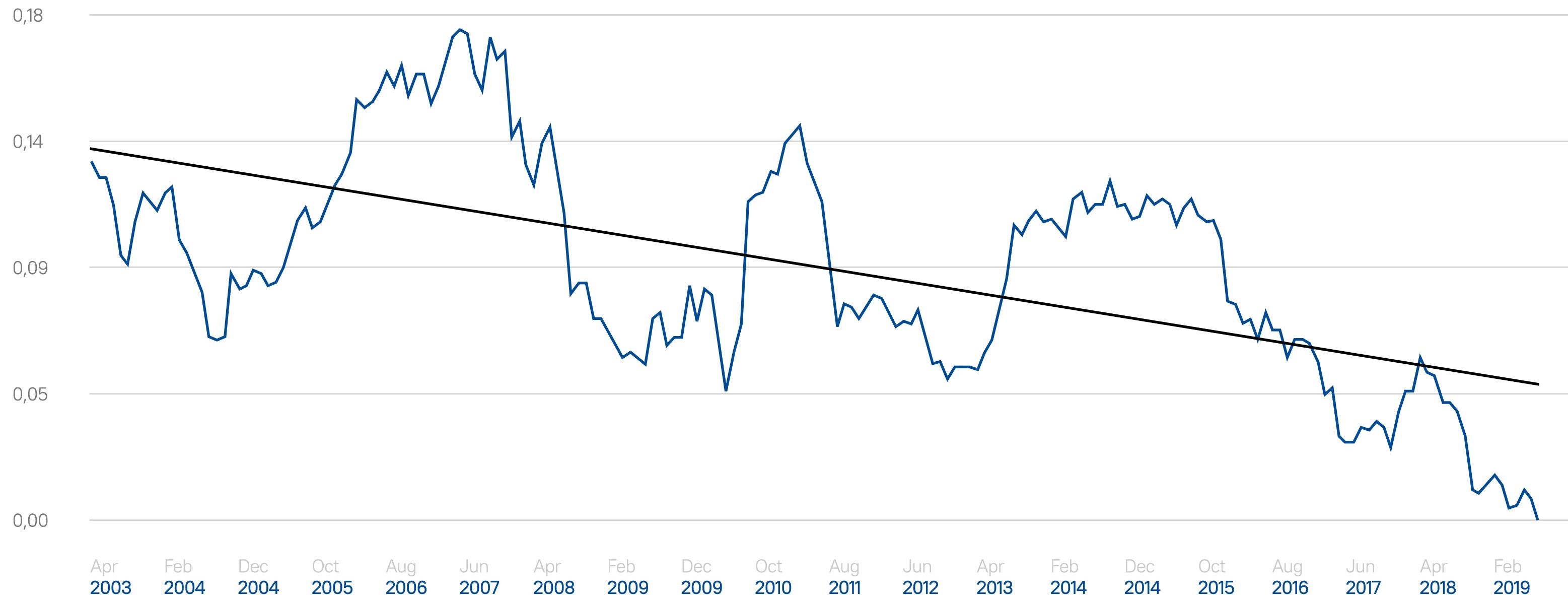


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quant margins are decreasing

