



# 4Q & FY 2025 Earnings Conference Call

February 6, 2026



# Update on our strategy & business

❖ Chris Concannon, CEO

# What we delivered in 2025<sup>1</sup>

## FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

- **Record** revenue of **\$846 million**; **10%** growth in revenue outside U.S. credit
- **Record** total ADV, **record** commission revenue and **record** services revenue<sup>2</sup>
- **\$6.64** earnings per share; **\$7.39** per share, or **2%** increase, excluding notable items<sup>3</sup>
- **Record \$347 million** in free cash flow<sup>4</sup> generation

## OPERATIONAL UPDATE

- **10%** increase in total credit ADV, **16%** growth in credit ADV outside U.S. credit; **15%** growth in total rates ADV
- Strong progress with our new initiatives across our **three strategic channels**:
  - **Client-Initiated Channel**: **24%** growth in block trading ADV to a **record \$5 billion**, including **18%** growth in U.S. credit (**record**), **27%** growth in emerging markets<sup>5</sup> (**record**) and **66%** growth in eurobonds<sup>6</sup>
  - **Portfolio Trading Channel**: **48%** increase in total portfolio trading ADV to **record \$1.4 billion** with **record** U.S. credit portfolio trading ADV of **\$1.1 billion**, representing an increase of **43%**; **Record** U.S. credit portfolio trading market share of **19%**<sup>7</sup> represented an increase of **270 basis points**
  - **Dealer-Initiated Channel**: **33%** increase in dealer-initiated ADV to **\$1.7 billion**, including **29%** increase in dealer RFQ ADV and a **102%** increase in Mid-X ADV with the launch of the Mid-X protocol in the U.S. in September 2025

## DISCIPLINED EXPENSE & CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

- **6%** increase in expenses; **5%** growth excluding notable items<sup>3</sup>
- Total cash, cash equivalents, corporate bond and U.S. Treasury investments of **\$679 million** as of December 31, 2025
- **\$474 million** returned to investors in 2025 through share repurchases (**\$360 million**) and dividends (**\$114 million**)
- Repurchased approximately **2.0 million** shares for **\$360 million** in 2025, consisting of **595K** shares in open market repurchases for **\$120 million**, and approximately **1.4 million** shares for **\$240 million** with the commencement of our **\$300 million** accelerated stock repurchase program (“ASR”).
- ASR completed in early February 2026, with final delivery of **360K** shares, bringing total shares retired to **1.7 million**.

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5. Emerging markets block trading consists of hard currency block trades defined as notional trade sizes ≥ \$3M and local markets block trades defined as notional trade sizes ≥ \$5M.

6. Eurobonds block trading defined as notional trade sizes ≥ \$5M.


7. Includes impact of single-dealer portfolio trades.

# What we delivered in 2025:

## Continued strong growth across most of our key performance indicators (“KPIs”)

Key Performance Indicators		FY 2025	FY 2024	YoY Growth
Client-Initiated <sup>1</sup>				
Notional Trading / ADV	Record U.S. Credit ADV	\$8.7B	\$8.2B	+6%
	Record Intl. Product Trading ADV (EM & Eurobonds)	\$6.3B	\$5.4B	+16%
	Record EM Local Markets ADV	\$2.2B	\$1.9B	+17%
	Record Municipal Bond ADV	\$616M	\$535M	+15%
	Record Auto-X Trading Volume	\$436B	\$378B	+15%
	Record Open Trading ADV	\$4.8B	\$4.2B	+15%
Share	U.S. Credit Estimated Market Share (U.S. High-Grade and U.S. High-Yield) <sup>2</sup>	17.7%	18.1%	(40) Bps
	U.S. High-Grade Estimated Block Market Share (defined as trade sizes ≥ \$5 million)	11.3%	10.9%	+40 Bps
Client #	Record Auto-X Active Client Firms	261	245	+6%
	Record Client Firms Enabled for Algos	153	75	~2x Growth
Portfolio Trading <sup>2</sup>				
Record Total Portfolio Trading ADV		\$1.4B	\$953M	+48%
Record U.S. Credit Portfolio Trading ADV		\$1.1B	\$781M	+43%
Record U.S. Credit Portfolio Trading Market Share <sup>3</sup>		19.0%	16.3%	+270 Bps
Dealer-Initiated				
Record Dealer-Initiated ADV (DRFQ & Mid-X)		\$1.7B	\$1.3B	+33%

1. Client-initiated KPIs may include some portfolio trading and dealer-initiated activity. Client-initiated volumes account for ~90% of MKTX's platform credit activity.  
2. Includes impact of single-dealer portfolio trades. Single-dealer activity is excluded from reported total credit trade volumes and FPM.  
3. Due to variances in how portfolio trading market participants utilized the portfolio trading TRACE "flag," the Company previously used its own internal methodology for calculating portfolio trading as an estimated percentage of TRACE volume and the Company's estimated market share. Starting in June 2024, the Company utilized the portfolio trading TRACE "flag" in its reported portfolio trading TRACE volume and the Company's portfolio trading estimated market share.



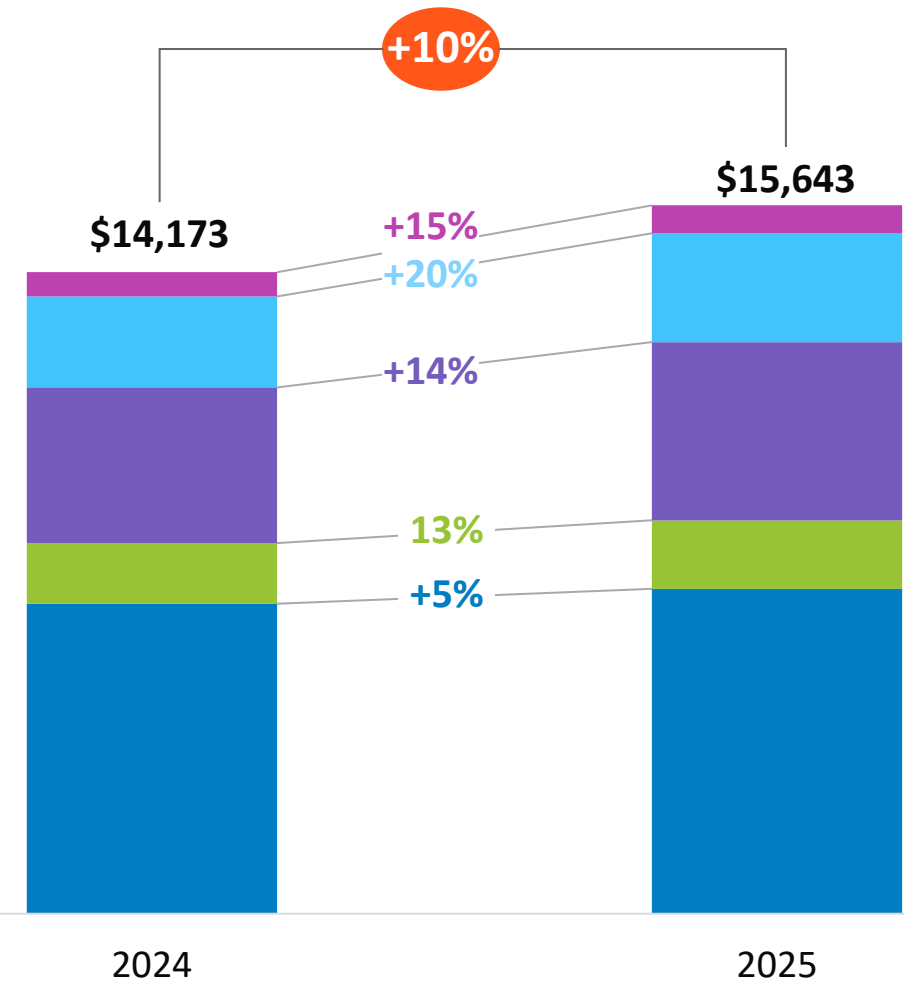
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# What we delivered in 2025: Record levels of credit and rates ADV

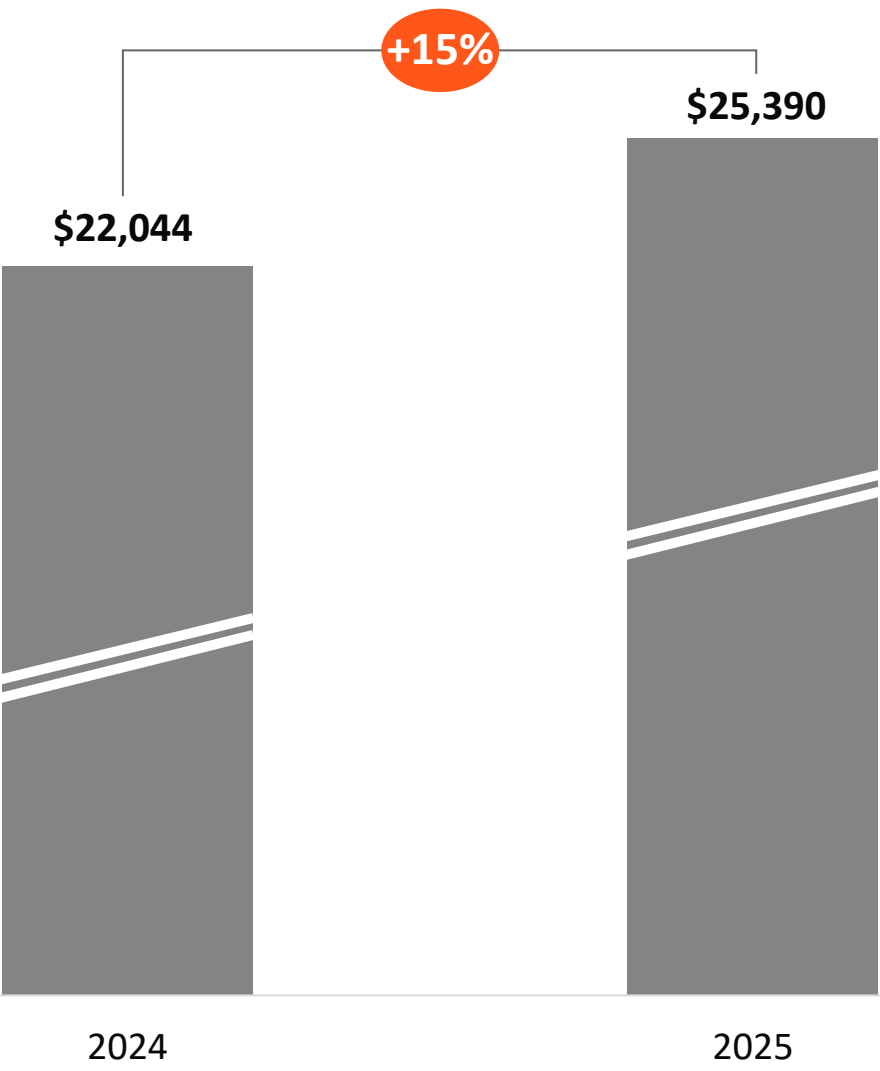
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RECORD MKTX TOTAL CREDIT ADV

