



# DOMESTIC CVS BUSINESS STRATEGY

# Medium-Term Strategy Overview

Changes in the social structure ✕

COVID-19

Acceleration and diversification of small commercial areas

Ideal image

Meet diversifying needs and provide convenience to all local communities

Sustainable growth of existing stores

Store opening strategy

Promotion of DX

Review product composition

- Sales floor layout tailored to small commercial areas
- Group procurement

Build a foundation for re-accelerating store openings

Develop and test next-generation stores

Expand online convenience stores

Enhance CRM (App evolution)

Improve the productivity of affiliated stores and divisions

Open the door to the next "convenience" ⇒ Towards a regrowth trajectory with distribution innovation

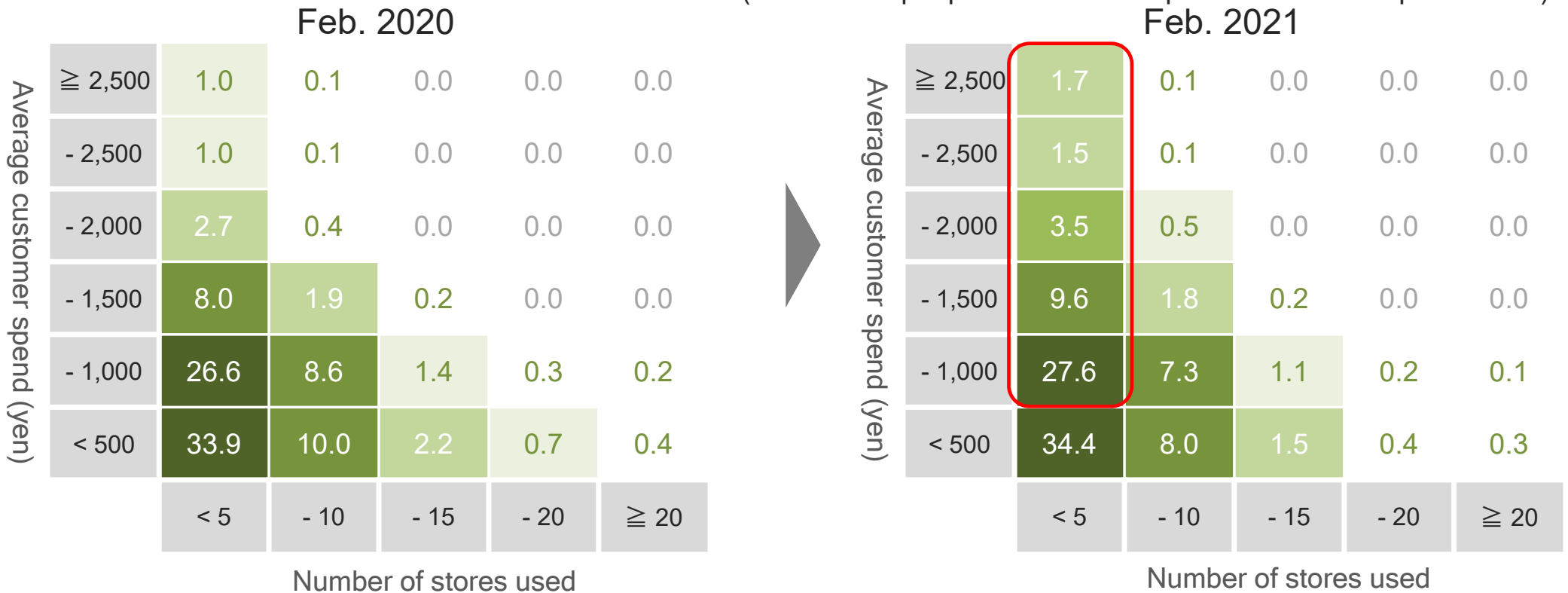
# Acceleration and Diversification of Small Commercial Areas

(7iD Analysis, Changes in Consumer Behavior)

■ 7iD member composition ratio analysis:

comparison of the number of stores frequented monthly and the spend per customer

(1.06 million people in the 1 metropolitan area and 3 prefectures)



Visibility of members who use only specific stores and use a large amount of money at one time

