## Main SBI Group Companies

(As of October 1, 2006)

## **Asset Management Business**

## SBI Investment Co., Ltd.

Venture fund management http://www.sbinvestment.co.jp/

## Soft Trend Capital Corporation

Venture fund management

## SBI CAPITAL Co., Ltd.

Buy-out and enterprise revitalization funds management

## SBI Capital Solutions Co., Ltd.

Mezzanine fund management

## SBI BROADBAND CAPITAL K.K.

Venture fund management specializing in the broadband field

## SBI KOREA HOLDINGS CO., LTD.

Venture Capital Investment

## SBI Asset Management Co., Ltd.

Investment trust management, investment advisory services (securities, etc.) http://www.sbiam.co.jp/

# Brokerage & Investment Banking Business

## SBI E\*TRADE SECURITIES Co., Ltd.

Comprehensive online securities business http://www.etrade.ne.jp/

## E\*Trade Korea Co., Ltd.

Online securities business http://www.etrade.co.kr/en/index.html

## SBI Securities Co., Ltd.

Securities business http://www.sbi-sec.co.jp/

## SBI Futures Co., Ltd.

Online commodity futures brokerage http://www.ecommodity.co.jp/

## **Financial Services Business**

#### Morningstar Japan K.K.

Provides Internet-based evaluations of financial products, particularly investment trust http://www.morningstar.co.jp/

## Gomez Consulting Co., Ltd.

Rating service and business support to ecommerce websites http://www.gomez.co.jp/

## SBI VeriTrans Co., Ltd.

Provides electronic payment settlement for EC businesses

http://www.veritrans.co.jp/

## SBI Lease Co., Ltd.

Comprehensive lease services primarily for the IT industry

http://www.weblease.co.jp/

## SBI Equal Credit Co., Ltd.

Unsecured consumer loans for individuals and loans for business owners http://www.equalcredit.co.jp/

## SBI Technology Co., Ltd.

IT solutions http://www.sbi-tech.jp/

## SBI Mortgage Co., Ltd.

Housing loans

http://www.sbi-mortgage.co.jp/

## CANOW CO., LTD.\*

Internet advertising agency business specializing in the financial sector http://www.canow.jp/

## AUTOBYTEL-JAPAN K.K.\*

Internet car purchase support service http://www.autobytel-japan.com/

## **Real Estate Business**

## SBI Planners Co., Ltd.

Architecture/construction business, property design and administration business, and consulting business for real estate purchases and financial planning

http://www.sbi-planners.co.jp/

## ZEPHYR Co., Ltd.\*

Trading and brokerage of real estate, consultation service for effective use of land, construction, leasing and management of real estate, development of home furnishing-related equipment, etc.

http://www.zephyr.co.jp/eng/

\*Equity-method affiliate

# Corporate History

<b>1999</b> March	SOFTBANK CORP's Administrative Division spun off as an independent company, SOFTBANK FINANCE CORPORATION, as part of business reorganization accompanying the conversion of SOFTBANK CORP. Into a pure holding company; SOFTBANK FINANCE CORPORATION. becomes an operating holding company for overseeing financial-related business activities
July	SOFTBANK INVESTMENT CORPORATION (currently SBI Holdings, Inc., hereafter "SBI") established to undertake venture capital and incubation business
<b>2000</b> June	Morningstar Japan K.K. listed on NASDAQ Japan (currently Hercules market of the Osaka Securities Exchange)
September	E*TRADE Japan K.K. (currently SBI E*TRADE SECURITIES Co., Ltd.) listed on NASDAQ Japan (currently Hercules market of the Osaka Securities Exchange)
December	SBI listed on NASDAQ Japan (currently Hercules market of the Osaka Securities Exchange)
2001 August	SOFTBANK FRONTIER Securities Co., Ltd. (SBI Securities Co., Ltd. after merger with WORLD NICHIEI Securities Co., Ltd.) listed on NASDAQ Japan (currently Hercules market of the Osaka Securities Exchange)
2002 February	SBI listed on First Section of Tokyo Stock Exchange
November	SBI listed on First Section of Osaka Securities Exchange
<b>2003</b> June	SBI merged with E*TRADE Japan K.K. (currently SBI E*TRADE SECURITIES Co., Ltd.) and converted E*TRADE SECURITIES Co., Ltd. into a subsidiary; reorganization of business accelerates thereafter, with SBI positioned as the core company
September	Listed FINANCE ALL CORPORATION on the Hercules market of the Osaka Securities Exchange

	October	SBI acquired WORLD NICHIEI Securities Co., Ltd. (currently SBI Securities Co., Ltd.) and converted this company into a subsidiary
2004	October	Listed VeriTrans Inc. (currently SBI VeriTrans Co., Ltd.), a subsidiary of FINANCE ALL CORPORATION, on the Hercules market of the Osaka Securities Exchange
	November	Listed subsidiary E*TRADE SECURITIES Co., Ltd. (currently SBI E*TRADE SECURITIES Co., Ltd.) on JASDAQ
2005	March	Percentage of equity share held by SOFTBANK CORP, decreases due to a capital increase through a public offering; changed from a consolidated subsidiary to an equity-method affiliate
	July	Changed name to SBI Holdings, Inc. Transferred venture fund management business to SOFTBANK INVESTMENT CORPORATION (formerly SBI VENTURES K.K.) and moved to a holding company structure
2006	March	SBI Holdings, Inc. merged with consolidated subsidiaries of SBI Partners Co., Ltd. and FINANCE ALL CORPORATION
		SBI Securities Co., Ltd. became a wholly owned consolidated subsidiary through a share exchange
	May	Listed SBI Futures Co., Ltd. on the Hercules market of the Osaka Securities Exchange
	August	Listed Gomez Consulting Co., Ltd., a subsidiary of Morningstar Japan K.K., on the Hercules market of the Osaka Securities Exchange
		SBI Holdings, Inc. purchased its stock held by majority shareholder SOFTBANK CORP. via its subsidiary, and is no longer an equity method affiliate of SOFTBANK CORP.