- U.S. High-Grade
- U.S. High-Yield
- Emerging Markets
- Eurobonds
- Municipals



RECORD MKTX U.S. GOVERNMENT BONDS ADV

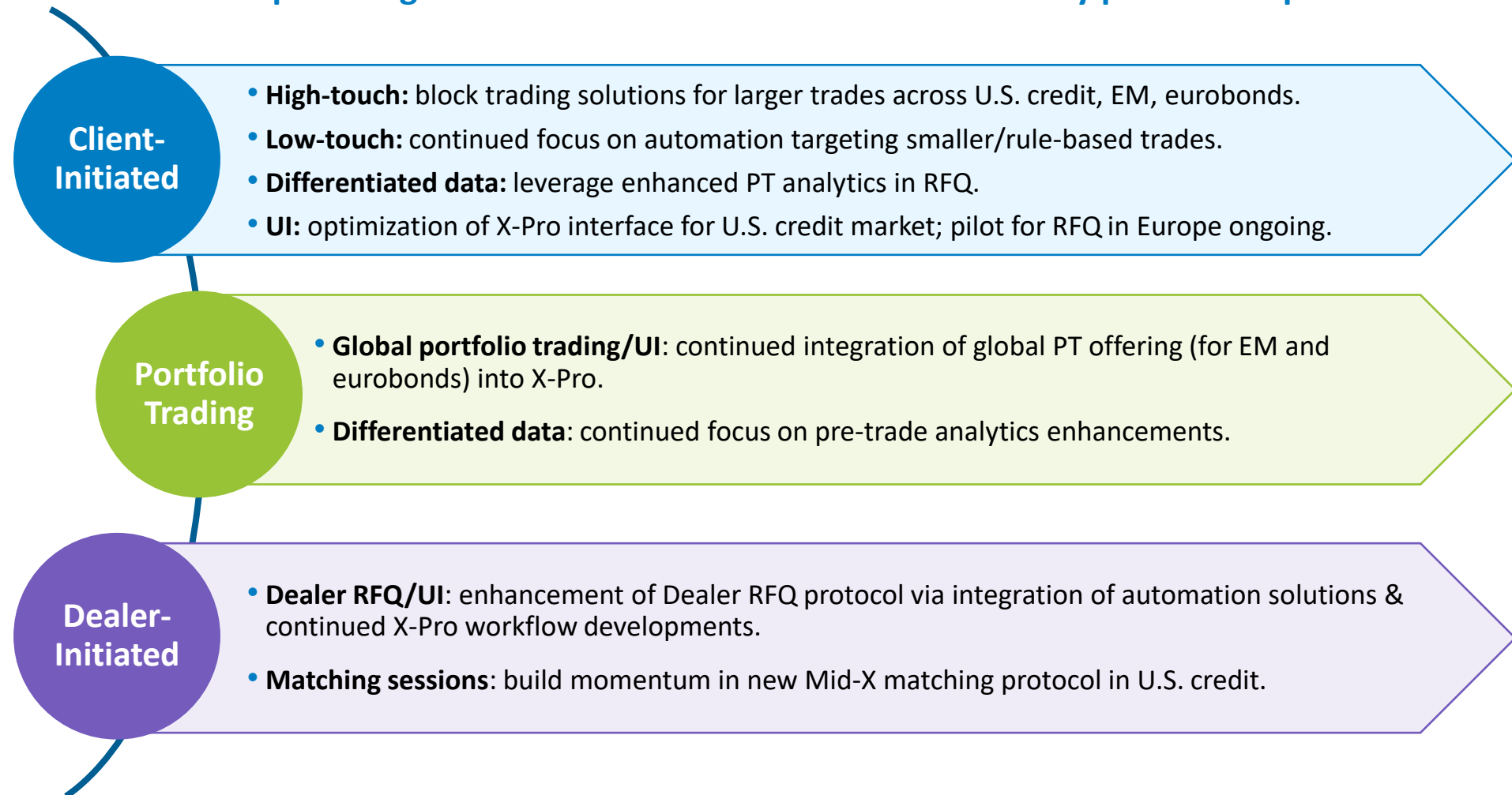


# Driving growth: Enhanced functionality, differentiated data and innovative client solutions

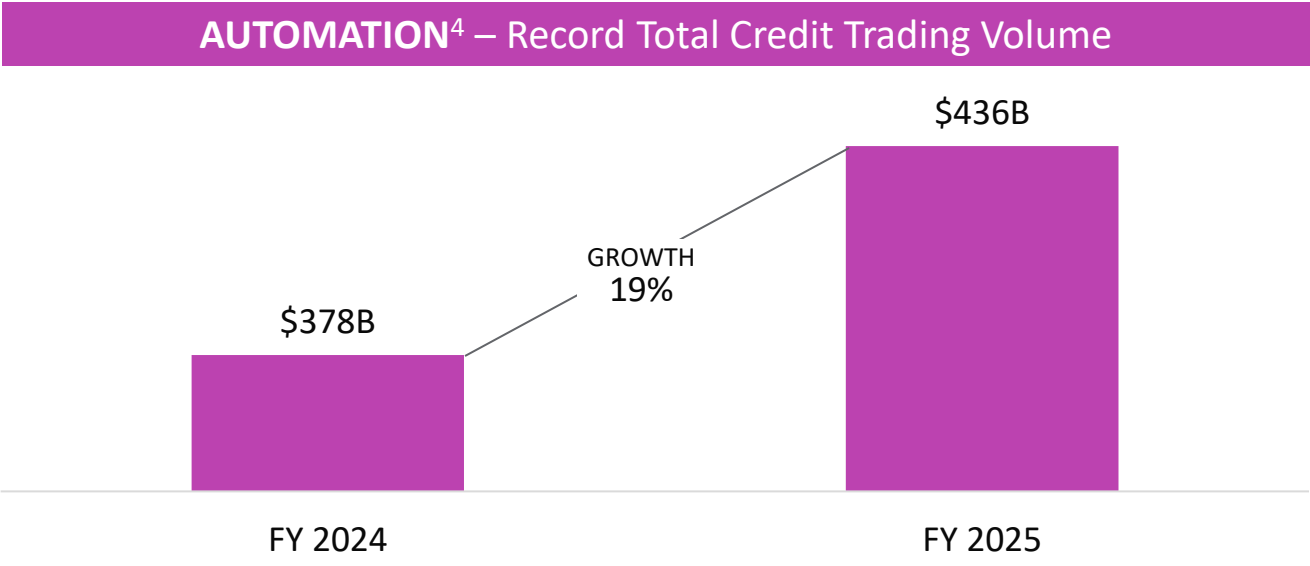
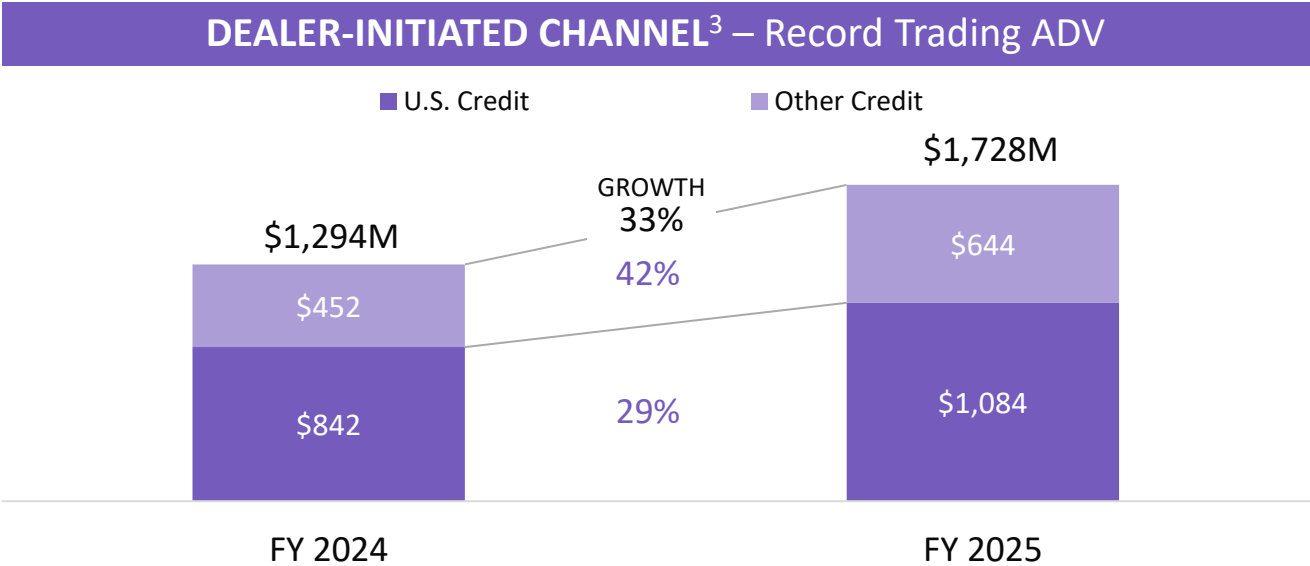
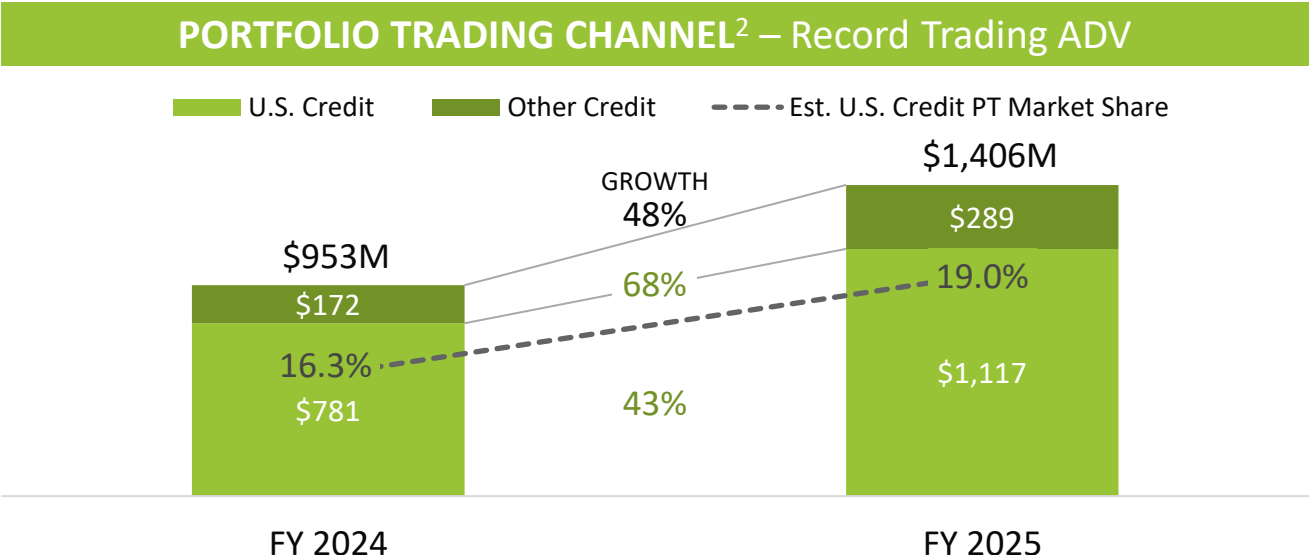
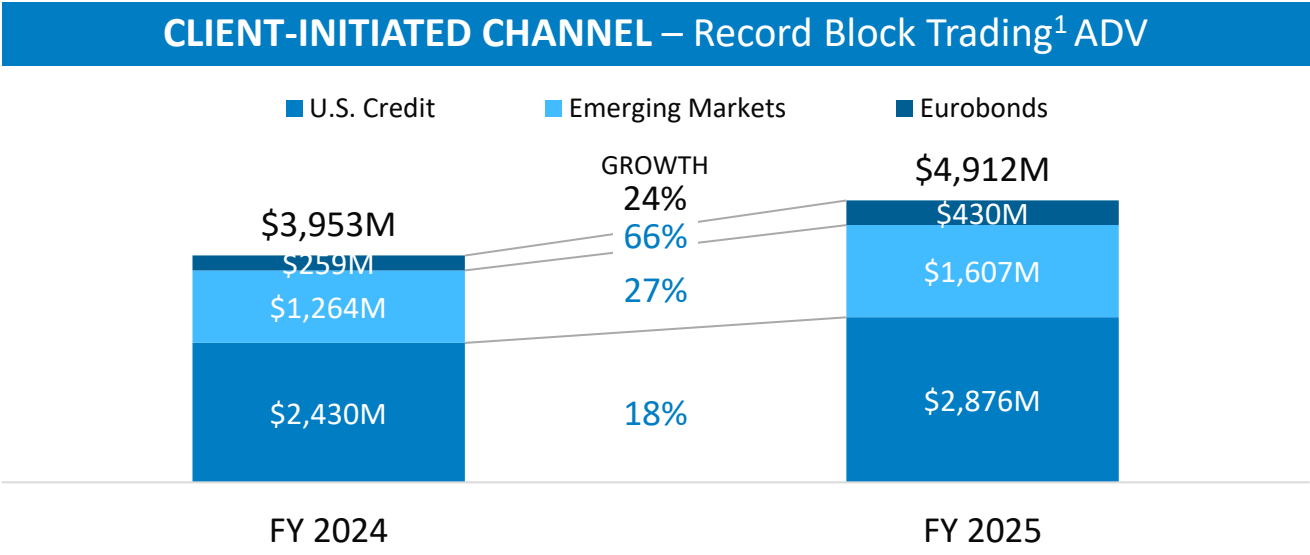
## Optimizing trade execution and client workflow in key products & protocols

Focusing on **three (3) strategic channels**, we are targeting growth across:

- **Core U.S. credit**
- **EM & eurobonds**
- **Municipal bonds**
- **Rates**



# What we delivered in 2025: Record levels of ADV / trading volume with our new initiatives




1. Block trading ADV includes U.S. credit, defined as U.S. high-grade and U.S. high-yield, emerging markets and eurobonds. U.S. high-grade block trading defined as notional trade sizes ≥ \$5M, U.S. high yield block trading defined as notional trade sizes ≥ \$1M, emerging markets block trading consists of hard currency block trades defined as notional trade, sizes ≥ \$3M and local markets block trades defined as notional trade sizes ≥ \$5M, and eurobonds block trading defined as notional trade sizes ≥ \$5M.

2. Total Portfolio trading ADV includes single-dealer (liquidity taker directs the request for price to only one dealer) and in-competition (liquidity taker directs the request for price to multiple dealers) trading volume. U.S. credit portfolio trading ADV includes U.S. high-grade and U.S. high-yield. Other credit portfolio trading ADV includes emerging markets, eurobonds and municipal bonds.

