The Present and Future of NEC BluStellar

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NEC BluStellar's Positioning within NEC

NEC BluStellar serves as a key driver in achieving NEC's mid-term management plan. We are promoting the organization-wide adoption of NEC BluStellar in preparation for the next mid-term management plan



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Evolution of the DX Business

Since 2019, NEC has continued to accelerating transformation along three axes: business model, technology, and organization/ human resources. NEC BluStellar was announced in 2024, and NEC BluStellar Scenario will be at the core of its future evolution

		2019- Launch	2021- Strengthening	2024- Evolution	
Business Model	Traditional businesses	Strategic consulting Initiate approaches to customers	Consistent value delivery from strategic consulting to service delivery and operation/ maintenance		NEC BluStellar Scenario
Technology	Provide asset knowledge suited to each client	Offerings Standardization/ unification	DX business Portfolio transformation	NEC BluStellar Value creation model that leads our customers into the future	AlSecurity
Organization/ Human Resources	DX projects executed by each division	Launch dedicated DX organization DX personnel development program	Transformation of the DX organization (Centralize company-wide functions into an organization of ~30.000 members)		10,000 consultants12,000 DX personnel

Business Model of NEC BluStellar

NEC BluStellar Scenario is an end-to-end approach that leverages cutting-edge technology to address client challenges safely and rapidly.



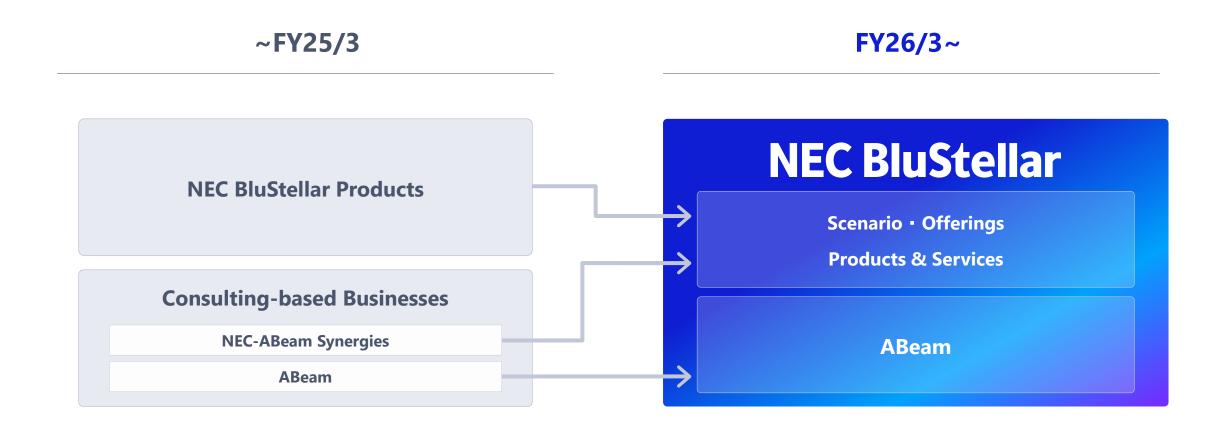
^{*}The act of putting cutting-edge technologies into practice, positioning NEC itself as the "zeroth client"





