



## Westwing has always been led by the founders

We are pursuing a longterm vision to revolutionize home & living



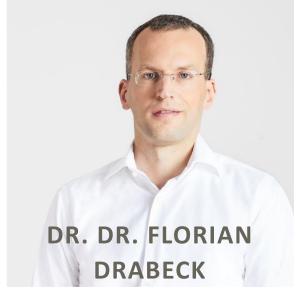


- At Westwing since 2011
- 20 years of professional experience, thereof 12 years eCommerce/Internet
- Bain & Company, dooyoo, Friendity, Daimler



# Founder & Chief Creative Officer

- At Westwing since 2011
- 13 years of professional experience
- ELLE Magazine,
   ELLE Décoration



### **Chief Financial Officer**

- At Westwing since 2011
- 12 years of professional experience
- RBR Capital Advisors, Bain & Company
- 2 PhD's (Mathematics, Economics), CFA

# We founded Westwing 7 years ago to become the leading inspiration-based Home & Living eCommerce brand in Europe

- Our mission is "To inspire and make every home a beautiful home"
- We sell beautiful home & living products like textiles, rugs, furniture, lighting, decoration
- Westwing is a "curated shoppable magazine", fresh every day
- Our customers are 90% women, and they are very loyal:

  We do 85% of our sales with customers who visit us on average 100 times a year
- The opportunity is massive: EUR 117bn market in our geographies, very early in eCommerce

### Customer loyalty leads to profitable growth

- EUR 248m revenue (LTM per Q3-2018), and we are Adj. EBITDA profitable
- Highlights from our most recent financials (LTM per Q3-2018):
   18% revenue growth with 6% marketing cost ratio and 1.8% Adj. EBITDA margin



# Our brand has very strong customer loyalty

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# We focus on women as they take the vast majority of home decisions



# "Men buy, women shop"





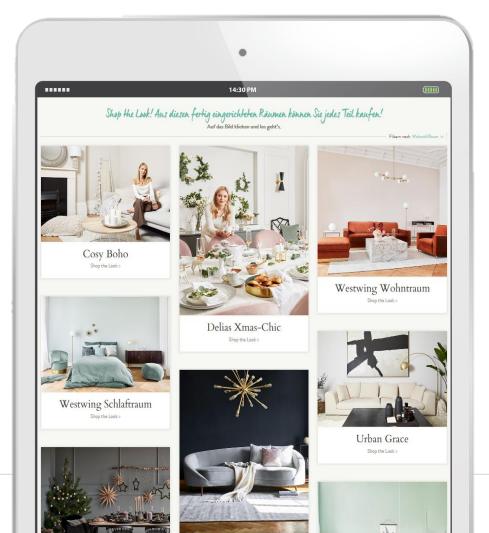




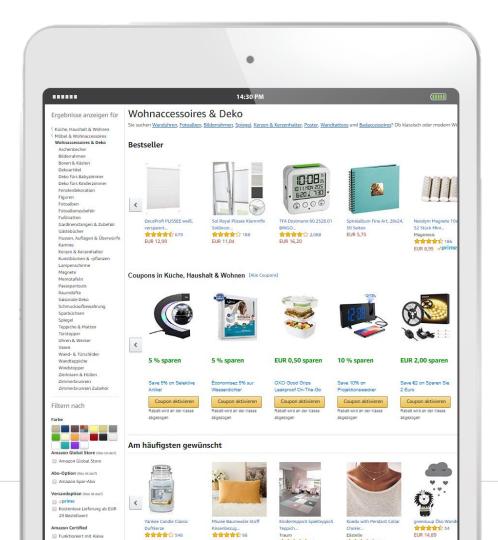
- Women aged 25-60 years
- Interior decoration interested
   Want guidance and ideas. Want their home as stylish as their wardrobe
- Want to have a home not just a house,
   see their home as reflection of their personality
- Enjoy redecorating and hosting: important part of their lifestyle; desire to add decoration pieces
- Enjoy bargains, no compromise on quality and style
- Impulse buyers, not necessarily always seeking to completely re-furnish

# We are the leader in "inspiration-based eCommerce", which works much better for home & living than typical eCommerce

## WESTWING



### **Typical eCommerce**



VS

# We uniquely combine inspiration and shopping in a "curated shoppable magazine"

### **Inspiration/Content**

### Magazin

6 Tipps für ein wunderschönes Büro





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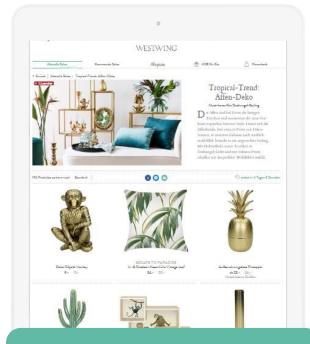
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Combining 'best of both worlds' in an online curated platform

