# Progress of HD Map Development and Future expansion



# Our mission

# Modeling the Earth

Our company supports innovation in a variety of industries by providing a high-precision HD data platform that replicates the real world in

digital space

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# **Company Overview**







### **Group Organization**

Acquired US HD map<sup>(2)</sup> supplier, Ushr, in 2019



### Unique Shareholder Base



#### Notes:

1. Number of employees on a consolidated basis

2. HD map: high definition map, OEM: original equipment manufacturer

# History



<b>u</b> n. 2016	Established as Dynamic Map Platform Planning Co.			
<b>2017</b>	GM's "Super Cruise™" First to Use Ushr Inc.'s HD Maps			
<b>u</b> n. 2017	Company name changed to Dynamic Map Platform Co.			
Mar. 2019	Completed data conversion of 29,205 km of up and down Japanese expressways and freeways			
Apr. 2019	Completed the acquisition of Ushr Inc.			
Sep. 2019	Nissan Motor Co., Ltd. adopts our high-precision 3D map data (HD Map) for the first time in "ProPILOT 2.0".			
Mar. 2021	Our HD maps are used in Honda SENSING Elite, the world's first Level 3 automated driving system from Honda Motor C			
Mar. 2021	Our HD maps are used in "Toyota Teammate Advanced Drive" by Toyota Motor Corporation			
Jul. 2022	Selected for NEDO Green Innovation Fund Project "Building a Smart Mobility Society"			
Aug. 2022	Contracted by the Digital Agency to conduct "Research and Study on Digital Twin Construction"			



Gathering the wisdom of All-Japan to expand globally

### Unparalleled accuracy of "cm-class" data



HD maps created by combining the most advanced and sophisticated technologies to achieve cm-level absolute accuracy.

Specifications to meet automakers' requirements



HD Map, which consolidates the requirements of 10 companies, is highly evaluated by many customers.

### Global Business Expansion



Together with our group company Ushr Inc. Expansion to more countries in the future



# **Provided data**



Generated by extracting specific geographic features from point cloud data acquired by MMS (Mobile Mapping System) and vectorizing them.

### **HD Map Production Process**



### **1** Satellite positioning

Location correction technology using Multi-GNSS

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### 2 Measurement

Point cloud data generation by mobile mapping system





### ③ Mapping

Feature extraction from point cloud data

### (4) Integration

Data integration





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# **Our Services**



## High-precision 3D map data (HD map)

For automatic driving and advanced driver assistance systems for cars.



While meeting the requirements of 10 Japanese automobile manufacturers Realization of absolute accuracy of cm class

# High-precision 3D point cloud data

Various applications such as social infrastructure development



Using the most advanced and sophisticated "measurement technology" in Japan Measurement with mobile mapping system



# **Role of HD Maps in Autonomous Driving and ADAS**

The HD map is closely related to the recognition part of automated driving technology, and optimizes vehicle control by matching information that cannot be detected by sensors with the results of sensor detection to increase the accuracy of the information.



# **Assumed Use Cases for HD Maps**



# **Our HD map mounted results**



The system has been installed in mass-produced vehicles of Toyota Motor Corporation, Nissan Motor Co. and Honda Motor Co. in Japan, and GM and EV startup in the U.S. In the future, we will promote further OEM and installation of the system in new models.

Nissan	Honda	ΤΟΥΟΤΑ	US EV Startup
Skyline 2019/2020 modelsAriya 2021 model	Legend Hybrid EX 2021 model	Lexus LS & MIRAI 2021 model	

### GM



Cadillac CT6-2017 model



Cadillac CT4-2021 model Cadillac CT5-2021 model



Cadillac XT6-2021 model



Cadillac Escalade 2021 model



GMC Hummer EV Pickup 2022 model



# Future data development policy



In addition to continuing the maintenance of the already maintained HD map (Gen1), the next generation HD map (Gen2), which extends coverage to general roads, will be introduced to enable the use of advanced ADAS systems in daily life.

Aiming to realize a safe, secure, and comfortable motorized society on more roads, in more countries, and with more vehicles.



# **Gen1/Gen2 Comparison (Overview)**



In Gen2, the contents maintained in Gen1 are added to those required for general roads, and a global common format is adopted, contributing to the global common development of automobile manufacturers.

		Gen1		Gen2
Target Area	Japan		Global	
Coverage	Highway		Highway/Surface road	
Format	Japanese original		Global Com	imon
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	信号機(矢印灯)		信号機(矢印灯)	
			停止線	
			横断歩道	

# Gen1/Gen2 comparison (process)

Gen2 improves accuracy through "GCP correction" and "cost reduction through automation" to achieve a process that enables a wide range of HD map installations from luxury to mass-market vehicles.





# **Overview of Gen.2 data specifications**

Gen2 adopts road segmentation, which divides data by road structure, whereas Gen1 managed data by mesh data management units are minimized to improve flexibility when updating and converting data.



# Data Expansion Plan (Japan)

Executing general road maintenance in time for vehicle development in preparation for model change in FY2024 and beyond.





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# Data Expansion Plan (North America)



## Expansion of maintenance roads to 400,000 miles for GM's Super Cruse



Lane Geometry、Road Edges、Cross Slope & Along Slope、Pavement Markings、Implied Lane Line、Smoothed Lane Centerlines Lane Class (Toll, HOV, etc.)、Intersections, Crossings、Regulatory Traffic Devices、Signs

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# **Versatile Business**

Expanding the use of high-precision 3D positional information in various industrial fields, as it is expected to be used in a variety of markets other than the automotive industry, and the market is expected to grow rapidly.



# Business development through various partnering options



# **Green Innovation Project**

Linkage of HD maps and dynamic information contributes to highly accurate simulation models for CO2 reduction of logistics vehicles



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# **Snow removal support**

High-precision map information visualizes road conditions under snow-covered roads and contributes to solving the problem of aging and shortage of snow removal workers.

Snow removal activities to maintain lifelines in heavy snowfall areas, which account for approximately 50% of Japan's land area, rely on the experience and knowledge of workers to locate road structures (manhole covers, grating, bridge joints, shoulder edges, gutters, etc.) that are invisible due to snow.

To solve problems such as aging workers, road structures can be "visualized" using high-precision maps, contributing to safe snow removal activities that do not rely on knowledge and experience.



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# Developing a spatial ID architecture that integrates various types of information for the infrastructure of a "metaverse" synchronized with reality

Participating in a survey on 3D spatial information required for the construction of the digital twin promoted by the Digital Agency, as well as in the study of specifications and development of maintenance methods for the infrastructure system for the demonstration, and in the study of concrete use cases through the demonstration.

### **Spatial ID**



Set a unique reference point (spatial ID) to spatial voxels in which 3D space is divided according to specifications that can be read by humans and autonomous mobility, and attach static and dynamic information to the voxels.

### Examples of use case demonstrations using spatial ID



# **Future Business Expansion**



In addition to the AD/ADAS market, which is expected to grow further, we will also target the mobility, supply chain/entertainment, and infrastructure management markets.







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