

Fourth Quarter of 2014

Presentation of Results

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F@N Communications, Inc.

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Fourth Quarter of 2014 Performance Highlights

Fourth Quarter of 2014: Key Points

- ■Net sales were a record high ¥8,717 million.
- ■Ordinary income was a record high ¥1,196 million.
- ■nend and adcrops contributed to net sales.
- Sales of A8.net and Moba8.net both decreased compared with the previous quarter for two consecutive quarters.

Performance Highlights (Consolidated) Results of Operations

(¥ thousands)	2014 Full Year	2013 Full Year	Year-on-Year Change	% of Net Sales (2014)
Net sales	31,990,509	22,721,246	40.8%	100%
Operating income	5,889,772	4,075,848	44.5%	18.4%
Ordinary income	5,948,530	4,126,183	44.2%	18.6%
Net income	3,630,523	2,563,244	41.6%	11.3%
Ordinary income margin	18.6%	18.2%	+ 0.4 points	-
Net income per share	¥47.14	¥33.79	39.5%	-
Diluted net income per share	¥46.54	¥33.14	40.4%	-

Note: The Company conducted two-for-one splits of shares of its common stock on October 1, 2013 and April 1, 2014. Net income per share and diluted net income per share are calculated as if both stock splits had occurred as of January 1, 2013.

Performance Highlights (Non-consolidated) Results of Operations

(¥ thousands)	2014 Full Year	2013 Full Year	Year-on- Year Change	% of Net Sales (2014)
Net sales	29,988,646	21,511,564	39.4%	100%
Operating income	5,688,462	4,028,123	41.2%	19.0%
Ordinary income	5,650,405	4,079,666	38.5%	18.8%
Net income	3,462,961	2,472,946	40.0%	11.5%
Ordinary income margin	18.8%	19.0%	-0.2 points	-

Consolidated Financial Statements Balance Sheets

	(¥ thousands)	December 31, 2013	December 31, 2014
As	sets		
Cı	urrent assets	10,610,153	15,911,394
	Cash and deposits	5,620,946	9,426,329
	Notes and accounts receivable - trade	3,278,350	4,435,298
	Securities	1,495,722	1,702,824
	Other	235,357	367,594
	Allowance for doubtful accounts	(20,223)	(20,653)
Fix	ed assets	3,050,365	2,443,533
	Property and equipment	153,603	172,166
	Intangible assets	135,046	211,099
	Investments and other assets	2,761,714	2,060,267
Tot	tal assets	13,660,518	18,354,927
Liabilities and Net Assets			
Cu	rrent liabilities	4,847,201	6,298,662
	Notes and accounts payable - trade	2,965,192	3,674,452
	Income taxes payable	1,147,651	1,577,198
	Other current liabilities	734,356	1,047,011
Long-term liabilities		147,341	153,941
Total liabilities		4,994,543	6,452,604
Total net assets		8,665,975	11,902,323
Total liabilities and net assets		13,660,518	18,354,927

Increase due to increase in sales of A8, Moba8 and nend

Main component was ¥1,735,151 thousand in investment securities

Increase due to increase in sales of A8, Moba8 and nend

Main component was longterm guarantee deposits

Main factor in increase was ¥2,720,420 thousand increase in retained earnings

Consolidated Performance Forecast

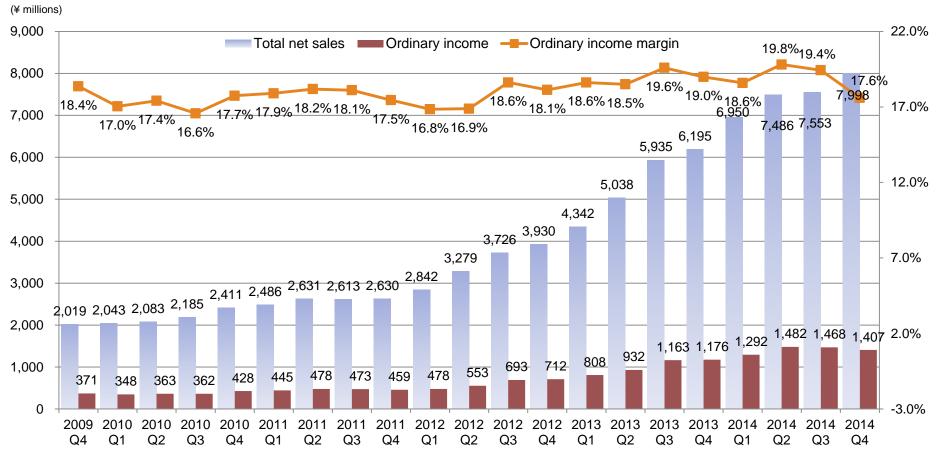
(¥ millions)	2015 Full Year Forecast (Year-on-Year % Change)	2015 Interim Period Forecast (% Change from Same Period of Previous Year)	2014 Full Year Results
Net sales	38,700 (21.0)	18,400 (20.7)	31,990
Operating income	7,150 (21.4)	3,400 (21.4)	5,889
Ordinary income	7,170 (20.5)	3,410 (20.6)	5,948
Net income	4,600 (26.7)	2,180 (25.2)	3,630

Dividend Forecast

	2015 Forecast	2014 Actual
Year-end dividend per share	¥17	¥15

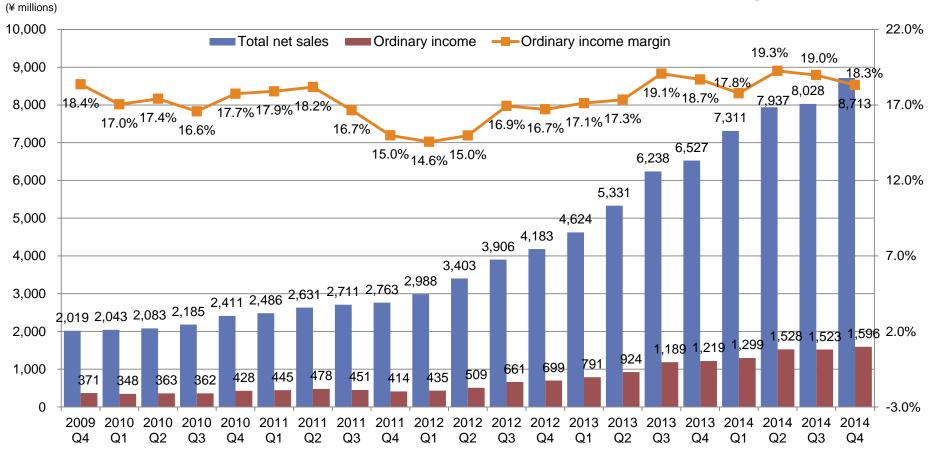
Management Indicators (Quarterly Basis)

Management Indicators (Non-consolidated/Quarterly basis) Net Sales, Ordinary Income and Ordinary Income Margin



Ordinary income decreased compared with the previous quarter for two consecutive quarters.

