## **TBS At a Glance**

TBS will provide wonderful "moments" for everyone through content and services that are loved through the ages and contribute to the realization of a sustainable society full of hope where diverse values are respected.



#### We provide a diverse range of services that go beyond the traditional framework of broadcasting

The TBS Group provides a diverse range of services from production and sale of video and audio software, to cultural businesses, lifestyle businesses, and real estate leasing, in addition to the television and radio broadcasting business.

### **TBS HOLDINGS, INC.**

#### **Media Content Business**

#### (Six core companies)

(1) TOKYO BROADCASTING (7) CS-TBS, INC. SYSTEM TELEVISION, INC. (2) TBS RADIO, Inc. (3) BS-TBS, INC. (4) TBS SPARKLE, Inc. (5) TBS GLOWDIA, Inc. (6) TBS ACT, INC.

(8) SEVEN-ARCS Co., Ltd. (9) TC Entertainment Incorporated (10) TBS International, Inc. (11) TBS MEDIA RESEARCH INSTITUTE Inc. (12) NICHION, INC.

#### Lifestyle Business

(13) StylingLife Holdings Inc. (PLAZASTYLE COMPANY, BLC COMPANY) (14) CP Cosmetics Inc. (15) LightUp Shopping Club Inc.

#### **Real Estate and Other Business**

(16) Akasaka Heat Supply, Co., Ltd. (17) TBS Kikaku Co., Ltd. (18) TBS Sunwork, Inc.

(19) TBS HEXA. Inc. (20) Midoriyama Studio City, Inc.

The Real Estate and Other Business is mainly engaged in the operation and management of the real estate owned by the TBS Group, with TBS Broadcast Center and Akasaka Biz Tower heading the list. It is also involved in urban development projects around the Akasaka area to remake Akasaka into a city offering "the greatest emotional experiences in the world

Centered on TOKYO BROADCASTING SYSTEM TELEVISION, INC.,

the heart of the TBS Group, the Media Content Business provides

high-guality audio and video content through all types of media,

including terrestrial, radio, and satellite broadcasting, in a compre-

has the infrastructure to adapt flexibly to globalization and the

including events and shows, and aims to constantly provide new

forms of entertainment for all by bringing together the strengths

The Lifestyle Business focuses on businesses that provide customers with new lifestyles by inextricably reaching into every consumer set-

ting, such as retailing through PLAZASTYLE COMPANY, which operates

stores throughout Japan, mail-order sales, and the mainstay beauty

and wellness business. Another major feature of the Lifestyle Business

is that it independently holds a huge amount of data, such as customer data, that can contribute to expanding TBS Group synergies.

The business handles an unparalleled range of media and also

The Media Content Business also focuses on live entertainment.

hensive manner from upstream to downstream production.

recent trend toward digital transformation (DX).

of the TBS Group.



### TBS content gains wide support through a variety of media

In FY2020, TOKYO BROADCASTING SYSTEM TELEVISION, INC. gained the second ranked viewer ratings in the Family Core (male and female individuals age 13 years to 59) demographic for both the golden time (19:00-22:00) and prime time (19:00-23:00) slots. TBS RADIO, Inc. has maintained the top listener ratings for 19 years and 10 months in a row (as of April 2021). TBS ranked top out of the five Tokyo television stations on the full-year number of views for free catch-up streaming, which includes the TVer streaming service. The number of downloads of the Paravi subscription video streaming app exceeded 10 million. TBS content has gained high levels of support in each media. We also deliver unique value in the lifestyle and real estate areas.

