# We digitize asset and wealth management

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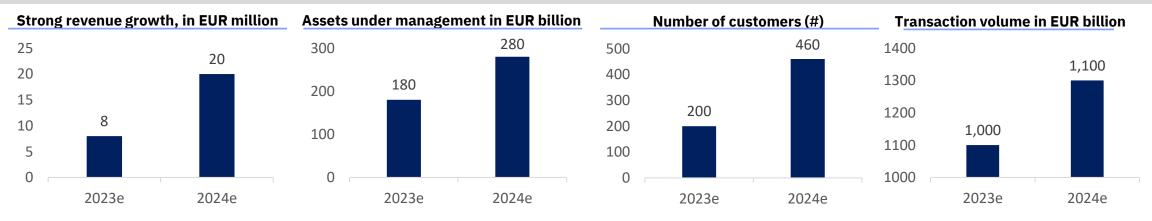
#### niiio – digitalizing the asset and wealth management industry



## Building the leading pan-European private cloud-based SaaS platform with a comprehensive value chain supported by an attractive client base and defined M&A strategy



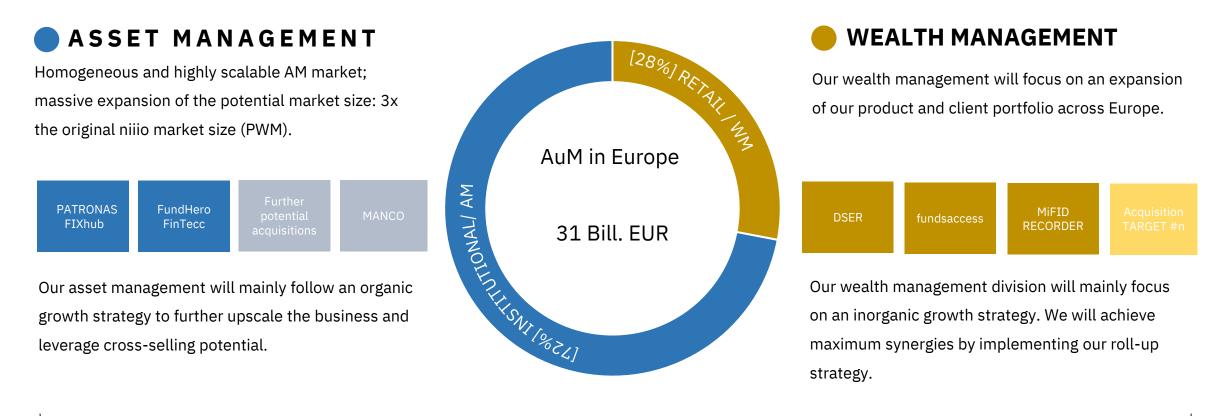
#### Financial stability and European expansion with strong investor



#### Two-pillar strategy: Comprehensive product range for asset and wealth managers



niiio's diversified AM and PWM strategy - organic growth in the AM market and inorganic growth in the PWM market



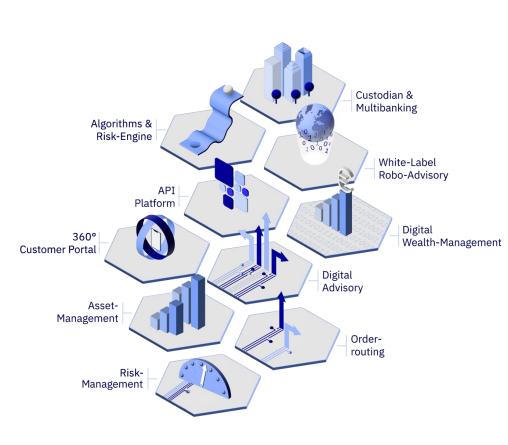
#### Creation of the first pan-European platform for asset and wealth management