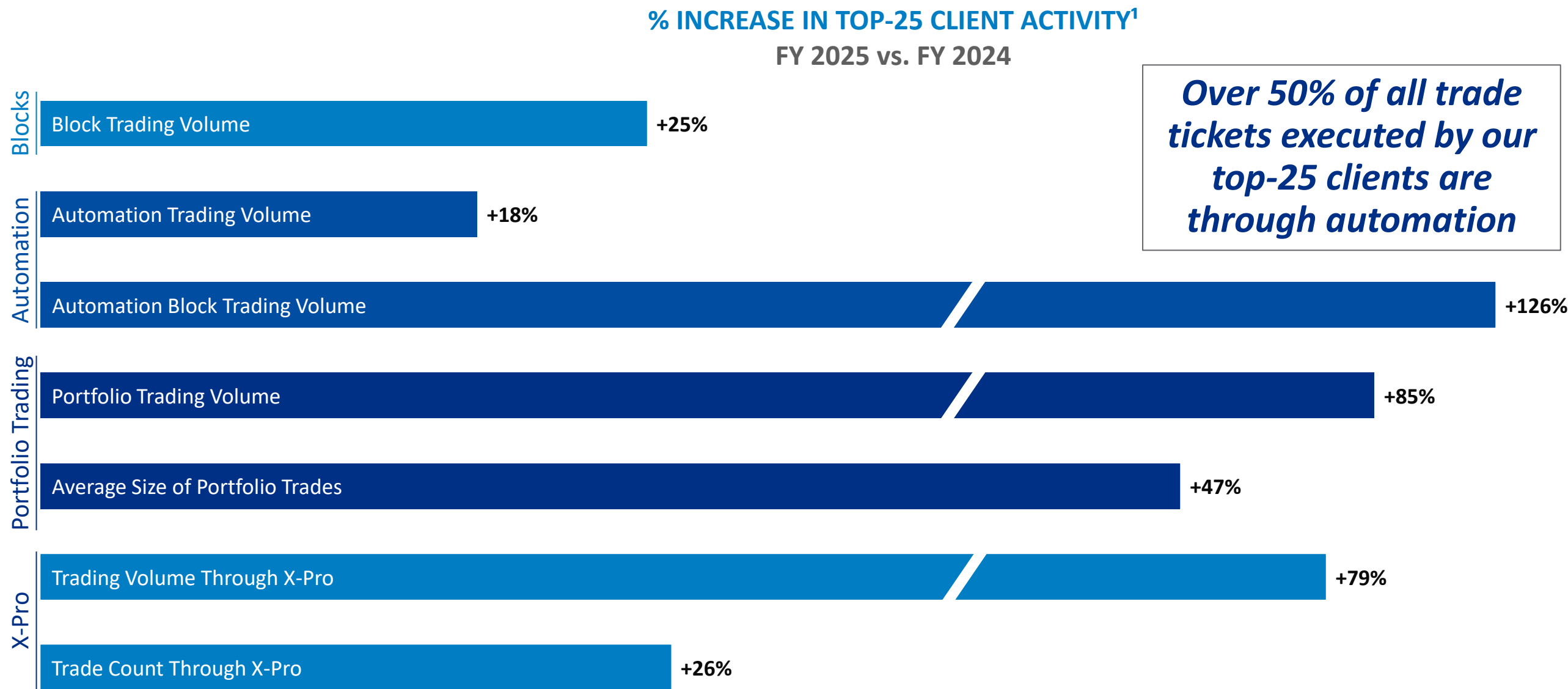
3. Dealer-initiated volume includes Dealer RFQ and Mid-X activity.

4. Automation defined as Auto-X trading volume across all credit products.



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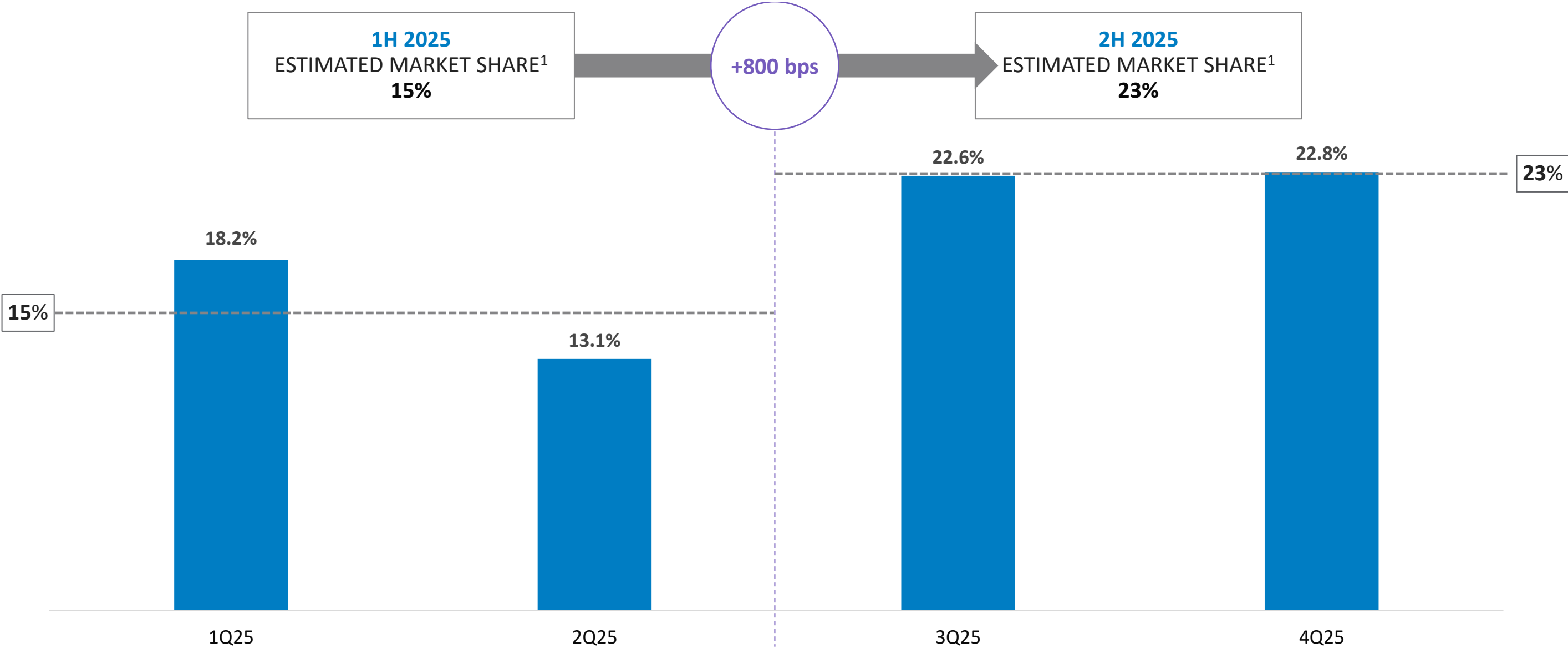
# Our top-25 clients<sup>1</sup>: Increasingly leveraging our new protocols and workflow tools



1. Client-initiated activity only in composite credit products (U.S. high-grade, U.S. high-yield, emerging markets, and eurobonds).



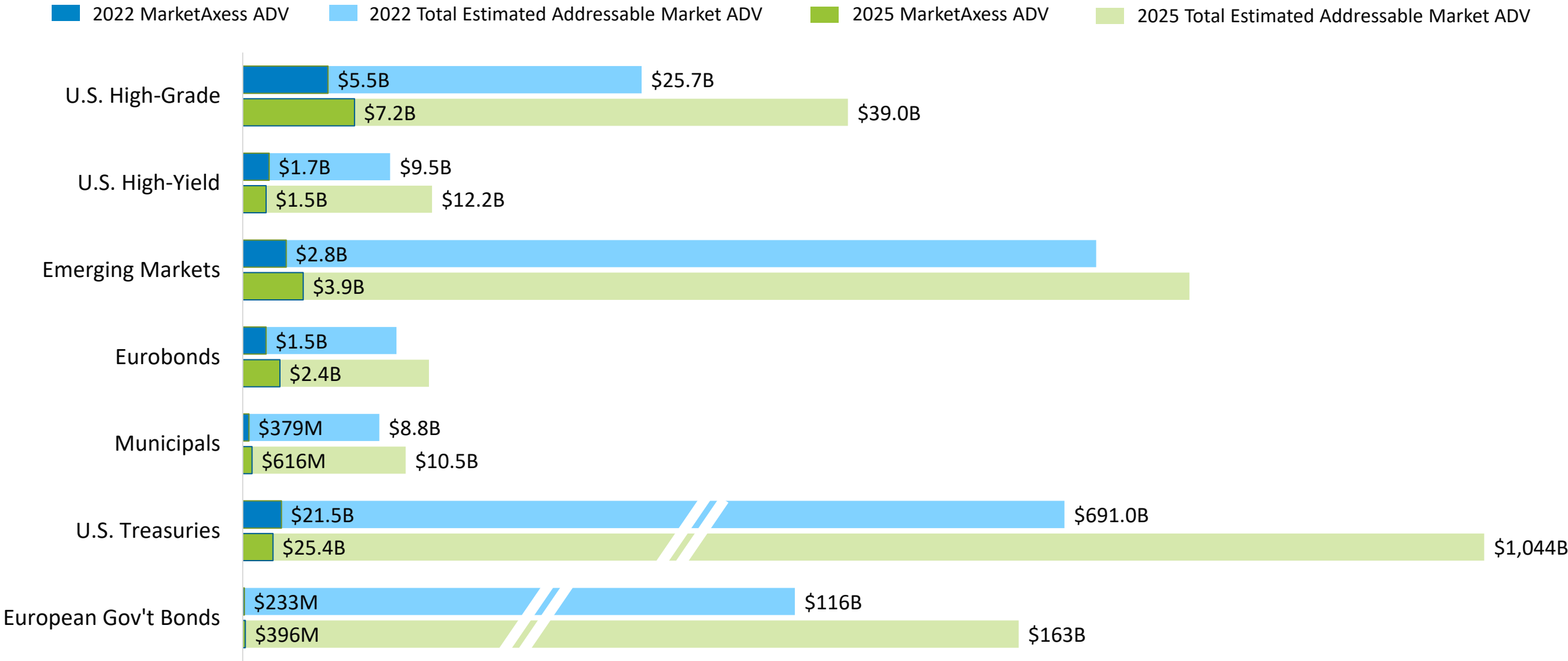
# 2025 U.S. high-yield portfolio trading estimated market share<sup>1</sup> — responding to client needs



1. Includes impact of single-dealer portfolio trades.

# The long-term e-trading opportunity continues to expand

## ESTIMATED TOTAL ADDRESSABLE MARKET – 2022 vs. 2025<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Source: Market ADV calculated using the most recently available market data for TRACE, Emerging Markets Trade Association, Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board, Loan Syndications and Trading Association, JPMorgan Research and various local market central banks.

# Review of financial results

❖ Ilene Fiszel Bieler, CFO

# 4Q25 financial summary<sup>1</sup>

(in \$ thousands, except EPS data)

Financial results	4Q25	3Q25	4Q24	YoY % Δ
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>\$ 209,409</b>	<b>\$ 208,821</b>	<b>\$ 202,404</b>	<b>3 %</b>
Commissions	181,339	180,171	174,766	4 %
Services <sup>2</sup>	28,070	28,650	27,638	2 %
<b>Total expenses</b>	<b>133,396</b>	<b>123,242</b>	<b>122,428</b>	<b>9 %</b>
Operating income	76,013	85,579	79,976	(5)%
Other income (expense)	3,773	8,060	4,619	(18)%
Income before taxes	79,786	93,639	84,595	(6)%
Provision for income taxes	(12,608)	25,366	19,456	NM
Effective tax rate	(15.8)%	27.1%	23.0%	NM
<b>Net income</b>	<b>92,394</b>	<b>68,273</b>	<b>65,139</b>	<b>42 %</b>
<b>Diluted EPS</b>	<b>\$ 2.51</b>	<b>\$ 1.84</b>	<b>\$ 1.73</b>	<b>45 %</b>
<i>Selected GAAP-basis financial results ex-notable items (non-GAAP)<sup>3</sup></i>				
<i>Total revenues</i>	<i>\$ 209,409</i>	<i>\$ 208,821</i>	<i>\$ 202,404</i>	<i>3 %</i>
<i>Total expenses</i>	<i>132,312</i>	<i>123,242</i>	<i>122,428</i>	<i>8 %</i>
<i>Other income (expense)</i>	<i>3,773</i>	<i>8,060</i>	<i>4,619</i>	<i>(18)%</i>
<i>Net income</i>	<i>61,916</i>	<i>68,273</i>	<i>65,139</i>	<i>(5)%</i>
<i>Diluted EPS</i>	<i>\$ 1.68</i>	<i>\$ 1.84</i>	<i>\$ 1.73</i>	<i>(3)%</i>
<i>Effective tax rate</i>	<i>23.4%</i>	<i>27.1%</i>	<i>23.0%</i>	<i>- pts</i>

Notable items <sup>3</sup>	4Q25	3Q25	4Q24
Repositioning charges	\$ 1.1	\$ —	\$ —
Acquisition-related charge/(credit)	—	—	—
<b>Notable items (pre-tax)</b>	<b>\$ 1.1</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ —</b>
Income tax impact	(0.3)	—	—
Reserve for uncertain tax positions related to prior periods	(31.3)	—	—
<b>Total Notable Items</b>	<b>(30.5)</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>
<b>EPS impact</b>	<b>\$ (0.83)</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ —</b>