long term returns are trending towards zero



old school quant funds lose money

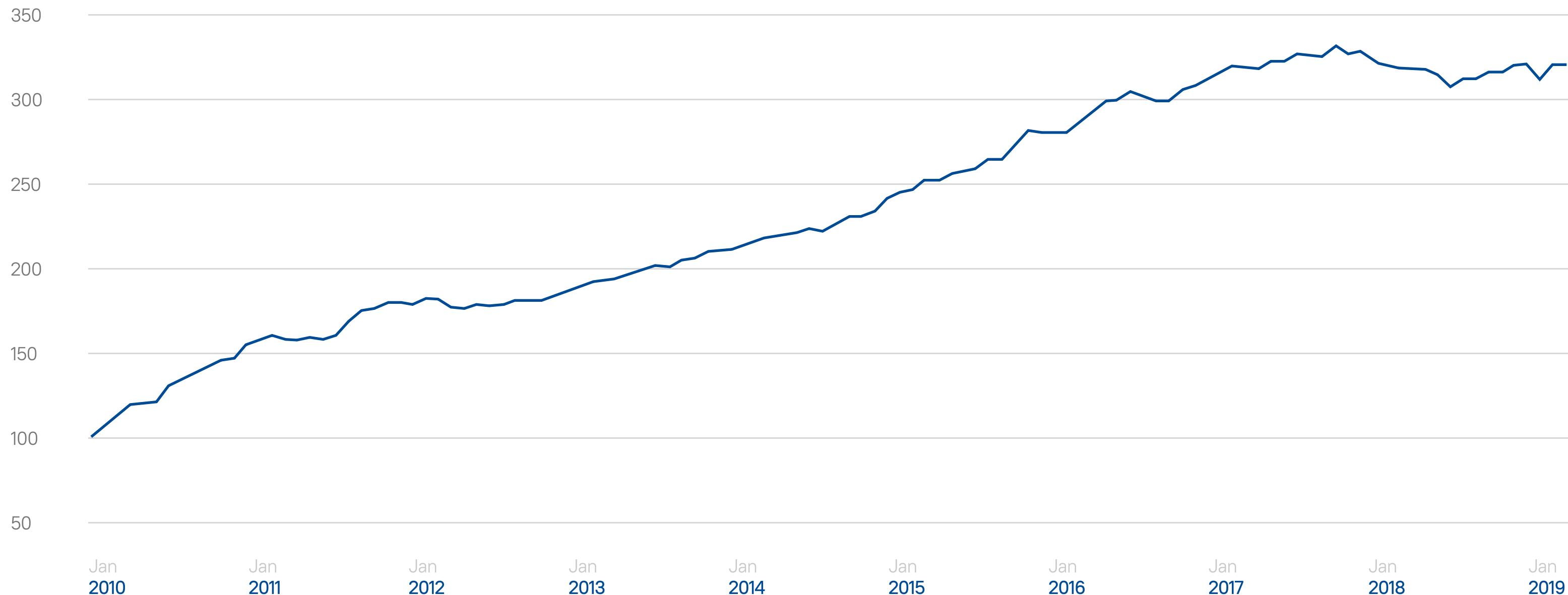
most recognised quant fund's equity strategy
performance (aqr, equity market neutral fund)



naive ai not doing any better

eurekahedge ai hedge fund index

al index in red for almost 2 years



because they fail to adapt

al index in red for almost 2 years

- ingesting **data** sources requires significant effort
- new **strategies** are expensive to generate
- lack of research **transparency** strains decision making

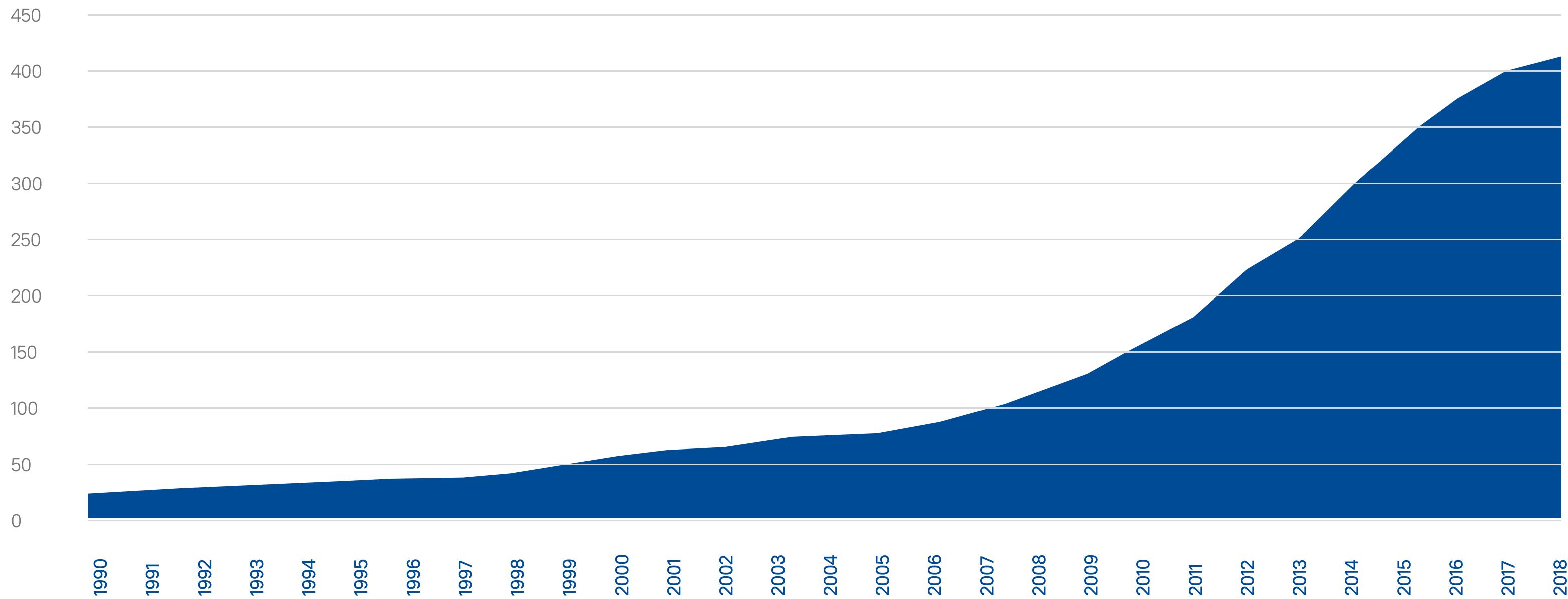
automation enables

- 1 quick and measured **data** onboarding
- 2 cheap and transparent **research**
- 3 streamlined portfolio **management and risk** assessment

