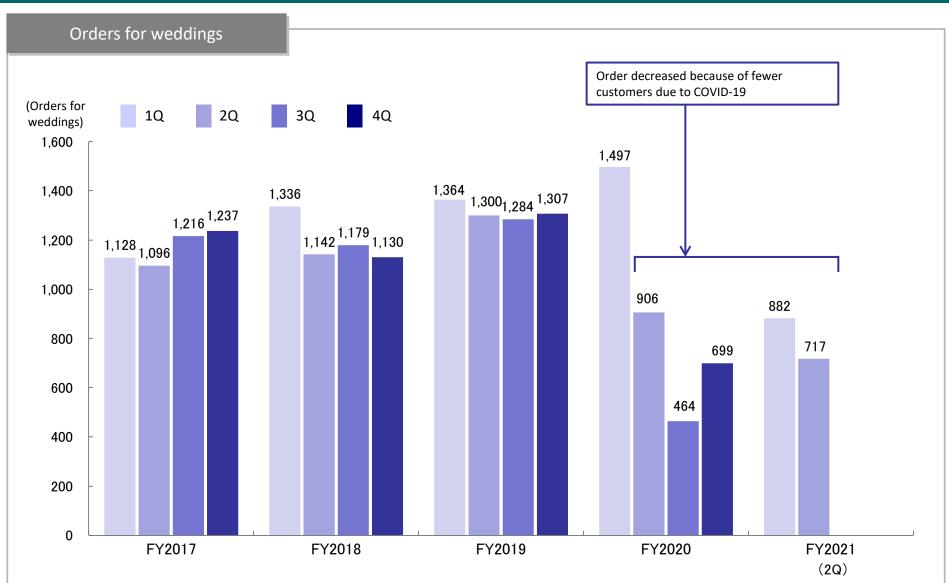
Quarterly Trends in Number of Weddings



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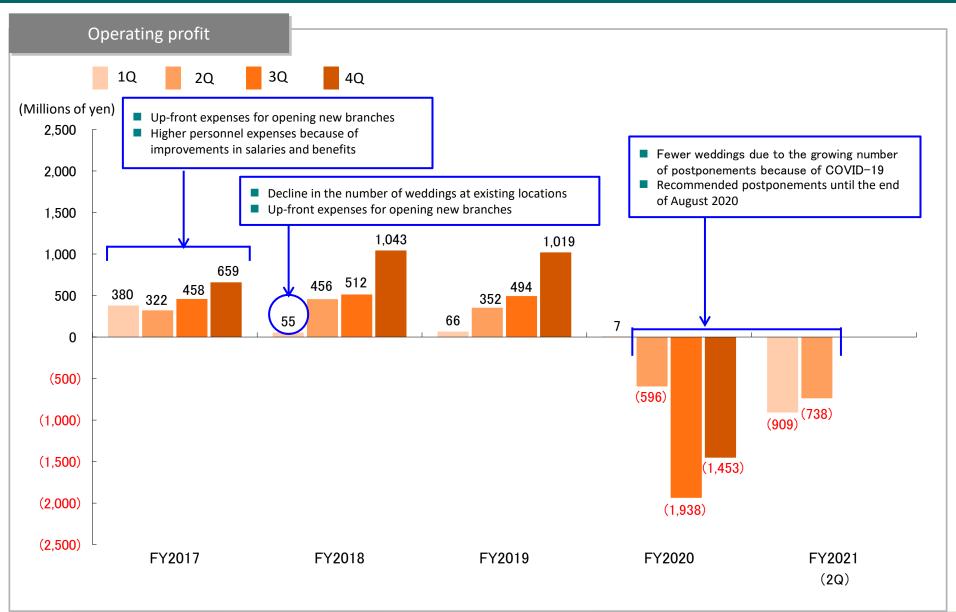
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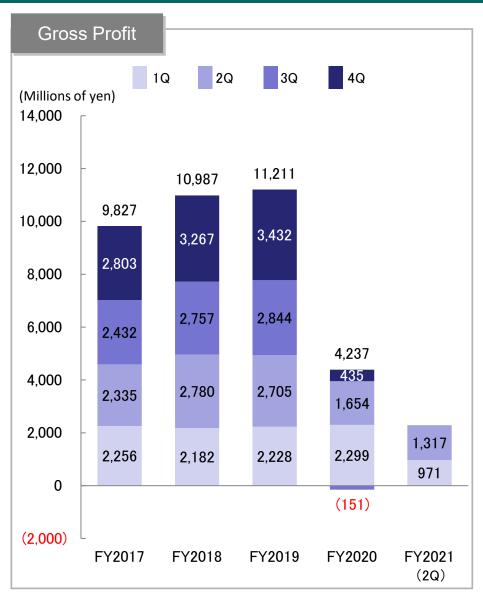


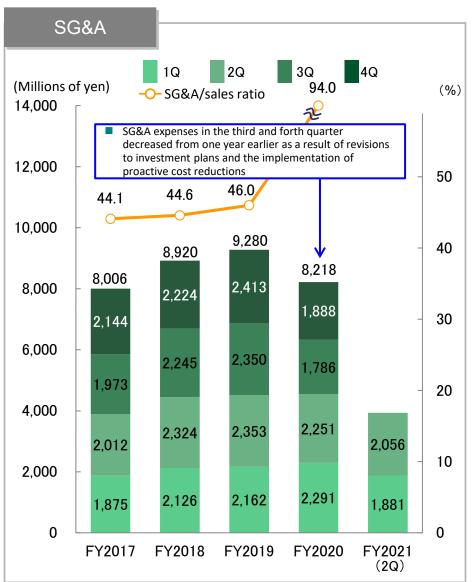
Quarterly Trends in Operating Profit





Trends in Gross Profit and SG&A

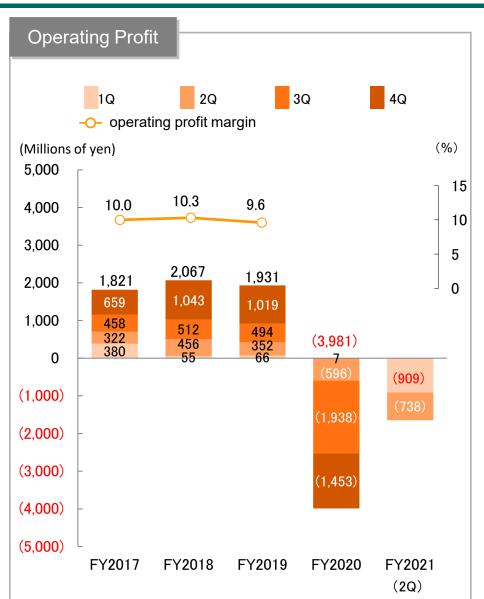


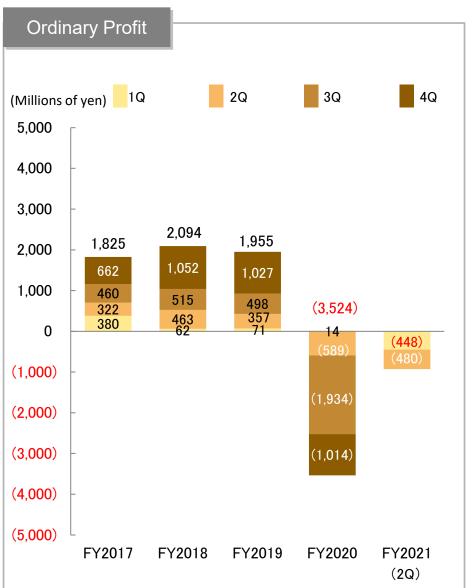




Trends in Operating Profit and Ordinary Profit

I. FY2021 2Q results







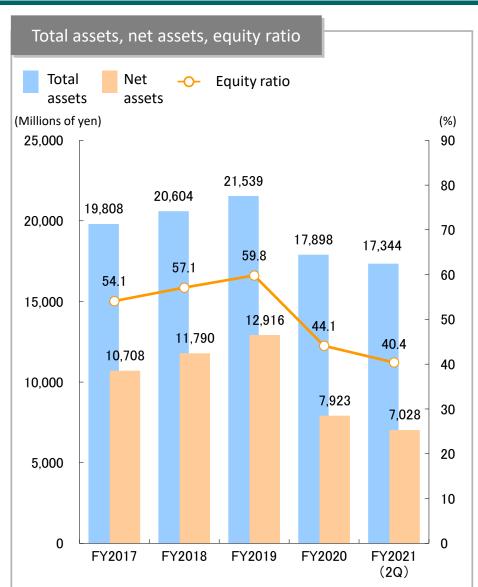
Consolidated Balance Sheet

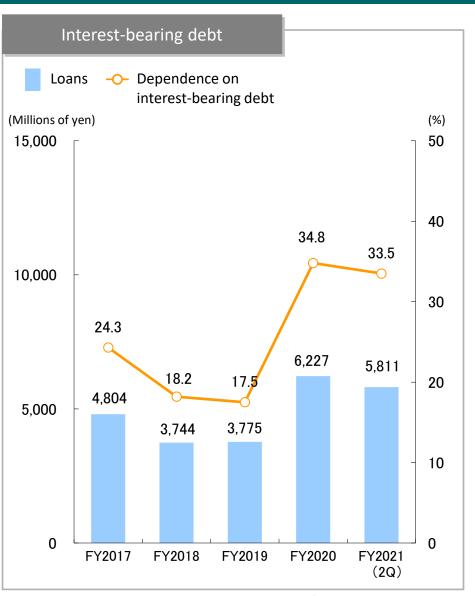
(Millions of yen)