#### End-to-end solutions for digital private banking and wealth management



Solutions for digital asset and wealth management: modular and end-to-end

- niiio is a licensed outsourcer in accordance with the German Banking Act (KWG) and offers MiFID-compliant processes and regulatory security in compliance with the Legal Regulatory Card Standards
- Certified operation in public or private cloud in Germany
- Cost-efficient and fast time-tomarket, as all solutions are already developed and in operation
- Connection to various custodian banks, core banking systems and brokers in Germany and abroad
- Connected to providers of share
   price and market data



For ALL customer and banking segments

- Private banks
- Independent asset managers and advisors
- aaviooro
- Cooperative banks
- Savings banks
- insurance intermediaries, pools
- Investment companies
- Capital management companies
- Institutional asset managers
- Brokers
- International blue-chip banks
- Insurance companies

#### **Experienced team with a clear strategic vision**

Combination of first-class technical know-how and leadership qualities at C-level





#### **Our investor Pollen Street Capital - expert in consolidation**



Accelerating change in European financial & business services

## HIGHLY EXPERIENCED SECTOR SPECIALISTS

- Independent asset manager with private equity and credit strategies dedicated to financial services sector
- **5 Founding Partners** with **16 years' experience** working together across **multiple market cycles**
- Focus on financial and business services since 2008
- £2bn deployed in 27 platform investments

Clear investment criteria in specific target segments

- Targeting tech & tech-enabled companies in the financial & business services sector in Europe, with potential to become leaders in their chosen markets
- Buyout investments in high growth businesses, supporting entrepreneurial teams
- Equity investment size £50m £250m, typical EV £50m £500m
- Values based approach

## Focus on innovation and growth

- Attracted to **accelerating structural change** in financial and business services sector
- Systematic framework to deliver growth through digital adoption, innovation and target market expansion
- Hub centres of excellence, networking and talent to accelerate growth

Our vision: Create the dominant and scalable pan-European WealthTech platform by bundling technological innovation to empower digital wealth management leaders











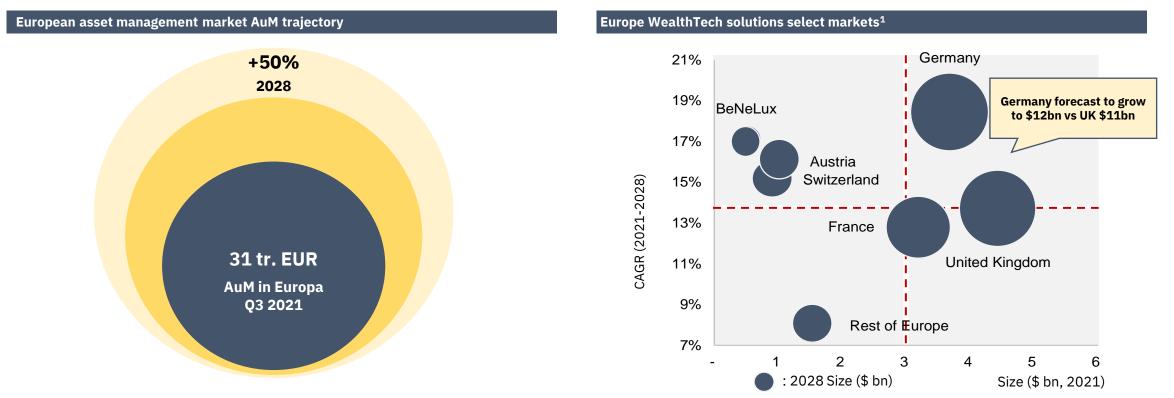
### ● **MIFID**RECORDER

TOP 5 SaaS Provider in the asset and wealth management in Europe

## Highly attractive opportunity in fast growing but fragmented asset and wealth management market in Europe (1/2)



Growth in underlying and target markets expected on the back of digitalization efforts and shifting investment needs