harvesting data diversity

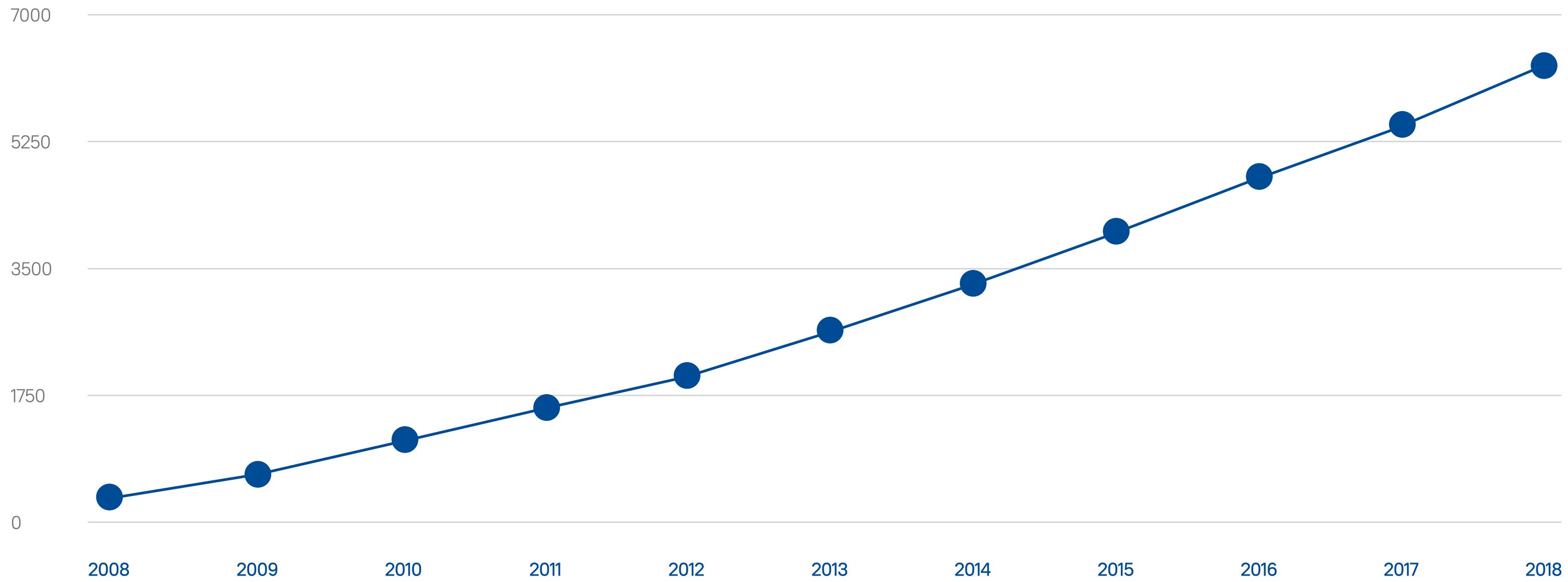
datasets quantity rose 4x in a decade

y axis: number of alternative data providers



continuous research improvement

20x more quant papers in a decade



