# **Global Business of Credit Saison**

12<sup>th</sup> December 2022 Credit Saison Co., Ltd.

## Agenda

### **Business summary**

- 1. Key concept of our global business
- 2. About overseas' group companies
- 3. Two core businesses

## Medium-term Management Plan and Financial Results of First Half in FY2022

- **1.** Financial Results of First Half in FY2022
- 2. Strategies for Medium-term Management Plan
  - Breakthrough of India's business
  - Growth of Saison Capital
  - Enhancement the corporate functions in Singapore

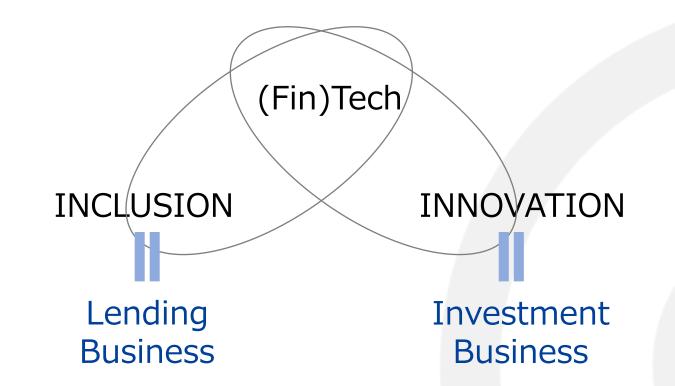
### Business strategy for the next

- **1.** Seeding for the next
- 2. Expansion of Lending Business
- 3. Contribution to sustainable development

# Key concept of our global business

- $\checkmark$  Having an alliance with Fintechs, which makes us drive two core businesses
- ✓ Our two key concepts are "Inclusion", achieved by lending business, and "Innovation" through investment business, offers cutting-edged opportunities to us

# (Fin)Tech-led INCLUSION and INNOVATION



# **Overseas' group companies**

- ✓ Accelerate the development and expansion of our core businesses in Asia through 5 operating companies in India and Southeast Asia
- ✓ Newly launched an International headquarter in Singapore to make our global business competitive

\*Renamed from Credit Saison Asia Pacific Pte. Ltd.



Investment Business

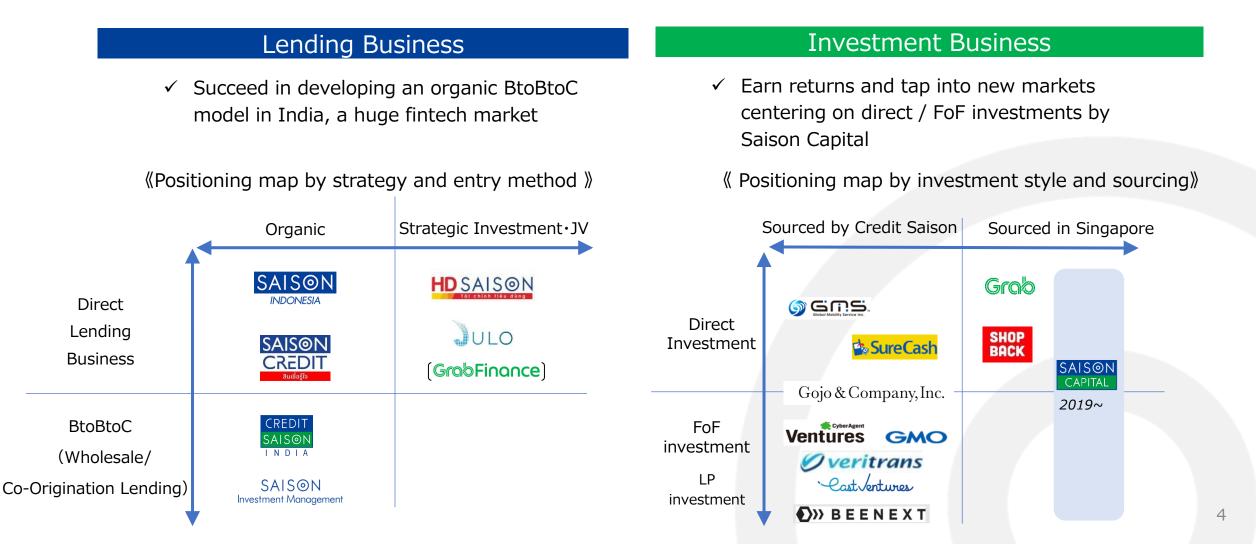
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# **Two core businesses (Lending & Investment)**