### Commerce



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18.99 Duftkerze Aromatherapy (Rose, Fresie & Lilie)



ab 39.-Wandspiegel Metal



Samt-Hocker Cherry

# Westwing sells gorgeous, inspirational products across the full range of the home & living category





## Our Creative Team is powering our brand and business model with >100 world-class Creatives

### **Senior Creative Leaders (4 of 10 Senior Creative Directors)**



#### Munich

Before founding Westwing, Delia worked at ELLE Magazine / ELLE Decoration / Burda Media as Editor for Home & Living, Lifestyle and Beauty

**DELIA FISCHER** Founder & Chief Creative Officer



CHRISTINE BÜRG Founder & Creative Director

### Munich

Before joining Westwing, Christine worked for more than 20 years as a journalist for several women magazines such as EKKE, Marie Claire, Glamour, Vogue Business. Most recently, she was the deputy editor-in-chief of ELLE Decoration



#### Warsaw

Marta is an experienced home & living journalist. Before Westwing, she worked for the most popular Polish interior design magazine "Cztery Kąty" and "Dom&Wnętrze". She also ran a TV show. Marta studies Exterior Architecture.



**SUCHODOLSKA** 

Creative Director

**MARTA** 

Creative Director

#### Milan

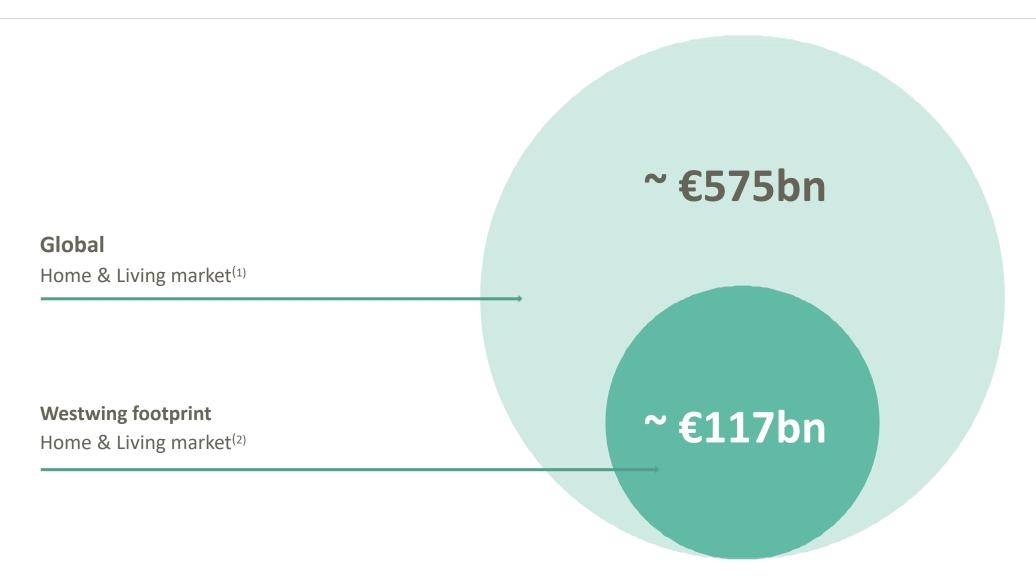
Alexandra is an architect and a product designer with a vast international experience. She worked as a product designer in the biggest Design Studio in Brazil (India da Costa) and also as interior designer at Esther Giobbi.

### Full Creative Team >100 world-class experts strong

- **Creatives covering all business areas** Marketing, Daily Themes, Permanent Assortment, Own & Private Label, International
- **Key roles** Editors, Creative Merchandisers, Stylists, Art Directors, Interior Designers, Photographers, Cinemagraphers
- **Typical backgrounds** Magazine editors-in-chief and editors (from home & living and fashion), Fashion stylists, Interior designers, Filmmakers, Fashion photographers, Graphics designers

