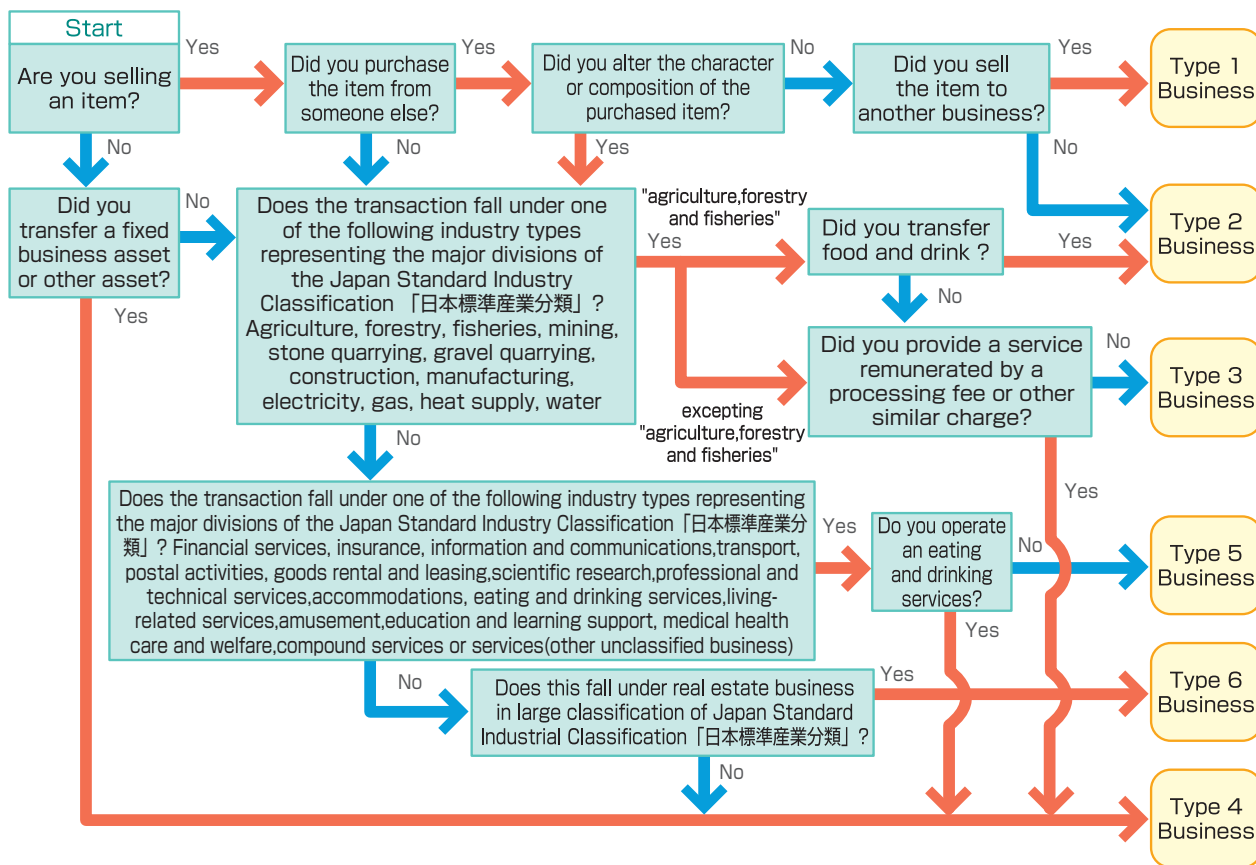


Flowchart for determining business types

- The following flowchart serves as a guide when determining business types. See P18 as to the business types.
- As a rule, business types are determined per transaction (per transfer of taxable asset, etc.) and each transaction is judged for its classification into the Business Types 1 through 6.



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* Each Sole proprietor classification is determined based on transactions effectuated within the bounds of normal social standards.

However, in the event certain transactions are effectuated where transfers of assets are confused for services provided and vice versa and the amounts charged are treated individually for each transaction, each business type should be determined based on each of those Sole proprietor amounts.

* For the question, "Did you alter the character or composition of the purchased item?" ,the following example are judged as actions that do not constitute an alteration in the character or composition of the item.

- Attaching or displaying the brand or name of the item
- Containing a liquid or other product within a sales receptacle
- Selling the items as they are in assorted multi-packs
- Glass or other product that is sold in cut pieces

* As per the flowchart, if a transaction neither involves the transfer of an item purchased from someone else nor constitutes a manufacturing and retailing activity, use the manufacturing industries category of the Japan Standard Industry Classification (major divisions) as a base for determining whether or not the transaction relates to transfers of assets generally occurring in one of these manufacturing industries.

* Even if a transaction is deemed as falling under the manufacturing industries category of the Japan Standard Industry Classification irrespective of the designation of the charge, any service provided involving the processing of raw materials, other material or a product belonging to someone else that was remunerated by a fee charged for that processing is deemed a Type 4 business.