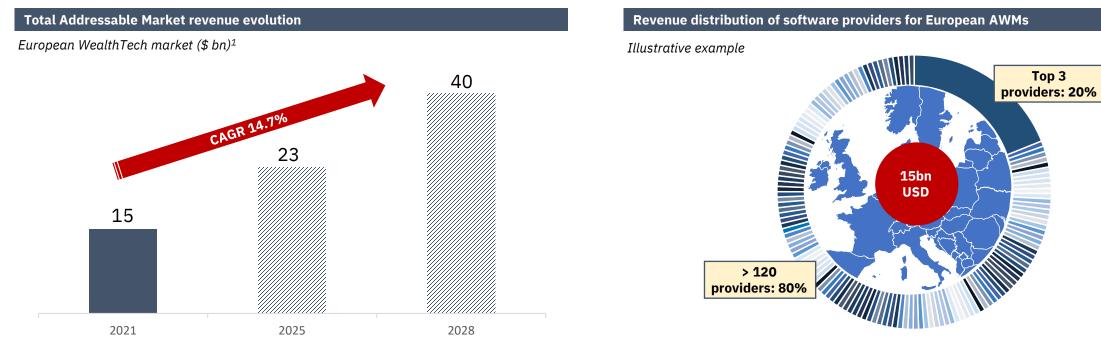
European asset management AuM expected to grow at min. 5% (current CAGR range 5-9%) per year until 2028

Transition to digitized solutions fuelled by end user demand which has been accelerated by the global pandemic

## Highly attractive opportunity in fast growing but fragmented asset and wealth management market in Europe (2/2)



Significant organic and inorganic growth potential sustained by a doubling TAM and accelerated consolidation of a highly fragmented market



Continued growth in asset and wealth management in Europe driving need for innovation

Over 120 small niche providers with revenues of less than €10m, often unprofitable and not competitive

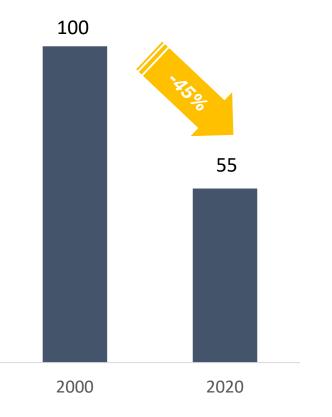
#### **Increasing demand for efficiency and new products**



Changing industry landscape with asset and wealth managers facing declining margins and clients demanding less complex, faster, and more affordable services

## Declining profitability of European wealth managers

Average profit margin index (2000 = 100)

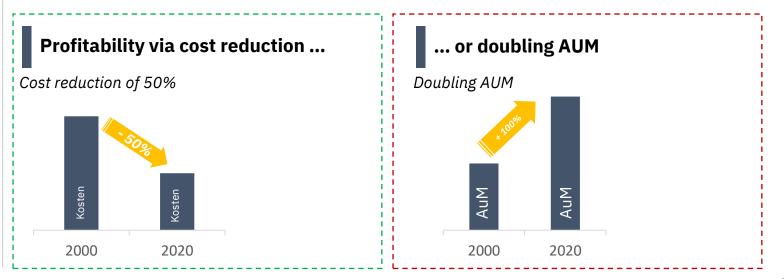


#### Market fragmentation driving inefficiencies

- Declining profitability of market participants driven by declining fees and higher administrative costs
- Increasing regulatory requirements adding another layer of complexity

#### Legacy technologies are failing to satisfy current trends and state-of-the-art services

- Switch to private cloud proving difficult for both established software companies and clients
- Cost pressure and competitive threat (e.g. FinTechs) also contributing to structural under-investment in technology