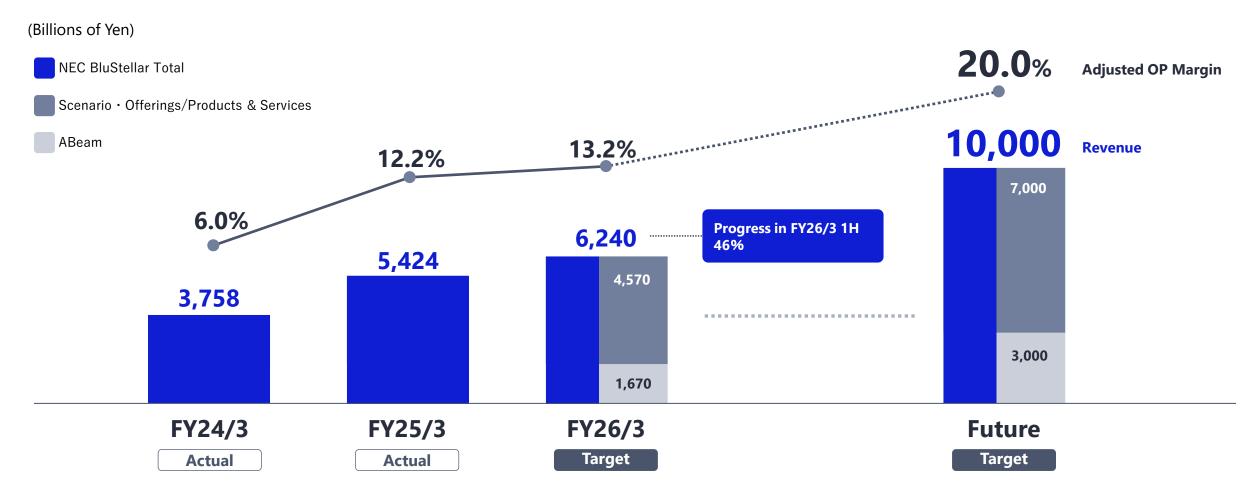
NEC BluStellar Updates towards the Next Mid-term Management Plan

NEC BluStellar offerings have been organized into NEC BluStellar Scenarios, Offerings, and Products & Services. Consulting-based Business has been updated with a focus on ABeam



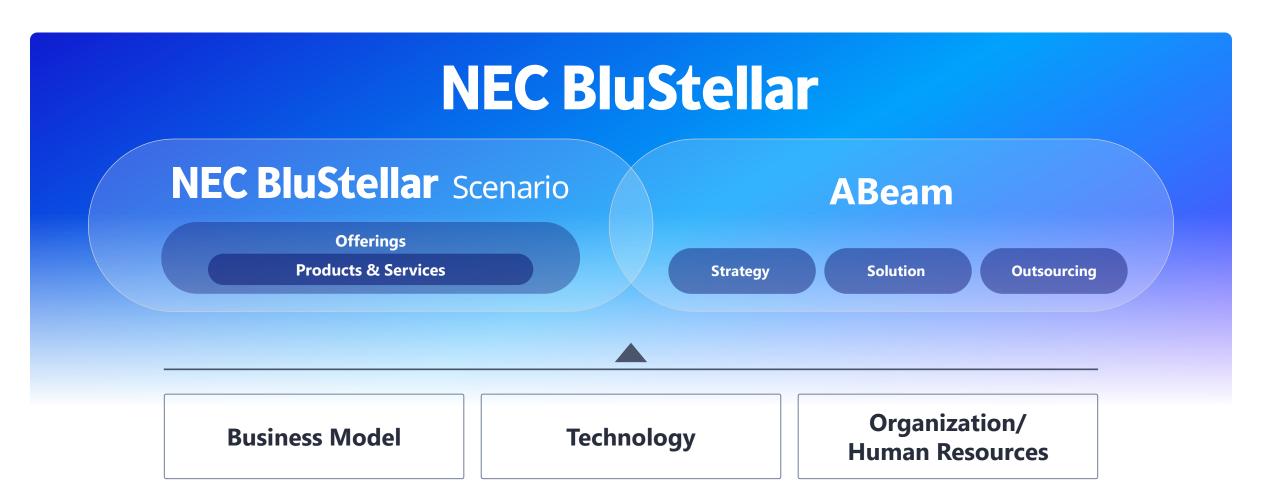
NEC BluStellar Business Summary

FY25/3 revenue was JPY542.4bn, achieving the FY26/3 mid-term plan target one year ahead of plan. Profit margins also increased significantly. NEC BluStellar is proceeding steadily towards its new FY26/3 target of JPY624.0bn and is ultimately aiming for JPY1tn with a 20% operating margin



Future Goals and Growth Drivers

Strengthening of NEC BluStellar Scenarios and ABean will serve as the growth drivers for achieving JPY1tn in revenue and a 20% operating margin



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- · occurrence of serious misconduct such as bribery, fraudulent accounting, and violations of personal data protection laws and regulations;
- impact of climate change, natural disasters, and environmental issues;
- adverse changes in foreign currency exchange rates or interest rates, and other economic conditions;
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