Corporate History

July Established the INTERNET TECHNOLOGY FUND with ¥150.5 billion in initial contributions, at that time, the largest fund commitment of its kind in	Apr. As a result of a business reorganization accompanying the conversion of SoftBank Corp. (currently SoftBank Group Corp.) into a pure holding company, Softbank Finance Corporation became an independent company to oversee financial-related business activities.
time, the largest fund commitment of its kind in Japan.	July Established as SOFTBANK INVESTMENT CORPORATION; start of venture capital business 2001 Oct. E*TRADE SECURITIES Co., Ltd. (currently SBI
Feb. Listed on First Section of Tokyo Stock Exchange.	2002 SECURITIES Co., Ltd.) commenced Internet trading services. Nov. Softbank Ventures Inc. (currently SBI Investment Co., Ltd.) became a wholly owned consolidated
	subsidiary.
July Morningstar Japan K.K. became a subsidiary.	May Jointly established the New Horizon Fund, targeting promising Chinese companies, with an investment company in Singapore.
Aug. Autholic support subsidiary of SoftDonly Com	July Changed name to SBI Holdings, Inc. and transitioned to a holding company structure. 2005 Sept. As the first overseas office, established a
Aug. A wholly owned subsidiary of SoftBank Corp. (currently SoftBank Group Corp.) sold its entire stake in SBI Holdings, Inc.	2006 representative office in Beijing, China.
Jan. SBI Insurance Co., Ltd. commenced business. Apr. Established SBI Pharmaceuticals Co., Ltd.	2007 subsidiary in Singapore. Aug. SBI Japannext Co., Ltd. (currently Japannext Co. Ltd.) began operation of a proprietary trading
 Nov. SBI Liquidity Market Co., Ltd. started operations, which supplies market infrastructure for FX trading. Dec. Hong Kong subsidiary SBI Hong Kong Co., 	system (PTS). Sept. SBI Sumishin Net Bank, Ltd. commenced business.
Limited (currently SBI Hong Kong Holdings Co., Ltd.) commenced business.	2009
Apr. Established a representative office in Shanghai, China.	2010 Mar. SBI (China) Co., Ltd., a China business management company, commenced business in
Mar. Acquired shares of Hyundai Swiss Savings Bank (currently SBI SAVINGS BANK) and converted it into a consolidated subsidiary.	2011 Dalian, China. Apr. SBI ALApromo Co., Ltd. commenced business. SBI FXTRADE Co., Ltd. commenced business. SBI MONEY PLAZA Co., Ltd. commenced
Jan. Acquired all shares of photonamic GmbH & Co. KG, a German pharmaceutical company engaged in the 5-ALA-related pharmaceuticals business in	2012 business.
Europe, and converted it into a consolidated subsidiary. Feb. SBI Life Insurance Co., Ltd. (formerly PCA LIFE	2013 Oct. SBI Thai Online Securities Co., Ltd., a first pure- play online securities company in Thailand, commenced business. Dec. Established FinTech Business Innovation LPS
Insurance Co., Ltd.), which became a consolidated subsidiary in February 2015, resumed its insurance underwriting.	2014 (Fintech Fund) with a total commitment capital amount of ¥30.0 billion.
May Jointly established SBI Ripple Asia Co., Ltd. with U.Sbased Ripple. In October, launched "The Japan Bank Consortium" for establishing a next-generation remittance system in Japan.	Aug. SBI Bank LLC (formerly YAR Bank LLC), a commercial bank in Russia, became a wholly owned consolidated subsidiary.
Jan. Establishment of SBI Al&Blockchain LPS (SBI Al&Blockchain Fund), a venture capital fund	2016 Apr. SBI NEOMOBILE SECURITIES Co., Ltd., established by SBI SECURITIES and CCC Marketing Co., Ltd., commenced business.
endeavoring to invest mainly in AI and blockchain fields. June SBI VC Trade Co., Ltd. (formerly SBI Virtual Currencies Co., Ltd.) launched crypto asset	2017 May Established a representative office in the Philippines. Oct. Formed business alliance with Z Holdings Group
trading service VOTRADE. Sept. The SBI Insurance Group Co., Ltd. was listed on the TSE Mothers Market.	2018 in the Financial Services Business. Nov. Established Strategic Business Innovator Berlin GmbH, a subsidiary in Germany.
Apr. Established SBI Financial and Economic Research Institute Co., Ltd.	2019 Apr. Acquired Cambodian microfinance institution SE LY HOUR BANK PLC. (formerly Ly Hour Microfinance Institution PLC.) and obtained a
Apr. Jointly established Osaka Digital Exchange Co., Ltd. with the SMBC Group.Apr. Commenced full-fiedged investments of the	2020 banking license. Apr. Concluded basic agreement with the SMBC Group on a strategic capital and business
SBI 4&5 Investment Limited Partnership and SBI 4&5 Investment Limited Partnership No.2 (4+5 Fund) on the scale of ¥100 billion to invest primarily in innovative technologies and services in	alliance. June Rheos Capital Works Inc. became a consolidate subsidiary. Aug. Jointly established Regional Revitalization
a wide range of industries such as "Society 5.0 for SDGs" and "Industry 4.0."	Partners Co., Ltd. with four partner companies. Nov. Entered into the medical informatics field by concluding a capital and business alliance with Medical Data Vision Co., Ltd.