## 4Q25 PERFORMANCE<sup>1</sup>

- **3.5%** increase in total revenue to **\$209 million**.
- Commissions revenue of **\$181 million** up **4%**.
- **2%** growth in services revenue<sup>2</sup> to **\$28 million**.
- **9%** growth in expenses, **8%** excluding notable items.<sup>3</sup>
  - Includes notable item<sup>3</sup> of **~\$1 million (\$0.02 per share)** repositioning charges for severance included in employee comp line.
- Lower effective tax rate in the quarter reflects a benefit from releasing tax reserve that had been established in 1Q25.
- Diluted EPS of **\$2.51; \$1.68 per share** excluding notable items.<sup>3</sup>

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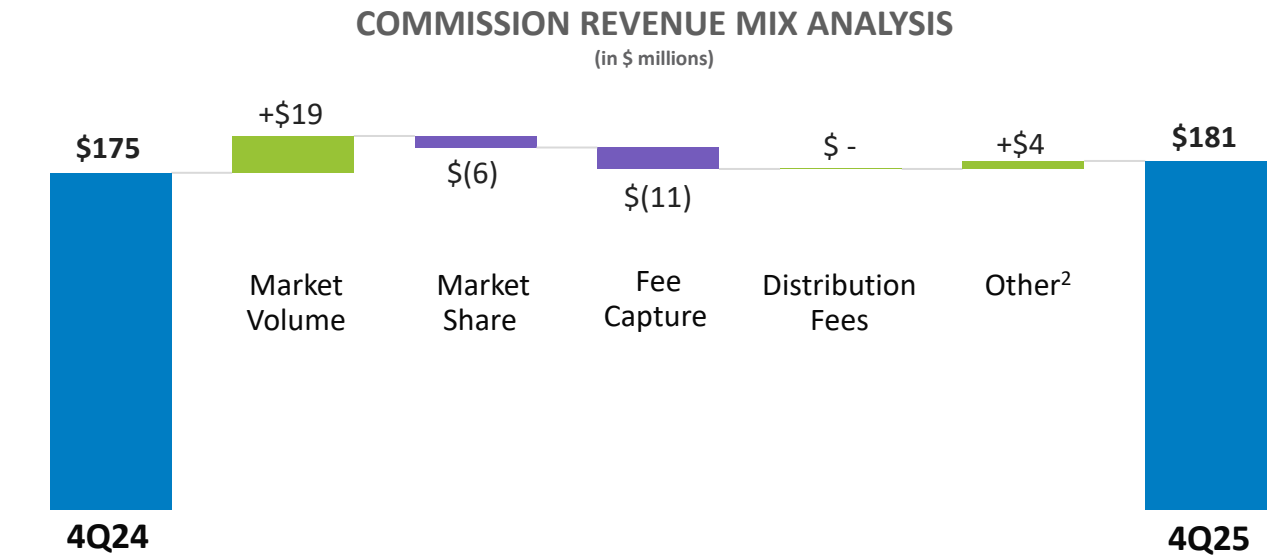
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NM = Not meaningful

# 4Q25 commission revenue detail

COMMISSION REVENUE DETAIL								
(in \$ thousands, except transaction fees per million data)								
Commission Revenue		4Q25		3Q25		4Q24	YoY % Δ	
Variable Transaction Fees		\$	148,435	\$	145,949	\$	141,848	5 %
Credit			132,358		130,811		129,351	2 %
Rates			6,695		6,549		7,262	(8)%
Other <sup>2</sup>			9,382		8,589		5,235	79 %
Fixed Distribution Fees			32,904		34,222		32,918	(0)%
Total Commissions		\$	181,339	\$	180,171	\$	174,766	4 %

FPM Data	4Q25		3Q25		4Q24	YoY % Δ	
Credit	\$	138	\$	140	\$	150	(8)%
Rates		4.79		4.21		4.31	11 %



1. All period comparisons are 4Q25 vs. 4Q24.  
2. Includes RFQ-hub commission revenue.

## 4Q25 PERFORMANCE<sup>1</sup>

### Credit

- **Total credit** commission revenue of **\$165 million** increased **2%**.
- **4%** growth in U.S. high-yield, **6%** growth in emerging markets and **9%** growth in eurobonds. U.S. high-grade was down slightly from the prior year.
- **11%** growth in total credit ADV, mostly offset by **8%** decline total credit fee capture on protocol mix.

### Rates

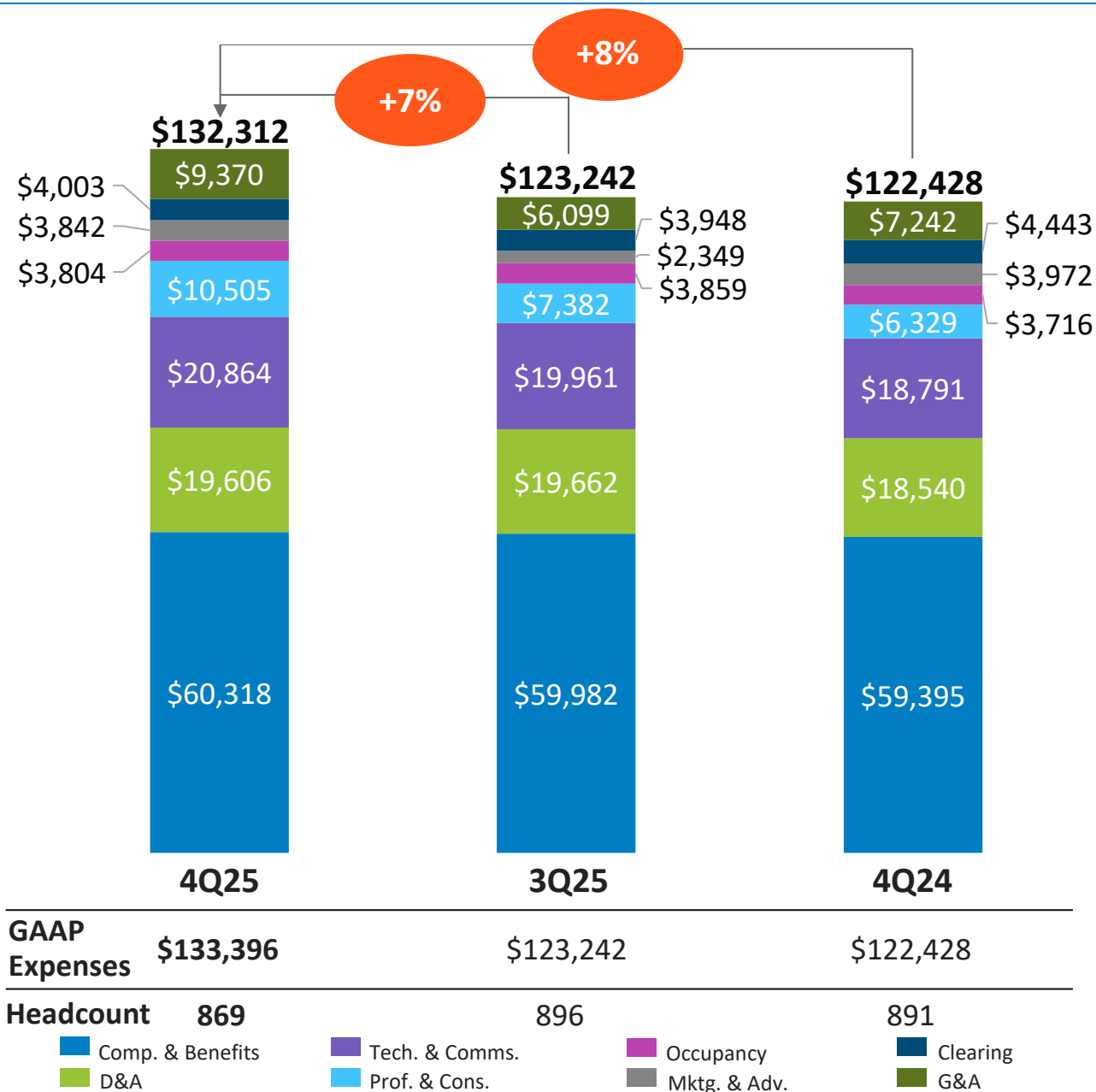
- **7%** decrease in total rates commission revenue to **\$7 million**.
- **17%** decrease in total rates ADV, partially offset by an **11%** increase in fee capture due to mix.

### Other

- Other commission revenue of **\$9 million**, up **79%** driven by the addition of **\$3.4 million** from RFQ-hub acquisition.

# 4Q25 expense detail<sup>1</sup>

(in \$ thousands, ex-notable items, non-GAAP<sup>2</sup>)



## 4Q25 PERFORMANCE<sup>1</sup>

(EX-NOTABLE ITEMS, NON GAAP<sup>2</sup>)

- **8% increase in total expenses to \$132 million.**
- Employee comp increased **~\$1 million** driven by strategic talent upgrades and net carry-over.
- Professional & consulting increased **~\$4 million** driven by an increase in consulting expenses related to strategic initiatives, including X-Pro.
- Technology and communications expenses increased **~\$2 million on investments in the business** including higher software and cloud hosting costs.
- Increase in G&A of approximately **~\$2 million** driven by higher charitable contributions.

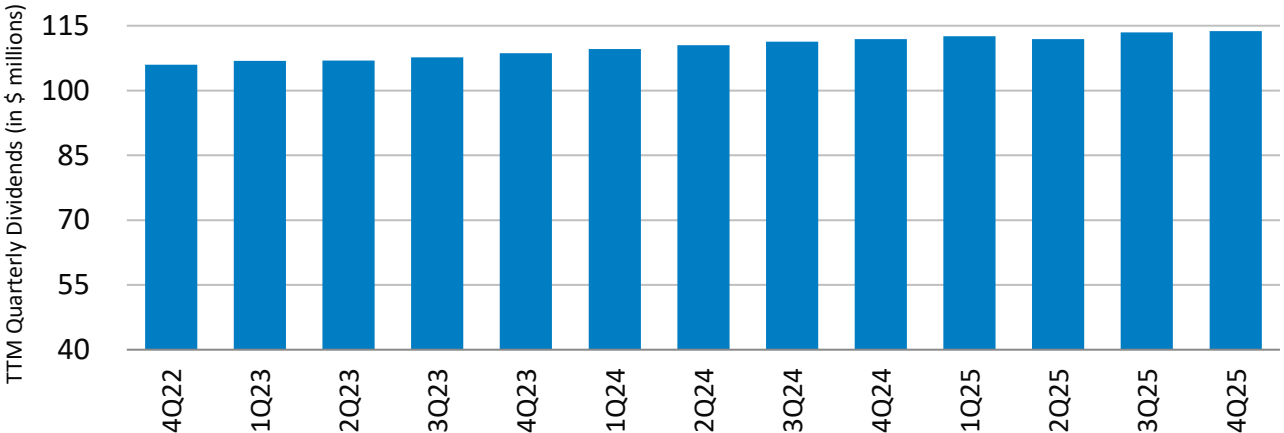
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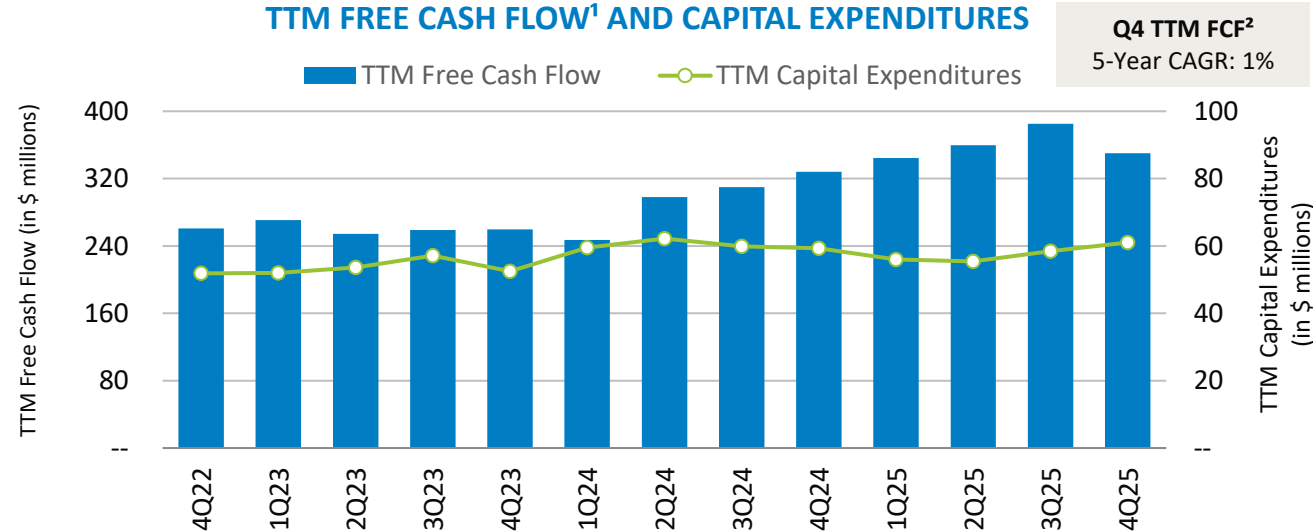
# Capital management and cash flow

(in \$ millions, except shares repurchased and cash dividend data )

## TTM QUARTERLY DIVIDENDS



## TTM FREE CASH FLOW<sup>1</sup> AND CAPITAL EXPENDITURES



## CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

- Total cash, cash equivalents, corporate bond and U.S. Treasury investments of **\$679 million** as of December 31, 2025.
- A total of **\$474 million** returned to investors in 2025.
  - Repurchased approximately **2.0 million** shares for **\$360 million** in 2025.
  - Final delivery of **360K** shares from ASR completed in early February bringing total shares retired to **1.7 million**.
  - **\$205 million** remains on the outstanding Board authorizations after the completion of the ASR.
  - TTM **\$114 million** in capital returned to investors through dividends.
- **\$220 million** in borrowings under credit facility related to commencement of ASR.
- Board of Directors declared a regular quarterly cash dividend of **\$0.78** per share.

