MC leverages its global network, which it has developed over many years, to obtain an in-depth knowledge on a multifaceted range of macroeconomic, industrial and geopolitical trends not limited to generally available information. MC also builds upon this intelligence and expertise on a daily basis through its deep involvement in frontline businesses spanning virtually every industry worldwide. At the same time, it is crucial that the information accumulated at each location be shared laterally beyond each respective Business Group and region, and for it to be utilized to develop intellectual capital throughout the Group. MC’s offices and subsidiaries, both in Japan and overseas, play an important role in this lateral development of the MC Group.