FY2020 Family Core Demographic Viewer					
	Golden time (19:00-22:00), prime time (19:00-23:00) slot				
	All day		Golden (19:00-22		
TBS	32.4	(+0.4)	24.5		
Nippon TV	14.5		17.2		
TV Asahi	32.4		@4.0		
TV Tokyo	60.9		62.4		
Fuji Television	22.8		24.5		
NHK	51.4		53.3		
PUT	15.9		28.0		

TBS Radio Top listener ratings for 19 years, 10 months in a row (as of April 2021) Triple crown for daytime, golden time (19:00-22:00), and prime time RS-TRS (19:00-23:00) slots (both individual and household)



mber of stores of each StylingLife Group company*]				
1	PLAZA	122 stores		
(	CP Salon	1,240 store	25	
1	LightUp·····	4 stores		
1	BCL	28 stores		
			*As of March 2021	

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## **TBS's Growth Trajectory**

Ever since its founding, the TBS Group has maintained broadcasting as its core business while also expanding into a wide range of other businesses, such as films, stage productions, real estate, and retail. Through its varied content services, TBS Group has provided viewers, listeners, and customers with wonderful "moments."

One trait that TBS Group has placed a high priority on since its founding in 1951, down to the present as it approaches its seventieth year, is its enthusiasm for delivering high-quality entertainment. Each one of us has worked to bring people emotionally involving experiences and the truths that lie hidden in their everyday lives. As a broadcasting company, TBS maintains television and radio broadcasting as the core of its business, but it has also expanded into films, live entertainment, real estate, retail, and a wide range of other businesses. In response to the proliferation of channels and digital TV, it is also emphasizing its commercial video streaming service TVer and its subscription video streaming service Paravi. In the summer of 2022, it will present the worldwide smash hit stage production of *Harry Potter and the Cursed Child* in a specially equipped theater in Akasaka.



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**TBS Akasaka ACT Theater** 

A new, fully equipped entertainment theater in Akasaka

## The Growth Trajectory of Our Content

Most of TBS's collections of content (programs, video streaming, films, and live performances) are made with an eye toward taking a close look at society and taking a leading role in this era. TBS wants its customers to be moved and comforted by its content and to find hints about the future while enjoying wonderful "moments."

TBS's content, including its dramas, has given rise to words and expressions that became popular with the general public, including such as juugosai no haha "fifteen-year-old mother" from Mr. Kimpachi in Class 3B, "barrier free" from Beautiful Life, arafoo an abbreviation of the program title Around 40, baigaeshi "paying back double" from Naoki Hanzawa, and muzukyun :being desperately attracted to someone and not knowing what to do about it" from The Full-Time Wife Escapist. By capturing the mood of society and portraying as yet unexposed problems, TBS's content arouses viewers' sympathies on a wide range of issues and serves as a starting point for influencing society. TBS does not limit itself to ephemeral entertainment but provides a collection of programming that touches people's hearts, remains with them a long time, and sometimes even influences their lives. TBS's content creators are allying themselves with many partners to produce new works, believing that the combined wonderful "moments" that people experience will affect the way in which they create a better tomorrow.

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I'd Rather Be a 1958 Shellfish



This drama commemorates Japanese citizens who were punished as Class C war criminals and asks guestions about war and peace



NewScope



The first news program in Japan to employ newscasters instead of announcers, it continues to provide cutting-edge reportage.



The gold standard for live variety show broadcasts, it charted a new course with its use of a revolving stage in its wildly creative comedy sketches.

#### Music Program

The Best Ten

Variety



This program presents songs in various genres, ranked by sales. It has served as an innovative model for the music programs that came after it.





This soap opera portrays the everyday life of a family and has been a favorite of the Japanese people for many years.

#### Special Programming

A project to Commemorate the 40th Anniversary of TBS's Founding Correspondent Akiyama, the first Japanese Person in Space 1990



Sending the first Japanese person into space was a massive project accomplished with the cooperation of the Soviet Space Agency.

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#### Special Programming

Tetsuya Chikushi News23 President Clinton Special









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vited then-US President Clinton to the

studio during his visit to Japan and had

him engage in dialogue with Japanese



A major hit drama that earned a 44.1% viewer share. The recurring line "I will pay them back double" has become a watchword among workers across Japan

#### **Overseas Sales (Programs and Formats)**

TBS has been selling its content overseas for more than sixty years. In addition to selling the dramas, anime, and films that it has produced, TBS has also been a world pioneer in "format sales," that is, selling program concepts and production expertise. In recent years, it has expanded its activities into multimedia uses of its Intellectual Property and joint production and streaming projects with companies overseas.