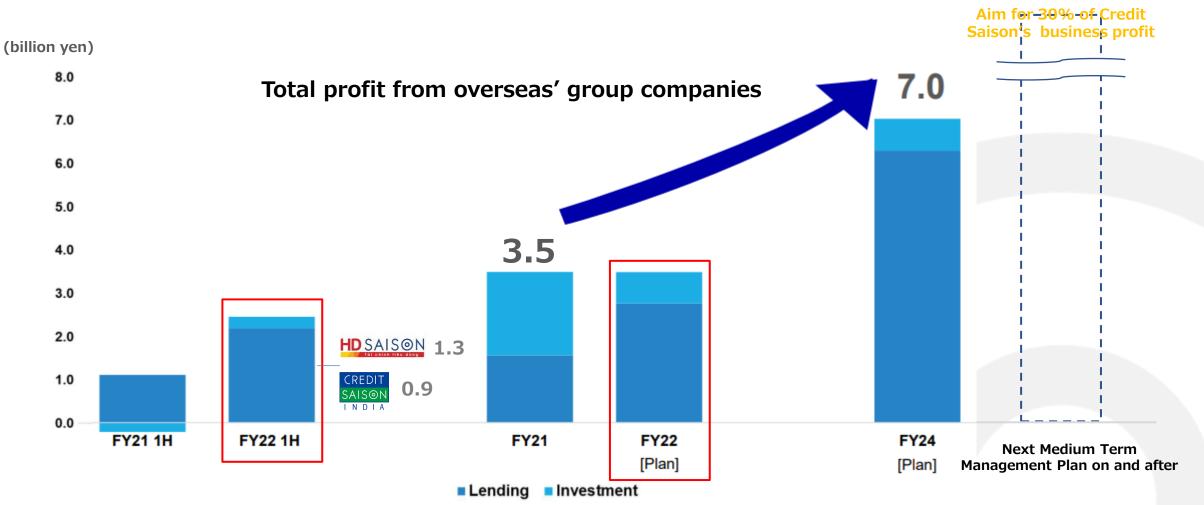
- Select the right entry mode strategically and flexibly according to country regulations and business scheme
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## **1. Financial Results of First Half in FY2022**



✓ Steadily progress in First Half in FY2022 mainly driven by strong business growth in India and Vietnam
 ✓ Grow our global business to become "third pillar" of the company on a profit basis in the future





- **1. Grow the global lending business into a core business of the Group**
- 2. Create the next core business through the global investment business
- 3. Promote the IHQ framework that supports the above



# **Breakthrough of India's business**



Kisetsu Saison Finance (India) Private Limited "Saison India"

2018

- Established
- Shareholders
- Located
- Representative
- Number of Employees
- Business