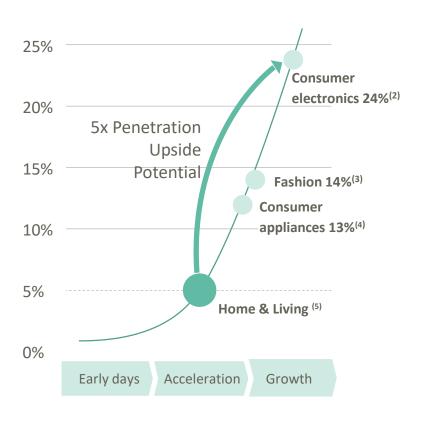


# We are targeting a huge addressable market ...

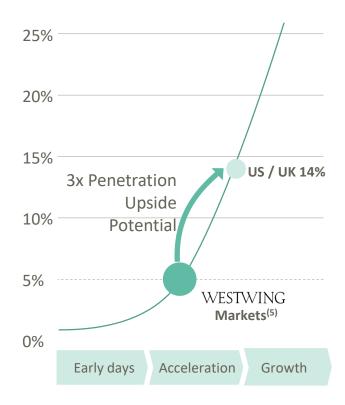


# ...that is at the tipping point of online acceleration

## Online penetration by industry in Westwing markets<sup>(1)</sup>



## Home & living online penetration by geography



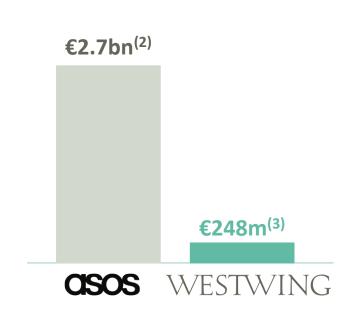
### **Comments**

Drivers of online acceleration later than other verticals

- Demographics: home & living customers are typically older than e.g. fashion or consumer electronics customers
- Shopping is not search-based, rather inspiration-based, so Google and Amazon don't work as well
- Highly fragmented market and no strong brands to push eCommerce adoption
- Complex operations that need to be set up due to breakable and large-sized products

## Ample space to grow in Home & Living market







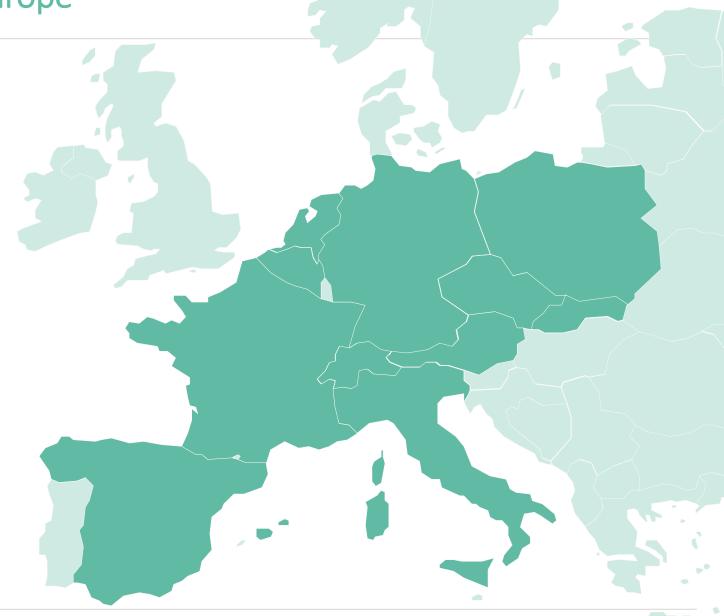
# We are active in 11 countries in Europe

50%

DACH SEGMENT

50%

INTERNATIONAL SEGMENT



Note: Segment basis is LTM per Q3-2018 Revenue

WESTWING

# Highly scalable platform with full value chain control

# Inspiration & Curation

# Integrated supply chain

### Fulfillment<sup>(1)</sup>

### **Customer service**<sup>(2)</sup>



 Dedicated, creative staff including over 100 editors, journalists and content creators



- 3rd party and Own & Private Label
- 5,000 suppliers from across the globe
- Growing share of Own & Private Label