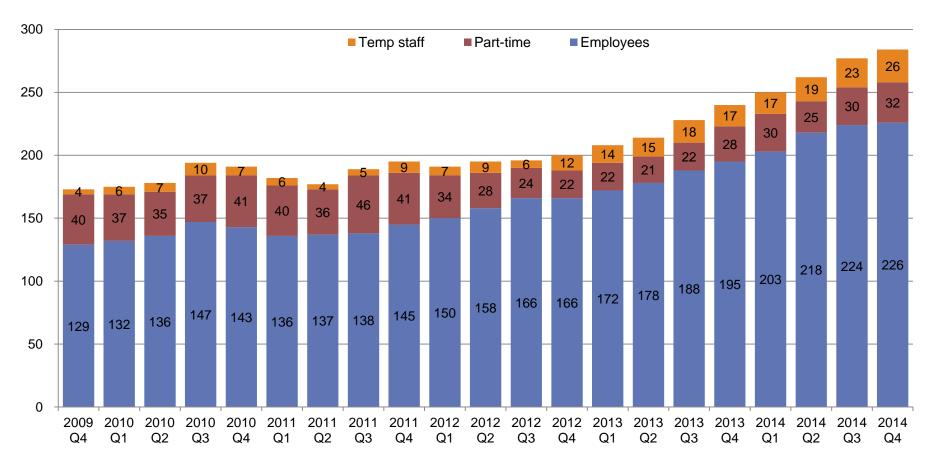
Management Indicators (Consolidated/Quarterly basis) Net Sales, Ordinary Income and Ordinary Income Margin



Note: Data are non-consolidated to 2011 Q2 and consolidated from 2011 Q3.

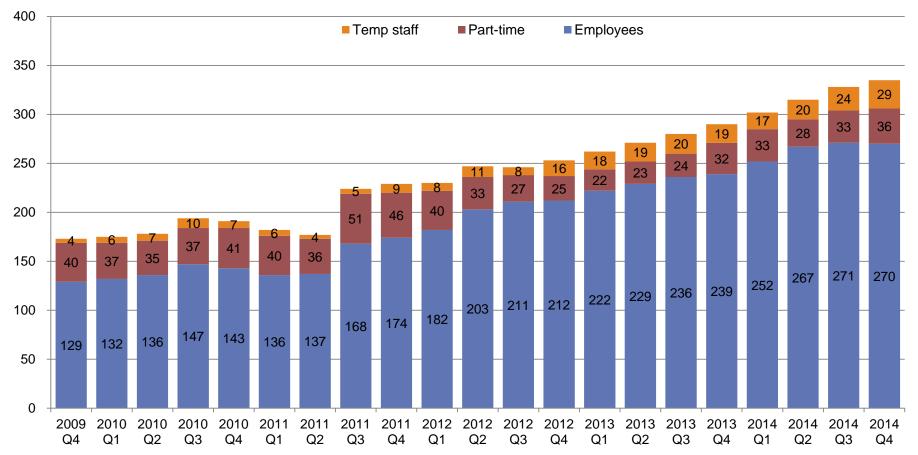
The ordinary income margin decreased 0.7 percentage points.

Management Indicators (Non-consolidated/Quarterly basis) Number of Employees



The number of non-consolidated employees was 284, a record high. The number increased by 7 from the end of the previous quarter.

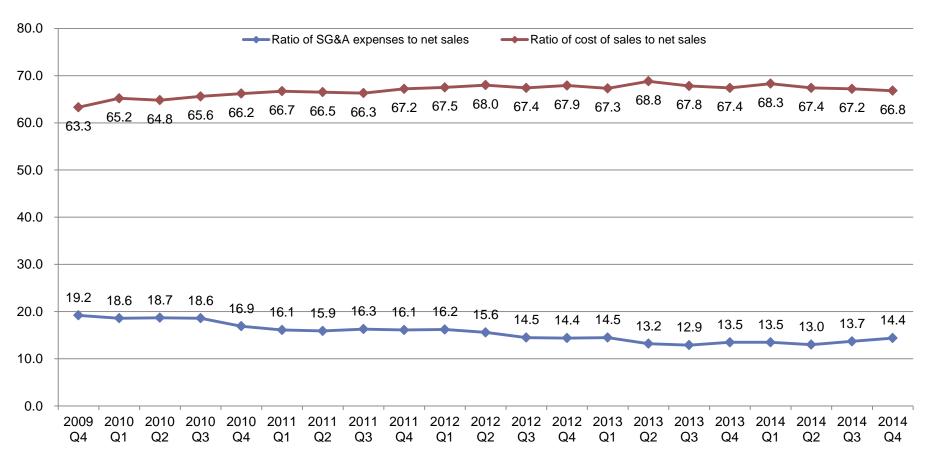
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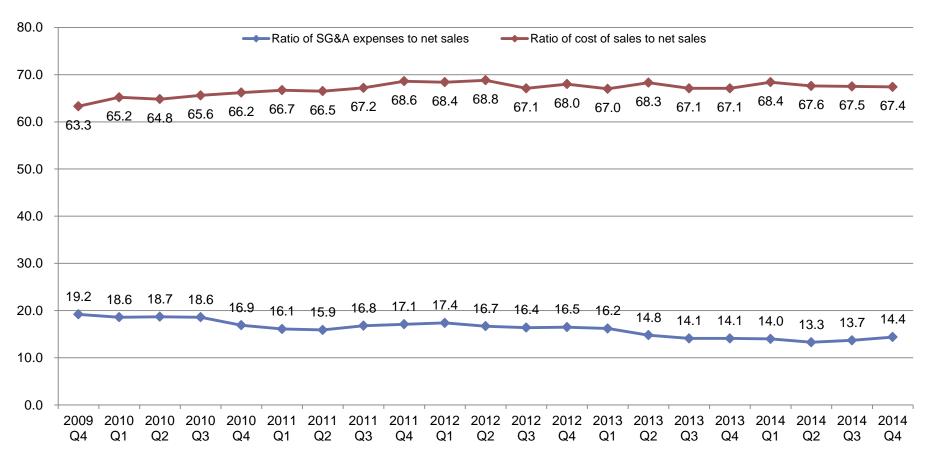
The total number of employees in the Group was 335, an increase of 45 from a year earlier.

Management Indicators (Non-consolidated/Quarterly basis) Cost of Sales Ratio and SG&A Expenses Ratio



The cost of sales ratio was basically unchanged. The selling, general and administrative (SG&A) expenses ratio increased slightly.