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	Oct. 31	Oct. 31, 2020		Apr. 31, 2021	
	Amount	Comp. (%)	Amount	Comp. (%)	YoY change
Current assets	3,817	21.3	3,825	22.1	8
(Cash and deposits)	1,873	10.5	2,857	16.5	984
(Accounts receivable-trade)	144	0.8	211	1.2	67
Non-current assets	14,081	78.7	13,518	77.9	(562)
(Property, plant and equipment)	11,518	64.4	11,038	63.6	(479)
Total assets	17,898	100.0	17,344	100.0	(553)
Current liabilities	5,138	28.7	5,908	34.1	769
(Accounts payable-trade)	221	1.2	487	2.8	266
(Income taxes payable)	0	0.0	19	0.1	18
Non-current liabilities	4,836	27.0	4,407	25.4	(429)
Total liabilities	9,975	55.7	10,315	59.5	340
(Interest-bearing debt)	6,227	34.8	5,811	33.5	(416)
Total net assets	7,923	44.3	7,028	40.5	(894)
Total liabilities and net assets	17,898	100.0	17,344	100.0	(553)



Financial Position





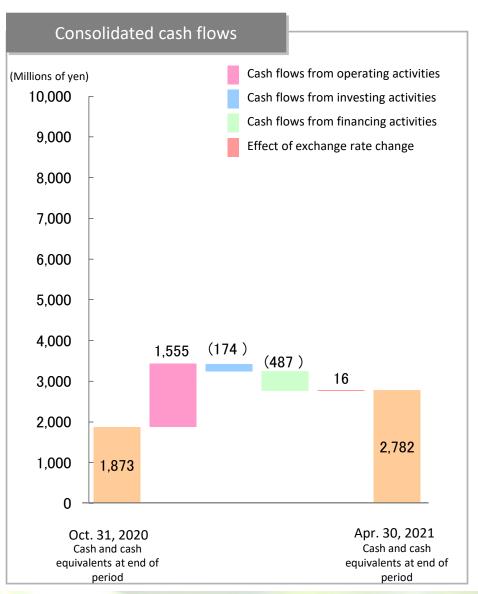
^{*}Dependence on interest-bearing debt = Interest-bearing debt / Total assets



Consolidated Cash Flows

(Millions of yen)

	FY2020 (2Q)	FY2021 (2Q)
Cash flows from operating activities	(1,604)	1,555
Profit before income taxes	(585)	(931)
Depreciation	532	552
Decrease (increase) in notes and accounts receivable-trade	181	(65)
Increase (decrease) in notes and accounts payable-trade	(802)	264
Income taxes refund	0	877
Income taxes paid	(297)	(4)
Cash flows from investing activities	(298)	(174)
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(294)	(157)
Cash flows from financing activities	(935)	(487)
Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equivalents	10	16
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	5,067	1,873
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents resulting from changes in scope of consolidation	(2,827)	909
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	2,240	2,782



II. FY2021 Consolidated Forecast





Summary of the FY2021 Forecast (1)

The outlook for FY2021 has not been determined because of the risk of another increase in COVID-19 infections and a potential economic downturn caused by this outbreak.

An announcement will be made promptly once it becomes possible to establish a forecast.

(Millions of yen)

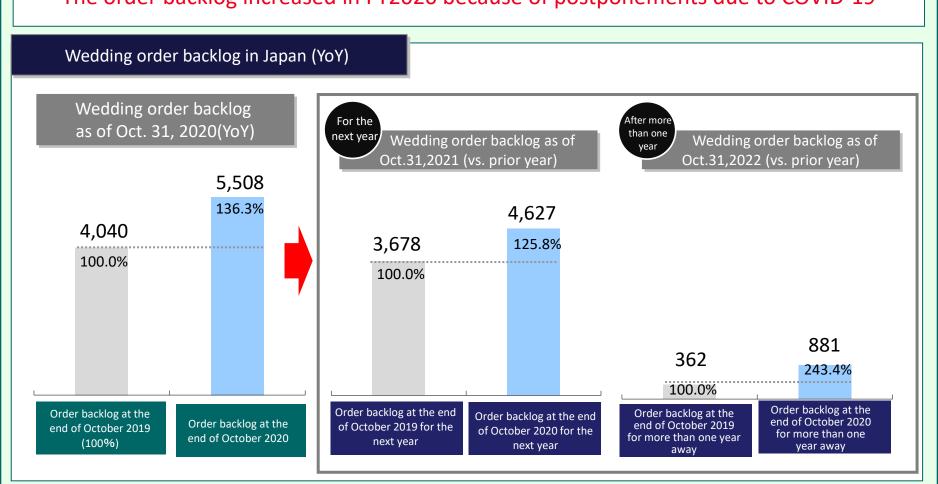
	FY2020		FY2021			
					YoY ch	nange
	Amount % to sales		Full-year plan	% to sales	Amount	%
Net sales	8,746	100.0		-	-	-
Gross profit	4,237	48.4		-	-	-
SG&A expenses	8,218	94.0	(Undecided)	-	-	-
Operating profit	(3,981)	-		-	-	-
Ordinary profit	(3,524)	-		-	-	-
Profit attributable to owners of parent	(4,235)	-		-	-	-
Net income per share (Yen)	(143.22)	-		-	-	-
	FY2020 i	results	FY2021 p	olan	Cha	nge
Number of weddings		2,136				-
Japan	2,025				-	
Overseas	111		(Undecided)		-	
Capital expenditure	977		7		-	
Depreciation expenses		1,211	1		-	



Summary of the FY2021 Forecast (2)

FY2021 order backlog up because of wedding and reception postponements due to COVID-19

The order backlog increased in FY2020 because of postponements due to COVID-19



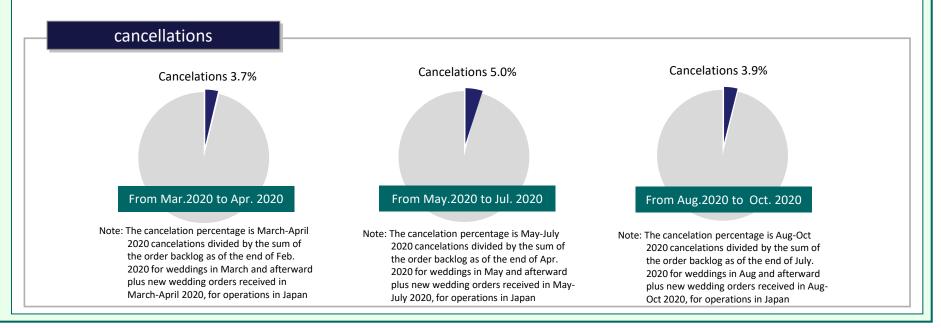


Summary of the FY2021 Forecast (3)

Large number of postponements, but many customers still have wedding reservations

Very few couples have canceled wedding reservations due to COVID-19; overall cancellations were small

- Overall cancellations were small despite a small increase in cancelations during the state of emergency
- Most IKK customers planning on a wedding still expect to have a ceremony and reception despite the uncertain outlook due to COVID-19

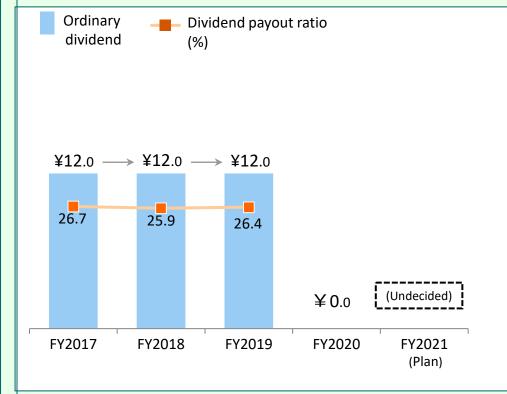




Dividend Plan

No FY2020 dividend because of the impact of COVID-19 on sales and earnings

- Our policy is to pay dividends that reflect operating results while retaining earnings needed for achieving the medium to long-term business plan and strengthening our operations.
- The FY2021 dividend plan is undecided because of the inability to determine an outlook for sales and earnings at this time.