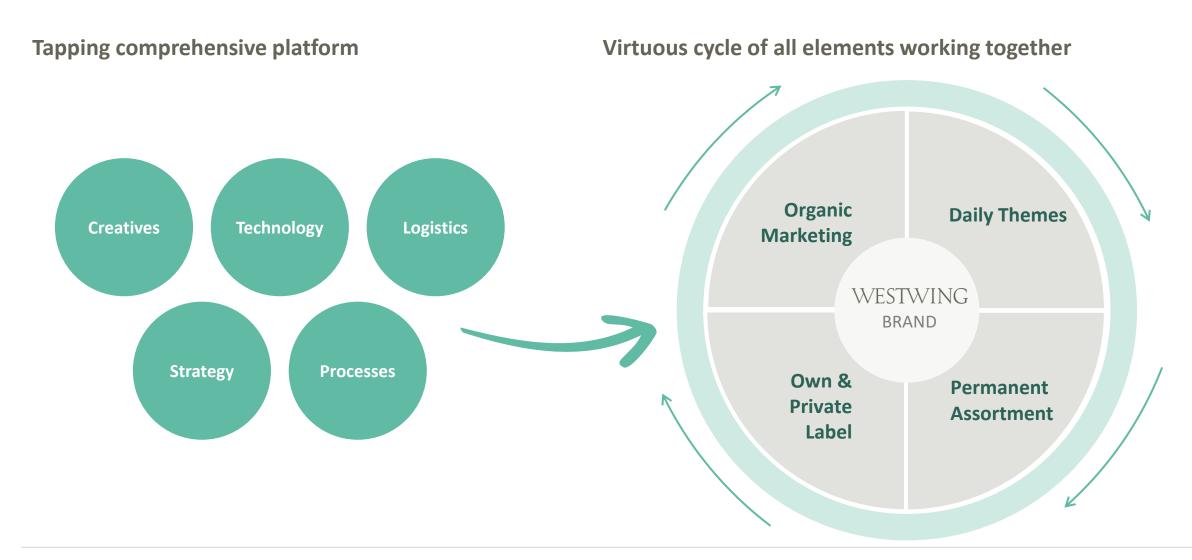


- 7 warehouses with c. 70k sqm
- 20 last-mile carriers and multiple other logistics partners
- 15 payment methods



- 5 local customer service centers
- 127 staff
- 317k calls p.a.
- 429k emails p.a.
- 28k chats p.a.

# Our full business model: Rolled out in DACH since 2015; international roll-out ongoing



# Roll-out of our proven DACH business model into our international markets is a key part of our strategy

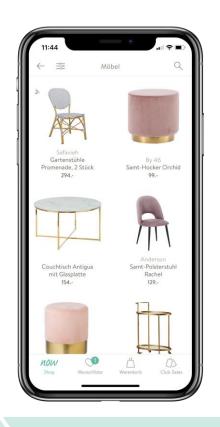
	International	DACH
Daily themes and loyalty model		
Permanent bestseller assortment		
Organic and content marketing		
Own & Private Label share (Q3-2018)	7%	27%
Revenue y-o-y growth (LTM Q3-2018)	2%	40%
Adj. EBITDA margin (LTM Q3-2018)	0%	4%

# We operate a unique business model where we acquire customers in one model and monetize them in both models



### WESTWING

- Efficient acquisition and retention
- Very high customer engagement and repeat purchases
- Rich data on customer preferences and supplies



### WESTWING NOW

- Scalable supply at even higher margins (esp. Own & Private Label)
- High growth and profitablity
- Leverage collected customer data to offer relevant assortment

Acquire, retain, engage

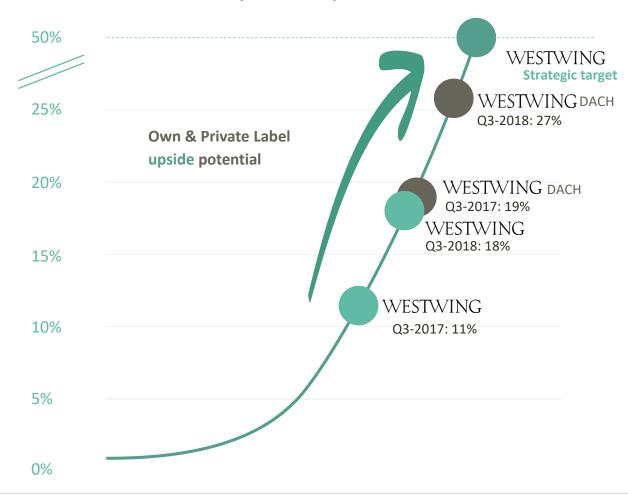
Cross-sell and up-sell

### WESTWING PLATFORM

(Own & Private Label, marketing, technology, warehouses, data, etc)

# Own & Private Label is our most powerful strategic initiative

### Own & Private Label share (% of GMV)



- 5,000 + Own & Private Label SKUs
- Beautiful products that our customers crave and desire
- Full control over supply chain and quality
- Highly competitive pricing
- Contribution margins are ~8-10ppts higher

