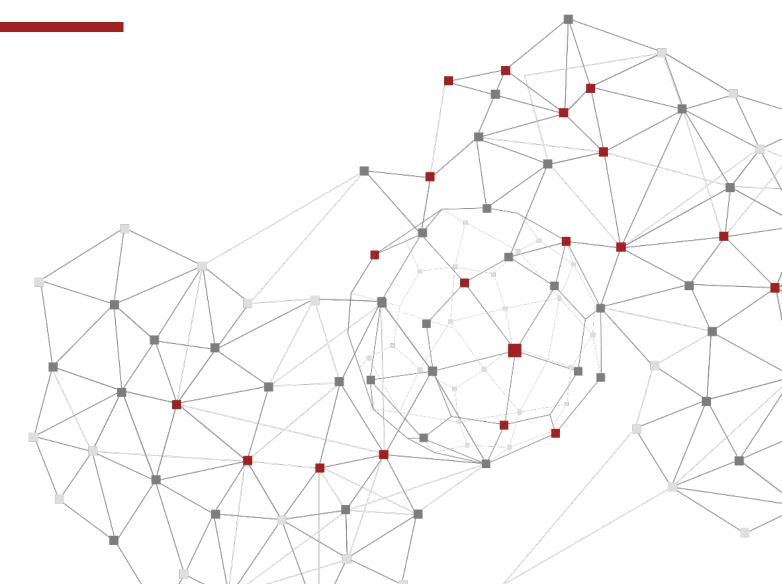


### Post COVID-19 Management Agenda

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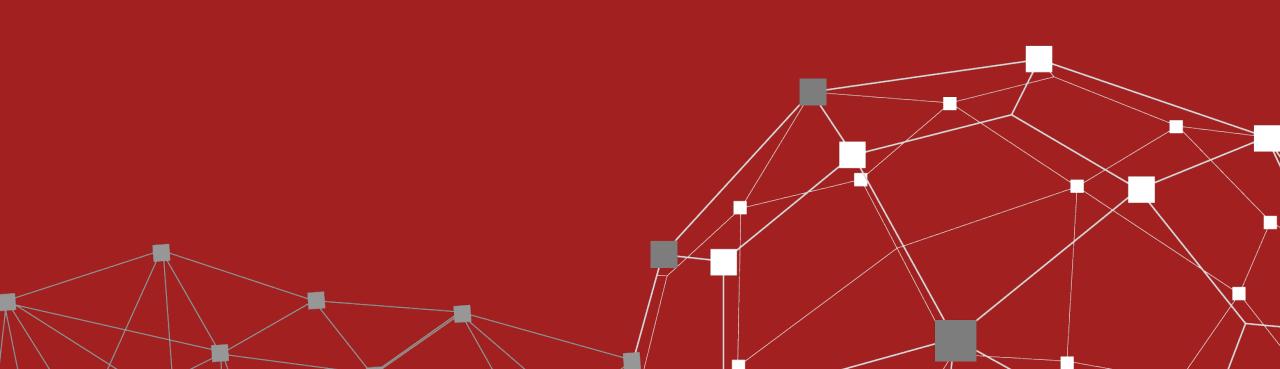


### Agenda

How should management operate business in post COVID-19?

- 0. Steps for Sustainable Growth in Post COVID-19
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- 2. New Operating Model
- 3. Required Capabilities in Post COVID-19

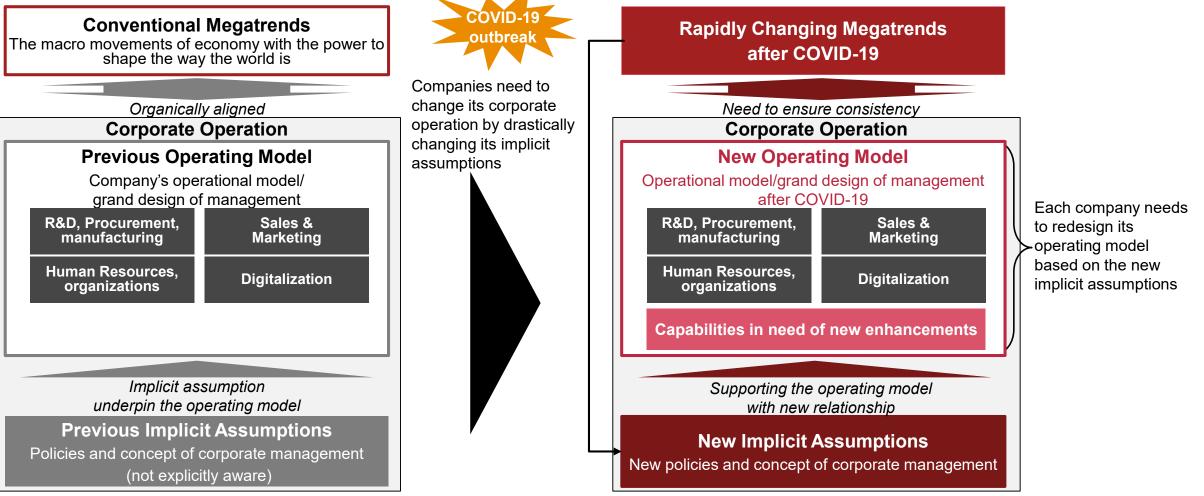
### o. Steps for Sustainable Growth in Post COVID-19