## CASH FLOW

- **Record** FY free cash flow of **\$347 million**.<sup>1</sup>
- FY capital expenditures of **\$61 million** to support trading system enhancements.

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2. 5-year compound annual growth rate (“CAGR”) calculated on a trailing twelve months basis.

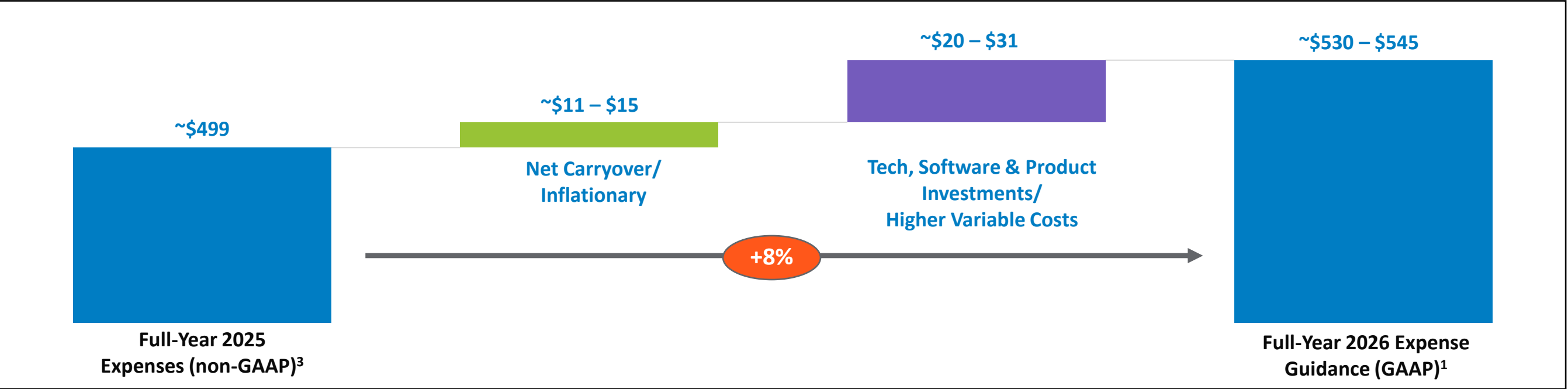


# FY 2026 guidance<sup>1</sup>

(in \$ millions)

Metric	Full-Year 2026 Guidance <sup>1</sup>
Services Revenue <sup>2</sup>	Expect revenue growth in the mid-single digits (%)
Total Expenses (ex-notable items)	\$530 million to \$545 million, up ~8% to the midpoint of the 2026 guidance range
Effective Tax Rate	24.0% to 26.0%
Capital Expenditures	\$65 million to \$75 million

## FY 2025 to FY 2026 Expense Guidance<sup>1,3</sup> Bridge



1. MarketAxess's guidance for the year ending December 31, 2026 is based on assumptions about a number of factors, in particular related to macroeconomic factors, the capital markets and applicable tax laws, and is based on foreign exchange rates as of December 31, 2025. These assumptions are subject to uncertainty, and actual results for the year could differ materially from our current guidance, including as a result of the uncertainties, risks and assumptions discussed in the "Risk Factors" and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" sections of our Annual Report on Form 10-K, as updated in quarterly reports on Form 10-Q and current reports on Form 8-K filed or furnished with the SEC. Assumes constant currency, excluding the impact of changes in business portfolio and excluding the impact of notable items.

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# Key Themes for 2025

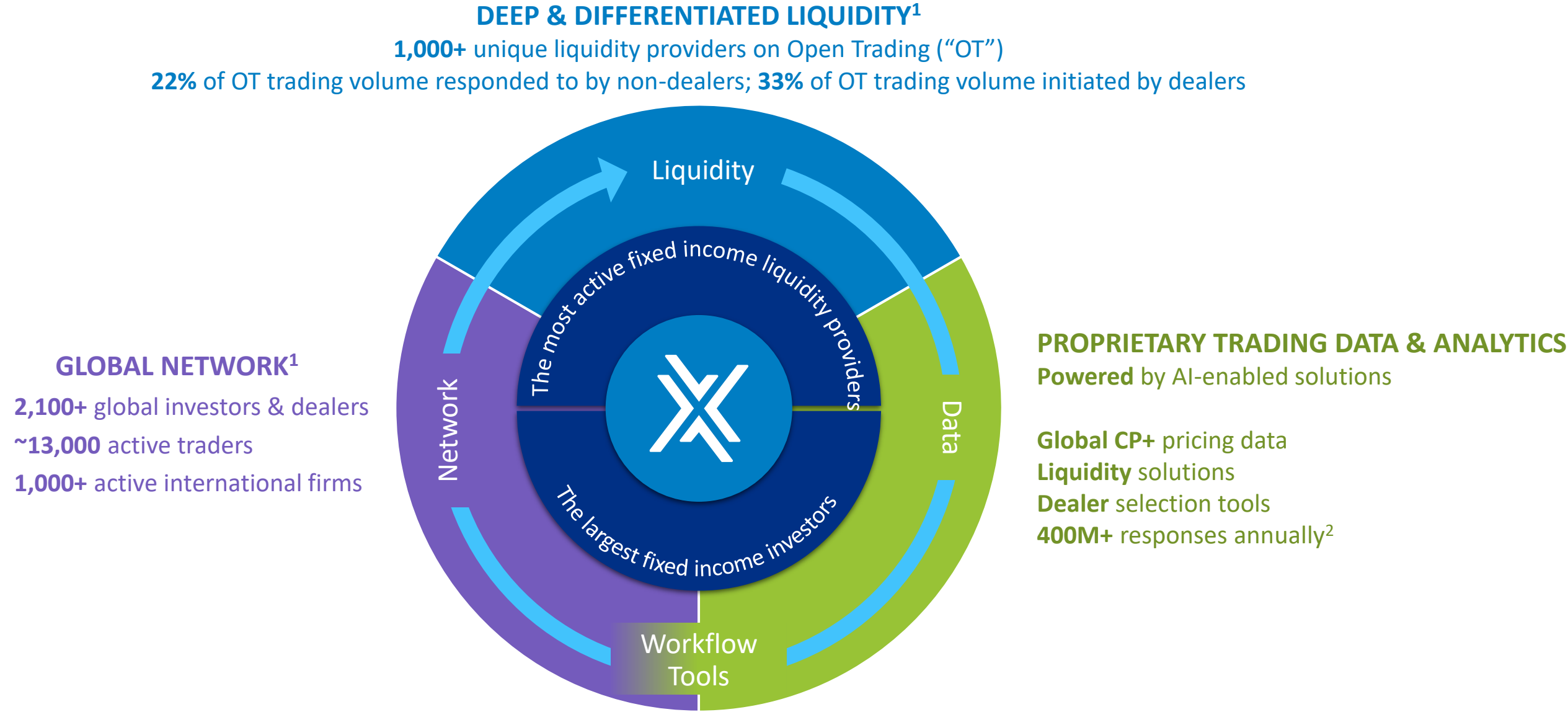
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- We made significant strides in enhancing the MarketAxess advantage in 2025.
- The growth profile of the Company outside of U.S. credit is strong and we have a strategy in place to drive higher levels of market share and revenue growth in U.S. credit.
- Our three-year financial targets are underpinned by detailed product and tech roadmap.
- The U.S. credit market is rapidly evolving, and we are well positioned to capitalize on this change with our new initiatives, including Targeted RFQ, automation and new dealer-centric protocols.
- We made strong progress across our three strategic channels: client-initiated, portfolio trading and dealer-initiated.
  - Strong growth in block trading.
  - Increasing momentum with portfolio trading market share gains, especially in U.S. high-yield.
  - Dealer-initiated activity continues to grow with strong Mid-X performance in December 2025 and January 2026.
- New strategic hires expected to help drive growth 2026.
- Continued disciplined expense and enhanced capital management.

***Well-Positioned For Long-Term Shareholder Value Creation***

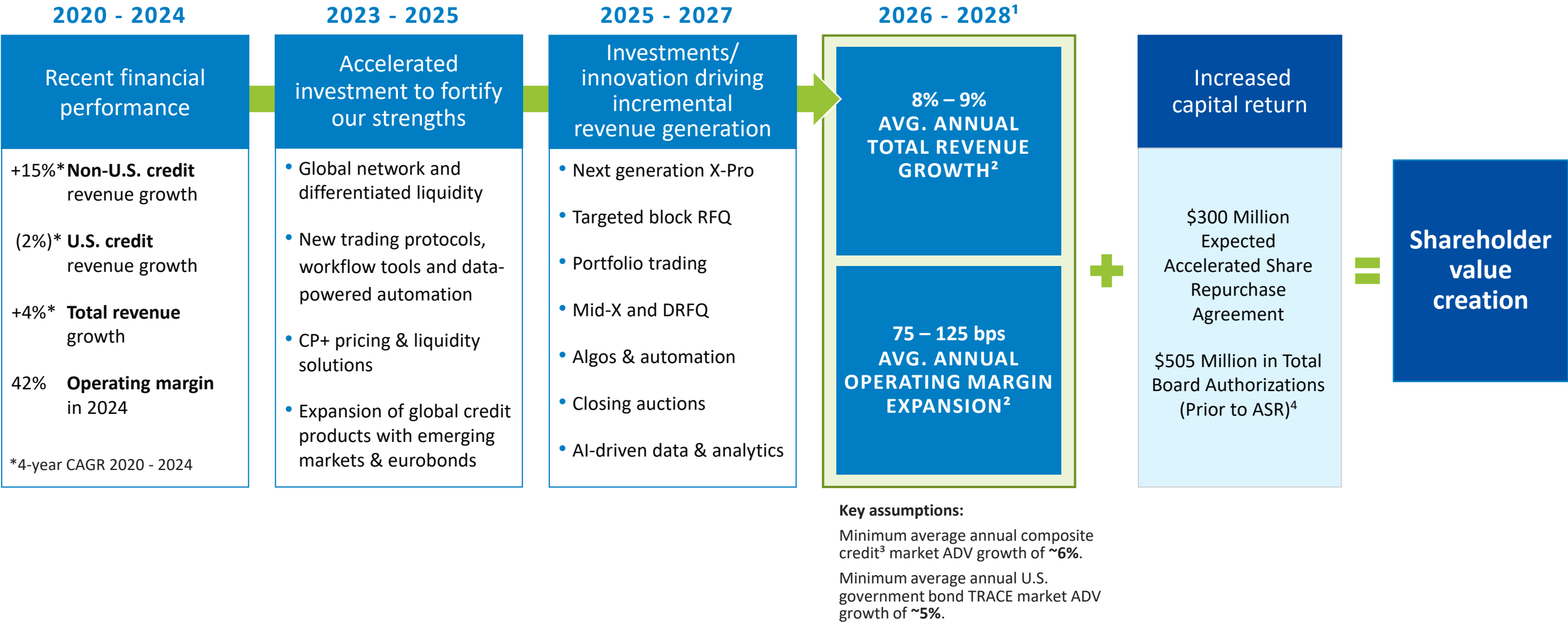
# Appendix

# The MarketAxess advantage



1. Data as of 3Q25.  
2. Data as of 2024.

# Modernization is driving innovation and setting the foundation for our targets<sup>1</sup> & ASR



1. Targets are defined as medium-term, for a period of 3 years. Targets are average annual growth rates for revenue and operating margin expansion for the period 2026 – 2028.