# Acceleration and Diversification of Small Commercial Areas (Changes in Usage)

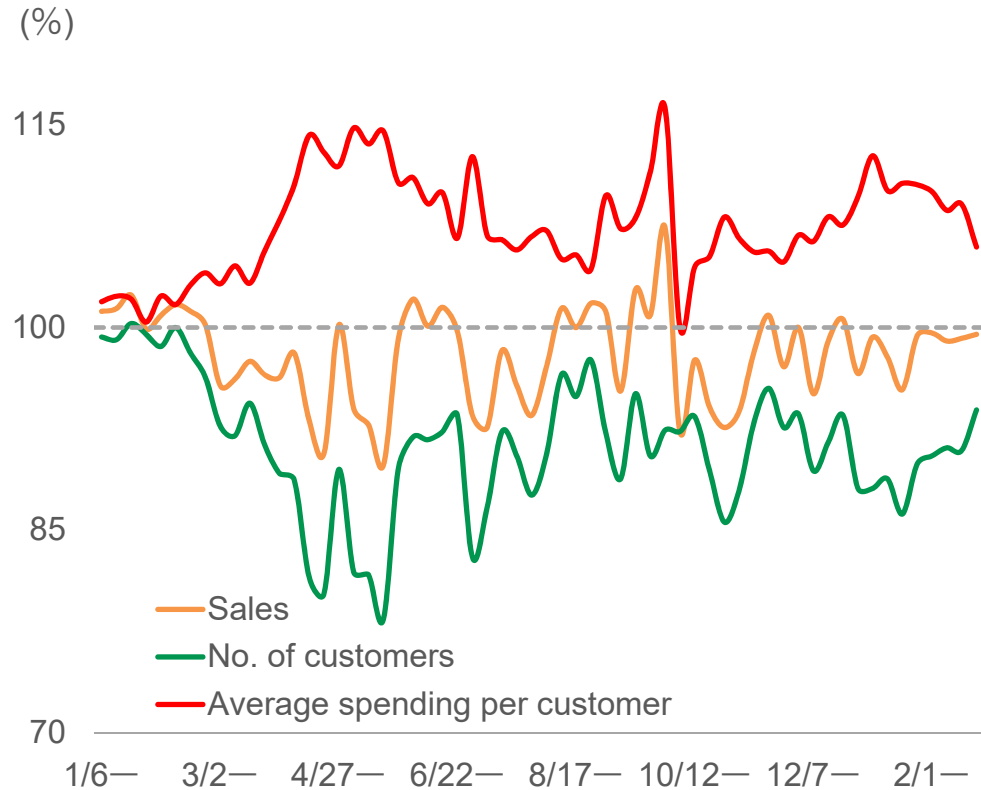
## ■ Purchase price TOP20 year-on-year (February 2021)

	Category	YOY (%)		Category	YOY (%)
1	Family-size ice cream	178.1	11	Sandwiches (rolls)	121.5
2	Rice balls (special rice balls)	140.1	12	Delicatessen (meal salad)	120.1
3	Pastries (doughnuts)	139.0	13	Confectionery (chilled Japanese sweets)	117.7
4	Frozen food (frozen pre-cooked food)	138.8	14	Frozen food (noodles / light meals)	117.2
5	Chilled groceries (paste products)	136.8	15	Confectionery (chilled pastries)	116.6
6	Soft drinks (large bottled tea)	131.1	16	Red wine	116.1
7	White wine	129.0	17	Soft drinks (up to 350ml)	115.3
8	Seven Premium (side dishes)	127.9	18	Liquor (reach in showcase)	112.9
9	Chilled groceries (processed meat)	125.0	19	Seven Premium (main dishes)	112.5
10	Delicatessen (salad)	123.6	20	Frozen food (agriculture, fisheries and ingredients)	112.4

Usage has changed due to the acceleration of small commercial areas owing to the spread of COVID-19.

# Acceleration and Diversification of Small Commercial Areas (Sales by Location)

## ■ Changes in existing store sales, number of customers, and average spending per customer



## ■ Results by location (existing stores in FY2021)

	No. of stores as of Feb. 28, 2021	Sales YOY(%)
Nationwide	20,612	97.6
Residential + suburbs	13,086	100.3
Resorts	1,873	97.1
Business offices	2,057	88.9
Others (Railroads, temporarily closed, etc.)	3,596	92.5

Urgent needs to review the sales floor and product assortments in response to the acceleration of small commercial areas owing to the spread of COVID-19.