	Dividends	Dividend payout ratio
FY2017	¥12.0	26.7%
FY2018	¥12.0	25.9%
FY2019	¥12.0	26.4%
FY2020	¥0.0	-
FY2021(Plan)	(Undecided)	-

The health and safety of customers and employees are the highest priority

Activities comply with the wedding hall industry guidelines for preventing the spread of COVID-19 and place the highest priority on the health and safety of customers and employees

For customers

- ■Installation of ultrasonic hypochlorous acid (kills viruses) misting units at all wedding facilities
- Disinfectant dispensers are placed in many locations and surfaces touched frequently by customers are wiped with an alcohol disinfectant every 30 minutes
- ■Ventilation is provided by the air conditioning system at all times, and the doors and windows are opened before and after the weddings and receptions
- Customers complete a health questionnaire and temperatures are checked; customers with an abnormal condition are not allowed to enter

For employees

- ■Temperatures and overall health of all employees are checked before starting work every day; employees who may be infected stay home
- ■Employees are assigned to shifts to minimize the risk of employees infecting each other

For service personnel

■ Everyone undergoes a health and temperature check before starting work and people who may be infected stay home

Every 30 minutes, people involved with preparing and serving food wash their hands with an alcohol sanitizer

Measures to be taken to prevent the spread of COVID-19 in areas where a state of emergency has been declared

- ■Refraining from providing alcohol and karaoke facilities
- Recommending closing the banquet by 8pm and shortening banquet times based on the request for shorter hours
- ■Recommending that the number of guests be limited to less than 50 people and also to less than 50% of total capacity

 Measures, including those given above, are to be posted on the websites of each branch as necessary.



Activities to Prevent the Spread of COVID-19 (2)

Aiming to realize a place of blessing in the "with COVID-19 era" with the entire wedding industry

Undertaking industry-wide initiatives to ensure a happy wedding with a smile and, as soon as possible, give peace of mind to the couple about taking this first step together in new normal life

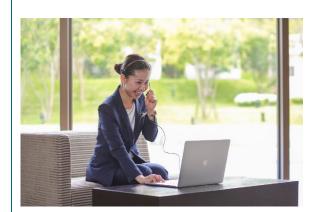


NEW NORMAL For HAPPY WEDDING IKK will be one of the founder members, give our

Our pledge is to help you to have a safe and secure wedding full of smiles

We are working together as one with the wedding industry to formulate a "NEW NORMAL for HAPPY WEDDING Declaration" so that our customers can enjoy their day safely and securely.

IKK will be one of the founder members, give our endorsement to the Declaration, and aim to realize a place of blessing in the "with COVID-19 era".



▲ Providing online guidance



▲ Laying panels on tables to prevent the risk of droplet splashes



▲Thorough implementation of staff safety management



Activities for Business Operations in FY2021

Starting activities for the prevention of COVID-19 infections and returning to growth in FY2021

Building a sound base for operations following the end of the COVID-19 crisis

IKK's responses to the COVID-19 crisis

(1) Hold down expenses that are not necessary or urgent and review fixed expenses

The remuneration of directors for FY2021 will be reduced as IKK expects that COVID-19 will continue to affect its performance in FY2021. In addition, expenses that are not necessary or urgent will be held down and fixed expenses will be reduced, chiefly by activities of the Purchasing Department, which was established in 2019. The goal is to achieve a suitable cost structure for operations after the COVID-19 crisis ends.

(2) Strengthen IT systems

A separate IT systems department has been established that is supervised by a manager who is Director and more people are assigned to IT systems.

Business flows will be reexamined. Upgrading and increasing the use of these systems gives IKK a platform for business process reforms and innovation after the COVID-19 crisis ends.

(3) Seek opportunities for new businesses in addition to food

We are collecting information about opportunities for new businesses under the supervision of a director in charge of new business development. IKK is shifting to a holding company structure in November 2021 to create a stronger infrastructure for diversifying business operations and giving people skills and experience to become managers.



Topics(1)

IKK placed first for the fourth consecutive year in popularity as a place to work – High ranking helps IKK recruit outstanding people

- First place for the fourth consecutive year in the 2022 Mynavi and Nikkei New Graduate Company Popularity Ranking for Kyushu/Okinawa
- First place for the fourth consecutive year in the Job-hunting Popularity for Individual Industries, and placed 50th overall for humanities college graduates
- IKK Group hired 81 new college graduates in April 2021
- Job-hunting Popularity Based on Head Office Location Top 10 for Kyushu and Okinawa *Survey of 3,623 people

Rank	Company	Votes	Rank in 2020
1	IKK Inc.	248	1
2	Fukuoka Financial Group	174	8
3	THE NISHI-NIPPON CITY BANK, LTD.	162	14
3	Nishihara shokai Co., Ltd.	162	16
5	LEVEL-5 Inc.	133	6
6	TOTO LTD.	120	5
7	Nishi-Nippon Railroad Co., Ltd.	115	4
8	KUBARA HONKE CO., Ltd	114	20
9	Fukuoka Toyota Corporation	106	11
10	JR Kyushu Railway Company	102	2

Job-hunting Popularity for Individual Industries Top 10 for the Wedding, Funeral and Other Services Sector

Rank	Company	Votes
1	IKK Inc.	248
2	TAKE AND GIVE. NEEDS Co., Ltd.	77
3	Watabe Wedding Corporation	57
4	TAKAMI BRIDAL	51
5	Brass Corporation	42
6	Memolead Corporation (Nagasaki)	36
7	DEARS BRAIN	32
8	NOVARAZE, Inc.	30
9	Nagataya	25
10	Bridal Produce Co., Ltd.	24
10	Best Bridal Inc.	24

[■] The survey covers third-year university students and first-year graduate school students in Japan planning to graduate in March 2022. ■ The survey took place from December 1, 2020 to March 20, 2021.

■ The survey was conducted by using the Mynavi 2022 job hunting site, the Mynavi job hunting magazine, and special events sponsored by Mynavi to ask individuals to participate in the survey by completing a questionnaire on the internet. *Individuals entered their five favorite companies. *Two reasons were selected as the reasons for choosing each company. ■ There were 41,093 responses.



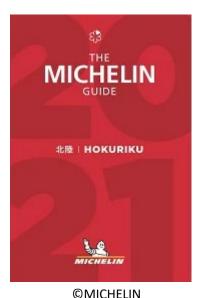
Topics (2)

Cuisine Française LA CHANCE (Toyama City, Toyama Prefecture) introduced as a one-star restaurant

- Listed as a one-star restaurant in the "Michelin Guide Hokuriku 2021 Special Edition"
- Listed as one of 20 starred restaurants in Toyama
- Cuisine Française LA CHANCE opened in April 2011 and is located in Toyama Prefecture's Fugan Canal Kansui Park
- The restaurant is sited in an attractive location overlooking both the canal and the natural beauty of the park
- Naturally the food served is delicious, and the restaurant also provides guests with an enjoyable and memorable dining experience







▲The MICHELIN Guide Hokuriku 2021 Special Edition*

^{*} Nippon Michelin Co., Ltd. conducts a process of gastronomic assessment based on an evaluation method conducted anonymously by Michelin investigators who have been selected to have expertise in the hotel and restaurant industries and compiles the results in a ranking system that "expresses the deliciousness of the cuisine by the number of stars awarded." There are five evaluation criteria: "quality of ingredients, high degree of culinary skill, originality, price commensurate with value, and uniform and consistency in the quality of all of the food served." Three stars, two stars, and one star are assigned in descending order on the basis of these criteria.



Topics (3)

New contract entered into produce weddings in Jakarta, the Republic of Indonesia

- We have signed a contract to produce wedding ceremonies at the Financial Hall in Graha CIMB Niaga, an office building in Jakarta
- Operations started in May 2021

Financial Hall

Graha CIMB Niaga Building 2F

Total floor area

1,482 m²

Capacity Maximum 1,000

Maximum persons

▲Interior of the Hall

Overview

The wedding space is located on the 2nd floor of an office building on Sudirman Street in Jakarta city
The venue (409.5 sqm) and outdoor space (1,073 sqm) make it possible for the weddings to be blessed with natural light



▲Outdoor space



III. Initiatives for FY2021



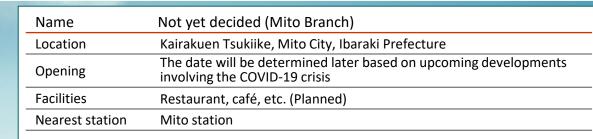


- Selected by Mito City, Ibaraki Prefecture, to open a restaurant from a designated manager and business operator by open recruitment
- 2 Established a subsidiary to operate the food business, primarily for gifts and sweets given to wedding guests, and started an e-commerce website
- Transition to a holding company structure with the aim of implementing agile business strategies and recruiting and developing excellent human resources



Initiatives for FY2021 (1)

Selected by Mito City, Ibaraki Prefecture, to open a restaurant from a designated manager and business operator by open recruitment



- As the result of applying to open a restaurant in the "Kairakuen Tsukiike District Development Project" in Mito City, Ibaraki Prefecture, a group consisting of IKK was selected as the designated manager and business operator.
- IKK plans to open a restaurant, café, and other facilities designed to hold weddings in the extension of "Kairakuen" which is one of the "Three Great Gardens of Japan".