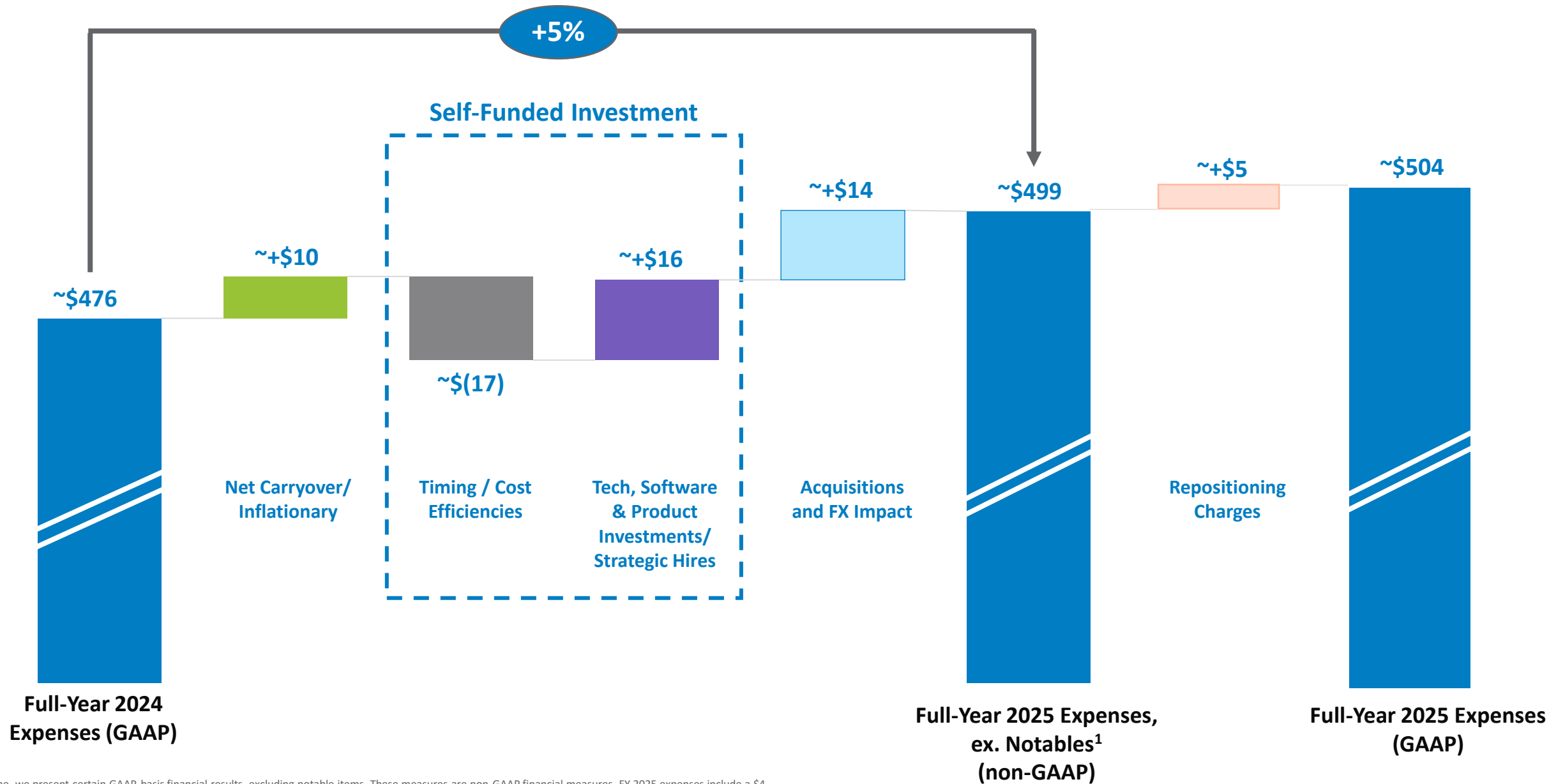
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3. Composite credit products includes U.S. high-grade, U.S. high-yield, emerging markets, and eurobonds.

4. Reflects the recently announced \$400 million new authorization and the \$105 million remaining on the existing authorization. The \$300 million Accelerated Stock Repurchase Agreement will reduce the \$505 million authorization accordingly.

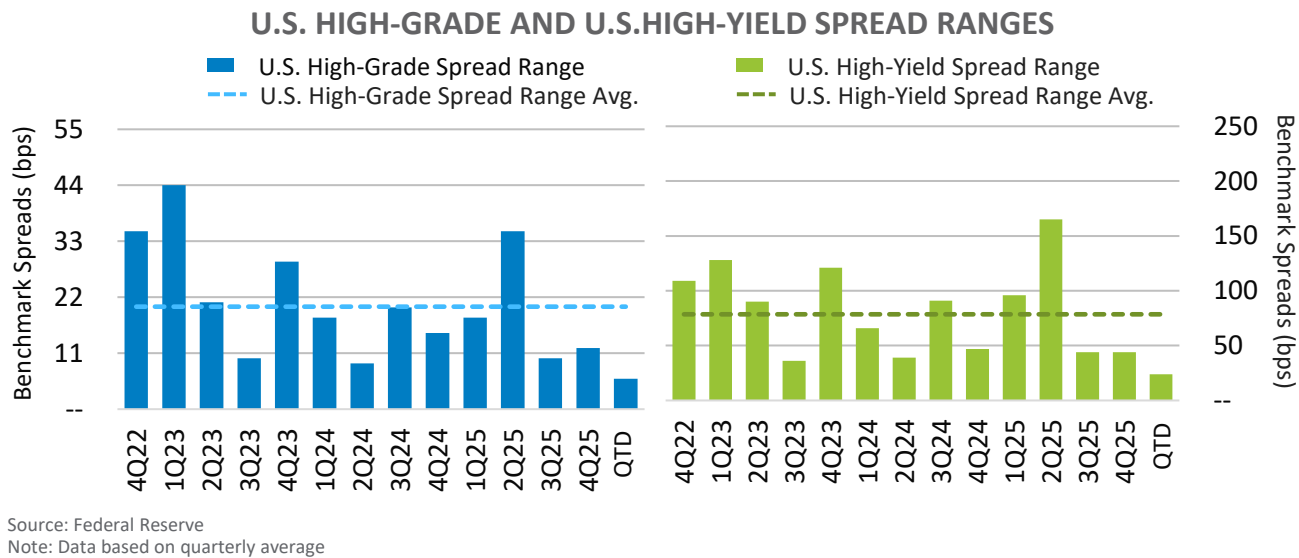
# FY 2025 expense bridge – self-funded ~\$16 million in investments

(in \$ millions)



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# Macro conditions

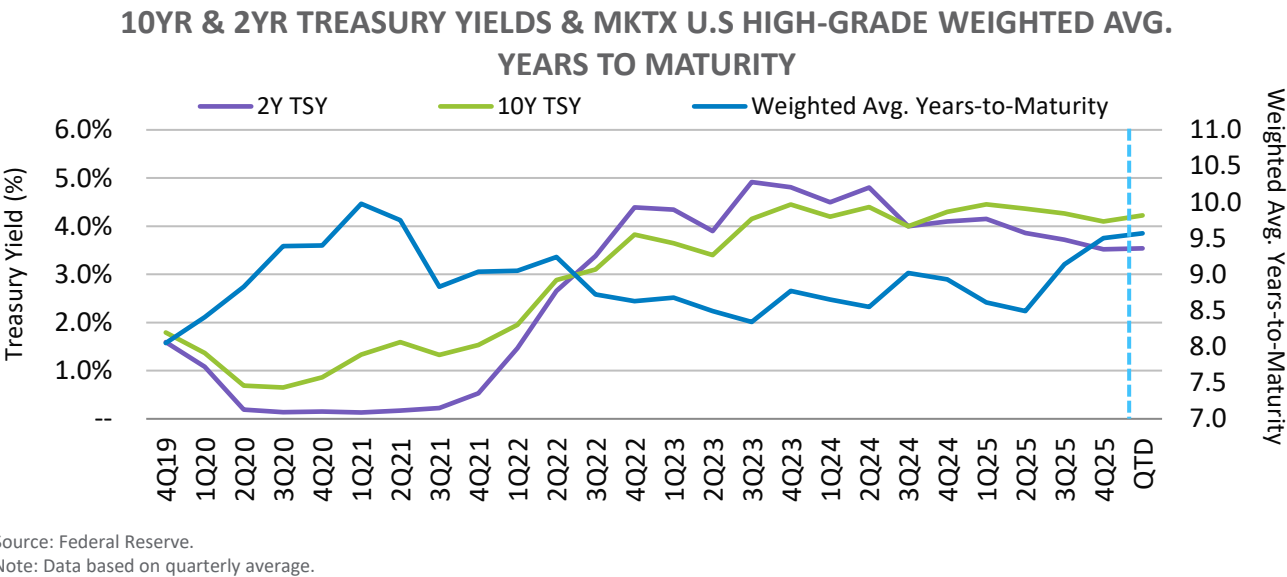
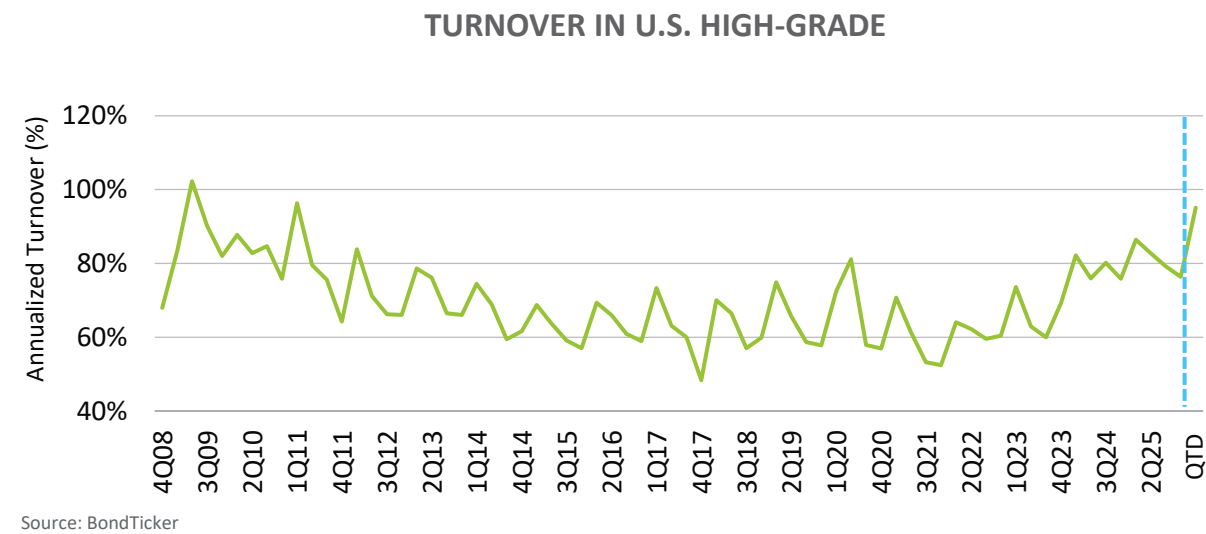


**RANKING OF HIGHEST U.S. HIGH-GRADE AND U.S. HIGH-YIELD NEW ISSUE MONTHS**

U.S. High-Yield		
Rank	Month	Issuance (\$ mil)
1	Apr-20	\$ 284,270
2	Mar-20	\$ 261,595
3	May-20	\$ 244,277
4	Mar-22	\$ 234,086
5	Jan-26	\$ 216,971
6	Sep-25	\$ 214,240
7	Mar-21	\$ 196,476
8	Feb-24	\$ 196,075
9	Mar-25	\$ 193,836
10	Jan-24	\$ 193,690

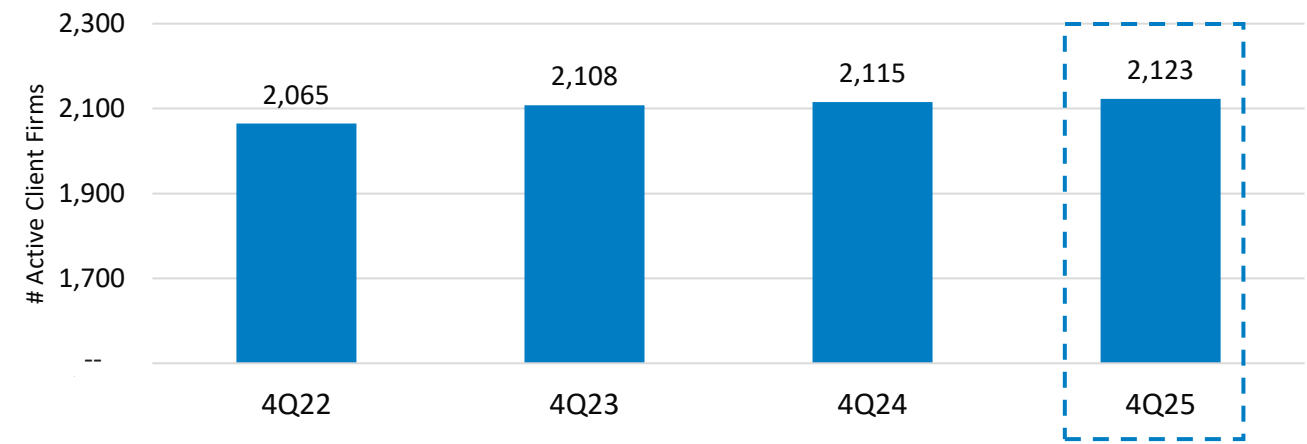
U.S. High-Yield		
Rank	Month	Issuance (\$ mil)
1	Mar-21	\$ 64,800
2	Jun-20	\$ 61,480
3	Sep-25	\$ 58,800
4	Jan-21	\$ 55,855
5	Sep-13	\$ 55,474
6	Aug-20	\$ 54,325
7	May-13	\$ 52,252
8	May-21	\$ 51,450
9	Sep-20	\$ 50,865
10	Apr-21	\$ 50,435