# Acceleration and Diversification of Small Commercial Areas

## (Product/Sales Floor Support)

### ■ New layout 2020

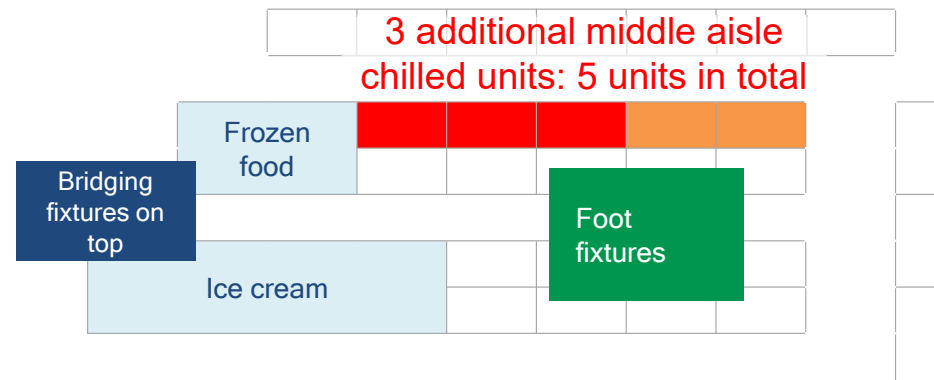


Results of 800 stores introduced in September 2020  
(national average difference from the previous year)

Total sales (exc. cigarettes)	<b>+15,600 yen</b>
Open case chilled groceries	+6,300 yen
Confectionery	+1,900 yen
Alcohol	+1,000 yen
Chilled groceries (vegetables, processed meat, etc.)	+100 yen

12,000 stores to be introduced by the end of FY2022

### ■ Handling of city center stores (example)



Achievements of 17 stores introduced in the Minato area  
(Vs. the average of stores which have not brought in these units in the same area)

Total sales (exc. cigarettes)	<b>+8,300 yen</b>
Cooked rice	+1,500 yen
Frozen food	+1,400 yen
Delicatessen	+1,400 yen
Confectionery	+1,100 yen

By the end of FY2022, individual handling by 1,500 stores

# Online Convenience Stores

## ■ Strengths of online convenience stores

### Real-time inventory linkage

- Approximately 2,800 items (excluding magazines and tax-exempt products)
- High conversion rate

### 30-minute delivery service

- The inventory base closest to the customer
- Responding to immediate meal needs (fried food by order, etc.)

### Last Mile DX Platform (future)

- Optimization of delivery resources and routes through utilizing AI
- Expand view to cover the delivery of Group company products (being tested)

## ■ Future plans for expansion

End of February 2021: approx. 350 stores

Hokkaido: approx. 120 stores, Hiroshima: approx. 150 stores

Tokyo: approx. 80 stores (Setagaya, Nakano, Shinagawa, Ikebukuro)

FY2022

From March, started in the Ginza area (office area testing)