▲ Rendering of the completed facility



Initiatives for FY2021 (2)

Established a subsidiary to operate the food business, primarily for gifts and sweets given to wedding guests, and started an e-commerce website

- The Food Business Dept., established in October 2019, was reorganized as a new subsidiary.
- Based on the cuisine development capabilities that IKK has to date, we plan to deliver our in-house developed products, concentrating mainly on wedding gifts and sweets, to a wide range of customers through e-commerce sites and wholesale sales distribution channels

Company name	Meitokuan Inc.		
Location	3-6-5 Katamine, Kasuyagun Shimemachi, Fukuoka Prefecture	Establishment	October 2,2020
Capital	25 million yen	Representative	Katsushi Kaneko, President and Chief Operating Officer



▲ Expand the business by utilizing the high level of cuisine development capabilities cultivated in the wedding business



▲ Food products won Monde Selection 2020 Grand Gold Quality Award and other medals

Started a website on November 25, 2020 selling food products that have received the Monde Selection 2020 Grand Gold Quality Award and other awards



The new website sells Banno Biyori, a creation of IKK's skilled chefs, and other products that have received the Monde Selection 2020 Grand Gold Quality Award, recognized as an international standard for excellence.

www.bannobiyori.com

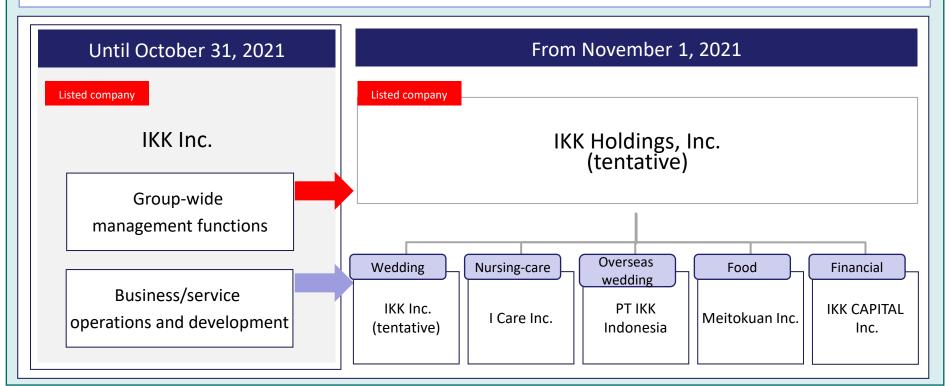
▲The complete set of Grand Gold Quality Award products (examples)



Initiatives for FY2021 (3)

Transition to a holding company structure with the aim of implementing agile business strategies and recruiting and developing excellent human resources

- To achieve Vision 2035, transition to a holding company structure with the aim of implementing agile business strategies and recruiting and developing excellent human resources
- Aim to launch new business and accelerate M&A, and create many next-generation presidents
- The date of transition to the holding company structure has been changed from May 1, 2021 to November 1, 2021 (as of April 26, 2021)





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Company Profile, Business Activities and Industry Overview



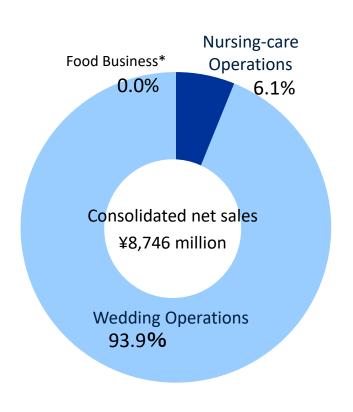


Company Profile

Company profile (as of Oct. 31, 2020)

Sales ratio by business segments (FY2020)

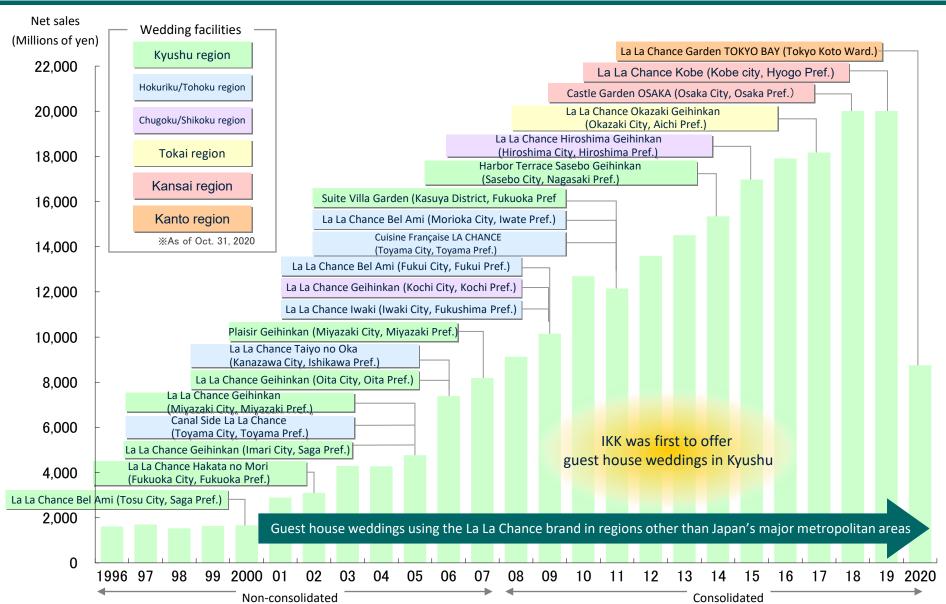
Company name	IKK Inc.
Head office	722-5 Shintencho, Imari, Saga
Business activities	Provision of wedding and reception planning and coordination services
Representative	Katsushi Kaneko, Chairman and chief Executive Officer Hiroki Murata, President and Chief Operating Officer
Established	November 1, 1995
Fiscal year end	October 31
Stock listing	First Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange (Securities code: 2198)
Capital	351 million yen
Consolidated subsidiaries	(Overseas wedding operations) PT. INTERNATIONAL KANSHA KANDOU INDONESIA (Nursing-care Oparations) I Care Inc. (Food Business) Meitokuan Inc. (Financial services) IKK CAPITAL Inc. (Established on March, 2021)
Number of employees	948 (consolidated)
Number of Shareholders	22,782 (as of Oct. 31, 2020)



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The History of IKK





Our Wedding Facilities

Using an innovative wedding facility design concept for growth from the core Kyushu region to all areas of Japan

- Currently operating 19 wedding locations in 17 cities in Japan featuring a distinctive design concept that is in harmony with natural surroundings
- Overseas operations consist of three wedding facilities in Jakarta, Indonesia

Wedding facilities in Japan

Tohoku area 2 locations

- La La Chance Iwaki (Iwaki City, Fukushima Pref.)
- La La Chance Bel Ami (Morioka City, Iwate Pref.)

Kanto area 1 location

•La La Chance Garden Tokyo Bay (Tokyo, Koto, Ward.)

Tokai area 1 location

•La La Chance Okazaki Geihinkan (Okazaki City, Aichi Pref.)

Chugoku/Shikoku area 2 locations

- ·La La Chance Hiroshima Geihinkan (Hiroshima City, Hiroshima Pref.)
- La La Chance Geihinkan (Kochi City, Kochi Pref.)

Overseas locations

Jakarta, Indonesia 3 locations

- Menara Mandiri (Jakarta)
- Skenoo Hall (Jakarta)
- Financial Hall(Jakarta)



2 locations Kansai area

- Castle Garden OSAKA (Osaka City, Osaka Pref.)
- La La Chance Kobe (Kobe City, Hyogo Pref.)

Hokuriku area 4 locations

- Canal Side La La Chance (Tovama City, Tovama Pref.)
- · Cuisine Française LA CHANCE (Toyama City, Toyama Pref.)
- ·La La Chance Taiyo no Oka (Kanazawa City, Ishikawa Pref.)
- La La Chance Bel Ami (Fukui City, Fukui Pref.)

