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## **SCSK Launches Global Digital Supply Chain (DSC) Business to Strengthen the Global Competitiveness of Japanese Manufacturers**

*Connecting Fragmented Global Operations and Data to Enable AI-Driven Autonomous Value Chain Optimization*

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SCSK Corporation (Head Office: Koto-ku, Tokyo; Representative Director, President: Takaaki Touma; hereinafter SCSK) announced the launch of its Global Digital Supply Chain (DSC) Business in July 2026, targeting major Japanese manufacturers operating on a global scale. The new business enables organizations to achieve both global governance and compliance with local requirements by integrating business processes and data across regions, creating a foundation for advanced data utilization and AI-driven innovation. Through this approach, SCSK helps customers realize autonomous optimization of their value chains and build more resilient supply chains.

SCSK will also further strengthen collaboration with Sumitomo Corporation, leveraging its extensive global network and expertise to enhance customer value worldwide.

### **1. Background**

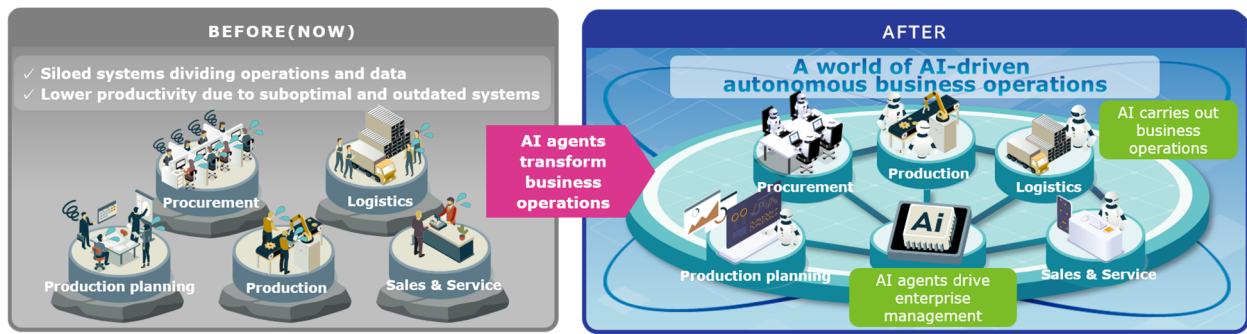
As Japanese manufacturers continue to expand globally, they face increasing pressure not only to strengthen competitiveness but also to address complex challenges such as climate change, economic security, and labor shortages.

While demand is growing for AI- and data-driven advancements in supply chain and engineering operations, many companies continue to struggle with non-standardized processes, fragmented data, and siloed systems across global locations. In particular, balancing global governance with local business requirements has become a critical challenge. SCSK has extensive experience supporting the governance and operational management of the Sumitomo Corporation Group, which operates in more than 200 locations worldwide, through IT and digital technologies. The company has also accumulated expertise through the global deployment and operation of SAP systems for more than 15 manufacturing companies. Furthermore, SCSK has established an integrated operating model with its overseas subsidiaries, enabling both strong governance and close local support.

By leveraging these strengths, SCSK is launching this new business to help manufacturers overcome complex challenges, transform Japanese manufacturing, and create true value together with customers that strengthens their global competitiveness.

### **2. Business Overview**

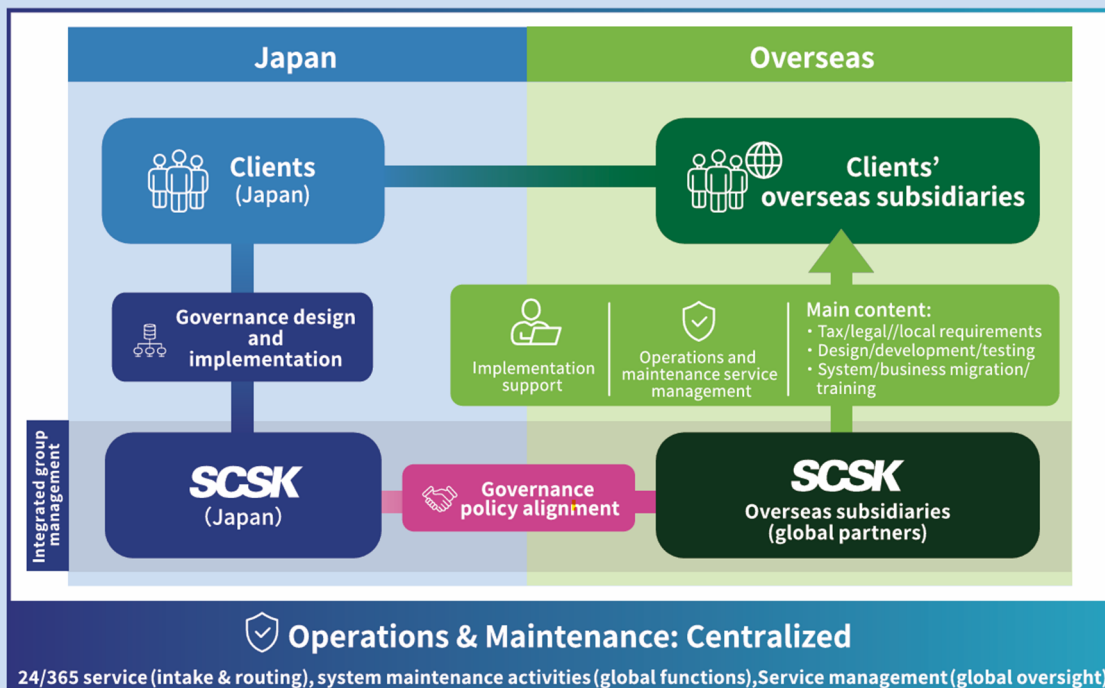
The Global DSC Business integrates globally fragmented business operations and data, centered on enterprise core systems. By combining data and AI technologies, it enables autonomous optimization across the entire value chain.