⇒ Aim for testing at 1,000 stores by the end of FY2022

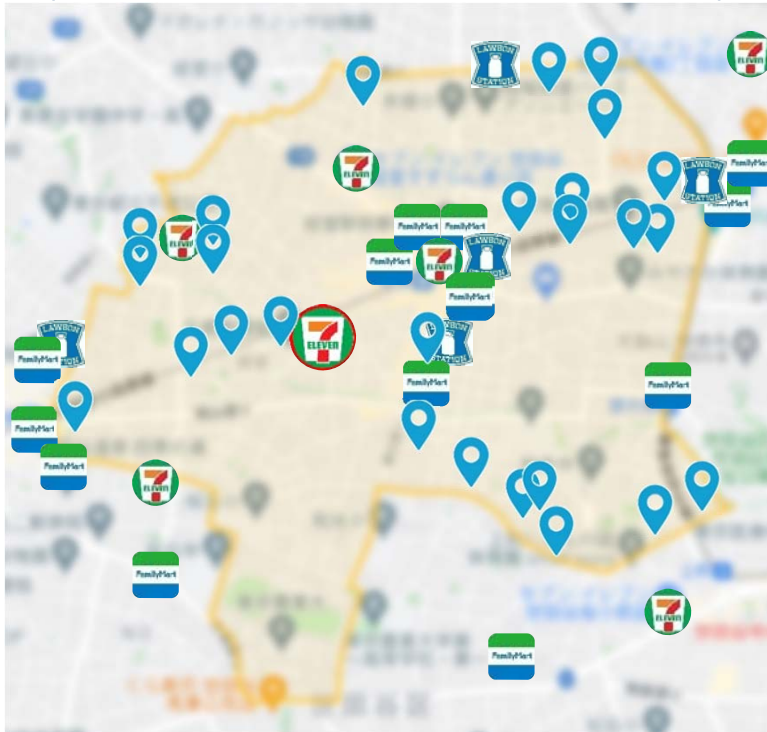
Earnings model establishment

FY2026 targets

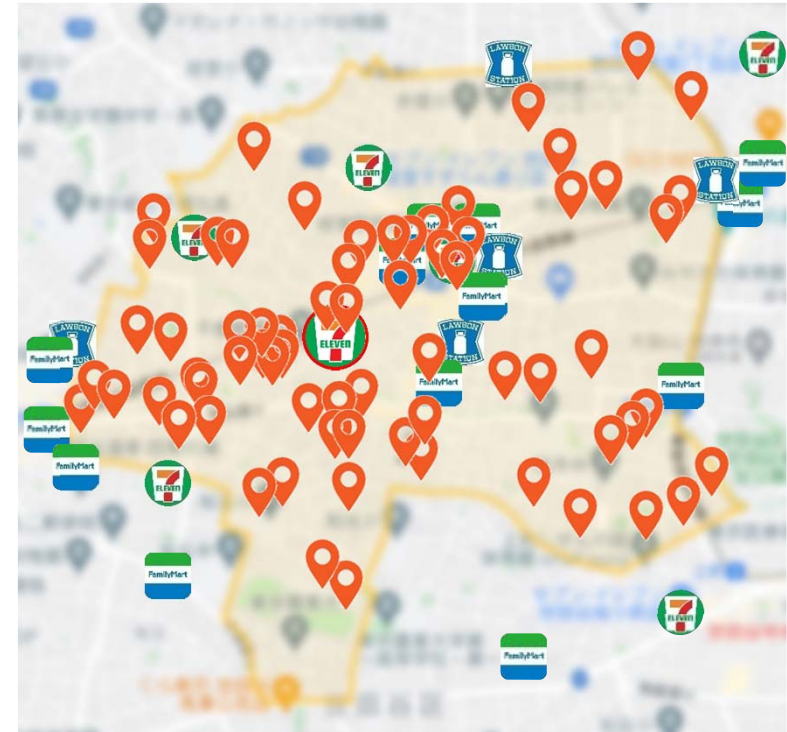
Completion of nationwide expansion, operating income + 5% boost

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**Online Convenience Stores (Effect of Real-Time Inventory Linkage)**

- Before implementation  
 (minimum of 2 hours - time specification)



- After implementation  
 (30-minute delivery after the order)





Improved conversion rate, expanded purchase categories, improved frequency of use and improved delivery efficiency



# Medium-Term Strategy Roadmap

FY2022

FY2026

Sales floor / products		Product composition corresponding to small commercial area (change of sales floor layout)	Product procurement and expansion of product assortments utilizing the Group's power (fresh food, meal kits, direct overseas imports, etc.)
Services		Last One Mile: Online convenience stores - 1,000 test stores in FY 2022 ⇒ To be expanded nationwide in FY2026	
		CRM enhancement (7 app evolution, Group linkage through 7iD)	
Stores		Facilitate closing of unprofitable stores	Greater refinement and efficiency in selecting candidate sites ⇒ Build a foundation for re-accelerating store openings
		Develop and test complex stores and next-generation stores	
Productivity	Franchise stores	AI orders: Test ⇒ Aim to expand to all stores	Productivity improvement target Man-hours / day: decline of <b>(15)%</b>
		Smartphone registration	
	Head-quarters	Productivity improvement through DX Digitization of forms, RPA, chatbots, efficiency of sales promotion, etc.	
			SG&A ratio reduction target: decline of <b>(0.3)%pt.</b>