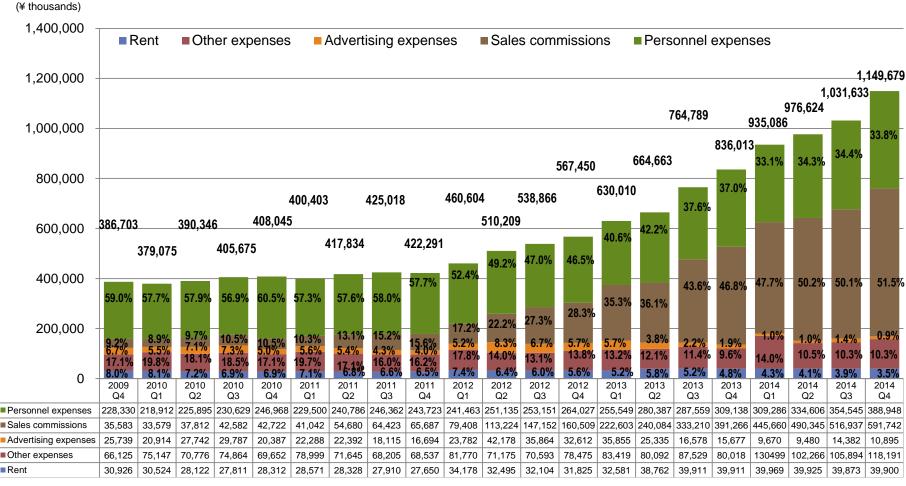
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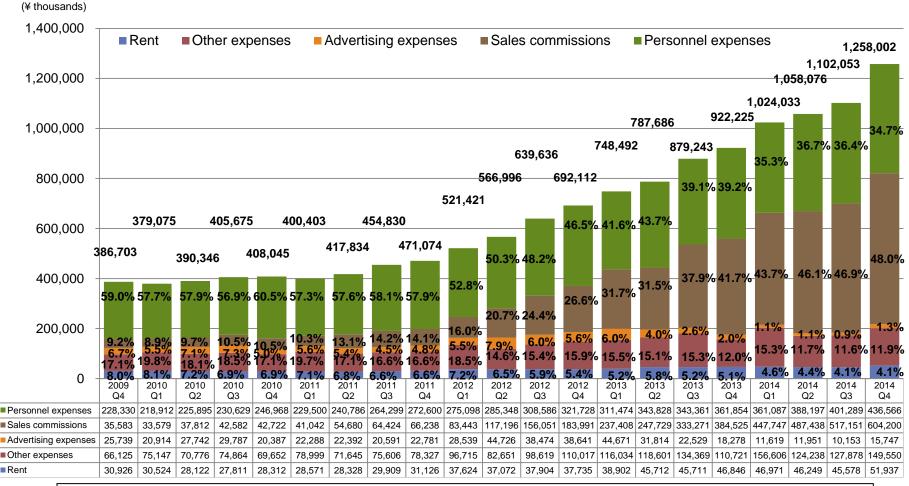
There were no substantial changes in either the cost of sales ratio or the selling, general and administrative (SG&A) expenses ratio.

Management Indicators (Non-consolidated/Quarterly basis) Selling, General and Administrative Expenses



Sales commissions for nend increased. Personnel and other expenses increased due to 15th anniversary events.

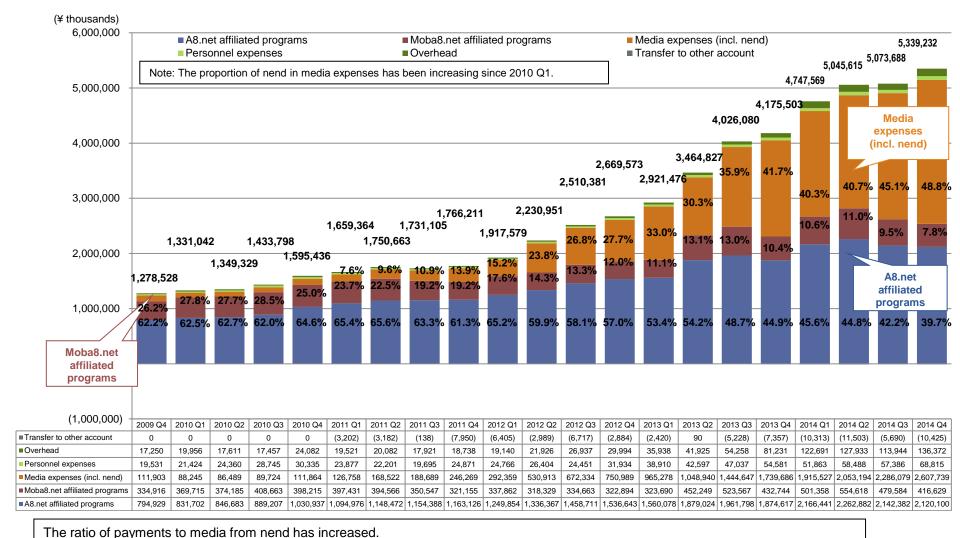
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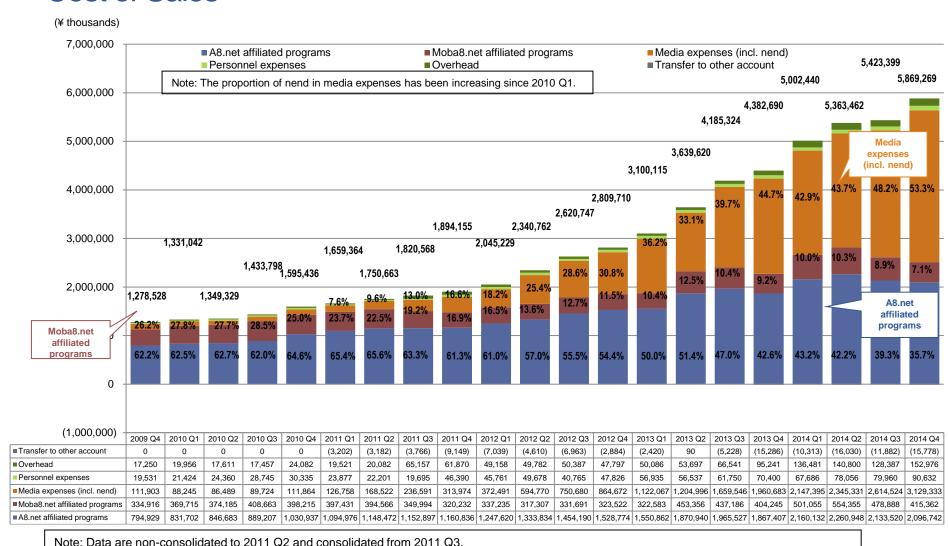
The weighting of sales commissions increased in tandem with growth in sales of nend.

Management Indicators (Non-consolidated/Quarterly basis) Cost of Sales



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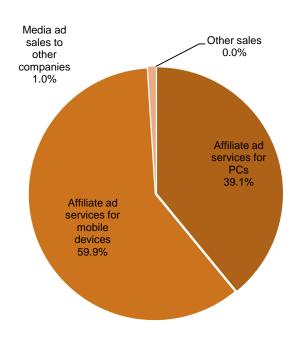
The trend is the same as non-consolidated, but weighting has not changed substantially.