## In post COVID-19, redesign of corporate operation in light of megatrends and implicit assumptions shifts are required

Shift of Corporate Operation driven by Changing Megatrends

**Conventional Era** 

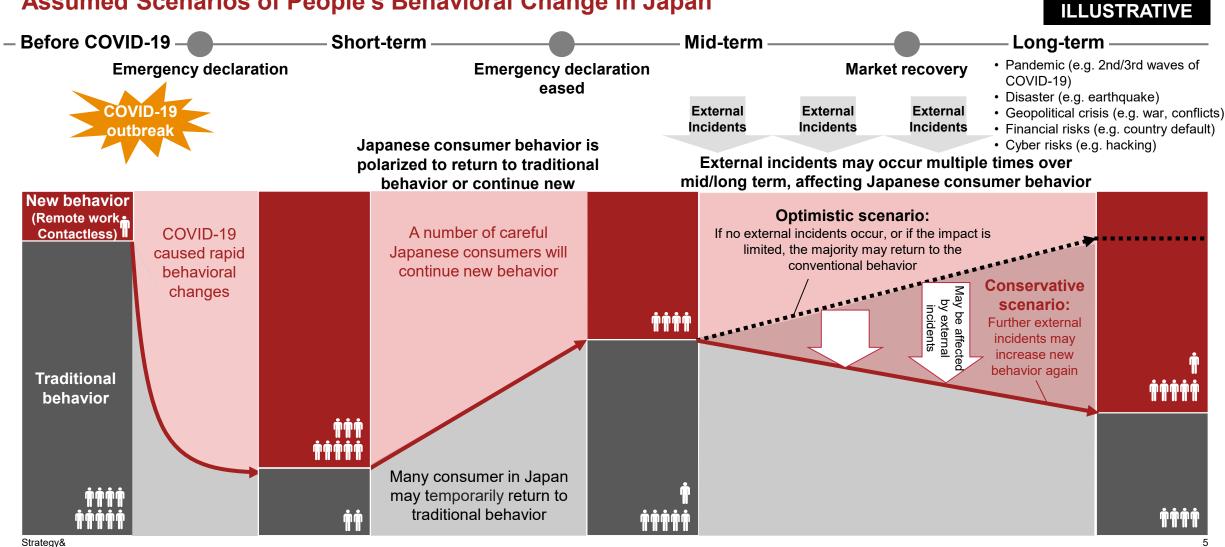


Post COVID-19

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### Management has to be prepared for the scenarios where the impact of COVID-19 is not temporary

#### Assumed Scenarios of People's Behavioral Change in Japan



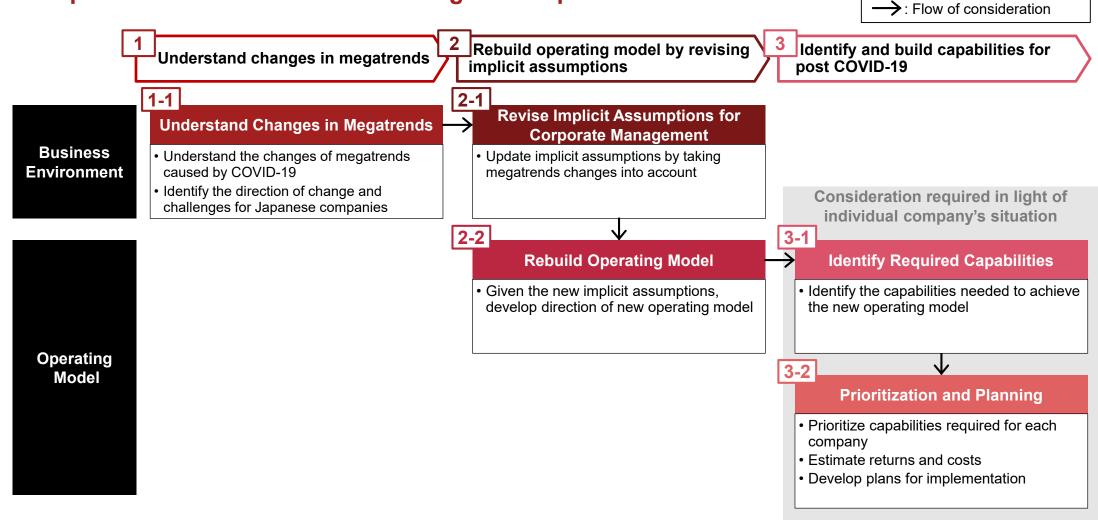
## Besides COVID-19, external incidents such as natural disasters risks will change corporate attitude towards volatility

#### **Examples of External Incidents and Risks in the Future**

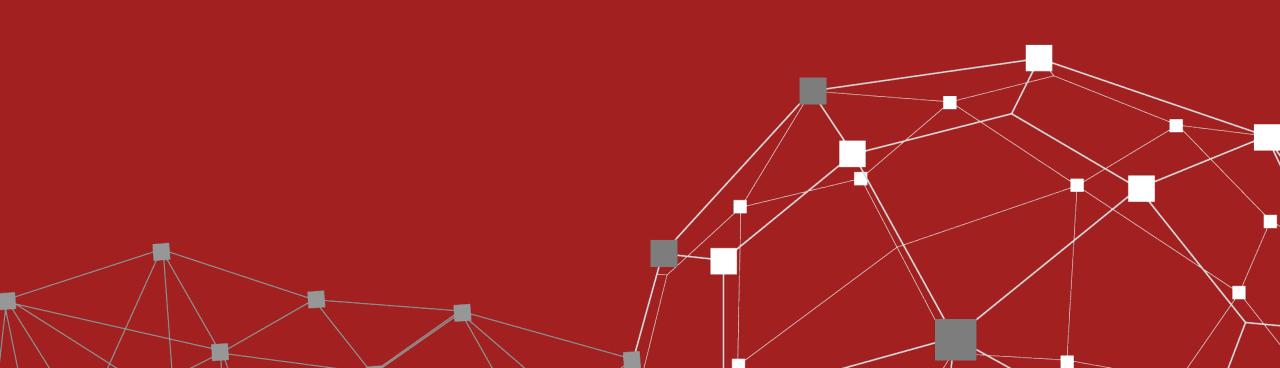
<b>Risk Category</b>	Expected External Incidents (recent examples)	_
Pandemic	<ul> <li>Resurgence of existing diseases: 2nd/3rd waves of COVID-19</li> <li>Pandemic of new diseases: pandemic by unknown viruses</li> </ul>	
Natural Disasters	<ul> <li>Uncontrollable disasters : unexpected disasters (e.g. earthquakes, tsunami)</li> <li>Worsened disasters : disasters with more serious impact driven by climate change (e.g. floods, wildfires)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>In addition to COVID-19, external incidents are diverse and frequent</li> </ul>
Geopolitical Risk	<ul> <li>Conflicts between nation states: political and economic conflicts         <ul> <li>(e.g. fossil fuel price plummet, US-China conflict)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Internal conflicts, riots, protests: movement with historical/cultural context         <ul> <li>(e.g. Black Lives Matter, Anti-Japan movement in Korea)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>To cope with incidents and related risks, companies has changed its attitude /</li> </ul>
Financial	<ul> <li>Low market liquidity: bankruptcy/managerial crisis of financial institutions (e.g. Italy Veneto Banca)</li> <li>Country defaults: developing countries' defaults due to excessive debt (e.g. 9<sup>th</sup> Argentine defaults, hyperinflation)</li> </ul>	perceptions to BCP
Cyber Risk	<ul> <li>Data security breaches: hacking to personal information expected to be further accumulate</li> <li>Unexpected system shutdowns: massive system outage of platform that</li> </ul>	d