Source: SIFMA

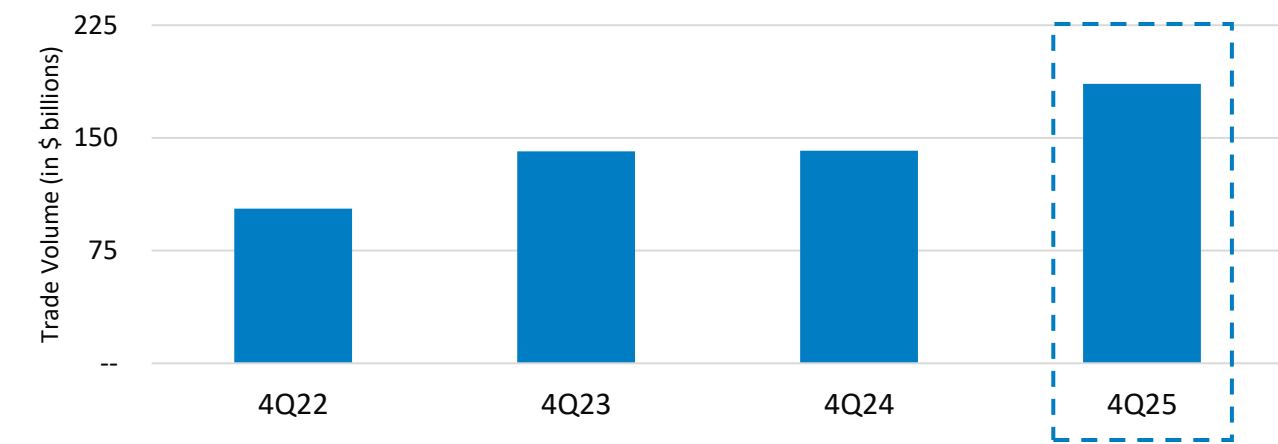


# Our global client network continues to expand

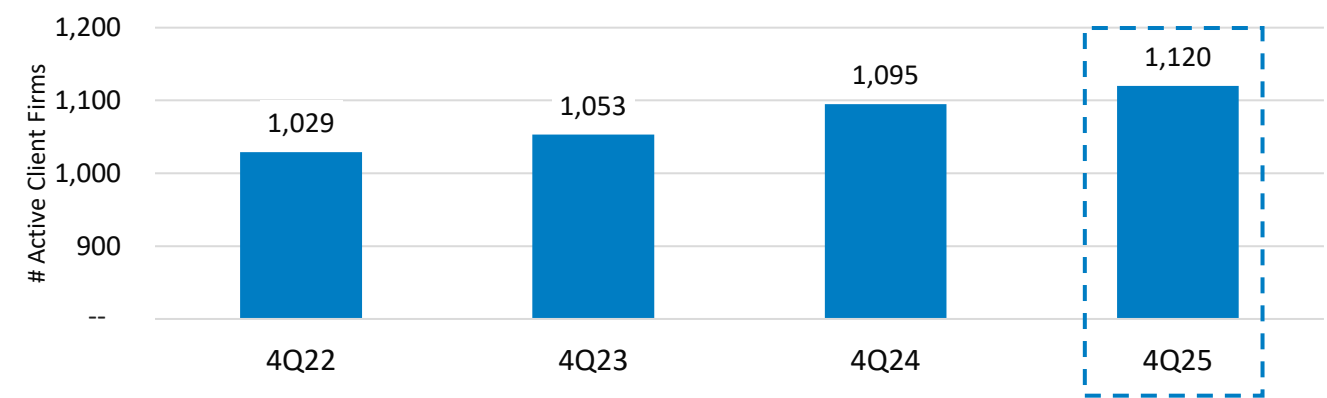
# OF ACTIVE CLIENT FIRMS



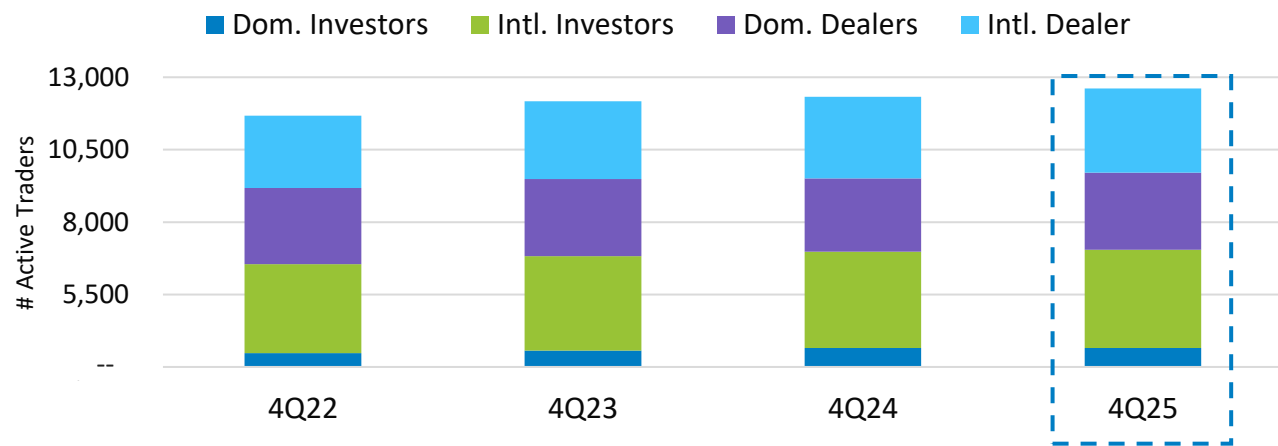
CREDIT TRADE VOLUME FROM HEDGE FUND  
AND PRIVATE BANK CLIENTS



# OF ACTIVE INTERNATIONAL<sup>1</sup> CLIENT FIRMS



GROWTH IN # OF ACTIVE INVESTOR TRADERS  
AND ACTIVE DEALER TRADERS

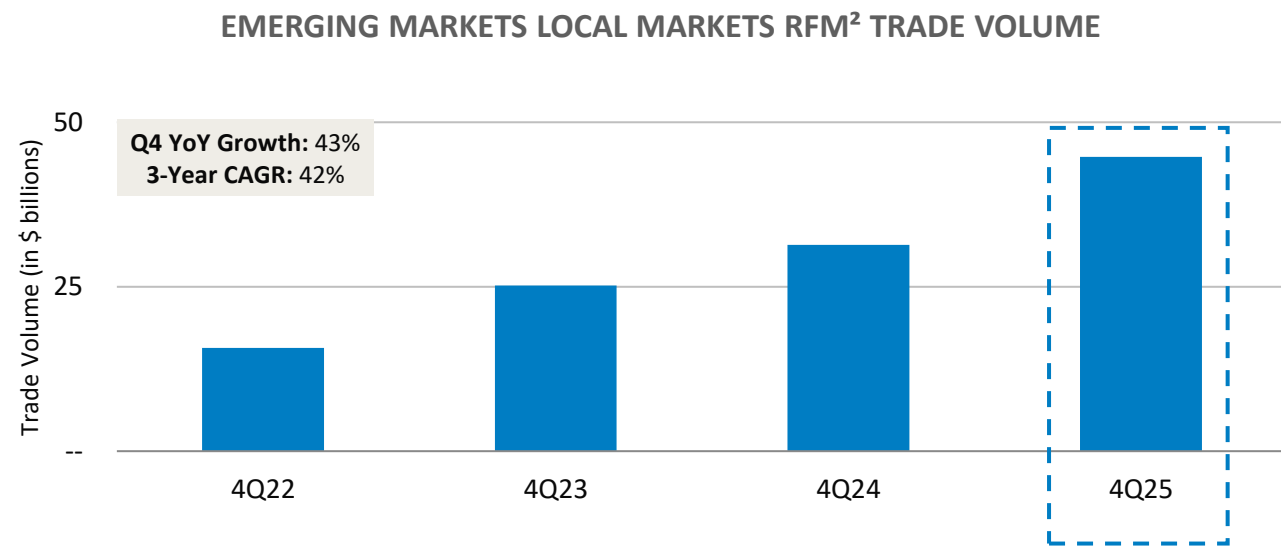
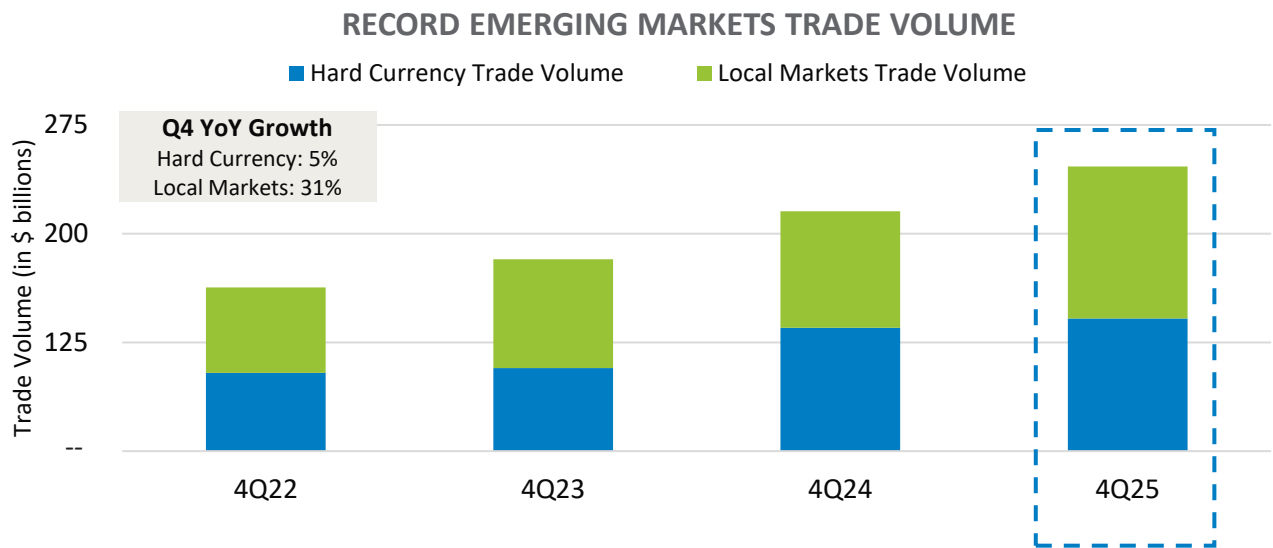
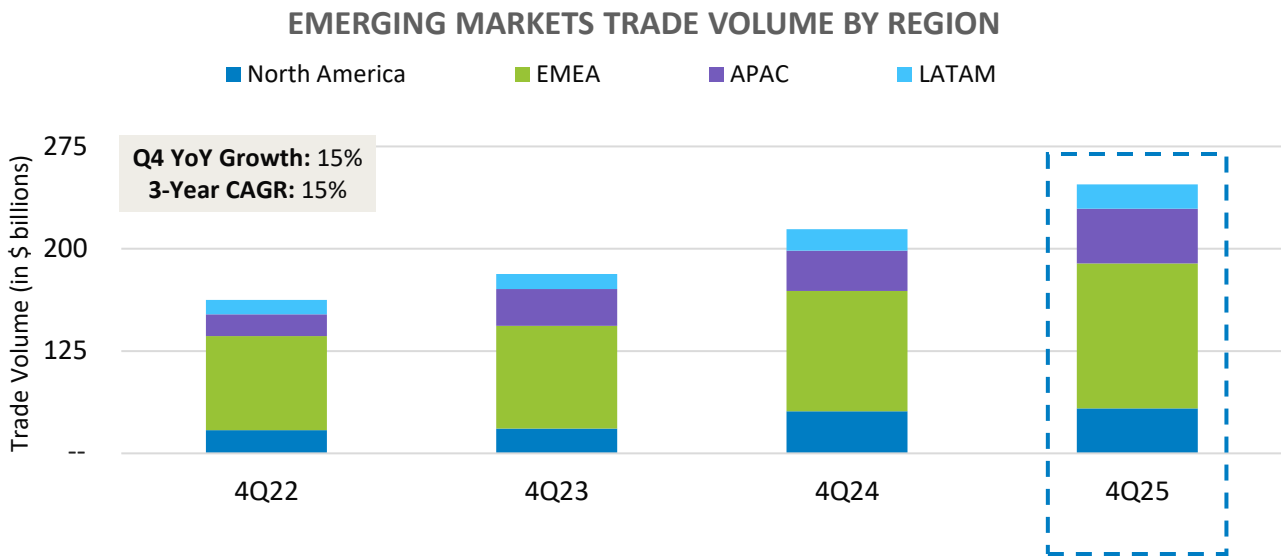


1. Active international client firms defined as aggressor clients located outside of North America.

# Continued strong contribution from our emerging markets franchise

## 4Q25 COMMENTARY<sup>1</sup>

- **Record 1,541** active client firms.
- **6%** growth in commission revenue.
- Strong growth in APAC, EMEA and LATAM trading volume, up **36%, 20% and 12%**, respectively.
- RFM<sup>2</sup> activity of **~\$42 billion**, up **28%**.
- Block trade<sup>3</sup> volume of **~\$99 billion**, up **20%**.