Kyushu area

- · La La Chance Geihinkan/Imari Geihinkan (Imari City, Saga Pref.)
- La La Chance Bel Ami (Tosu City, Saga Pref.)
- La La Chance Hakata no Mori (Fukuoka City, Fukuoka Pref.)
- La La Chance Geihinkan (Oita City, Oita Pref.)
- La La Chance Geihinkan (Miyazaki City, Miyazaki Pref.)
- Plaisir Geihinkan (Miyazaki City, Miyazaki Pref.)
- Harbor Terrace Sasebo Geihinkan (Sasebo City, Nagasaki Pref.)





IKK Group's Management Philosophy

Mission

Contributing to Society by Touching Our Customers' Hearts

Management Philosophy

Credo: For your happiness and deep impression

- Sincerity, Trust, Reliance
- To touch our customers' hearts, we will create personalized weddings that warm people's hearts
- To touch our customers' hearts, we will do our best immediately in a sincere spirit of collaboration
- To touch our customers' hearts, we will be the talented personnel regardless of its nationality, religion, gender, age or experience and will challenge to create the wonderful future

Vision 2035

Create a "new world" company where everyone takes on new challenges as leaders in many fields

Vision 2033

Become a company that creates emotion by earning the gratitude of everyone

Vision 2023

Become a leader in Japan in the creation of emotion and aim for growth in other countries

Strategy

Vision

Specific measures for achieving these visions (Medium-term management plan)

Unlike operators of chains of wedding halls with identical designs, IKK uses a different design concept for each location

Couples can hold wedding receptions at elegant mansions with abundant sunlight and greenery and large sites with an average area of about 9,000m²





Wedding Facilities in Harmony with Natural Surroundings (2)

Our goal is creating the best wedding facilities that can succeed for 20 years by featuring expansive buildings in harmony with nature and their surroundings along with services that incorporate the distinctive elements of the local culture

Exclusive use of an entire mansion-style room for a highly unusual private atmosphere

A garden filled with greenery is the perfect place for weddings with a homey atmosphere

The flexibility to include events that reflect the desires and characteristics of each couple















Mainly Carefully Chosen Regional Cities Based on a Long-term Perspective (1)

Sasebo

Harbor Terrace Sasebo Geihinkan

(Sasebo City:

249 thousand people)

Osaka

Castle Garden OSAKA

(Osaka City:

2,730 thousand people)

Kobe

La La Chance KOBE

(Kobe City:

1,533 thousand people)

The facilities best suited for each market location from a long perspective that looks ahead two decades

Miyazaki

One banquet hall



La La Chance Geihinkan (Miyazaki City: 402 thousand people) Miyazaki



(Miyazaki City: 402 thousand people) Oita



La La Chance Geihinkan (Oita City: 478 thousand people) Tokyo



(Koto-ku: 521 thousand people)

Kochi



La La Chance Geihinkan (Kochi City: 327 thousand people) Toyama



Cuisine Française LA CHANCE (Tovama City: 415 thousand people) Morioka



La La Chance Bel Ami (Morioka City: 288 thousand people)

Mito



Mito Branch(Not yet decided) (Mito City: 271 thousand people

Two banquet halls

Iwaki



La La Chance Iwaki (Iwaki City: 321 thousand people) Fukui



(Fukui City: 263 thousand people) Okazaki



(Okazaki City: 387 thousand people)

Three banquet halls or more

Tosu



La La Chance Bel Ami (Tosu City: 73 thousand people) Imari



(Imari City: 54 thousand people) Hiroshima



(Hiroshima City: 1,195 thousand people)

Toyama



Canalside La La Chance (Toyama City: 415 thousand people) Kanazawa



(Kanazawa City: 452 thousand people) Fukuoka (4 banguet halls)



(Fukuoka Citv: 1,554 thousand people)

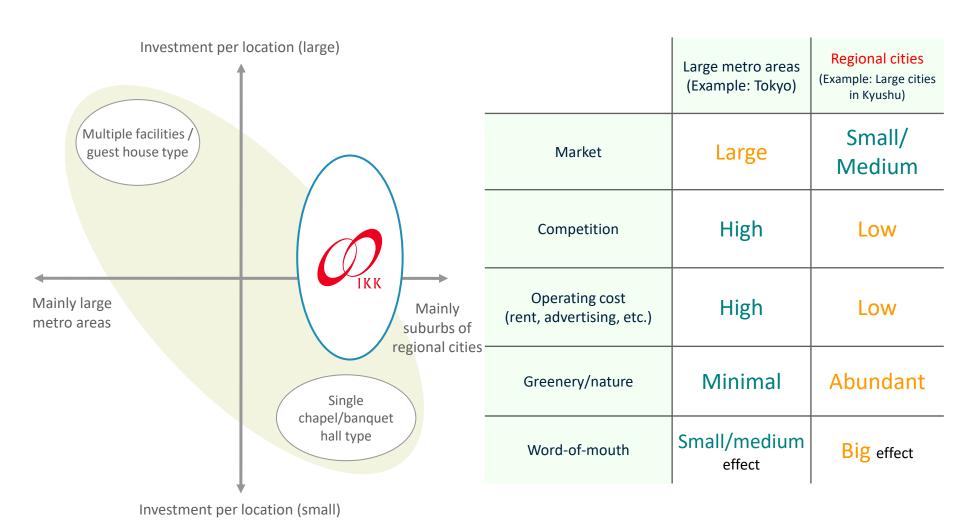
All locations except those in Fukuoka, Hiroshima, Osaka, Kobe and Koto-ku, Tokyo are in regional cities with populations under 500,000

> The figures in parentheses show the populations of cities where IKK's branches are located Source: Japan Geographic Data Center "Basic Resident Register 2020"



Mainly Carefully Chosen Regional Cities Based on a Long-term Perspective (2)

Targeting regional cities by using expertise (location, marketing, operations, etc.) and experience gained from operations in small markets

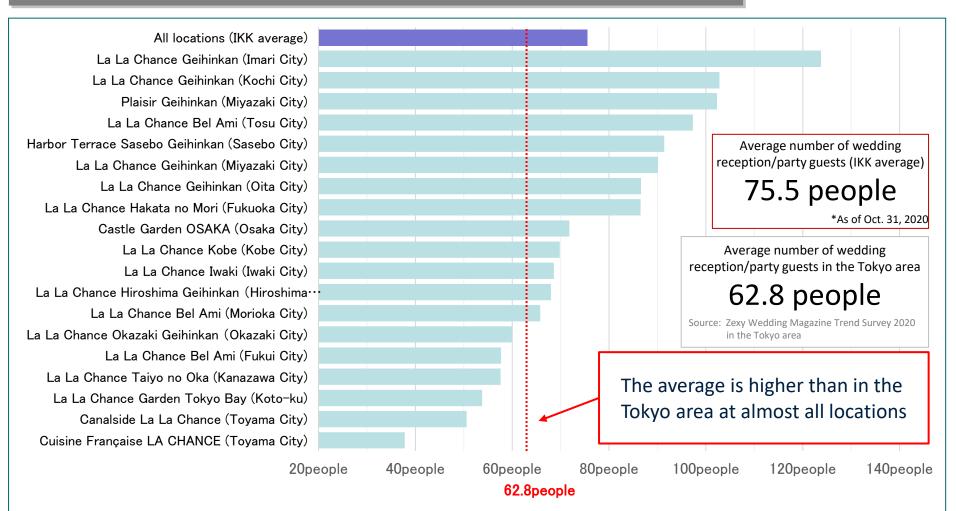




Mainly Carefully Chosen Regional Cities Based on a Long-term Perspective (3)

Regional city markets are small but wedding receptions and parties are very large events

Average number of people attending a reception/party for all locations and individual locations







A Brand with Deep Local Roots and Strong Ties with Local Residents (1)

Creating strong emotions produces a virtuous cycle where satisfied customers attract more customers

A local reputation for serving outstanding food



Weddings and receptions (Grooms, brides and guests)

Wedding reception contracts

Attract potential customers (Excitement)

The word-of-mouth

cycle

Friends **Family**

Attend event at IKK facility Services with warmth and sincerity



The kitchen staff includes several people who have won medals at international cooking contests







An extraordinary wedding/reception location full of natural beauty for this once-in-a-lifetime event



A Brand with Deep Local Roots and Strong Ties with Local Residents (2)

Reference

Two of our restaurants listed in Michelin Guides with one-starred restaurant designations

Cuisine Française LA CHANCE (Toyama City, Toyama Pref.)

- Listed as one of 20 starred restaurants in Toyama
- Attractive location alongside the canal in the Fugan Canal Kansui Park, Toyama Prefecture, with its rich natural beauty



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▲The MICHELIN Guide Hokuriku 2021 Special Edition*

Harbor Terrace Sasebo Geihinkan (Sasebo City, Nagasaki Pref.)