## Plan for post COVID-19 by analyzing the changes in megatrends & implicit assumptions

#### **3 Steps to Address the Medium to Long term Impact of COVID-19**

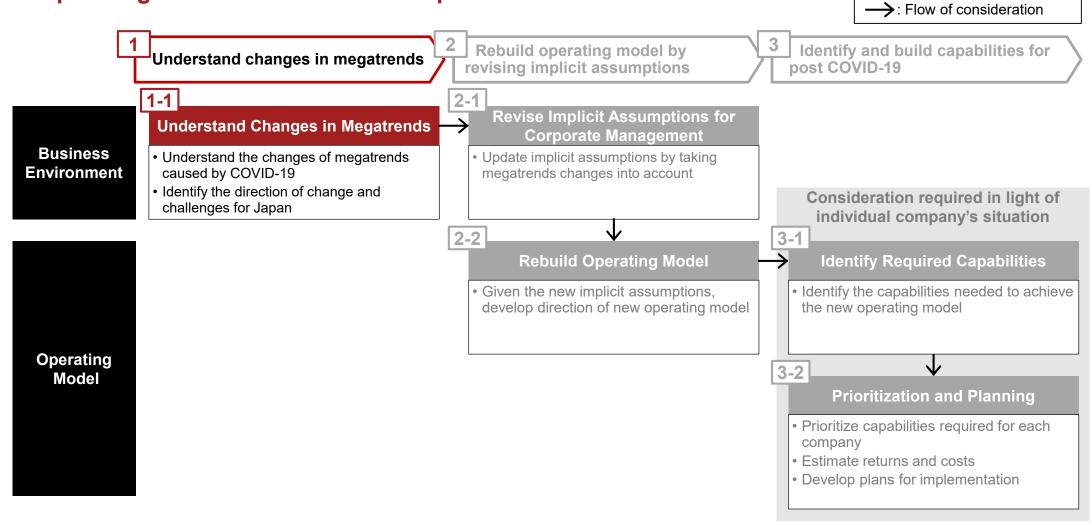


### 1. Shifts of Megatrends Driven by COVID-19 and its Impact

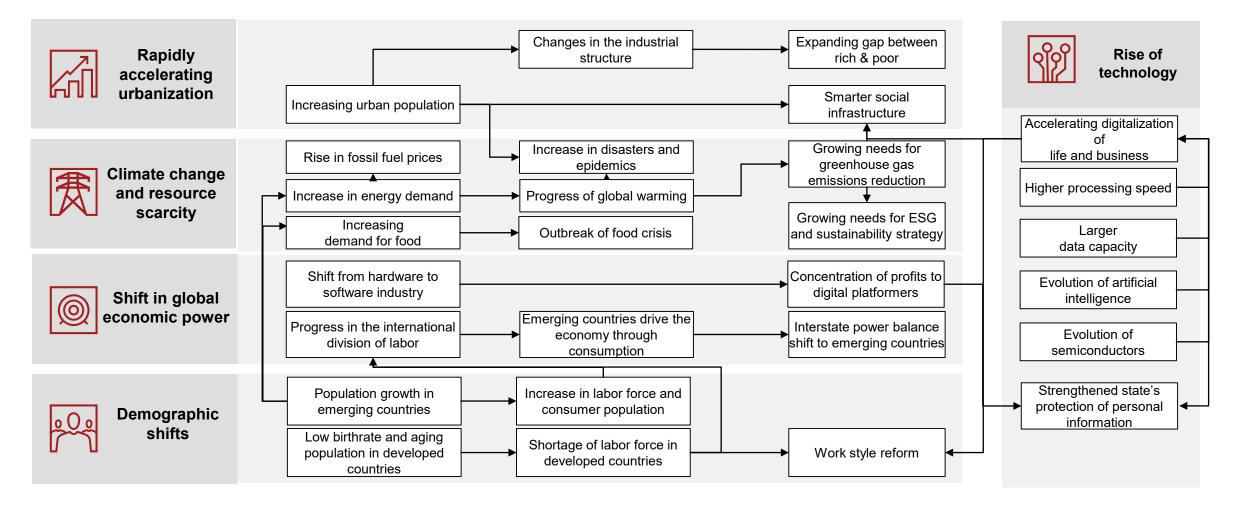


## First, consider the essential changes caused by COVID-19 and identify the directions

#### **Responding to COVID-19 Effects: Step 1**



#### Before the outbreak of COVID-19, economy growth accelerated urbanization, leading to climate change and resource scarcity Megatrends before COVID-19