Overview by Main Service Area Non-consolidated Businesses

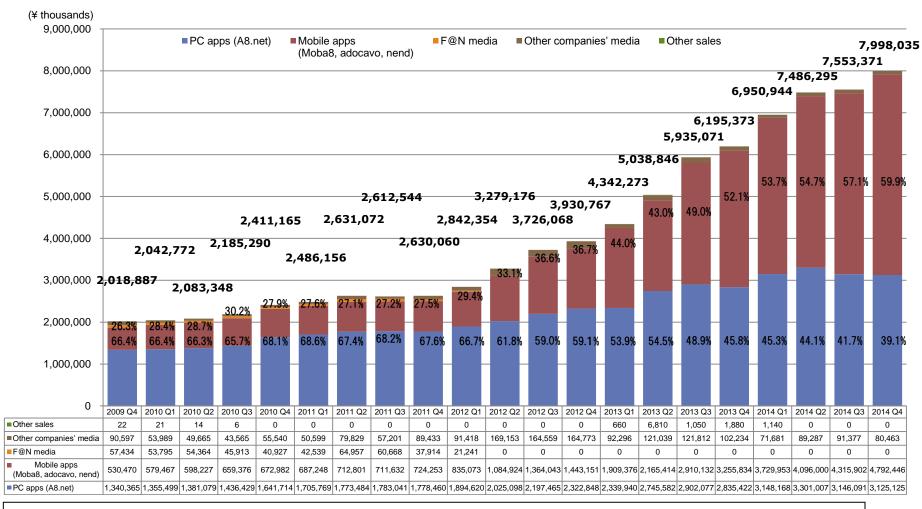
Net Sales by Service Area (Non-consolidated/Quarterly basis)

(¥ thousands)	2014 Q4 (Oct. – Dec.)	2013 Q4 (Oct. – Dec.)	Increase (Decrease)
Affiliate ad services for PCs	3,125,125	2,835,422	10.2%
Affiliate ad services for mobile devices	4,792,446	3,255,834	47.2%
F@N media business	0	0	-
Media ad sales to other companies	80,463	102,234	(21.3)%
Other sales	0	1,880	-
Net sales	7,998,035	6,195,373	29.1%



Services for PCs maintained a double-digit growth rate. Services for mobile devices continued to grow strongly.

Net Sales by Service (Non-consolidated/Quarterly basis)



Services for mobile devices accounted for 59.9% of sales, an increase of 2.8 points from the previous quarter.

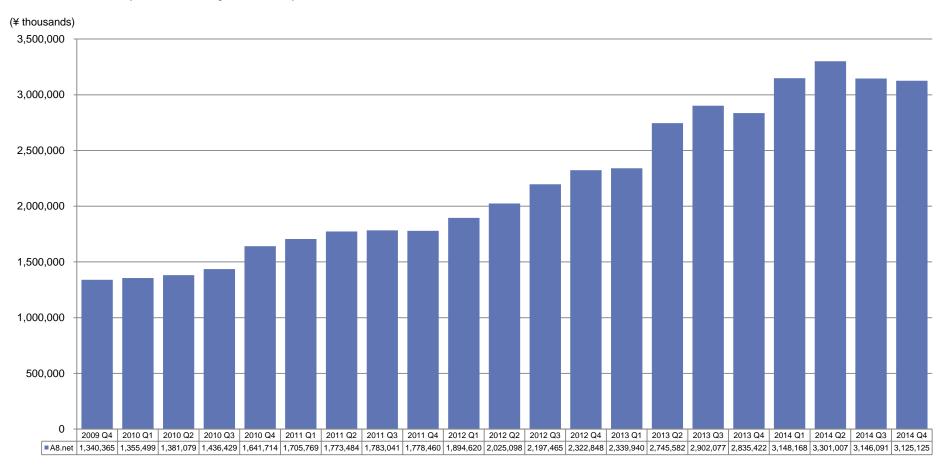
Service: A8.net

Summary

	2014 Q4 (Oct. – Dec.)	2013 Q4 (Oct. – Dec.)	Change
Sales (¥ thousands)	3,125,125	2,835,422	10.2%
Number of operating advertiser IDs	2,685	2,469	8.7%
Registered partner sites	1,790,719	1,559,613	14.8%

Service: A8.net

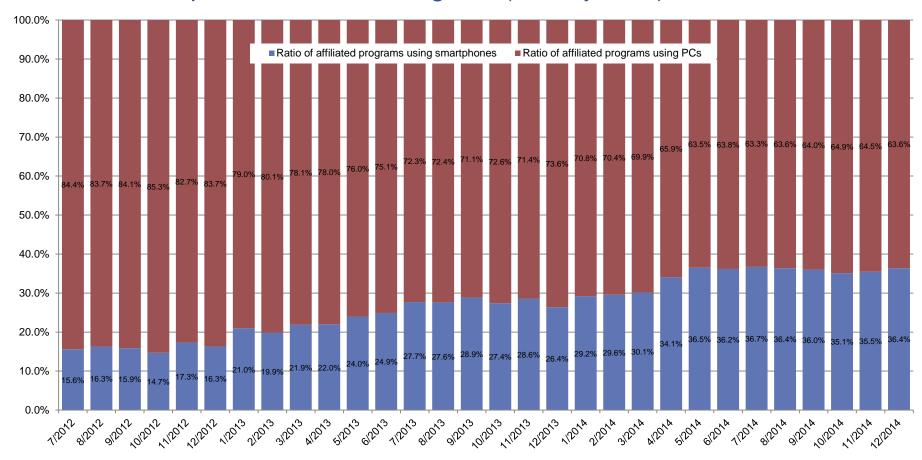
Sales (Quarterly basis)



Sales decreased compared with the previous quarter for two consecutive quarters.

Service: A8.net

Ratio of Smartphones in Affiliated Programs (Monthly basis)

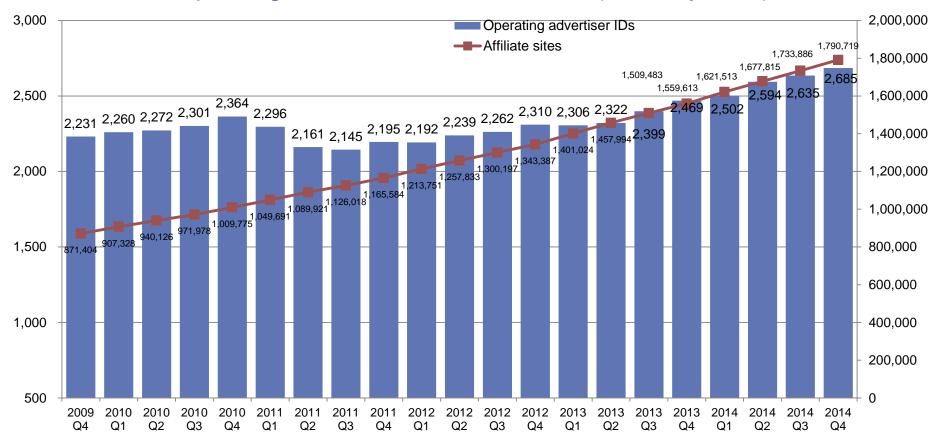


The ratio of affiliated programs using smartphones is currently around 36%.