TBS has produced many programs that have become worldwide hits, including Happy Family Plan, Waku Waku Animal Land, and K-ON. Since its premiere in 1987, Takeshi's Castle has been shown in 159 countries and regions. In 2003, TBS began marketing SASUKE/Ninja Warrior overseas, and it is now enjoyed by viewers in 165 countries and regions. In particular, the locally produced U.S. version, American Ninja Warrior, has been a flagship program for the American terrestrial broadcaster NBC, broadcast during primetime since 2009, and continuing to attract fans.

In addition to these programs, TBS is marketing more









#### Drama

- 1 The Full-Time Wife Escapist New Year's Special in January 2021
- 2 Dragon Sakura, on Sunday Theater program
- 3 The Tuesday drama Why I Dress Up for Love
- 4 The Friday drama How to Get a Divorce for the Whole Family

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than 200 different products in the United States online and through a network of brick-and-mortar shops. In the United Kingdom, it has been diversifying its activities by going into businesses such as theme parks in more than ten British cities.



## **Strengths and Business Model**

The value creation of the TBS Group consists of "making" and "delivering" wonderful "moments."

By "sharing" our created content with stakeholders, we aim to gain various insights to achieve growth and further creation of value.

The "creativity" that we have developed and passed down through our television and radio production is the origin of our strengths. By "making" and "delivering" high-quality content that reflects the times and society, or that focuses on social issues that are ahead of the times, we have gained the empathy of many people and built up our own unique value. Today, the content we produce is no longer limited to broadcasting, but has expanded to include online stream-

ing, movies, theater, retail, education, and real estate, and we are continuing to create new value. We will aim for further "growth" toward being a sustainable corporate group by delivering wonderful "moments" in Japan and overseas, "sharing" them with viewers, listeners, and customers, and gaining their "trust" through our powerful "reach" using diverse platforms including broadcasting, theaters, and stores.

## **Our Business Model** From each moment, a better tomorrow.



## **Content and Platforms**

TBS is creating a diverse array of content and services that go far beyond the framework of broadcasting. Our diverse platforms deliver our content and services to all.

For TBS, which came into being as a broadcasting station, "content" was originally "programs" which were delivered to viewers, listeners, and customers via terrestrial broadcasting. TBS has delivered "moments that move the heart" through such programs as dramas, variety shows, news, sports, and anime, and we have expanded our business and services with the times. We have launched businesses in satellite broadcasting, movies, theater, musicals, live music, real estate, retail, and virtual reality/extended reality (VR/XR), as well as taking on new challenges in intellectual training and

#### **Main Content and Platforms**



education, manga, and more. The value running through all of these business domains is our desire to deliver wonderful "moments" that move the heart, and we consider everything we create through our business activities to be content in the broadest sense of the word.

Our diverse platforms support this content. The main platforms for the content of TBS include the finite airwaves entrusted to us by the public, movie theaters and theaters, online streaming, real estate and stores, and the Akasaka Entertainment City Plan.

## **Value Creation Process**

The TBS Group will create content and services that are loved by people around the world throughout the ages and contribute to the realization of a society full of hope in which diverse values are respected.

The driving force behind our value creation is making the utmost effort so that people connect with TBS content and services for the longer "moments" of the "disposable time" they are able to spend freely during their lives. We create "high-quality entertainment" and "information lifelines" to support life and living in collaboration with our many partners and achieve "reach" through our diverse and extensive range of platforms, including the airwaves, theater, and stores. It is our aspiration to grow TBS and contribute to making "a better tomorrow" by enabling more viewers, listeners, and customers to spend "wonderful moments" and building up "trust" by responding to feedback with sincerity.



A better tomorrow

A society where peace, freedom, and human rights are protected

Respect for diverse values

Communication of fair and accurate information

Protection of the environment and solution of social issues

Enhancement of intellectual training and education

#### Environmental and Social Impact

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