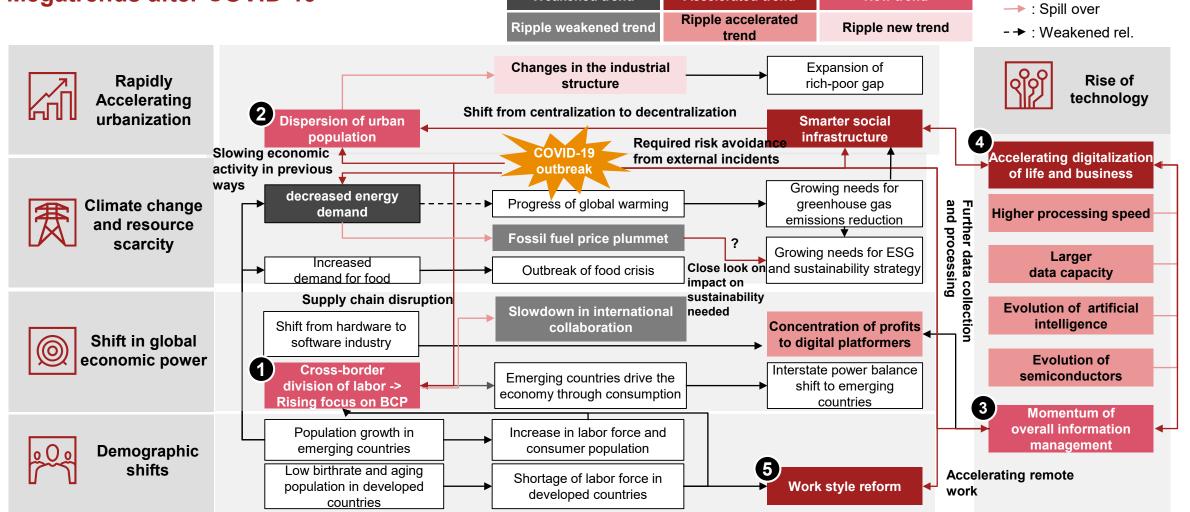


## Outbreak of COVID-19 generate new megatrends and abrupt changes in previous trends causing new long-term impact

Weakened trend

Accelerated trend

**Megatrends after COVID-19** 



\*New trend, a big change in point of view in the world from previous megatrends Source: PwC "Mega-Trends-Five Mega-Trends and Potential Impacts" Strategy & Analysis

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New trend

### In Japan, digitization of lifestyles & operations, risk management, and work style reform are expected to accelerate

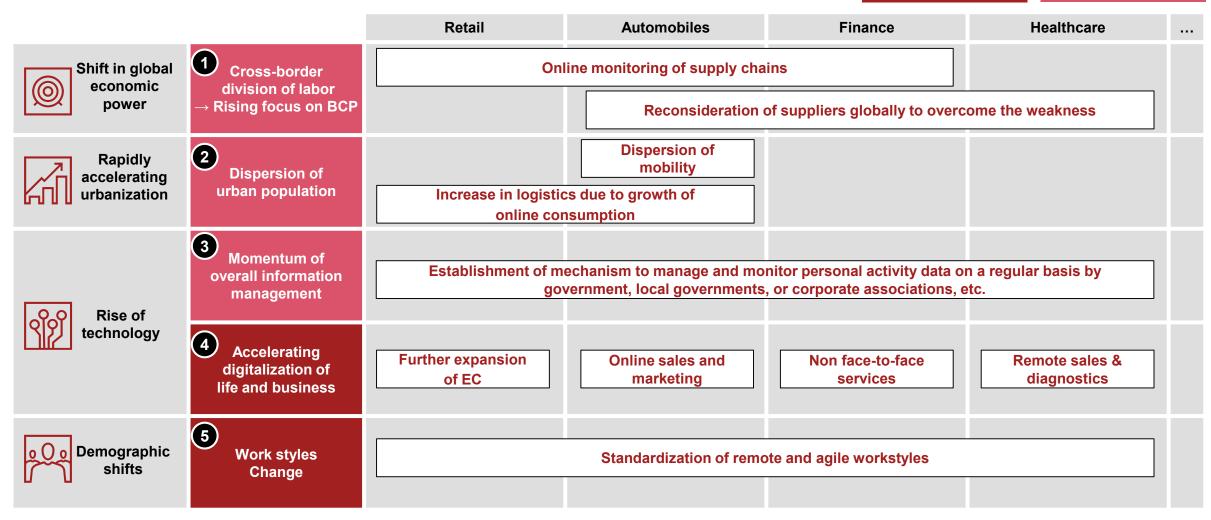
Important Megatrends<sup>1)</sup> in Post COVID-19 and Direction in Japan