### 3. Key Features

## Achieving both global governance and local requirements

- POINT 1** Design, build, operate, and maintain optimal global governance.
- POINT 2** Local teams aligned with policies provide end-to-end support from implementation to operations and maintenance.



#### • Establishing and Sustaining Optimal Governance

Through integrated operations between SCSK Japan and its overseas subsidiaries, governance policies are consistently implemented across regions. Local teams, fully aligned with corporate objectives, support customers from implementation through ongoing operations, preventing local optimization at individual overseas locations that can hinder enterprise-wide performance. This provides a foundation for rapid, data-driven management decisions and AI utilization.

#### • Comprehensive Support for Overseas Subsidiaries Through Partner Collaboration

Leveraging extensive expertise in local tax regulations, legal requirements, and business practices, together with strong partner management capabilities developed within the

Sumitomo Corporation Group, SCSK provides hands-on support tailored to each region's culture and operating environment.

As a result, customers can address region-specific IT challenges and workforce shortages while ensuring that systems reflect headquarters' strategic direction and local business requirements.

#### •**End-to-End Support from Global Deployment to Operations and Maintenance**

SCSK provides comprehensive support covering the entire lifecycle, from international system rollout through ongoing operations and maintenance.

This one-stop service reduces the complexity of managing multiple vendors and minimizes transition risks, enabling stable operation and continuous business improvement.

#### •**24/7 Global Operations and Maintenance Across Time Zones and Languages**

SCSK delivers globally integrated operations and maintenance services with 24/7/365 support across 39 countries.

Through AI-driven operational support, customers can overcome language barriers and reduce the burden of responding to issues during nights, weekends, and holidays, ensuring stable and efficient operations worldwide.

#### •**Global Templates and Broad System Coverage Built on Manufacturing Expertise**

SCSK offers globally standardized templates incorporating extensive manufacturing industry best practices, enabling rapid implementation.

In addition to ERP systems, SCSK supports a wide range of surrounding systems, including PLM (Product Lifecycle Management) and MES (Manufacturing Execution Systems), helping customers eliminate data silos.

By connecting data across the entire value chain, organizations can make more confident data-driven decisions and leverage AI to optimize value chain operations autonomously.

Learn more about SCSK Global Digital Supply Chain:

[https://www.scsk.jp/sp/global-dsc/index\\_en.html](https://www.scsk.jp/sp/global-dsc/index_en.html)

## **4. Future Outlook**

The Global DSC Business will initially focus on the Supply Chain Management (SCM) domain and will subsequently expand into Engineering Chain Management (ECM) and Production Chain Management (PCM).

By further strengthening synergies with Sumitomo Corporation, SCSK aims to achieve ¥15 billion in annual revenue from this business by 2030.

### **Comment from Sumitomo Corporation**

Sumitomo Corporation has established our Digital and AI strategy, DAIS, with a vision to lead transformations in society and industry through digital technologies and AI.

SCSK is a key partner in realizing this vision. Since becoming a wholly owned subsidiary in March 2026, collaboration between our two companies has continued to deepen.

This initiative represents one concrete example of our strengthened partnership. Leveraging our global network of partners and our expertise in building alliances with local partners around the world, Sumitomo Corporation will strongly support SCSK's global expansion.

Through continued collaboration, we will create new business opportunities and deliver greater value to customers.

Teruyuki Miyazaki

General Manager, Digital Strategic Business Unit, Digital AI Group, Sumitomo Corporation

### **Comment from SCSK Corporation**

At SCSK's Manufacturing Business Group, we are firmly committed to a mission that guides our vision toward 2030:

"Transform Japanese manufacturing and create true value together and strengthens global competitiveness."

With sincerity, determination, and a long-term perspective, we are steadily advancing toward the realization of this mission.

To enhance competitiveness on a global scale, Japanese manufacturers must integrate business operations and data dispersed around the world.

By leveraging AI and data to optimize the entire value chain autonomously, organizations can achieve more advanced decision-making capabilities. This will become a driving force for Japanese manufacturers as they shape the next era of industry.

Together with Sumitomo Corporation's extensive expertise and global network, we will closely support our customers in elevating their decision-making capabilities.

As a trusted Global IT Partner, we remain committed to creating tangible value alongside our customers.

Shoji Shiuchi

Managing Executive Officer, General Manager, Manufacturing Business Group, SCSK Corporation

### **About SCSK Corporation**

SCSK provides a full lineup of services to support any area of IT solution required for businesses from consulting to system integration, verification services, IT infrastructure implementation, IT management, IT hardware and software sales, and BPO(business process outsourcing).

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### **The SCSK Group's Materiality**

To achieve the SCSK Group's corporate philosophy of Create Our Future of Dreams, we are promoting sustainability management that seeks continuous growth together with society. We specified the issues that it views as particularly important and that it should prioritize taking action on achieving growth together with society as seven material issues. This initiative contributes to "Building Trust for a Safe and Secure Society".

- Realizing autonomous value chain optimization and resilient supply chains through global business processes and data integration.

- Enhancing customers' decision-making capabilities through autonomous value chain optimization and contributing to the global competitiveness of Japan's manufacturing industry.

- SCSK Group Identified Seven Material Issues to Implement Our Corporate Philosophy  
[https://www.scsk.jp/corp\\_en/csr/materiality/index.html](https://www.scsk.jp/corp_en/csr/materiality/index.html)

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