- Listed as the only starred restaurant in Sasebo City
- Located in the "Sasebo Gobangai" commercial facilities complex, just one minute's walk from Sasebo Station



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▲The MICHELIN Guide Fukuoka-Saga-Nagasaki 2019 Special Edition*

^{*} Nippon Michelin Co., Ltd. conducts a process of gastronomic assessment based on an evaluation method conducted anonymously by Michelin investigators who have been selected to have expertise in the hotel and restaurant industries and compiles the results in a ranking system that "expresses the deliciousness of the cuisine by the number of stars awarded." There are five evaluation criteria: "quality of ingredients, high degree of culinary skill, originality, price commensurate with value, and uniform and consistency in the quality of all of the food served." Three stars, two stars, and one star are assigned in descending order on the basis of these criteria.





A Brand with Deep Local Roots and Strong Ties with Local Residents (3)

Many winning entries from IKK locations in wedding photo contests in Japan

First Prize, 18th Zexy Wedding Photo Contest



The bride and groom greet their parents immediately prior to the ceremony. The expressions on the parents' faces show their immense joy at seeing for the first time their children dressed for their wedding.

Title: When parents' dreams come true

First Prize, 20th Zexy Wedding Photo Contest



A bride brushes red makeup on the lips of a curious child, who will probably remember this moment when she does her own lips at her wedding many years from now.

Title: Red lips, today and in the future

Prize-winning photos

2017

17th Zexy Wedding Photo Contest, First Prize, other prizes (3 people) Japan Wedding Photo Grand Prix, 5th place, other prizes (4 people) Wedding Photo Awards, Gold Prize (2 people)

2018

18th Zexy Wedding Photo Contest, First Prize, other prizes (5 people) Japan Wedding Photo Grand Prix, 8th place, other prizes (3 people) Wedding Photo Awards, Gold Prize (1 people)

2019

WPPI 2019 Annual, selected for award judging(4 works)
19th Zexy Wedding Photo Contest, selected for award judging (3 people)
Wedding Photo Awards, Gold Prize (6 people), Home Town Wedding
Special Prize (1 people)

AsiaWPA2019 1st half First Place(1 people), other prizes (3 people) Japan Wedding Photo Grand Prix, prizes (7 people)

2020

WPPI 2020 Annual, selected for award judging (3 works)
AsiaWPA2019 Annual Grand award(2people), other prizes (1people)
20th Zexy Wedding Photo Contest, First Prize, other prizes (2 people)
AsiaWPA2020 1st half Second Place(2 people), Third Place(2people), other prizes (9 people)
WPPI 2020 1st half Silver Award(1 people)

2021

AsiaWPA2020 2nd half, prizes (7 people)
Japan Wedding Photo Grand Prix, ,8th place, 10th place,



A Brand with Deep Local Roots and Strong Ties with Local Residents (4)

Wedding planning skills backed by training programs based on a sound concept

Creative Award at Good Wedding Awards 2015





The bride wants to be an illustrator who produces picture books. The wedding was planned to take place in the world of a wedding picture book that contained stories of gratitude with guests' overwhelming impressions.

Wedding theme: Journey - An invitation from the picture book world

Soul Award at Good Wedding Awards 2019







Wedding theme: Only to day

"Only today" is the theme that defines our approach to planning every wedding, a precious time that happens only once. Weddings are designed to convey to all participants emotions and feelings that are possible only on this special day. Every event has decorations and activities for this purpose along with an atmosphere for communicating words of appreciation that create unforgettable memories.

Wedding planner awards

2011

Good Wedding Awards 2011, Soul Prize Good Wedding Awards 2011, selected as one of 8 finalists 2013

2nd Home Town Wedding Contest, honorable mention **2014**

Good Wedding Awards 2014, Second Prize Good Wedding Awards 2014, Creative Award 2015

Good Wedding Awards 2015, Creative Award

2016

5th Home Town Wedding Contest, Bridal Industry Newspaper Prize

2017

6th Home Town Wedding Contest, Bridal Industry Newspaper Prize

2018

7th Home Town Wedding Contest, Bridal Industry Newspaper Prize

2019

Good Wedding Awards 2019, Soul Prize



Measures to Firmly Establish the IKK Corporate Philosophy (1)

Benefits of recruiting outstanding human resources and providing extensive training

- First place for the fourth consecutive year in the 2022 Mynavi and Nikkei New Graduate Company Popularity Ranking for Kyushu/Okinawa
- First place for the fourth consecutive year in the Job-hunting Popularity for Individual Industries.
- 50th place in the New Graduate Company Popularity Ranking for humanities college graduates.
 - Job-hunting Popularity Based on Head Office Location Top 10 for Kyushu and Okinawa *Survey of 3,623 people

Rank	Company	Votes	Rank in 2020
1	IKK Inc.	248	1
2	Fukuoka Financial Group	174	8
3	THE NISHI-NIPPON CITY BANK, LTD.	162	14
3	Nishihara shokai Co., Ltd.	162	16
5	LEVEL-5 Inc.	133	6
6	TOTO LTD.	120	5
7	Nishi-Nippon Railroad Co., Ltd.	115	4
8	KUBARA HONKE CO., Ltd	114	20
9	Fukuoka Toyota Corporation	106	11
10	JR Kyushu Railway Company	102	2

Job-hunting Popularity for Individual Industries Top 10 for the Wedding, Funeral and Other Services Sector

Rank	Company	Votes	
1	IKK Inc.	248	
2	TAKE AND GIVE. NEEDS Co., Ltd.	77	
3	Watabe Wedding Corporation	57	
4	TAKAMI BRIDAL	51	
5	Brass Corporation	42	
6	Memolead Corporation (Nagasaki)	36	
7	DEARS BRAIN	32	
8	NOVARAZE, Inc.	30	
9	Nagataya	25	
10	Bridal Produce Co., Ltd.	24	
10	Best Bridal Inc.	24	

[■] The survey covers third-year university students and first-year graduate school students in Japan planning to graduate in March 2022. ■ The survey took place from December 1, 2020 to March 20, 2021.
■ The survey was conducted by using the Mynavi 2022 job hunting site, the Mynavi job hunting magazine, and special events sponsored by Mynavi to ask individuals to participate in the survey by completing a questionnaire on the internet. *Individuals entered their five favorite companies. *Two reasons were selected as the reasons for choosing each company. ■ There were 41,093 responses.



Measures to Firmly Establish the IKK Corporate Philosophy (2)

Benefits of recruiting outstanding human resources and providing extensive training

■ IKK ranked the top 4 companies and 1st place in the surveys OpenWork, a company that operates a job market platform for job hunting and job changing

Service Sector
Employee Satisfaction Ranking
(Employee Satisfaction leads to Customer Satisfaction)

Rank	Company	Total scores
1	Plan Do See Inc.	9.90
2	Recruit Zexy Navi Co., Ltd.	9.57
3	Oriental Land Co.,Ltd.	9.50
4	IKK Inc.	9.43
5	Starbucks Coffee Japan, Ltd.	9.39
6	MITSUKOSHI U.S.A., INC.	9.10
7	ANNIVERSAIRE Inc.	9.06
8	DOCOMO CS, Inc.	8.93
9	MARUI CO., LTD.	8.89
10	Bell-Park Co.,Ltd.	8.86

[■] To prepare the above ranking, employees who were at their respective companies for at least one year were polled. Employees were asked to write a minimum 500-word essay on the subject of their choice and answer questions on eight evaluation parameters.

Companies outside Japan's major urban areas with pleasant and stimulating workplaces – Companies offering new challenges

Stillulating workplaces – Companies offering new challenges			
scores			
5.20			
5.00			
4.78			
4.71			
4.28			
4.22			
4.15			
4.10			
4.01			
3.83			

- ■Includes data in evaluation reports submitted to OpenWork for 840 companies with head offices in locations other than the Tokyo, Nagoya and Osaka regions (Tokyo, Osaka, Aichi, Kanagawa, Saitama, Chiba, Hyogo and Kyoto). Amount of overtime and paid vacation utilization rates are each scored by using a scale of five. (Data was collected between January 2015 and August 2017.)
- Rankings are the total scores for the following indicators of the ability of young people to grow at a company and the workplace atmosphere: (a) an open environment that welcomes new ideas; (b) an environment where people in their 20s can develop their skills and advance; (c) teamwork; and (d) employee morale

[■]Only companies that produced more than 25 responses were included in evaluation reports of service sector companies. (Data was collected between July 2007 and May 2018.)