	•	Descriptions	Direction in Japan
	1) Cross-border division of labor → Rising focus on BCP	<ul> <li>Increased flexibility of the supply chain         <ul> <li>Decentralization of manufacturing due to higher risk in the production system only in China</li> <li>Arisen needs for supply chain monitoring</li> <li>Shift from ROI focus to investment / BS mgmt. aligned with BCP</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Building supply chain with larger focus on BCP</li> <li>Prepare multiple suppliers and manufacturers</li> <li>Create buffers in the supply chain, etc.</li> </ul>
New trends	2 Dispersion of urban population	<ul> <li>Decentralization of people and increased distribution</li> <li>Accelerated focus on private space</li> <li>Decentralization of residence and stores</li> <li>Rebuild optimal distribution network</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Dispersion from Tokyo area         <ul> <li>Changes in values due to work style reform leads to changes in lifestyles</li> <li>Demographic backflow to rural areas, etc.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	3 Momentum of overall information management	<ul> <li>Development of common data platform for data collection and analysis</li> <li>Increased collection of consumer's activity data</li> <li>Increased demand for data arrangement</li> <li>Increased presence of data platform</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Partial use of personal information inside the country         <ul> <li>Acceleration of using anonymized data</li> <li>Advancement in policies for using personal info.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Accelerated	Accelerating digitalization of life and business	<ul> <li>Normalization of non-F2F sales and service         <ul> <li>e.g.: (Retail &amp; Consumer) EC expansion, increase in non-contact payments at stores, and sales strategy &amp; marketing based on consumption data</li> <li>(Healthcare) Acceleration of online medical care and prescriptions, etc.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Transition to non-F2F sales &amp; services         <ul> <li>Implementation of online sales &amp; service and acceleration of data utilization</li> <li>Starting update on legacy system and responding to non-digital natives</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
ted trends	5 Work style reform	<ul> <li>Transition from pyramidal to agile organizations</li> <li>Establishment of workstyle that enable remote work</li> <li>Online internal processes</li> <li>Simplification and automation of back-office functions</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Getting out from ineffective organizational structure &amp; workstyle</li> <li>Reform of decision making process with inappropriate number of people</li> <li>Recovery from delays in digitalization</li> </ul>

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### (Ref.) Changes in megatrends lead to changes in the business environment for every industry

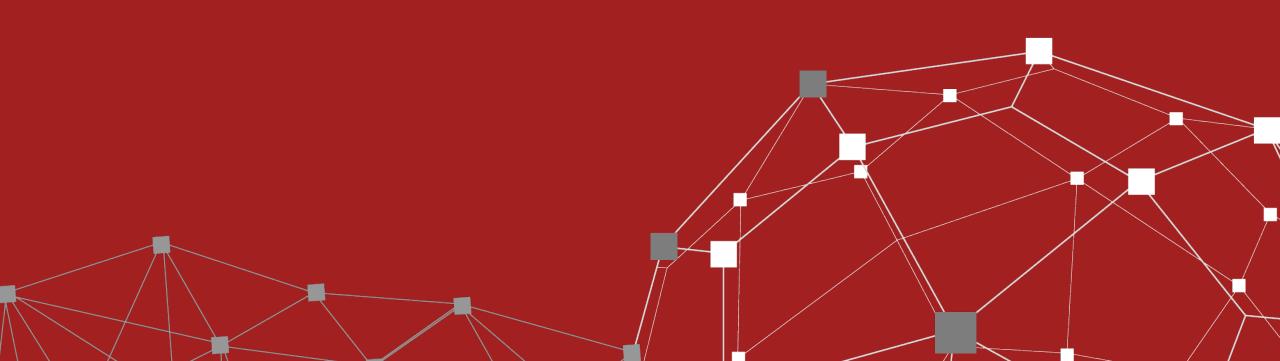
Impact of Important Megatrends<sup>1)</sup> for each industry in Japan



Accelerated trends

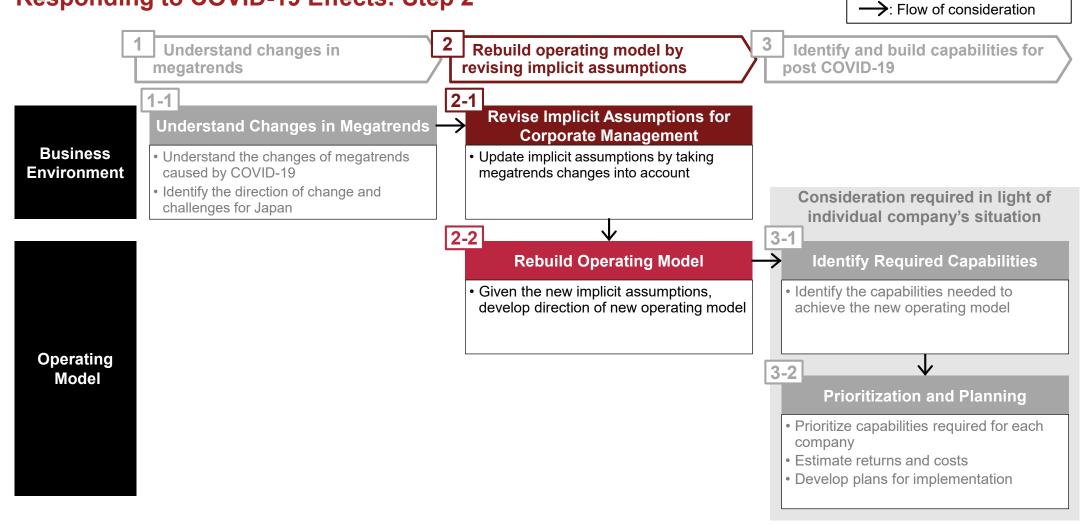
New trends

### 2. New Operating Model



## Derive new implicit assumptions impacted by changing megatrends and consider direction of the operating model

#### **Responding to COVID-19 Effects: Step 2**



## Previous operating model has been based on implicit assumptions such as F2F communications & cost optimization

"Previous" Implicit Assumptions by Each Components of Operating Model

Components of Operating Model	*  *  *  *  *  *  *  *  *  *  *  *  *  *	Examples of Operating Model Based on "Previous" Implicit Assumptions			
R&D, Procurement, and Manufacturing	A Consolidation of the locations to realize cost optimization	<ul> <li>Securing suppliers based on purchase price</li> <li>Establishment of manufacturing and development locations concentrated in low-labor-cost regions</li> </ul>			
Sales & Marketing	B Customer communication based on F2F communication	<ul> <li>Allocation of sales branches and talent according to regions</li> <li>Value proposition through careful customer service unique to Japanese companies</li> <li>Apps &amp; online services to assist customer communication</li> </ul>			
Digitalization	C Gradual and partial digitalization	<ul> <li>Competitive differentiation through manpower cost reductions, promotions, etc. due to promotion of digitalization</li> </ul>			
Digitalization	D Platform limited in the company	<ul> <li>Development of own applications to enclosure customers</li> <li>Deployment of platform business based on the own platform</li> </ul>			
Talent and Organizational Structure	Passive organizational structure & operation to environmental change	Establishment of a physical contract and approval process with paper			