Note: The above affiliated program ratios are not final and are subject to change.

Service: A8.net

Number of Operating Advertisers and Affiliate Sites (Quarterly basis)

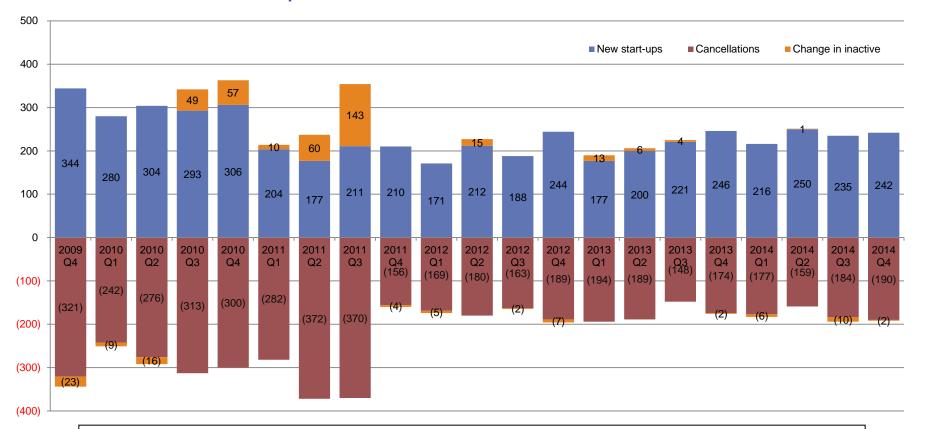


Note: The number of operating advertisers is as of the final month of each quarter.

The number of affiliate sites is growing steadily. The number of operating advertisers increased by 50 from the previous quarter.

Service: A8.net

New Advertiser Start-ups and Cancellations



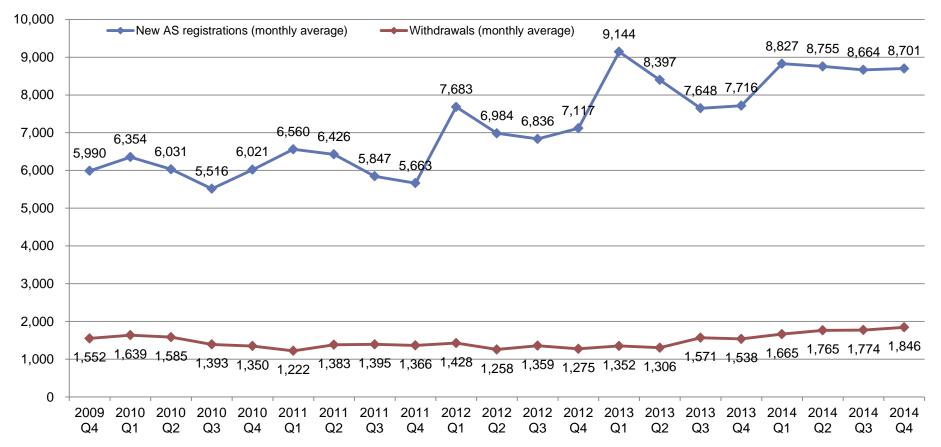
"Change in inactive" is the difference in number of customers who switched between "operating" and "inactive," adjusted for the number of customers who switched from "inactive" to "cancelled" included in the number of cancellations.

The method of counting operating advertisers changed when the conditions for cancellation were made stricter, applicable from 2009 Q4 on this graph.

There was no significant change in conditions.

Service: A8.net

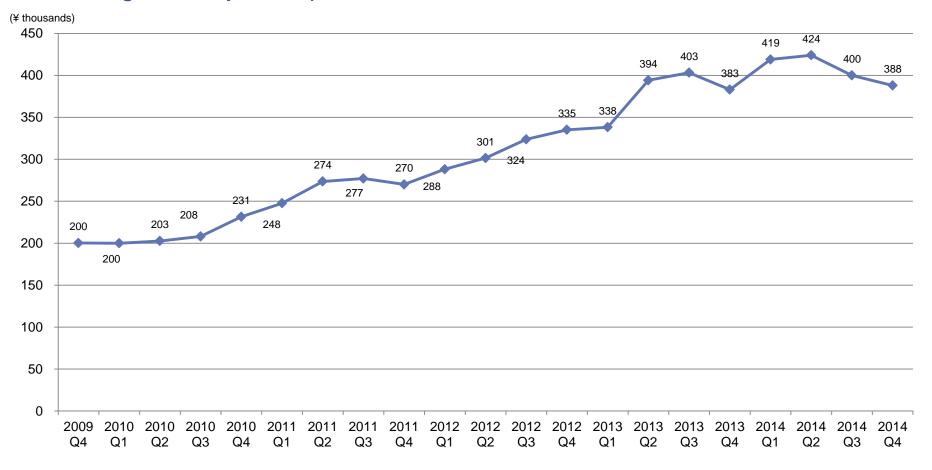
Average Monthly New Affiliate Site (AS) Registrations and Withdrawals



The number of new monthly registrations was substantially unchanged at nearly 9,000.

Service: A8.net

Average Monthly Sales per Advertiser



Decreased for two consecutive quarters.

Services: Moba8.net, nend

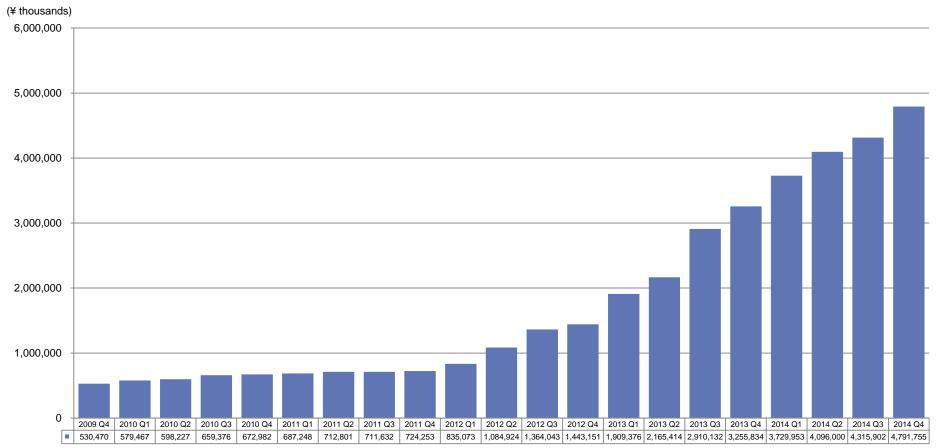
Summary

	2014 Q4 (Oct. – Dec.)	2013 Q4 (Oct. – Dec.)	Change
Sales (¥ thousands)	4,791,755	3,255,834	47.2%
Number of operating advertiser IDs	1,629	1,441	13.0%
Registered partner sites	539,291	345,988	55.9%

Note: "Sales" in the above chart includes other sales from the operations of divisions in charge of Moba8.net and nend. "Number of operating advertiser IDs" and "Registered partner sites" are the total figures for Moba8.net and nend.