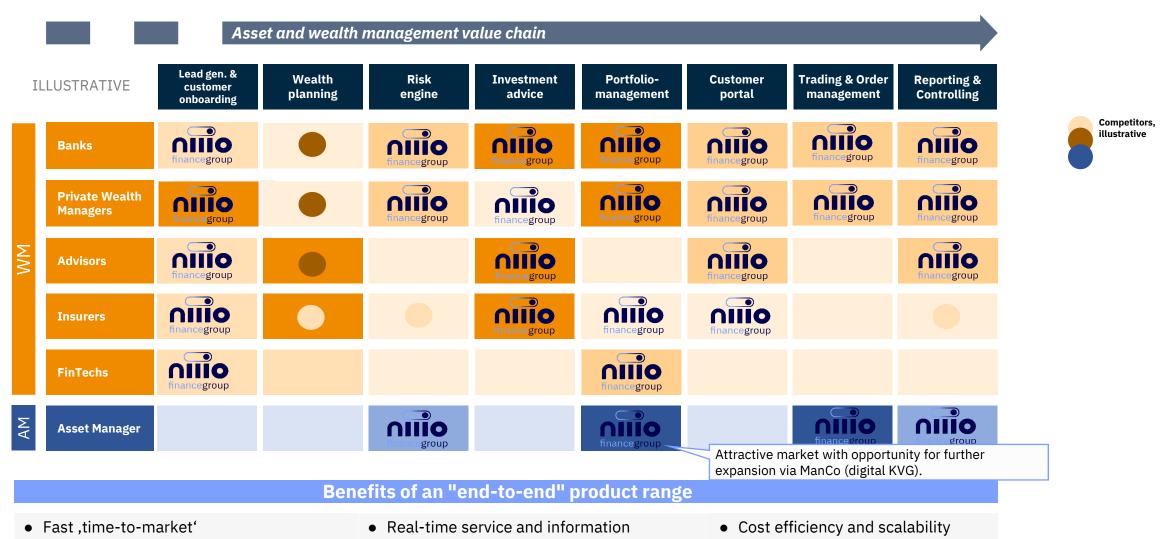


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#### Superior SaaS platform with complete product range



Comprehensive offering covering the full asset and wealth management value chain and UX to digitize customers and end-to-end process architecture

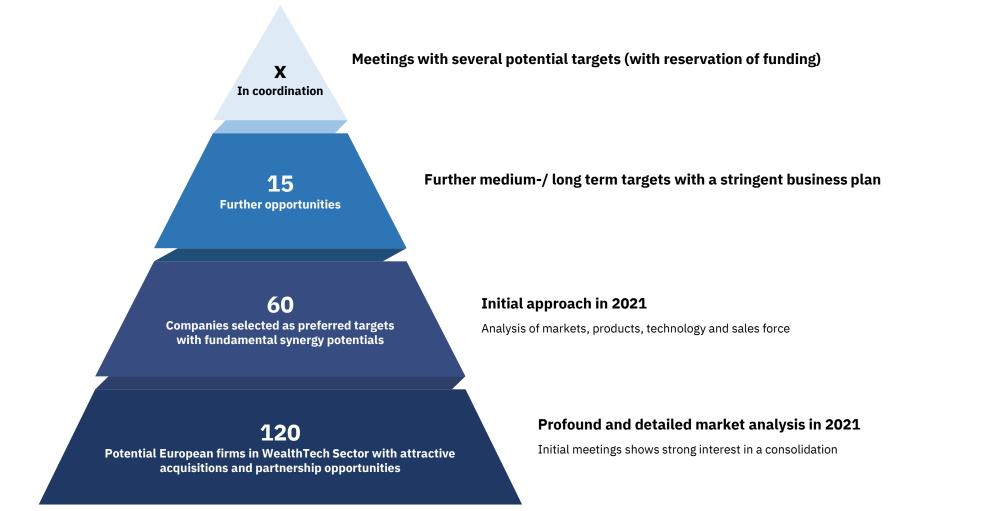


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Source: Internal company informations

## Clearly defined M&A pipeline as the result of a systematic and continuous analysis of the European competitive landscape