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**Revise Implicit Assumptions for Corporate Management** 2-1

### Reconsidering implicit assumptions is required for corporate management due to change in megatrends

**Reconsideration of Implicit Assumptions due to Change in Megatrends** 

"Previous" Implicit Assumption	Change in Megatrends	"New" Implicit Assumption			
Consolidation of the locations to realize cost optimization	Focus on BCP risk: Increased importance of ensuring both redundancy to BCP risk and optimized costDecentralization of urban population: Increased needs to rebuild optimal supply chain	Balancing between risk management and cost optimization			
Customer communication based on F2F communication	Accelerating digitalization       : Increased tolerance for non-F2F- shopping/service and communication         Work style reform       : Promotion of remote work on customer side	B <sup>2</sup> Non-F2F communication with online-preferred customers			
Gradual and partial digitalization	Focus on BCP risk: Increased needs for new investments and operational efficiency to address BCP risksAccelerating digitalization: Enrichment of digital tools and data for business	C Digitalization as "Table stakes" <sup>1)</sup>			
Platform limited in the company	Prioritized overall information mgmt: Emphasis of horizontal PFs to timely gain accurate customer in BCP risks, etc, : Easy to collect data with wide digital tools	info., Collaboration with platform built within- and cross- industries			
Passive organizational structure & operation to environmental change	Accelerating digitalization       : Services and operations digitalization         Work style reform       : Change in workstyle such as remote work and staggered working hours	Crganizational structure & operation for radical reform in Post COVID-19			

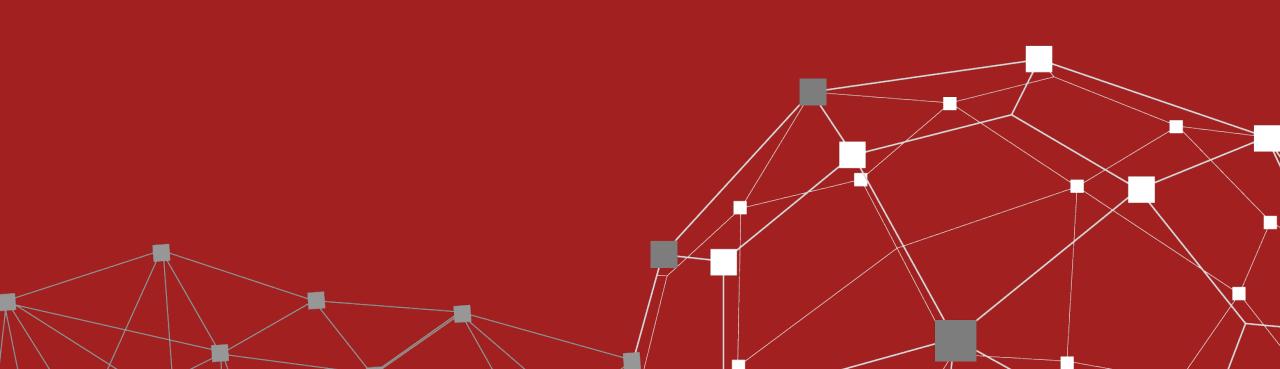
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## Operating models need to be changed in accordance with the shifts of implicit assumptions

**Rebuilding Operating Model Based on New Implicit Assumptions** 

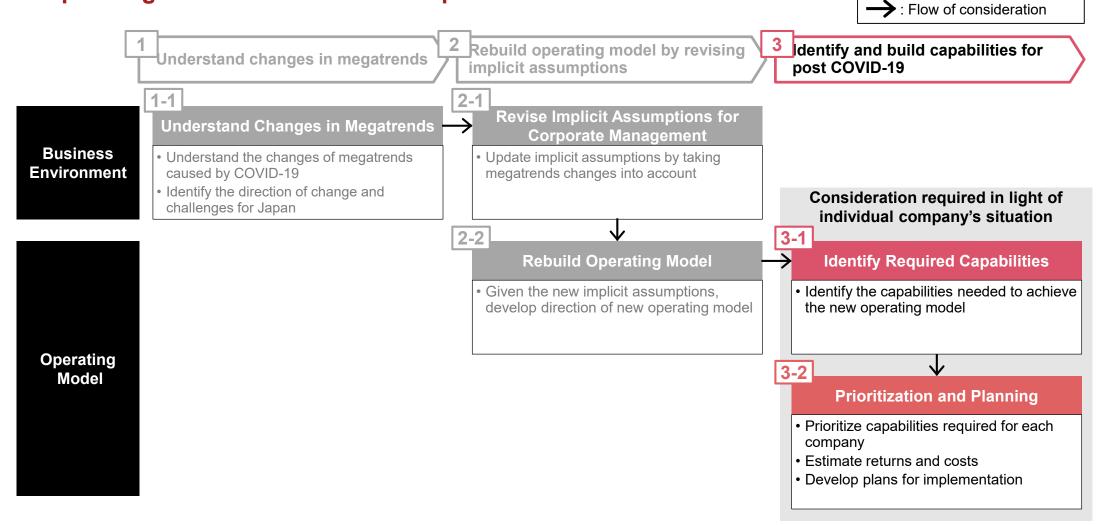
Components of Operating Model	"New" Implicit Assumptions		Direction of New Operating Model		Examples of Operating Model based on "New" Implicit Assumptions		Secure
R&D, Procurement, and Manufacturing	Balancing between risk management and cost optimization		1 Supply chain & PL structure with redundancy to risk and optimized cost		Establishment of resilient supply chain system Securing lean PL structure by reforming cost structure while focusing on BCP risk	}	funds for investment (Cost reduction)
Sales & Marketing	<sup>B</sup> Non-F2F communication with online-preferred customers		2 Customer data collection & individual strategies based on non-F2F communication		Collecting customer data across multiple channels by sharing data and standardizing formats across multiple channels Analysis of individual customer needs		
Digitalization -	Digitalization as "Table stake"		3 Reform business processes linked with aggressive promotion of digitalization	•	Design of IT systems assuming data analysis Reform toward data-driven business processes in all aspects of corporate activities Promotion of automation of personal works	<pre>}</pre>	Require funds (Re- investment)
	Collaboration with platform built within- and cross- industries		Data collection and analysis collaborating with platform built within- and cross- industries	•	Selection and construction of data PFs within- and cross- industries necessary for higher demand forecasting and inventory management Analytics based on collected data		
HR and Organizational Structure	Organizational structure & operation for radical reform in Post COVID-19		5 Creating organizational structure & culture realizing both new workstyles and adaptation for rapid reform	•	Creating corporate culture that allows diversity with operational feasibility Shift from seniority-oriented culture to performance- oriented culture Cross-divisional change management		