The number of operating advertiser IDs increased by 188 from the same period of the previous year.

Services: Moba8.net, nend Sales (Quarterly basis)

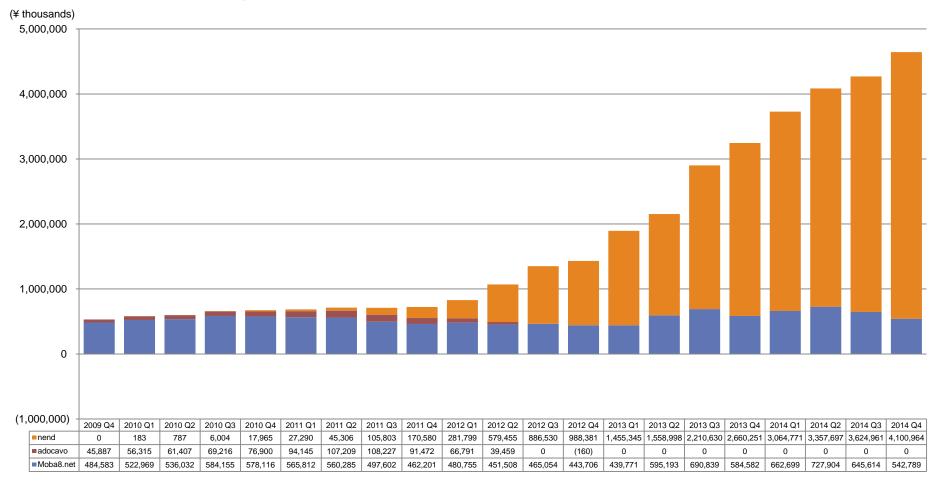


Note: Includes sales of adocavo until 2012 Q4. The above figures include other sales from the operations of divisions in charge of Moba8.net and nend.

Sales of nend continue to drive results.

Affiliate Ad Services for Mobile Devices (Non-consolidated) Services: Moba8.net, nend

Sales (Quarterly basis)

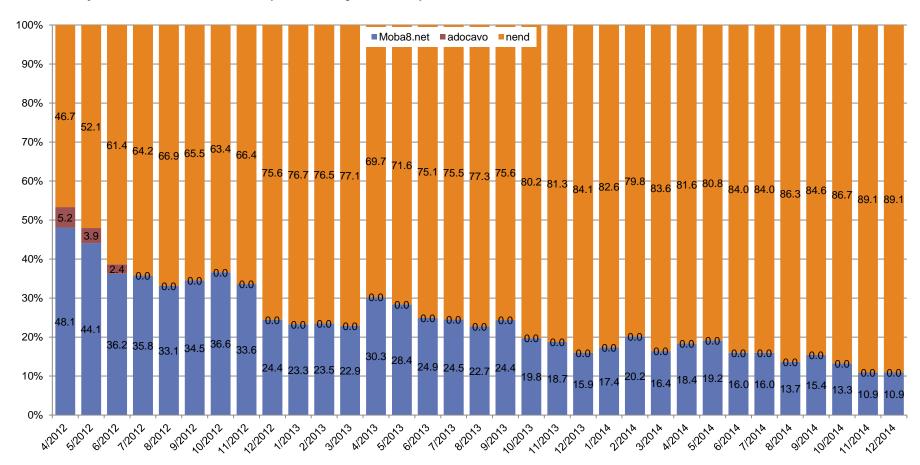


Note: The above figures are for adocavo, Moba8.net and nend only. Other sales from the operations of divisions in charge are not included.

The proportion of nend sales continues to grow.

Services: Moba8.net, nend

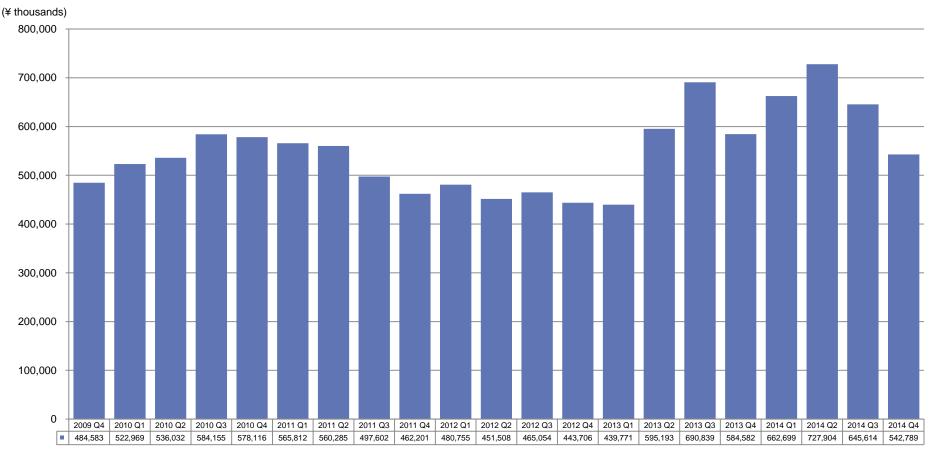
Composition of Sales (Monthly basis)



Note: The above figures are for adocavo, Moba8.net and nend only. Other sales from the operations of divisions in charge are not included.

Sales of Moba8.net currently account for about 10% on a monthly basis.

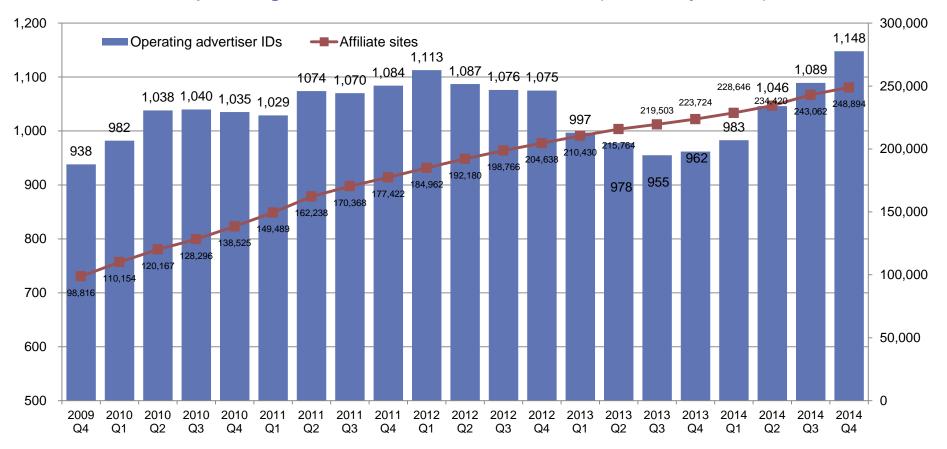
Service: Moba8.net Sales (Quarterly basis)



The main cause of the decrease in sales was the termination of promotions by a large-scale advertiser. Still unable to recover.