Credit Saison 85% Saison International 15% Bangalore Presha Paragash (CEO) 450

Digital lending business mainly alliance with fintechs

#### Vision

## NeoLending Conglomerate that will help enable India's Credit Growth Story

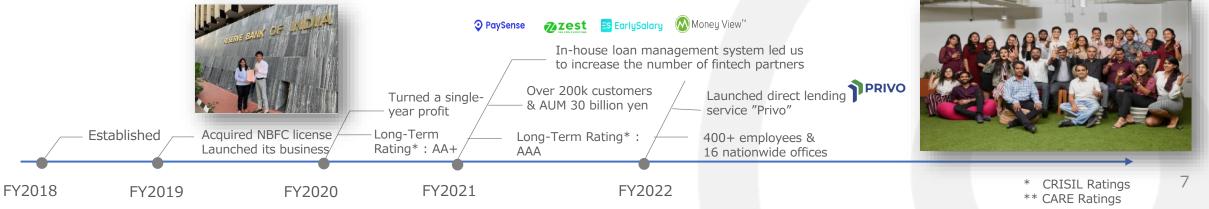
#### Value

LENDING GIANT

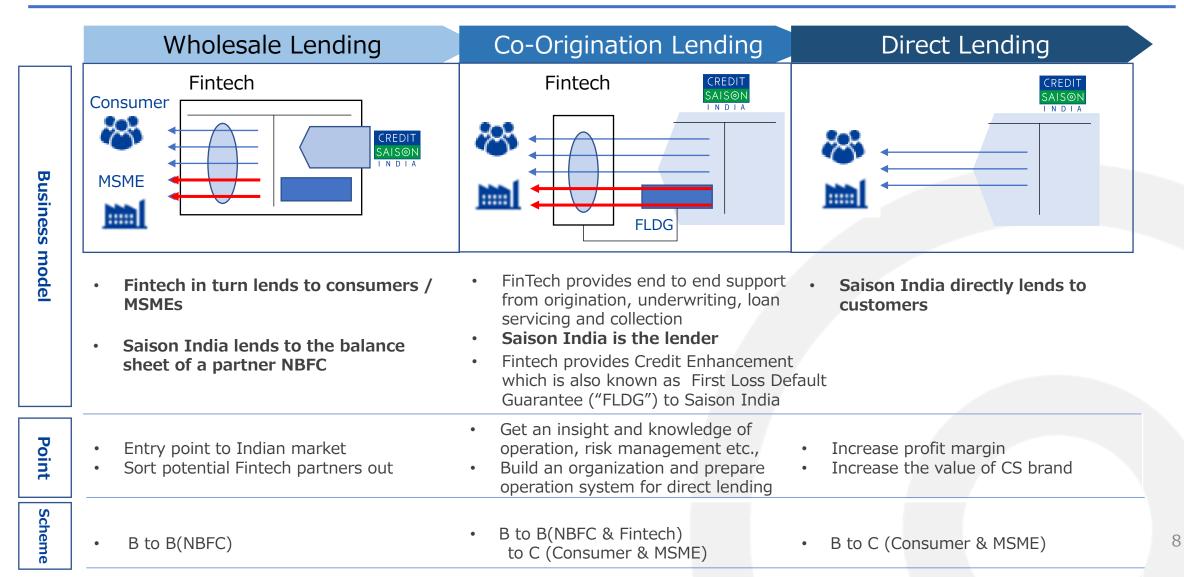
## HIGH PROFITABILITY

HIGH TECH ORIENTATION

History



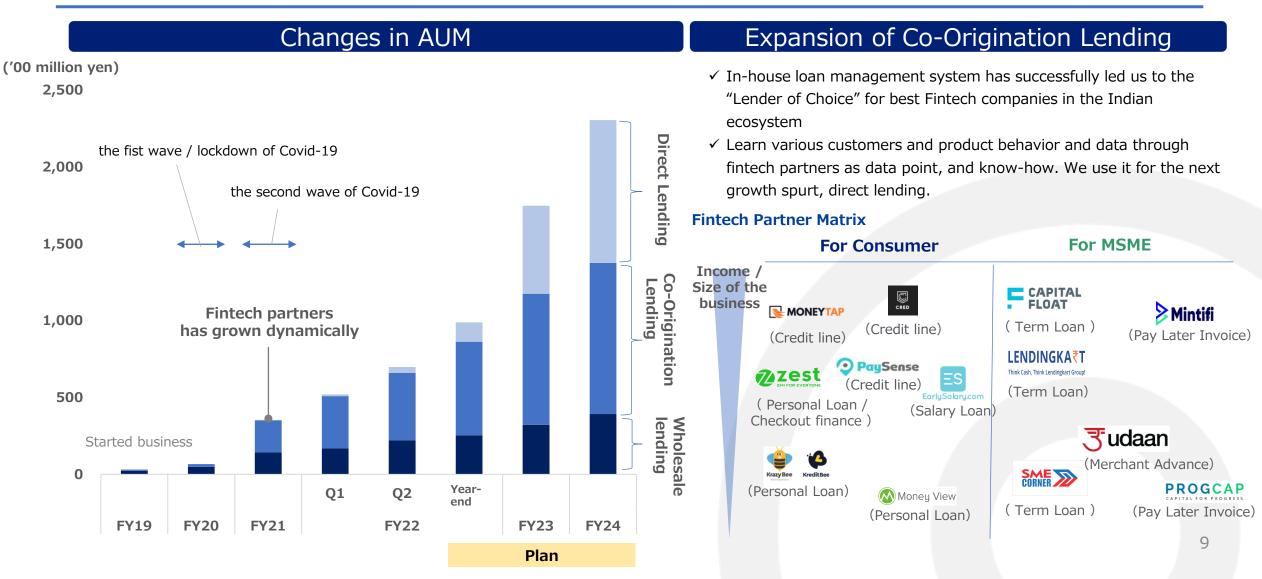
# **Business strategy of Saison India**



### 1. Grow the global lending business into a core business of the Group



## Saison India's business performance



## **1.** Grow the global lending business into a core business of the Group

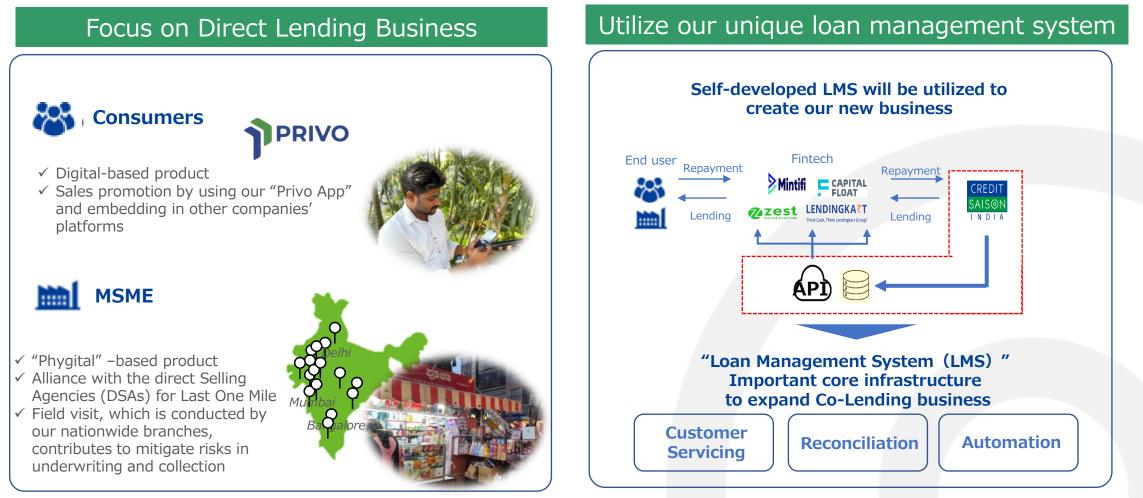
# <u>Key Success Factors in India</u>

Market potential	<ul> <li>World's second largest population and strong lending needs</li> </ul>				
	• Digital infrastructure called "India Stack"				
	<ul> <li>Extremely large fintech ecosystem that facilitates BtoBtoC model</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>Strong senior lending needs of fintech ecosystem, though few lenders</li> </ul>				
Core to Our Vision	<ul> <li>Consistency with our vision of "tech-led inclusion"</li> </ul>				
Risk-return profile	<ul> <li>Profitable from the first year and risk diversification partnering with various fintech</li> </ul>				
Launch pad for "What's next"	<ul> <li>The best position to built AUM, profit and knowledge, then we can utilize it for "next spurt"</li> </ul>				
Competitive advantages	Competitive funding costs and in-house loan management system				
Capability	Capabilities in terms of risks, tech, operation, etc.				

## **1. Grow the global lending business into a core business of the Group**



## Next business strategy in India



## 2. Create the next core business through the global investment business

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# **Growth of Saison Capital**