### 3. Required Capabilities in Post COVID-19



## Plan for post COVID-19 by analyzing the changes in megatrends & implicit assumptions

#### **Responding to COVID-19 Effects: Step 3**



### New operating models of Japanese companies in post COVID-19 require reinforcement of capabilities

**Required Capabilities to Support New Operating Models** 

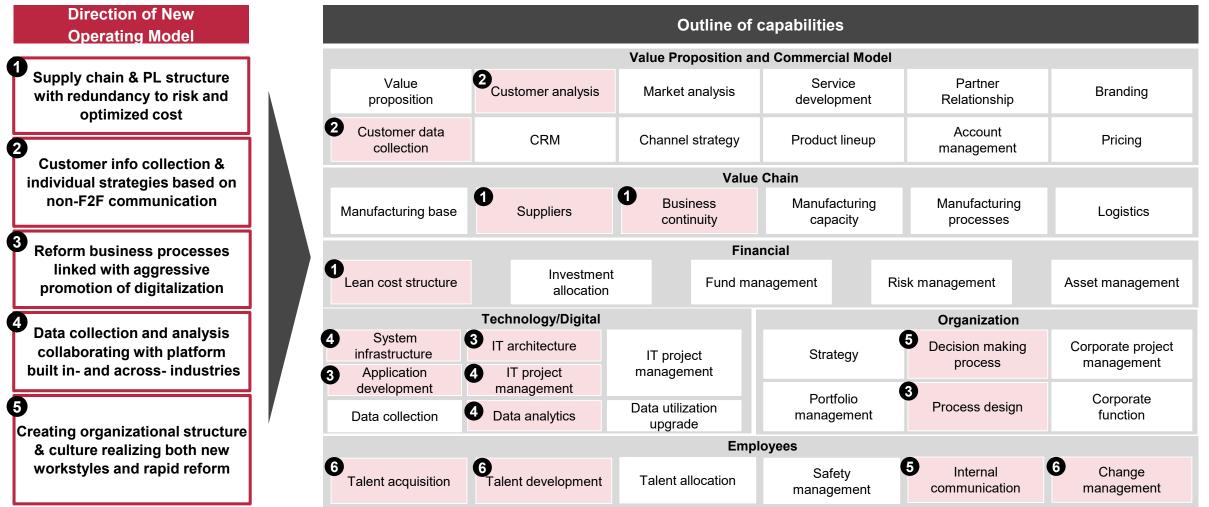
OM' **Direction of New Required Capabilities** Components **Operating Model** 1 **Business continuity** Ability to design supply chain that ensures both redundancy for BCP risk and low cost R&D. Supply chain & PL structure with Procurement. Procurement Ability to manage inventory & logistics jointly across industries through integrated mgm't redundancy to risk and optimized cost Manufacturing Ability to realize fundamental lean cost structure through liquidation of non-core or unprofitable Lean cost structure businesses, not just from reducing indirect expense Customer data (2) Customer info collection & individual Ability to share data across multiple channels and gather customer data across channels Sales & collection strategies based on non-F2F Marketing Customer analysis Ability to analyze individual customer needs & reflect them in product dev't & pricing communication . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 3 IT architecture Ability to use big data & AI to design systems that assume data analysis in business operations Reform business processes linked with Process design Ability to build data-driven business processes in all aspects of business activities aggressive promotion of digitalization Application Ability to develop applications by identifying assignee works that can be automated development Digitalization Ability to select and build data platforms across the companies in/across the industries that are 4 Data platform necessary for more advanced demand forecasting & inventory mgm't Data collection and analysis collaborating with platform built in- and Data analytics Ability to properly analyze inputs from data platform and utilize them in businesses across-industries System Construct system and infrastructure to visualize supply chain's real-time data infrastructure . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Decision making 5 Ability to design processes that allow rapid decision-making even in remote work environment process Internal Ability to create a corporate culture that supports diversity in working style and people and that HR and communication ensures rapid company-wide transformation Creating organizational structure & Organizational Ability to identify the skills required to realize digitalization & design necessary training culture realizing both new workstyles **Talent education** Structure and rapid reform Ability to attract talents by shifting from seniority to performance-based evaluations Talent acquisition Change Ability to build a system that enables flexible, cross-divisional change management management