Service: Moba8.net

Number of Operating Advertisers and Affiliate Sites (Quarterly basis)

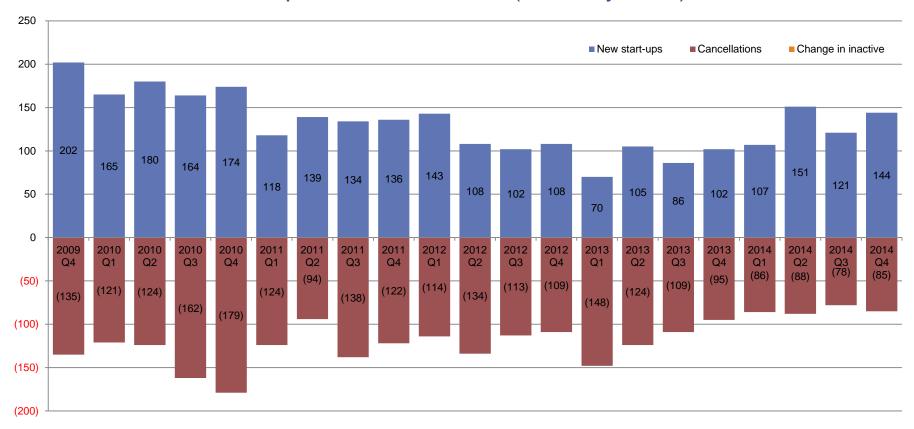


Note: The number of operating advertisers is as of the final month of each quarter.

Growth continues, mainly from app advertisers.

Service: Moba8.net

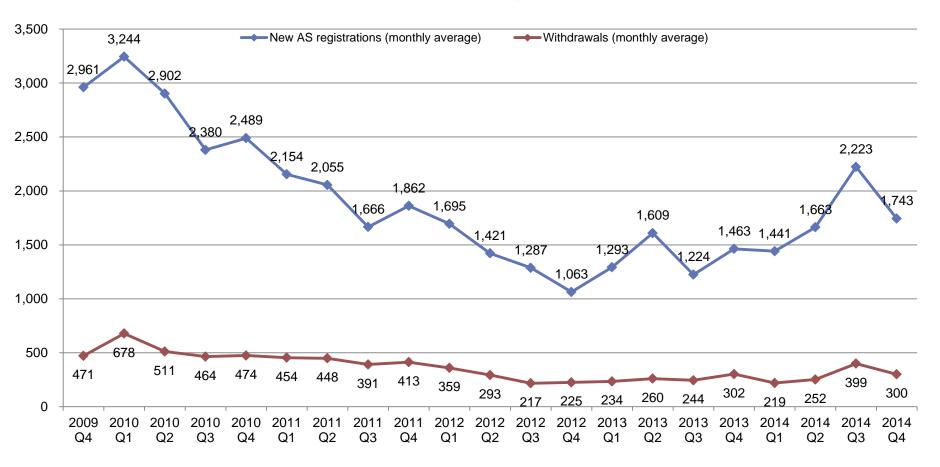
New Advertiser Start-ups and Cancellations (Quarterly basis)



A shift to smartphone advertisers is underway.

Affiliate Ad Services for Mobile Devices (Non-consolidated) Service: Moba8.net

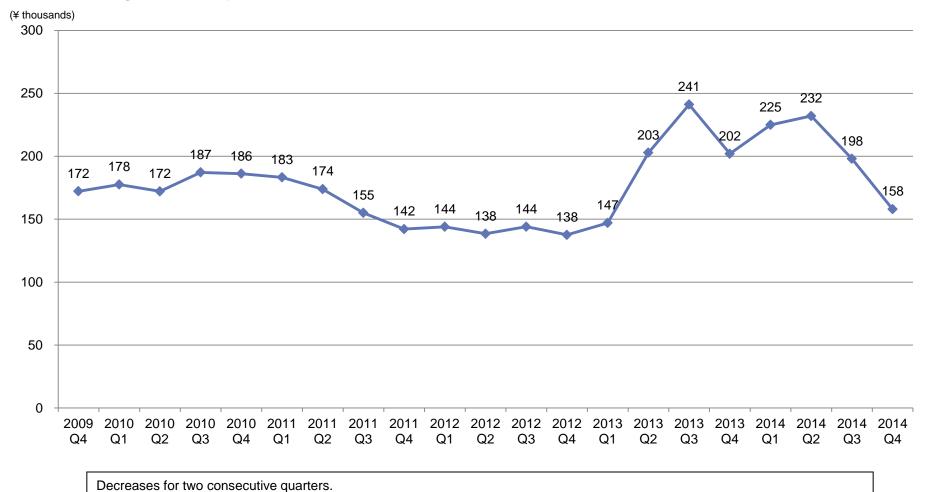
Average Monthly New Affiliate Site (AS) Registrations and Withdrawals



Registrations for smartphone media are increasing.

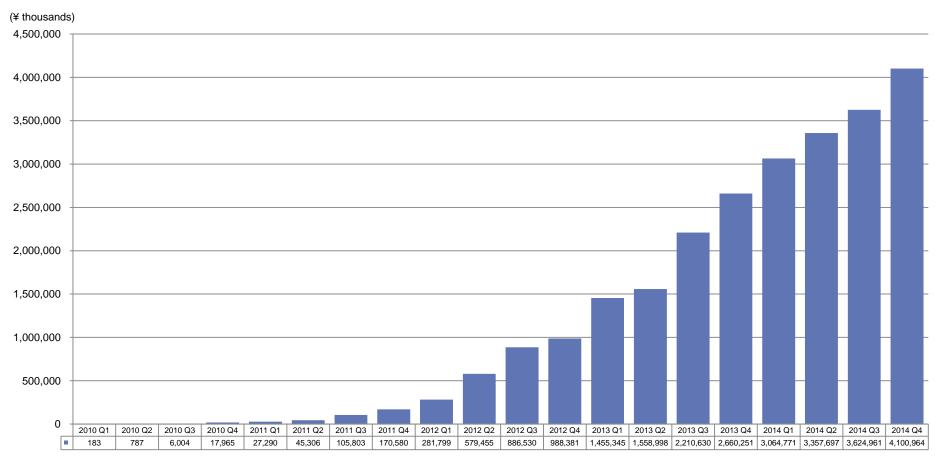
Service: Moba8.net

Average Monthly Sales per Advertiser



Service: nend

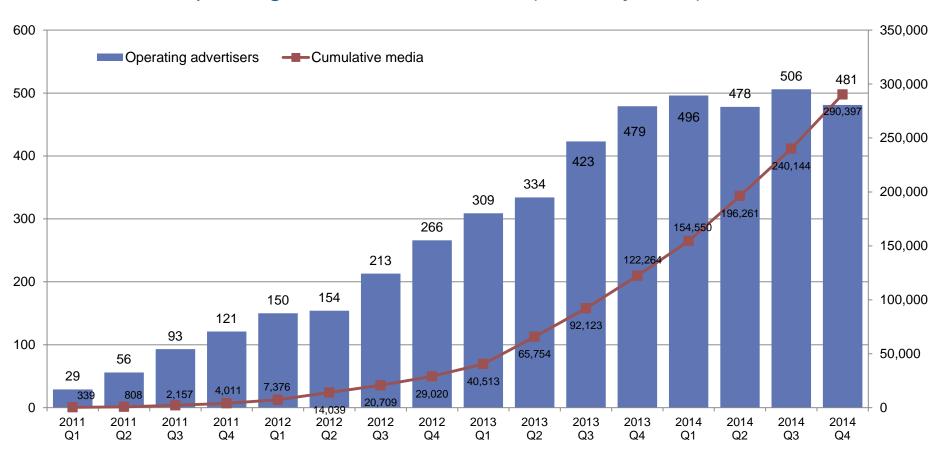
Sales (Quarterly basis)



Strong growth continued.

