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Japan System Techniques Co., Ltd. (JAST) announced today that The Nanto Bank, Ltd. (President: Takashi Hashimoto) has started to use the JAST customer asset custody management system for customer assets held by the bank. The details are as per attached.

This matter will have only a negligible effect on JAST's consolidated results of operations in the fiscal year ending March 2024. An announcement will be made promptly if there is any additional information that should be disclosed.

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### Reason for using this system

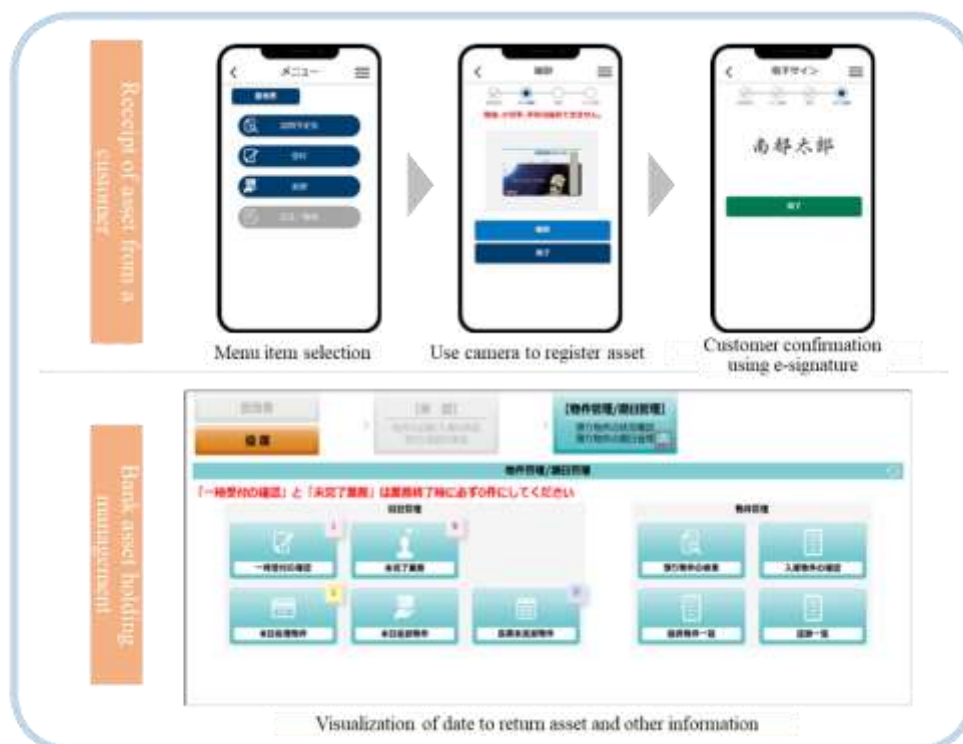
Nanto Bank is using business smartphones to make improvements to many business processes. The use of this customer asset holding management system eliminates the need for paper documents when receiving assets from customers and significantly alters tasks involving holding these assets at the bank. Nanto Bank expects this switch to digital technology to greatly improve the efficiency and reliability of its services.

### Overview of the Customer Asset Custody Management System

A smartphone is used to take pictures of applications from customers for the bank to hold an asset and other documents and signatures are electronic. This new process greatly reduces waiting time for customers and the number of procedures required. In addition, location data is recorded when an asset is received from a customer and the system facilitates visualization of the return date. The result is a highly safe and efficient framework for holding assets entrusted by customers to the bank.

Nanto Bank plans to use the JAST customer asset management system under the name Receipt Form App.

JAST will continue to use input from customers for the development of products and for the provision of services that improve the efficiency of business processes.



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