## Saison Capital Pte. Ltd.

2018

- Established
- Shareholders
- Located
- Representative
- Business

Credit Saison 100% Singapore Kosuke Mori (Director) Corporate venture capital

for overseas areas

Target

#### Coverage area

Southeast Asia and South Asia

All over the world through fund investment

#### > Domain

- Fintech
- Embedded Finance
- Consumer / Saas / Non-Fintech
- Web3

#### > Stage

Startups from Seed to Series A

#### ✓ Elected Top5 CVC in the world / CB INSIGHTS

State of Fintech | Global Trends | Investors

#### Global: Top CVCs YTD by median Mosaic score of companies in 2022

855	United States	710	970	730	840
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			960	810	860
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715	Hong Kong	470	765	680	900
715	Singapore	400	780	860	900
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## 2. Create the next core business through the global investment business



## **Successful strategies of Saison Capital**

#### Unique investment strategy

✓ Learn from successful deals globally and find potential leads in our main market SA and SEA



✓ Tap into unexplored/emerging areas through Fund investment



#### Accelerate investment in Web3

- ✓ Go into investment in new business trend(DeFi/CeFi/NFTFi) as sowing the seeds for the future
- Possible synergies with lending business moving forward



#### Experienced and talented team

- ✓ Hire talented and experienced personnel in each field, such as entrepreneurs, VC/CVC, crypto, etc.
- ✓ Launched Scout / Nanofund program







# **Successful strategy of Saison Capital**

#### Branding

 ✓ Launched the first reports for South and Southeast Asia on startup equity and human capital