rapid scaling

easy adaptation to a new

geography

trading
schedule

asset class

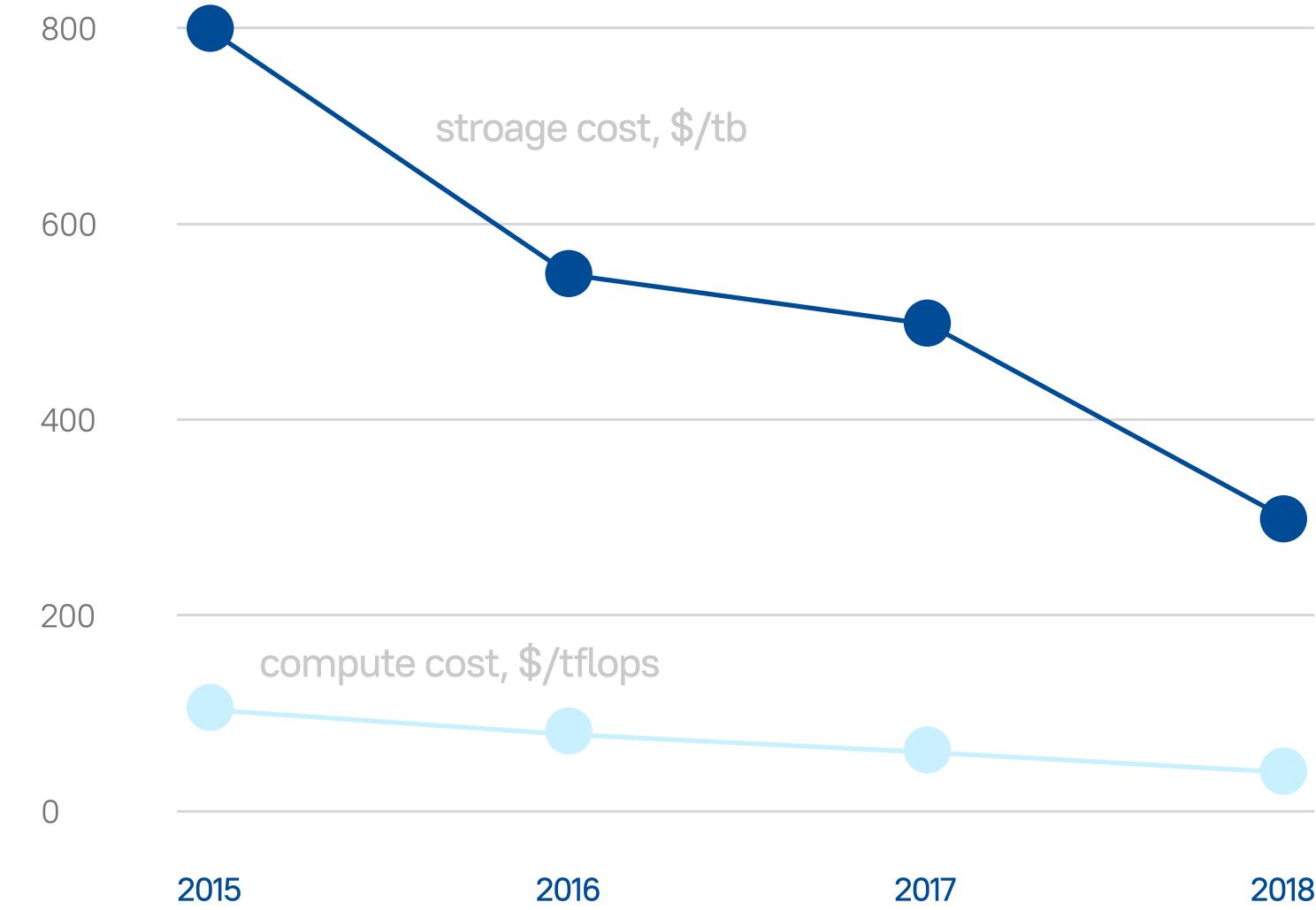
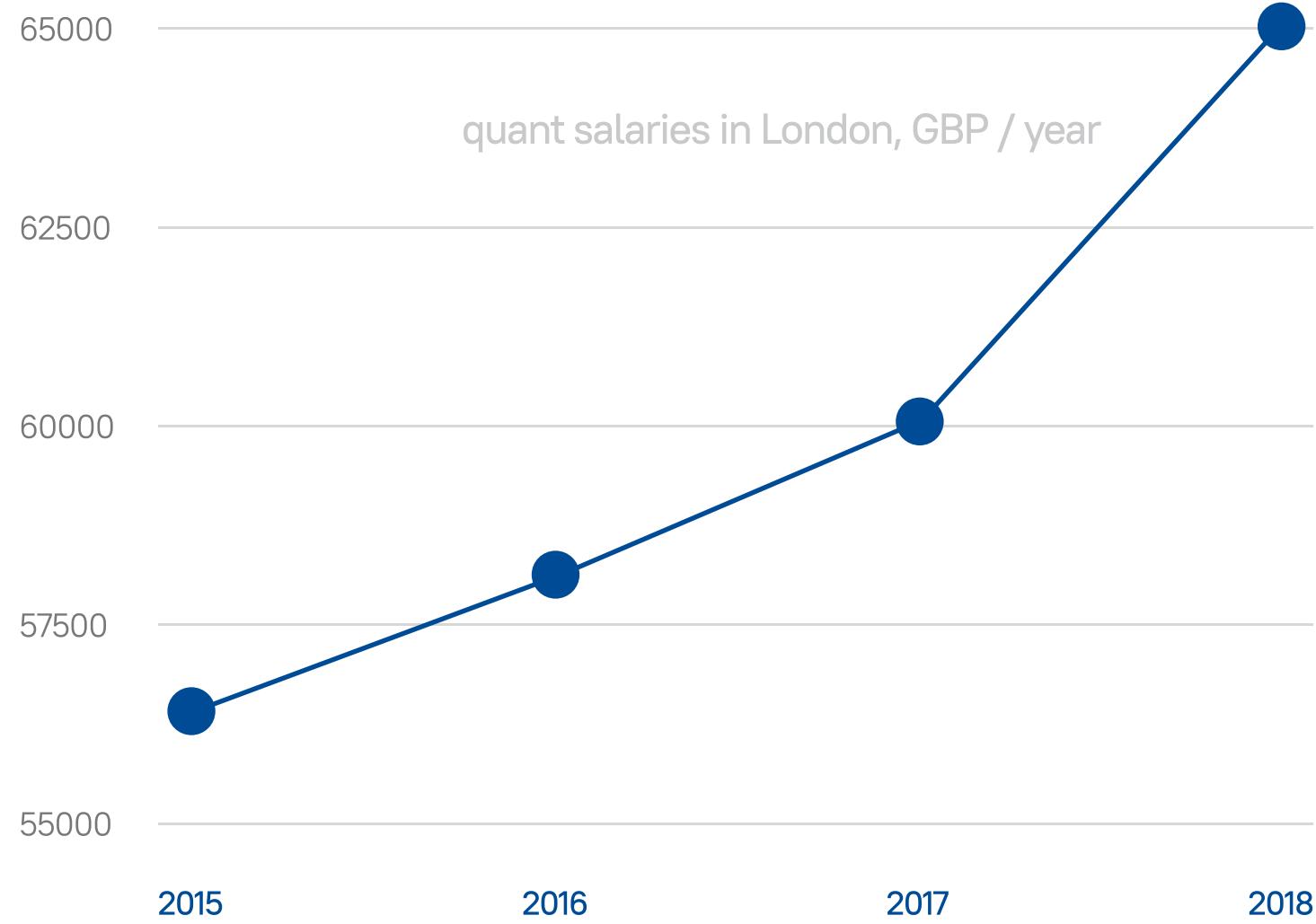
while making investment resilient