Service: nend

Number of Operating Advertisers and Media (Quarterly basis)

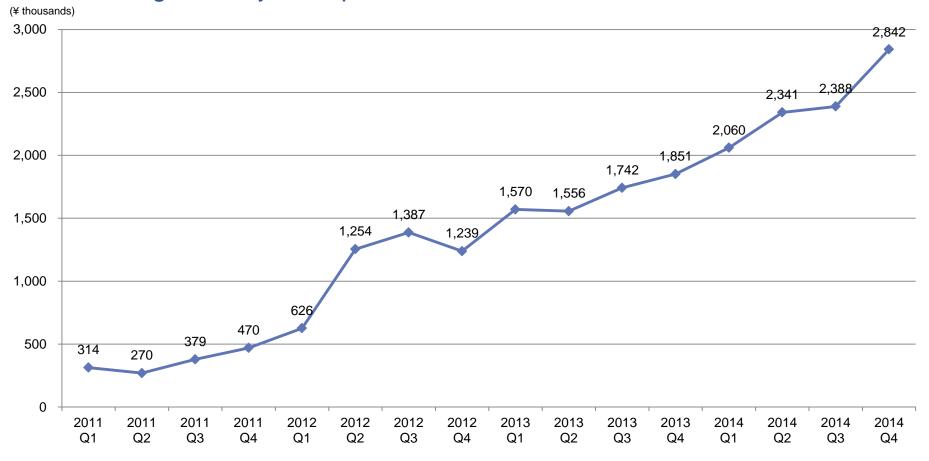


Note: The number of operating advertisers is as of the final month of each quarter.

The number of operating advertisers decreased by 25 from the previous quarter. The number of media exceeded 290,000.

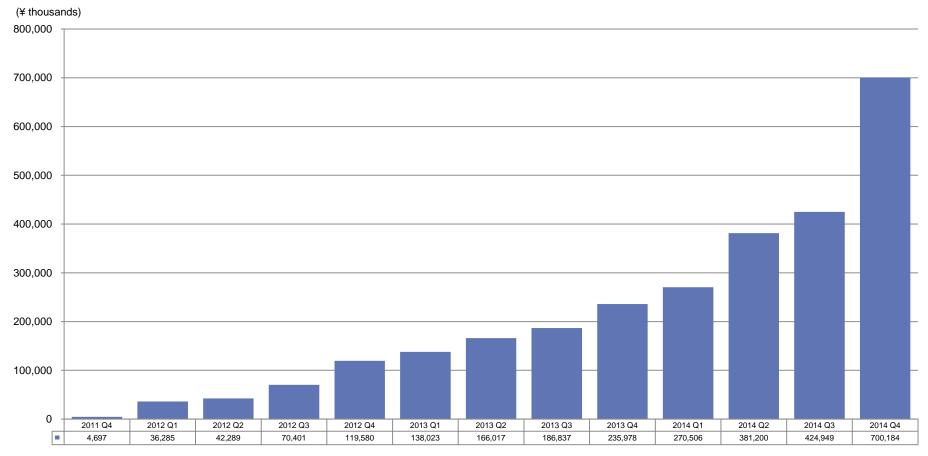
Service: nend

Average Monthly Sales per Advertiser



Sales per advertiser reached a record high.

Affiliate Ad Services for Mobile Devices (8crops Non-consolidated) Net Sales (Quarterly basis)



Notes: 1. The above figures are non-consolidated net sales of 8crops Inc. before elimination of consolidated intercompany transactions.

2. Sales of 8crops are recorded in "Affiliate ad sales for mobile devices" in the consolidated net sales of F@N Communications.

Sales increased 64% compared with the previous quarter, mainly for reward-based ads. The increase was a substantial 196% compared with the same period of the previous year.

Consolidated Group Businesses

8crops Inc.

Established: August 1, 2011 (Wholly owned by F@N Communications)

Main Business Operates adcrops CPI* advertising services for smartphone applications

* Cost Per Install



(¥ thousands)	2014 (Full Year)	2013 (Full Year)
Net sales	1,776,840	726,857
Operating income	202,506	70,240
Net income	126,561	55,071

Note: The above figures are before elimination of consolidated intercompany transactions.

Ad Japon Inc.

Established: March 1, 2012

(Wholly owned by F@N Communications)

Main Business

Design and operation of an integrated platform for global ad networks, multilingual affiliate services and a media localization business



(¥ thousands)	2014 (Full Year)	2013 (Full Year)
Net sales	827,207	481,607
Operating income	52,435	1,827
Net income	39,592	2,657

Note: The above figures are before elimination of consolidated intercompany transactions.

FAN MEDIA INC.

Established: September 12, 2000
Name changed from REALUS INC.
and business transferred from
meetLabo, Inc. on April 1, 2014
(Wholly owned by F@N Communications)

Main Business
Operation of net media

(¥ thousands)	2014 (Full Year)	2013 (Full Year)
Net sales	346,105	542,340
Operating Income (loss)	(53,222)	16,401
Net income (loss)	(43,886)	6,343







Reference Materials

Management Vision

F@N seeks to become one of the largest affiliated program network corporate groups on the globe.

We will implement our affiliate program advertising model among advertisers, affiliate site application developers (media), and consumers in order to build ad networks that result in the largest and most optimized win-win relationships.

Our model will provide sustainable benefits such as the optimization of marketing costs for advertisers, the maximization of profit for affiliate site application developers, and the reduction of consumption costs and enhanced quality of service for consumers.

We will continue to expand our global presence by involving ourselves in the production, sales and consumption cycles best suited to the Internet Era, and create added value that contributes to society.

Company Overview

Company name
F@N Communications, Inc.

Securities code 2461 (Tokyo Stock Exchange, First Section)

Fiscal year-end December

Established October 1, 1999

Capital 1,101.49 million yen (as of December 31, 2014)

President and Yasuyoshi Yanagisawa Representative Director

Number of employees Non-consolidated: 284 (as of Dec. 31, 2014; includes part-time and temp staff)

Group total: 335 (as of Dec. 31, 2014; includes part-time and temp staff

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