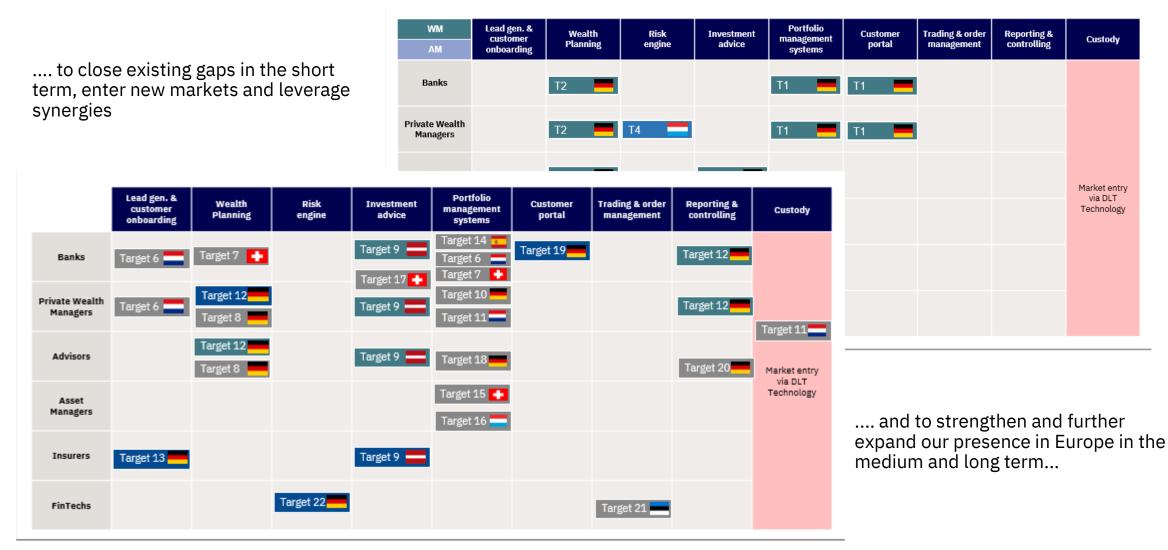




#### We are actively driving market consolidation

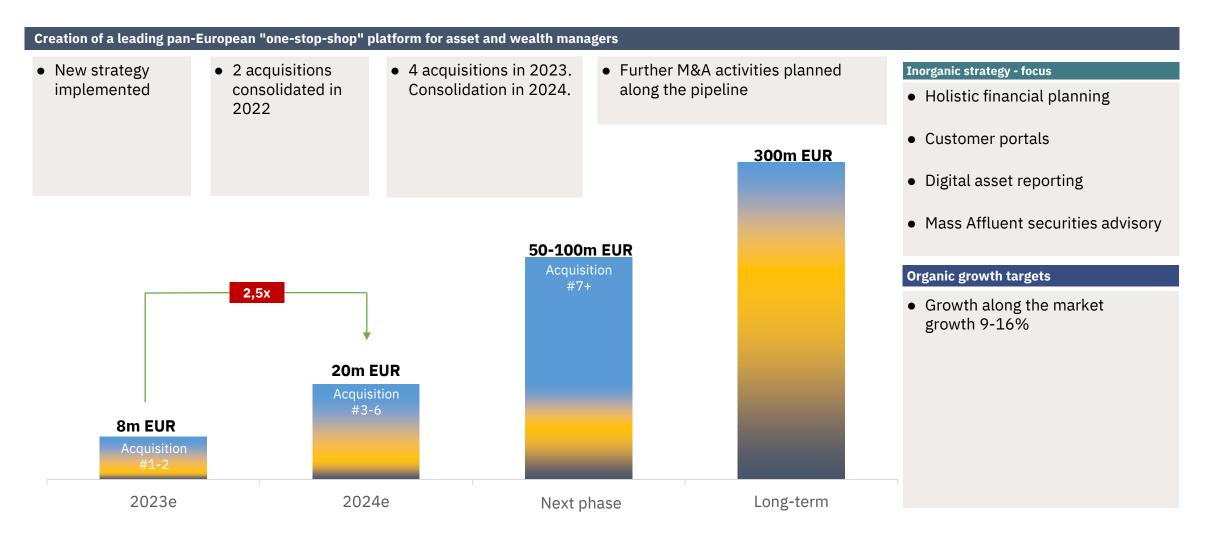


... with a clearly defined roadmap of potential highly synergetic targets



#### We drive market consolidation with a proven M&A and integration track record





#### Milestones achieved in 2022 and 2023



## MILESTONES ACHIEVED



### 2 successful acquisitions

PATRONAS successfully integrated
 FIXhub merged with niiio GmbH and successfully integrated