- flawed **data providers** can be replaced within weeks not years
- research-as-a-**code approach** allows rigorous model debugging
- **strategies** are timely updated so the factor suite stays evergreen

at the fraction of a cost

quant salaries rise
(payscale)

storage and compute become
cheaper (western digital, arxiv)



we at synthesis

amir aliev

chief executive officer

thesis: Probability Theory | antithesis: HFT

alexander minasyan

chief technology officer

Thesis: Computer Science | Antithesis: HPS

mikhail demekhin

chief investment officer

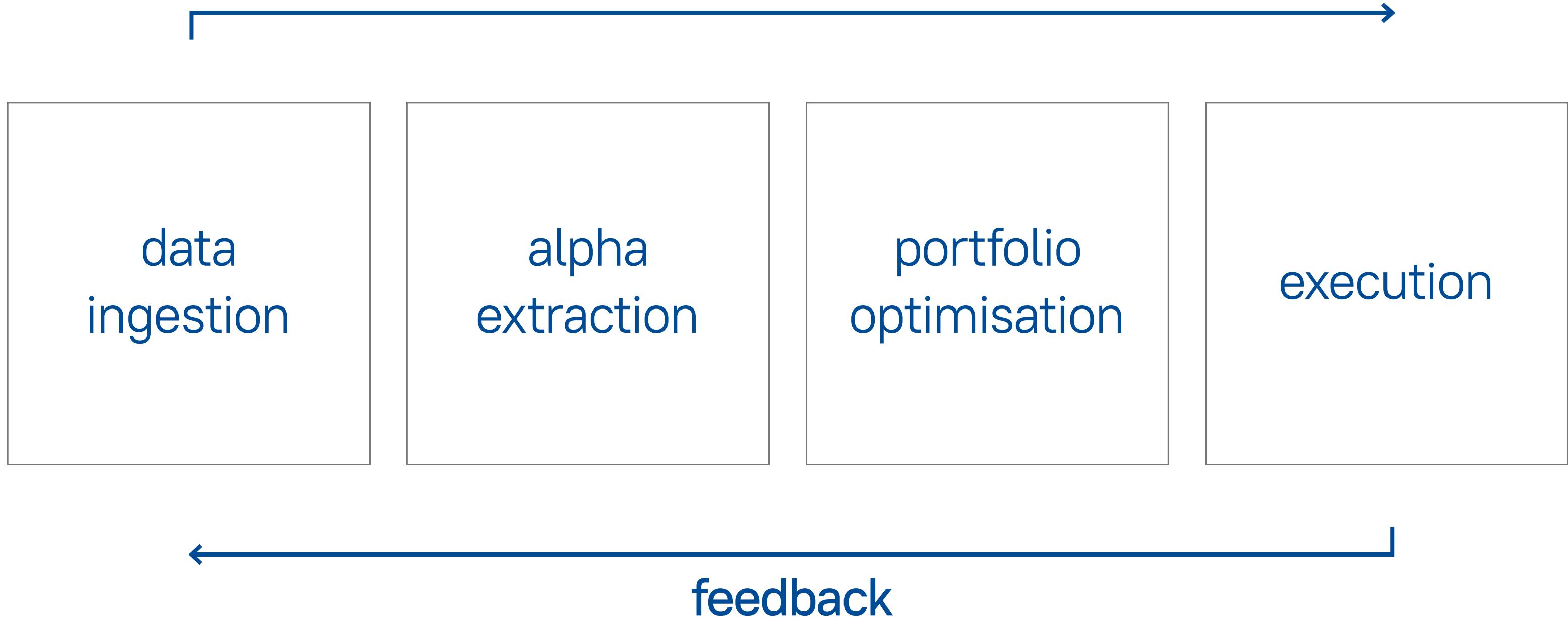
thesis: Probability Theory | Antithesis: quant research