## ✓ SNS Presence (Twitter・LinkedIn etc)



Saison Capital Backing ambitious founders solving big problems ベンチャーキャピタルおよびプライベートエクイティ資本 · Singapore Singapore · 6,034人のフォロワー



540 フォロー中 1,544 フォロワー



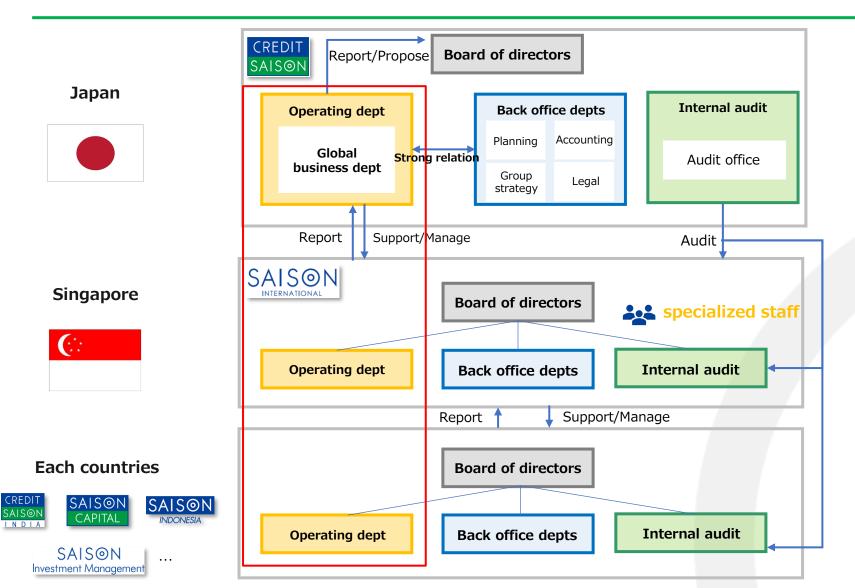


✓ Launched Insights Program with Stripe





## **Enhancement the corporate functions in Singapore**



- ✓ Strengthen corporate functions by hiring talents to support the businesses of each country at IHQ (Saison International), since it's launched in April 2022
- Built a foundation to be a robust International headquarter by reviewing authority and rules
- Besides, enhance the audit system in a cross-sectoral manner

 <sup>✓</sup> Keep hiring local talents for front-line and foster back support talents in Japan



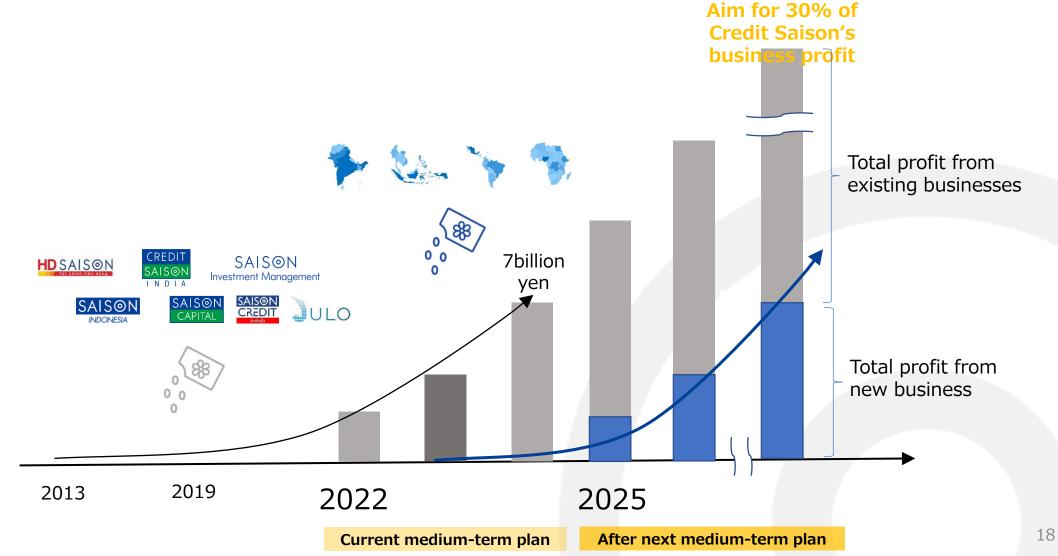
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# Business strategy for the next