1. All period comparisons are 4Q25 vs. 4Q25 unless otherwise noted.

2. "RFM" = Request for market.

3. Emerging markets hard currency block trades defined as notional trade sizes ≥ \$3M. Emerging markets local markets block trades defined as notional trade sizes ≥ \$5M.

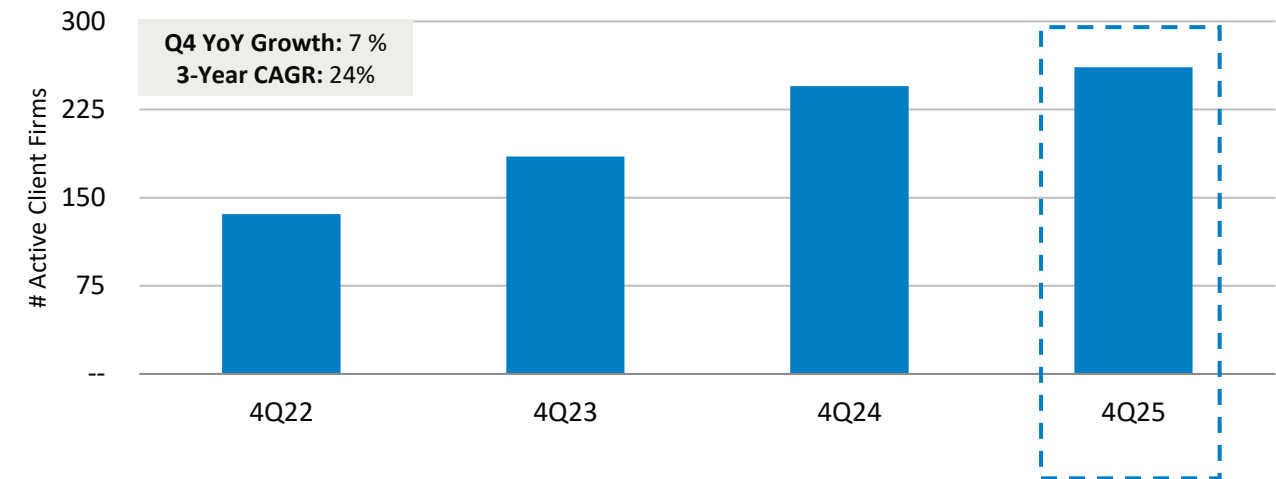


# Integrating our full ecosystem through automation

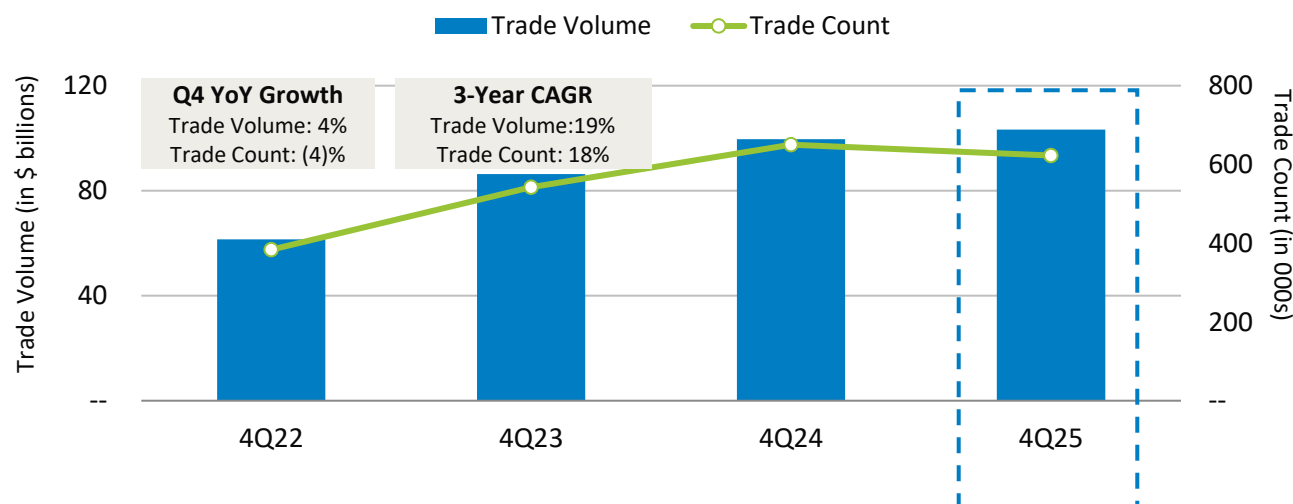
## 4Q25 COMMENTARY<sup>1</sup>

- **Record 261** active automation client firms.
- Automation volume of **~\$103 billion**, up **4%**, and trade count of **~623 thousand**, down **(4)%**.
- Automation represented **11%** of total credit trading volume and **27%** of total credit trade count.
- **Record 153 clients** enabled for Adaptive Auto-X.

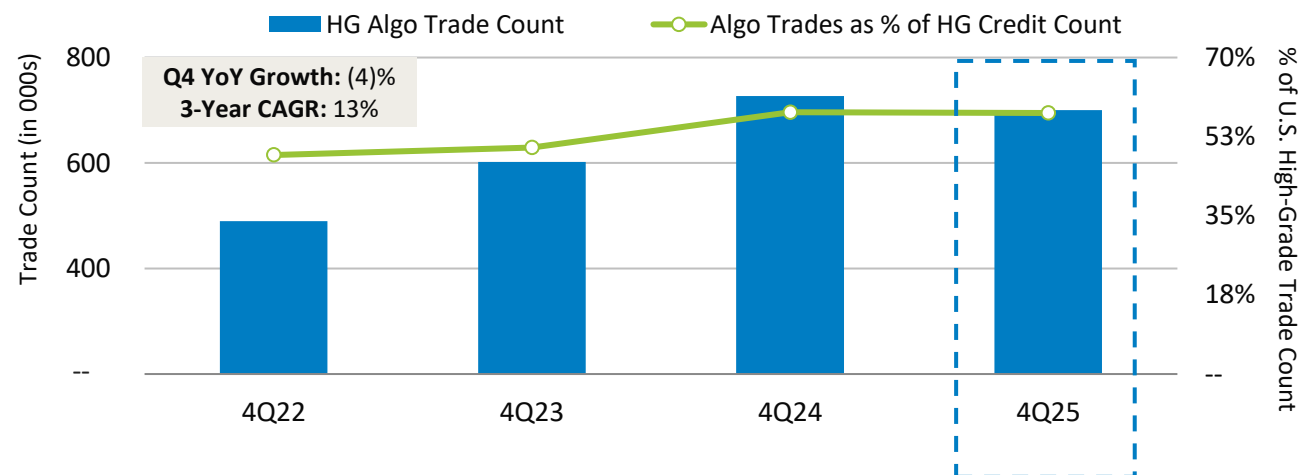
RECORD ACTIVE AUTO-X CLIENT FIRMS



AUTO-X TRADE COUNT AND TRADE VOLUME



U.S. HIGH-GRADE DEALER ALGO TRADES<sup>2</sup> AND % OF PLATFORM  
U.S. HIGH-GRADE TRADES



1. All period comparisons are 4Q25 vs. 4Q24 unless otherwise noted.  
2. Algorithmic trade count for U.S. high-grade spread-based trades only.

# Reconciliation of certain GAAP-basis financial results, excluding notable items

Reconciliation of certain GAAP-basis financial results, excluding notable items	4Q25	3Q25	4Q24	FY 2025	FY 2024
<b>Total expenses, GAAP-basis</b>	\$ 133,396	\$ 123,242	\$ 122,428	\$ 504,430	\$ 476,227
Exclude: Notable items					
Repositioning charges <sup>1</sup>	(1,084)	—	—	(5,054)	—
<b>Total expenses, excluding notable items</b>	\$ 132,312	\$ 123,242	\$ 122,428	\$ 499,376	\$ 476,227
<b>Other income (expense), GAAP-basis</b>	\$ 3,773	\$ 8,060	\$ 4,619	\$ 25,157	\$ 19,676
Exclude: Notable items					
Acquisition-related charge/(credit) <sup>2</sup>	—	—	—	557	—
<b>Other income (expense), excluding notable items</b>	\$ 3,773	\$ 8,060	\$ 4,619	\$ 25,714	\$ 19,676
<b>Net income, GAAP-basis</b>	\$ 92,394	\$ 68,273	\$ 65,139	\$ 246,912	\$ 274,181
Exclude: Notable items					
Repositioning charges <sup>1</sup>	1,084	—	—	5,054	—
Acquisition-related charge/(credit) <sup>2</sup>	—	—	—	557	—
Income tax impact from notable items	(254)	—	—	(1,471)	—
Reserve for uncertain tax positions related to prior periods	(31,308)	—	—	23,631	—
<b>Net income, excluding notable items</b>	\$ 61,916	\$ 68,273	\$ 65,139	\$ 274,683	\$ 274,181
<b>Diluted EPS, GAAP-basis</b>	\$ 2.51	\$ 1.84	\$ 1.73	\$ 6.64	\$ 7.28
Notable items as reconciled above	(0.83)	-	—	0.75	—
<b>Diluted EPS, excluding notable items</b>	\$ 1.68	\$ 1.84	\$ 1.73	\$ 7.39	\$ 7.28
<b>Effective tax rate, GAAP-basis</b>	(15.8)%	27.1%	23.0%	32.7%	24.0%
Notable items as reconciled above	39.2	—	—	(6.4)	—
<b>Effective tax rate, excluding notable items</b>	23.4%	27.1%	23.0%	26.3%	24.0%

1. Repositioning charges consist of severance included in employee compensation and benefits.  
2. Consists of loss on remeasurement of previous equity interest in RFQ-hub to fair value.

# Constant currency FX impacts

Constant currency FX impacts	4Q25		4Q24		FX Impact	% Δ Ex. FX	FY 2025		FY 2024		FX Impact	% Δ Ex. FX		
GAAP basis														
Revenue	\$	209,409	\$	202,404	\$	1,637	3 %	\$	846,268	\$	817,097	\$	4,580	3 %
Expenses		133,396		122,428		1,307	8		504,430		476,227		4,522	5
Operating income		76,013		79,976		331	(5)		341,838		340,870		58	-
Non-GAAP basis, excluding notable items <sup>1</sup>														
Revenue	\$	209,409	\$	202,404	\$	1,637	3 %	\$	846,268	\$	817,097	\$	4,580	3%
Expenses		132,312		122,428		1,307	7		499,376		476,227		4,522	4
Operating income		77,097		79,976		331	(4)		346,892		340,870		58	2

1. Refer to page 26 in the appendix of this presentation for a reconciliation of certain GAAP-basis financial results, excluding notable items.

# Reconciliation of net income to EBITDA and net income margin to EBITDA margin

Reconciliation of net income to EBITDA and net Income margin to EBITDA margin	4Q25	3Q25	4Q24	FY 2025	FY 2024
<b>Net income</b>	<b>\$ 92,394</b>	<b>\$ 68,273</b>	<b>\$ 65,139</b>	<b>\$ 246,912</b>	<b>\$ 274,181</b>
Add back:					
Interest income	(5,448)	(5,850)	(6,719)	(24,397)	(26,046)
Interest expense	964	171	318	1,487	1,601
Provision for income taxes	(12,608)	25,366	19,456	120,083	86,365
Depreciation and amortization	19,606	19,662	18,540	76,699	73,824
<b>EBITDA</b>	<b>\$ 94,908</b>	<b>\$ 107,622</b>	<b>\$ 96,734</b>	<b>\$ 420,784</b>	<b>\$ 409,925</b>
<b>Net income margin<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>44.1%</b>	<b>32.7%</b>	<b>32.2%</b>	<b>29.2%</b>	<b>33.6%</b>
Add back:					
Interest income	(2.6)	(2.8)	(3.3)	(2.9)	(3.2)
Interest expense	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
Provision for income taxes	(6.1)	12.1	9.5	14.1	10.6
Depreciation and amortization	9.4	9.4	9.2	9.1	9.0
<b>EBITDA margin<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>45.3%</b>	<b>51.5%</b>	<b>47.8%</b>	<b>49.7%</b>	<b>50.2%</b>

1. Net income margin is derived by dividing net income by total revenues for the applicable period.  
2. EBITDA margin is derived by dividing EBITDA by total revenues for the applicable period.

# Reconciliation of FY net cash provided by operating activities to FY free cash flow

Reconciliation of FY net cash provided by operating activities to FY free cash flow <sup>1</sup>	FY 2025	FY 2024
<b>Net cash provided by operating activities</b>	<b>\$ 382,139</b>	<b>\$ 385,237</b>
Exclude: Net change in trading investments	(206)	629
Exclude: Net change in fail-to-deliver/receive from broker-dealers, clearing organizations and customers	22,965	(1,118)
Less: Purchases of furniture, equipment and leasehold improvements	(8,204)	(9,942)
Less: Capitalization of software development costs	(49,810)	(46,623)
<b>Free cash flow</b>	<b>\$ 346,884</b>	<b>\$ 328,183</b>

1. For periods other than those presented in this table, see the Investor Relations section of the Company's website under Financials – Supplementary Financial Information – Non-GAAP Financial Measures.

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