XX: Particularly important points for Japanese companies

### (Reference) Outline of capabilities to be reinforced

#### **Correlation Diagram about Direction of New Operating Model and Capabilities**

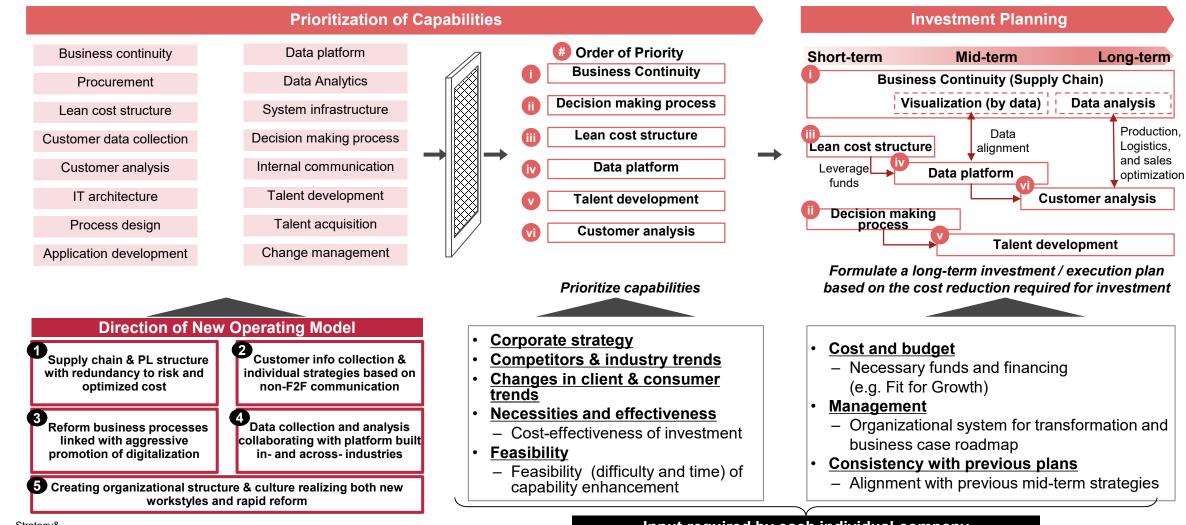
Capabilities to be reinforced



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## Planning for reinforcement should be developed after prioritizing capabilities based on individual company's context

**Capability Prioritization and Planning Process Image** 



## We are pleased to have a discussion on how to deal with discontinuous environmental changes in post COVID-19

- In the Japanese business climate, megatrends which existed before were drastically changed by the occurrence of COVID-19, and by the effect, the implicit assumptions of corporate management and the required operating model have changed.
- On a medium to long-term perspective, it seems to be necessary to prepare on the assumption that scenarios where the impact of COVID-19 is not temporary, and that the altered megatrend will continue.
- In order to restructure post COVID-19's operating model into an ideal form, for each individual company, it is essential to strengthen high-priority capabilities taking into account their strategies, competitive trends, cost situation, and management.

For many years, Strategy& has supported our clients by leveraging our strategic management capabilities and global network. We will set up a discussion regarding the priorities of measures and planning of implementation according to the business contents of each company. Please feel free to consult with us.

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## Strategy& and PwC Japan Group discuss the impact of COVID-19 in different industries

#### Industry Reports

Company-wide Strategy	Consumer Goods, Retail, Logistics	<ul> <li>"How Consumer industry can manage and recover from COVID-19 (Japan)" (in English and Japanese)</li> <li>Consumers switched to online channels due to COVID-19 are expected to continue online shopping in post COVID-19, leading to e-commerce market growth</li> <li>As some trends driven by COVID-19 expected to continue for medium-long term, companies with capabilities, such as lean operations can establish competitive advantages in post-COVID-19</li> </ul>
	Financial Services	<ul> <li>"COVID-19 Impact and responses in banking sector" (in Japanese)</li> <li>Banks have been impacted on its entire balance sheet due to rising risks in securities transaction. While facing long-term risks, banks will have inevitable impact on profitability and financial health</li> <li>On the other hand, COVID-19 response can be an opportunity for banks to transform business architecture. Re-allocation of resources is essential to drive initiatives across business</li> </ul>
Function-specifi	Auto	<ul> <li>"[COVID-19 Response] Overcoming issues and forecasts for long-term development: 4 focus in Auto industry" (in Japanese)</li> <li>In Auto industry, COVID-19 reduced short-term consumer needs and worsened cash flows of upstream / downstream in value chain</li> <li>Companies need plans to mitigate mid / long-term impact, including supply risk chain management and acceleration of online marketing and digitalization</li> </ul>

#### **COVID-19 Relevant Portal Site**

In addition to the ones on the left, we collect the most latest finding of Strategy and on the impact of expanding COVID-19 on people, businesses and industries for enterprise decision-makers. Link: <u>https://www.strategyand.pwc.com/jp/ja/implications-of-covid-19.html</u>

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PwC has held online seminars on COVID-19 impact and responses (in Japanese)



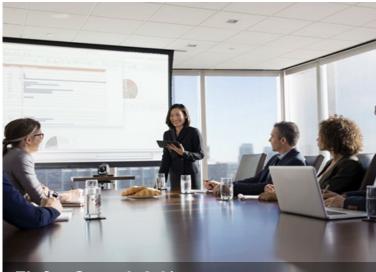
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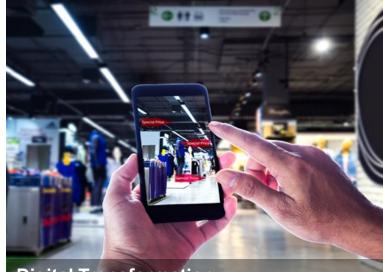
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