^{*}Ranking scores, the number of comments and other numbers are as of the time the information was collected. As a result, these numbers may not match the numbers on the company pages of OpenWork



Measures to Firmly Establish the IKK Corporate Philosophy (3)

Main reasons that IKK was chosen as a "great place to work"

- IKK has placed in the 2019 Best Workplaces Lists by the Great Place to Work® Institute Japan for the past seven consecutive years
- Input from annual employee questionnaires is used to maintain workplaces that are pleasant and rewarding



Employees are entrusted with responsible work at this company

90% (avg. for all companies* is 86%)

 Executives and managers clearly define a vision and how to accomplish that vision 85% (avg. for all companies* is 78%)



I am proud of the business operations of the company

■ I believe the company is contributing to communities and society

87% (avg. for all companies* is 80%)

88% (avg. for all companies* is 76%)



The company holds celebrations whenever there is a special occasion

The company creates a mood of solidarity and teamwork

88% (avg. for all companies* is 84%)

77% (avg. for all companies* is 72%)

^{*}Average for companies in the 2018 Best Workplaces Lists



Measures to Firmly Establish the IKK Corporate Philosophy (4)

Dedicated to maintaining an environment for fully using the skills of women

- A commitment to a workplace environment where women can realize their full potential
- Demonstrating progress with measures for women, IKK was the first company in the wedding industry to receive a Development Bank of Japan loan under this bank's DBJ Employees' Health Management Rated Loan Program
- Promotions are based on performance, in accordance with consistent standards, to recognize the best people; 27.2% of officers and 30.4% of supervisors are women
- Employees are encouraged to use paid vacation time and can use up to 16 days consecutively
- Mental health support program; periodic distribution of questionnaires with unrestricted responses to hear the thoughts and suggestions of employees
- Regular health check-ups as well as blood tests and assistance for gynecology examinations

The DBJ Employees' Health Management Rated Loan Program

The Development Bank of Japan uses its own evaluation system to identify companies with outstanding measures for keeping their employees healthy. These evaluations are used for the world's first financing menu that incorporates employee health management ratings.









Measures to Firmly Establish the IKK Corporate Philosophy (5)

Japan's first hotel/wedding company to earn ISO22000:2005 certification for food safety management

Food safety is one of our highest priorities and we are always improving safety and hygiene measures

We have established a Sanitation Standard Operating Procedure (SSOP) Manual that complies with Food Hygiene
Management Standards (Prerequisite Program) and follow these procedures to fulfill our corporate responsibility of
preventing food problems and rigorously supervising all activities involving food

Established the Food Safety Management System that covers food preparation and services

- Suppliers of food must submit product specifications to ensure the safety of all ingredients and finished products
- Food preparation processes are thoroughly supervised and constantly recorded to ensure the safety of all food served to guests
- All personnel must strictly comply with the Food Safety Management System standards
- The three La La Chance Hakata no Mori locations have ISO22000:2005 certification (August 2009)
 *When this certification was renewed in August 2015, certification was expanded to four La La Chance Hakata locations: Villa Foret, Chez la Foret, Grand Vent-Vert and the Hakata no Mori Geihinkan
- All other food operations at IKK also comply with the standards of the Food Safety Management System.











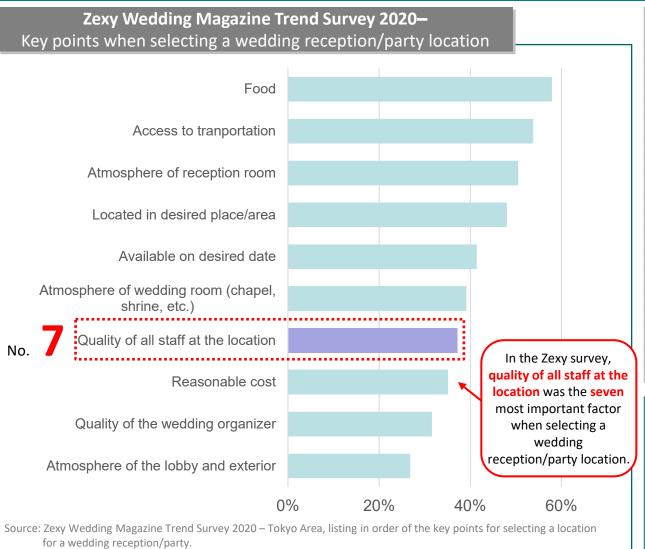
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ISSO22000 is an international standard for food safety management systems. This standard combines HACCP food hygiene management methods with the quality management methods of the ISO9001 standard for quality management systems.



Measures to Firmly Establish the IKK Corporate Philosophy (6)

Many of our customers give high ratings to the wedding organizer who served them



Rank of customer service in reasons for selecting an IKK location2	Rank
Imari Branch	1
Tosu Branch	1
Fukuoka Branch	1
Toyama Branch	1
Miyazaki Branch	1
Oita Branch	2
Kanazawa Branch	1
Miyazaki Branch #2	1
Iwaki Branch	2
Kochi Branch	1
Fukui Branch	1
Morioka Branch	1
Toyama Restaurant Branch	2
Sasebo Branch	1
Hiroshima Branch	1
Okazaki Branch	1
Osaka Branch	2
Kobe Branch	2
Source: IKK study (Oct. 31, 20)	

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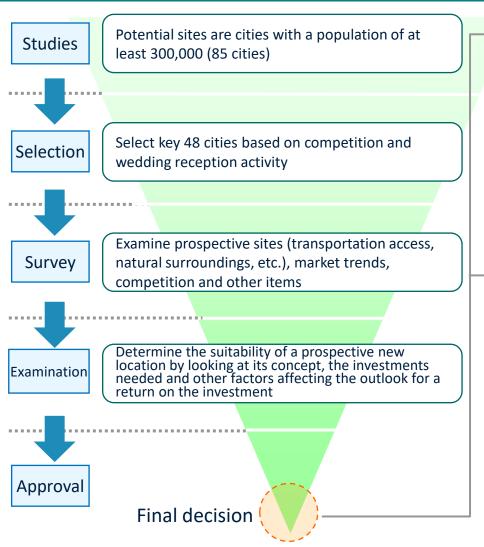
- Thanks to extensive training programs, the dedication of our people to excellence in customer service is the most important reason that people select an IKK wedding facility
- Customer service is the main reason that people select IKK at more than half of all locations



Long-term Strategy: Sustained Growth of Wedding Operations in Japan (1)

Extremely thorough site selection process to create branches that can succeed for 20 years

— Building a base for stable, long-term operation of branches



Prime locations in regional cities

Build wedding facilities in locations with natural beauty

IKK's small-market sales expertise is a key strength





 Use sales expertise acquired in small markets for opening new locations in major metro areas, too

Also establish a scheme that leverages IKK's strengths for opening locations in major metropolitan areas

Also opening locations in Japan's three big metro areas





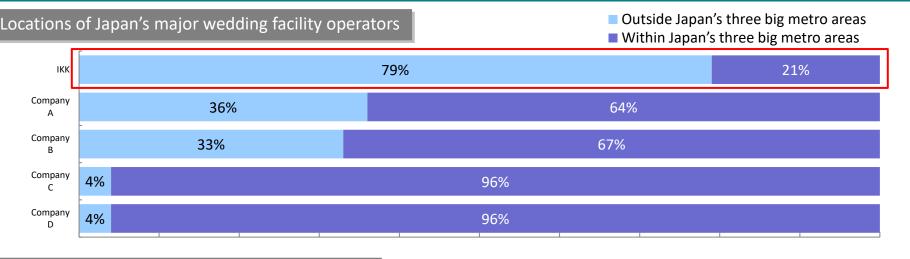
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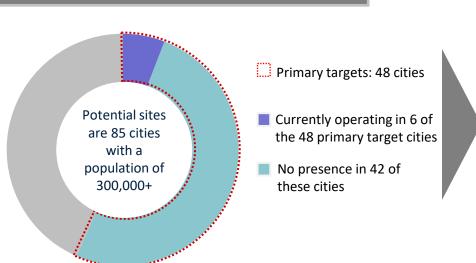
Long-term Strategy: Sustained Growth of Wedding Operations in Japan (2)

Reference

Much potential for new locations in places with little competition, both outside Japan's three big metro areas as well as within these areas



IKK wedding facility locations



Plan on opening one to two locations every year, using the significant potential for expanding the wedding network for steady medium to long-term growth

Source: Prepared by IKK based on the data disclosed by each company



Long-term Strategy: Expand Overseas Operations to Many Locations

The Indonesia wedding business is the first step of the overseas growth strategy

- Use wedding business expertise in Japan for growth in other countries
- Weddings and other services that reflect the needs and customs of customers in other countries
- Constantly conducting market surveys to identify attractive opportunities



Company name	PT INTERNATIONAL KANSHA KANDOU INDONESIA		
Location	Jakarta, Indonesia	Establishment	January 2017
Capital	50 billion rupiah	Start of operations	February 2017