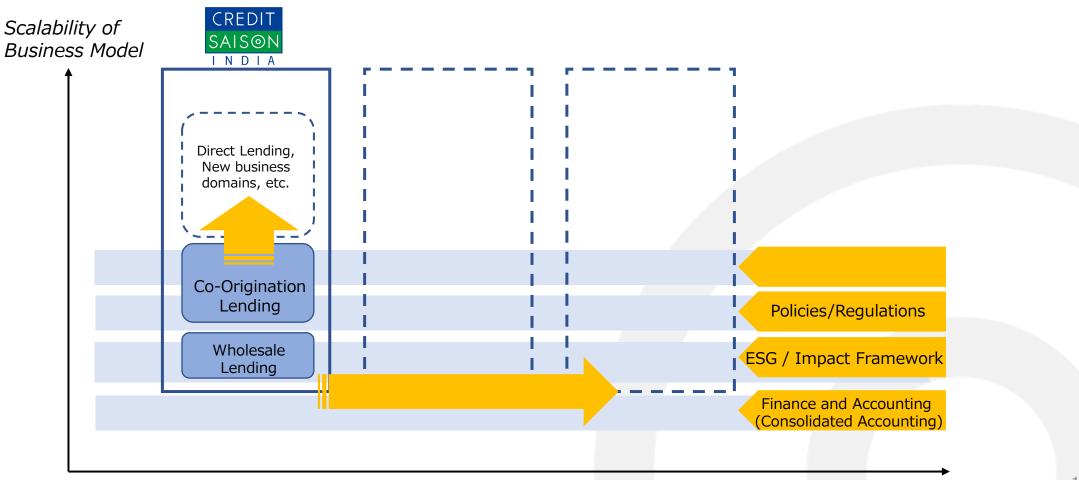
# Seeding for the next

✓ Setting the target "30% of the whole group profit" for the next phase of the global business
 ✓ Seeding for the next that lead to create the next pillar other than India



# **Expansion of Lending Business**

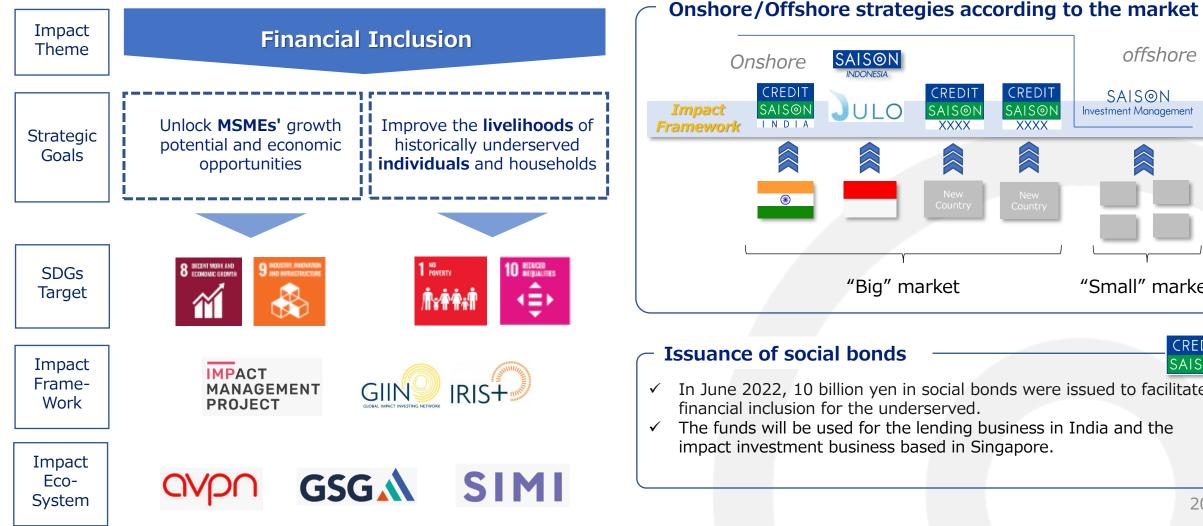
✓ Credit Saison India will step more into direct lending market, where the senior lending business is on track
 ✓ In parallel, aiming to horizontal / geographical expansion with the "India's playbook"



# **Contribution to sustainable development** -Facilitate impact investment



 $\checkmark$  Accelerate and penetrate impact investment to all global lending businesses with our original impact framework, under the theme of financial inclusion





#### **Issuance of social bonds**

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- In June 2022, 10 billion yen in social bonds were issued to facilitate financial inclusion for the underserved.
- The funds will be used for the lending business in India and the impact investment business based in Singapore.

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