olga kokareva

managing director

Thesis: MBA | Antithesis: Data Management

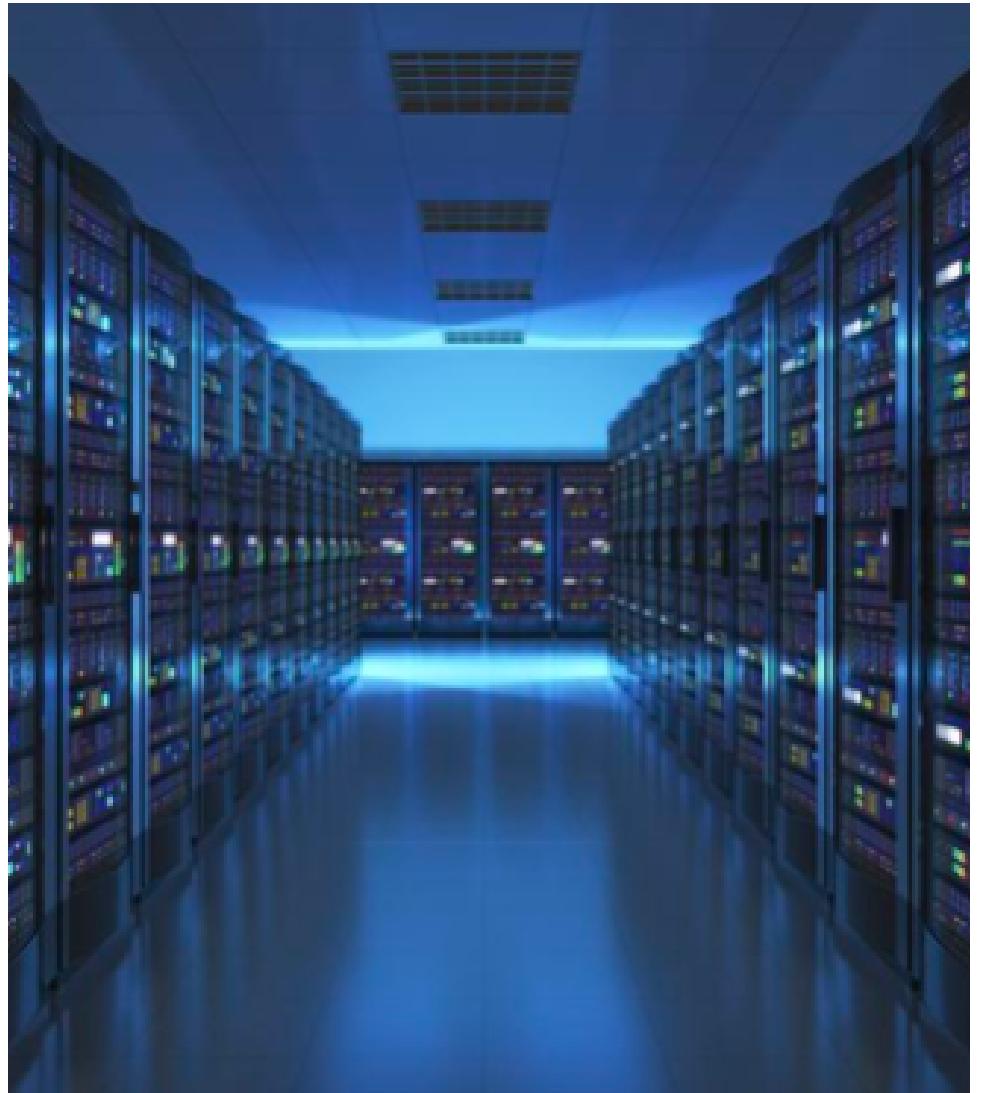
automated everything



gathered strong team



geography

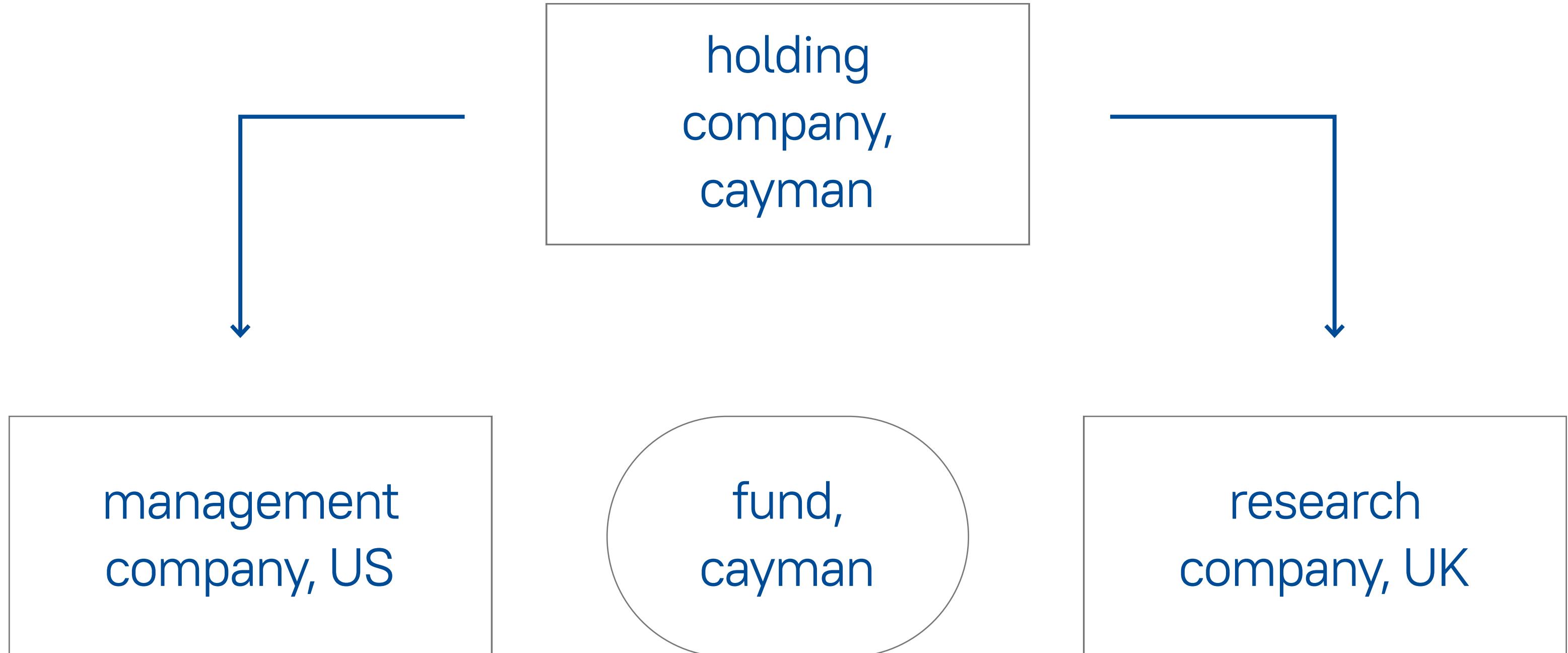


portfolio managers