### **Expansion of sales**

20%+ customer growth, financial impact from 2023 et seq.
Pipeline value more than 7.5 m EUR

## **M&A** strategy

- ✓ gained Rothschild, an international investment bank, as a partner
- Pollen Street, a PE firm with roll-up experience, acquired as an investor
- ✓ Deal structure set up for 5 M+A activity p.a.
- Discussions with potential targets ongoing

## **Costs under control**

Cost reductions implemented as planned
 Overall profitability improved



### **Revenue on target**

- ✓ Strongly growing AM business
- ✓ Utilization of synergy effects
- $\checkmark$  Customer growth as a driver for future new business



## **Positive EBITDA above expectations**

- Improvement in EBITDA compared to expectations due to stronger customer growth and
- ✓ Positive EBITDA margin



## 4 acquisitions completed in 2023

- ✓ fundsaccess AG, (2022) EUR 7,2 million revenue and (2022) 27 employees
- ✓ FundHero and FinTecc IT Solutions, (2022) EUR 1,4 million revenue and (2022) 10 employees
- $\checkmark$  MiFIDRECORDER, (2022) EUR 0,8 million revenue and (2022) 5 employees

#### Size matters: niiio's "roll up" strategy

Bundling various niche players creates a highly profitable business



#### High scalability

Operating in your own private cloud allows enormous scalability. New customers can be connected in just a few minutes.



niiio's platform enables unlimited scalability at stagnating costs.

## Cost reduction due to economies of size & scale

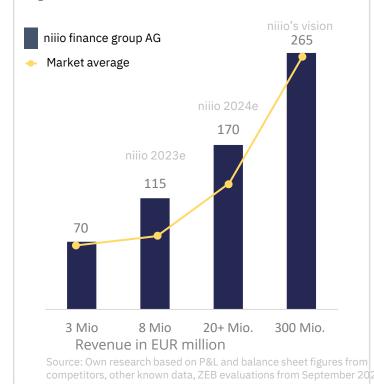
Higher sales figures result in lower average costs for the company.



Furthermore, niiio is utilizing cost synergies from the upcoming market consolidation to further increase profit margins.

## Increasing **revenues** per **FTE** due to scalability

Due to the high scalability of our business, a higher market share will consequently lead to higher sales / FTE.







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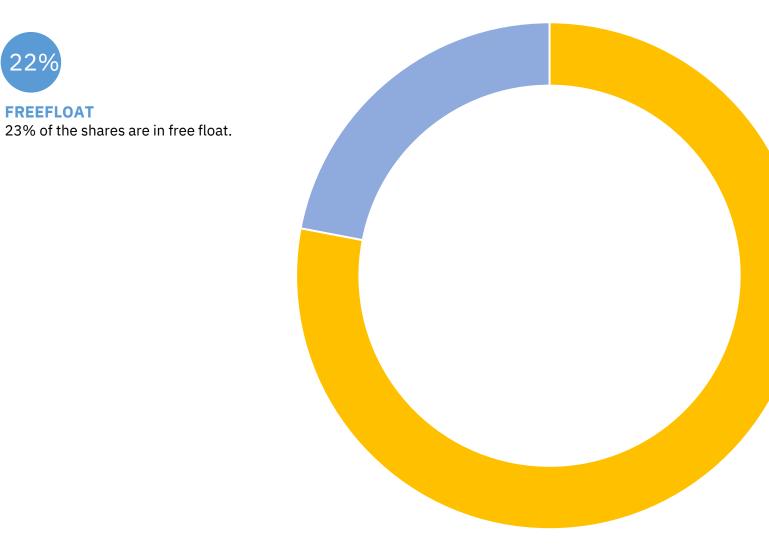
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#### Shareholder structure

22%

**FREEFLOAT** 







**POLLEN STREET CAPITAL** 77% of the shares are held by PE company Pollen Street Capital London.

#### niiio's operating structure