▲ A traditional dance by the bride

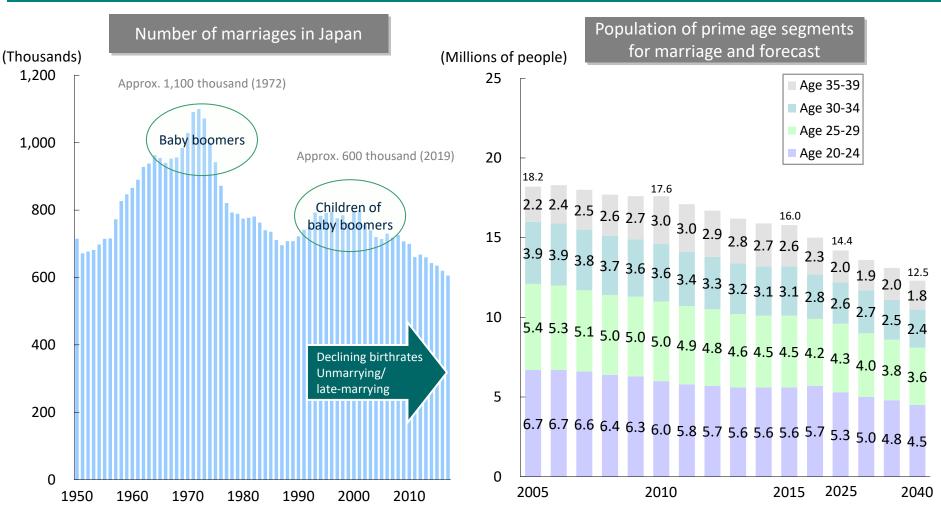


▲ A party with a buffet



Wedding Market Trends (1)

Weddings and receptions in Japan continue to decline along with the numbers of children and people in the prime age segments for marriage



Source: Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare, "Vital Statistics 2019" (Vital Statistics, Final Figures)

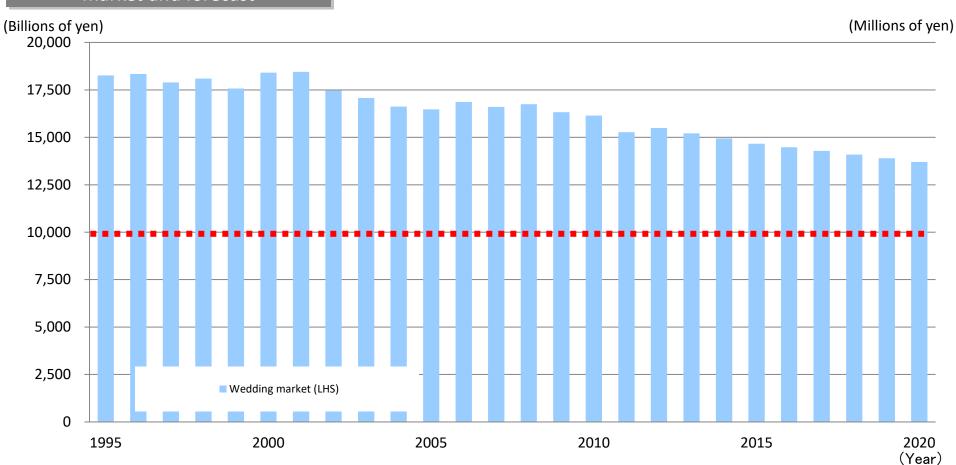
Source: National Institute of Population and Social Security Research, "Household Projections for Japan" (January 2018) Population by sex, five-year age group, and marital status



Wedding Market Trends (2)

Annual wedding market sales exceed ¥1 trillion despite Japan's declining population

Annual sales in Japan's wedding market and forecast



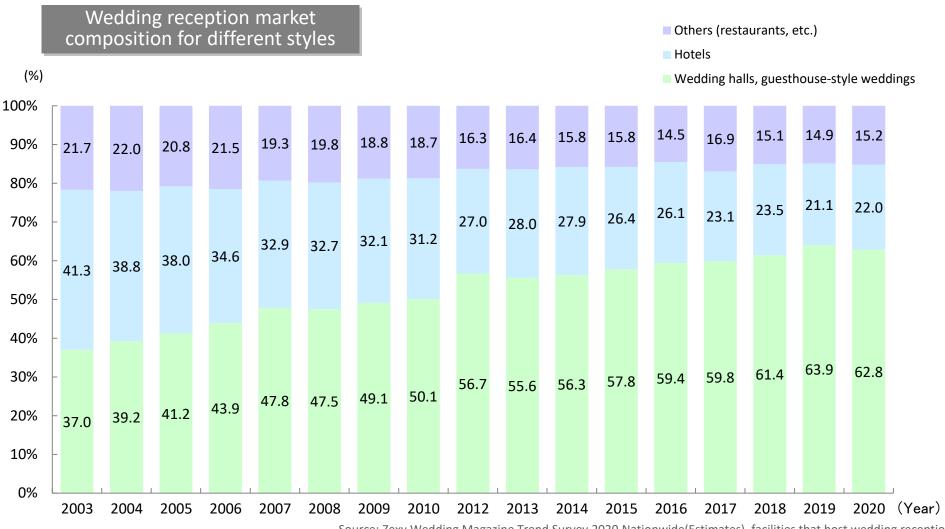
Source: IKK estimates

*The sales forecast does not incorporate the effects of the COVID-19 crisis



Wedding Market Trends (3)

The guest house market share is rising as more couples in Japan want original weddings/receptions not restricted by traditions and formalities



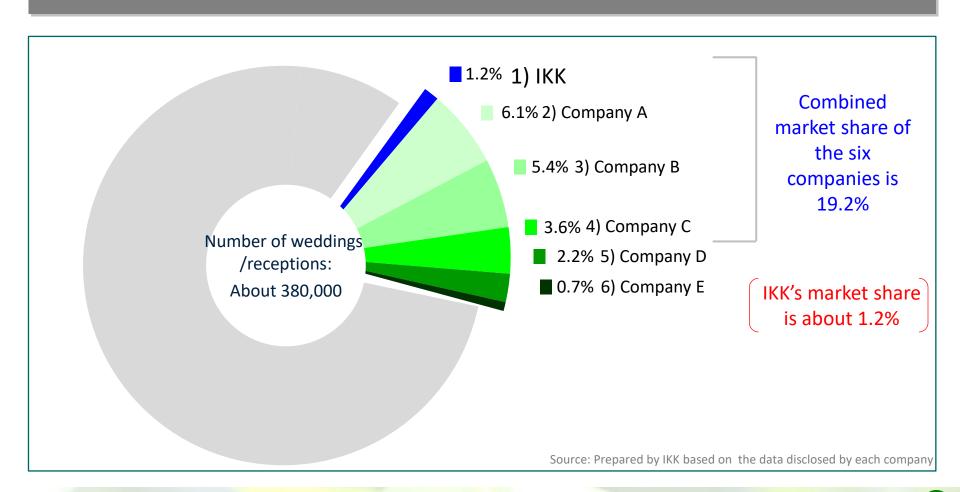
Source: Zexy Wedding Magazine Trend Survey 2020 Nationwide(Estimates), facilities that host wedding receptions



Wedding Market Trends (4)

Japan's wedding market is still highly fragmented, leaving significant potential for IKK to capture market share

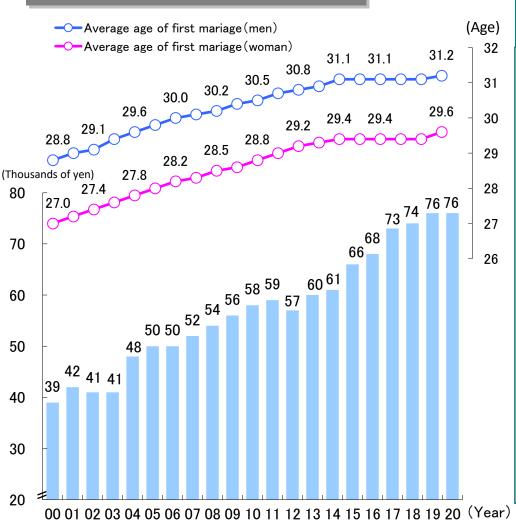
Market share of the six listed wedding companies (based on number of weddings/receptions)





Wedding Market Trends (5)

Average age of first marriage and money spent per wedding reception guest



Couples continue to spend more on weddings despite deflation in Japan

Primary causes

- Couples want a once-in-a-lifetime event that people will remember for a long time
- 2. As the age of first marriages rises, more couples want better food and entertainment for guests and activities that incorporate each couple's personal preferences
- More young people who do not care about luxury in their everyday lives want to spend money to make a wedding a memorable experience

Consistent growth in the amount spent per wedding guest

(now about 90% higher than in 2000)

Source: Zexy Wedding Magazine Trend Survey 2020 – Tokyo Area, total per-guest cost for wedding ceremony and reception/party, Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare, "Vital Statistics 2019"



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