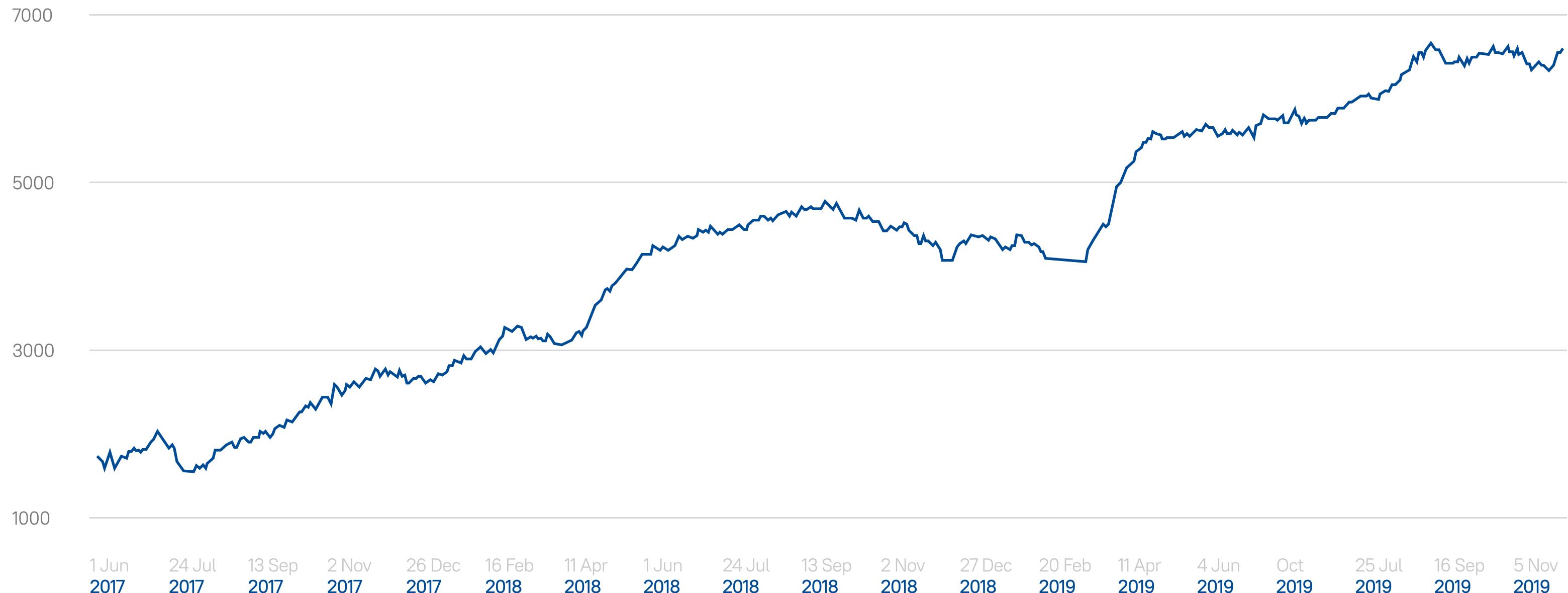
traders

all within neat structure



we proved viability

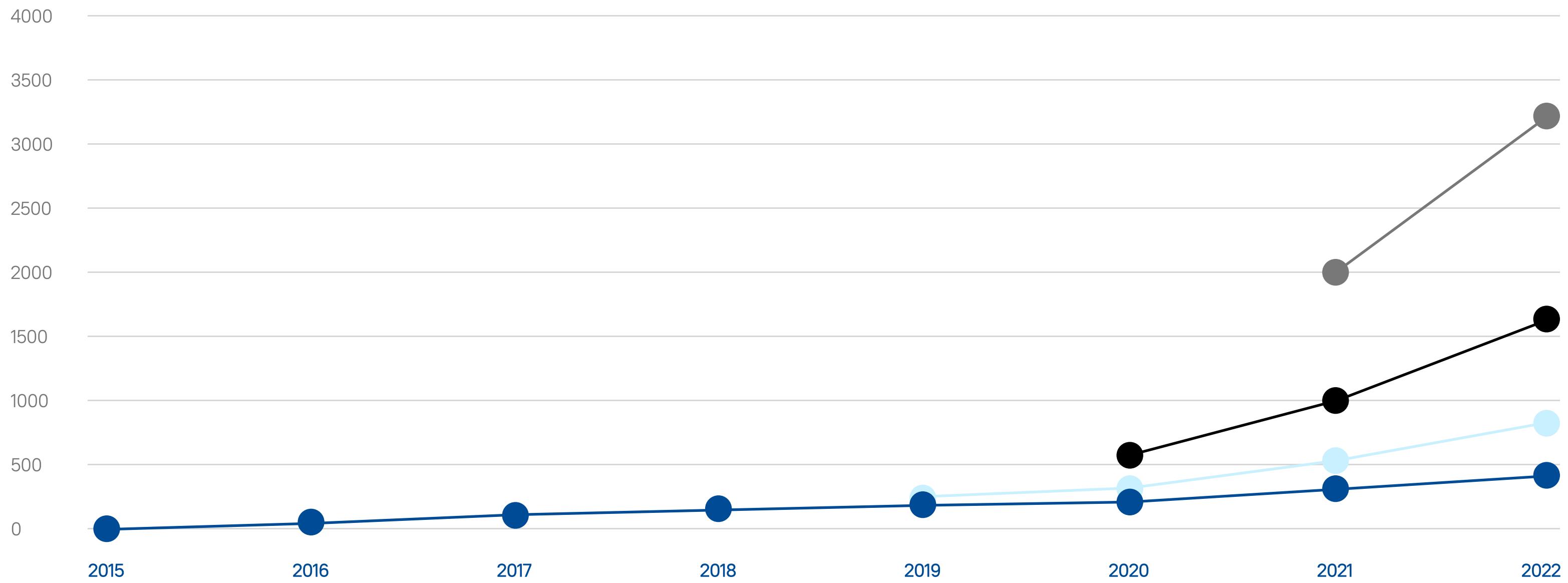
return on capital invested @ 10% annualised volatility target, bps



and now are ready to expand

optimal book size, \$ millions

- 2x adding global equities
- 2x adding closing auction
- 2x adding intraday execution
- only executing on the opening auction



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thank you!