# Some of our bestselling Own & Private Label products



SOFA CUCITA
Selling Price: €1,199



SILVERWARE SHINE Selling Price: €49



VELVET POUF HARLOW Selling Price: €139



RUG NAIMA
Selling Price: Starting at €79<sup>(1)</sup>



BED LINEN MALIN Selling Price: €49

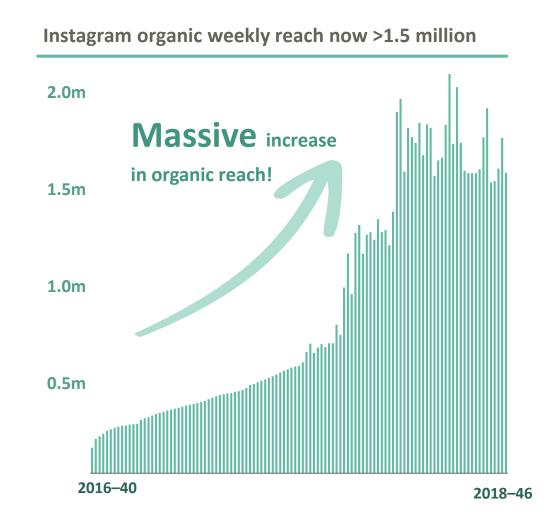


Selling Price: €114

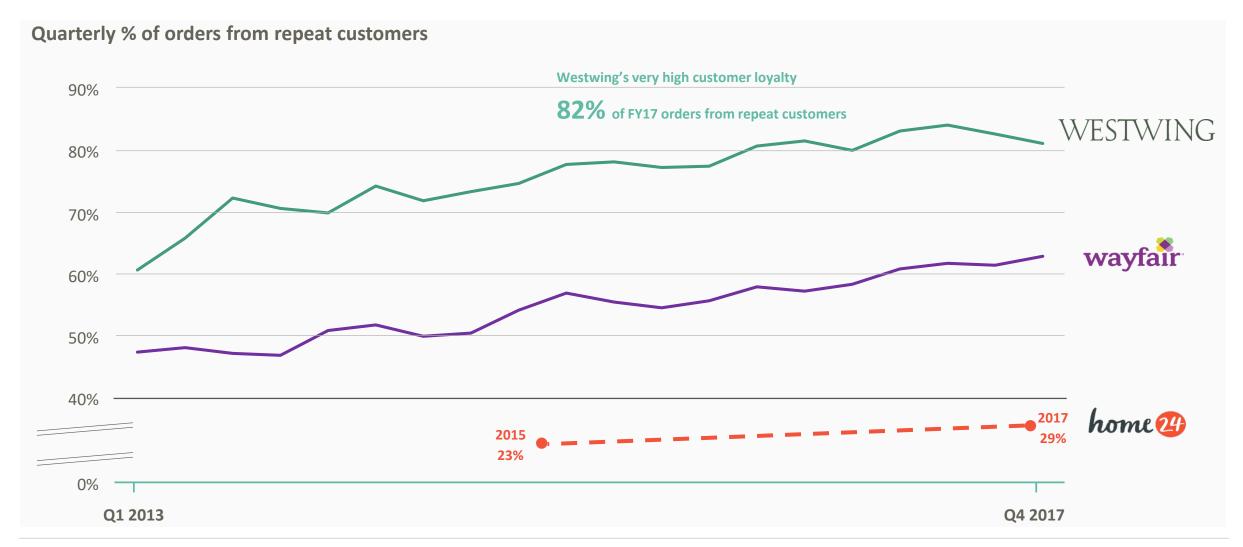
# Organic marketing model is asset-building and leverages our most important and fast-growing channel Instagram



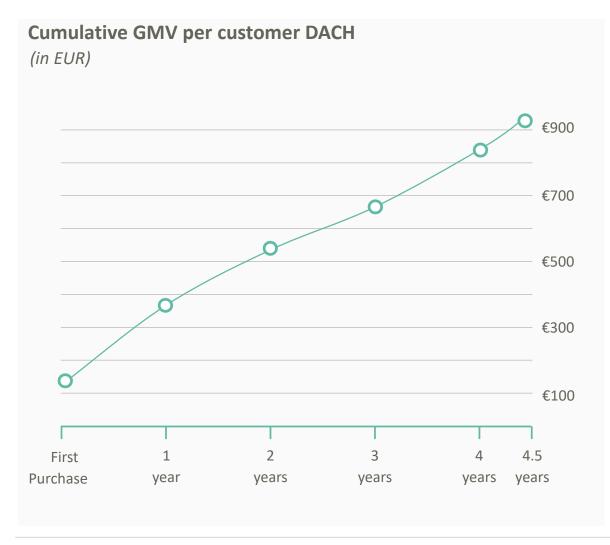
- We use our content from daily themes and content produced in our social media film studio
- Free user-generated content #mywestwingstyle and influencers to expand our reach
- All based on our unique creativity and our love brand (hard to copy for competitors)
- Massive results after a few years with largely stable cost base



# Result #1: Very high customer loyalty



## Result #2: Substantial customer lifetime value

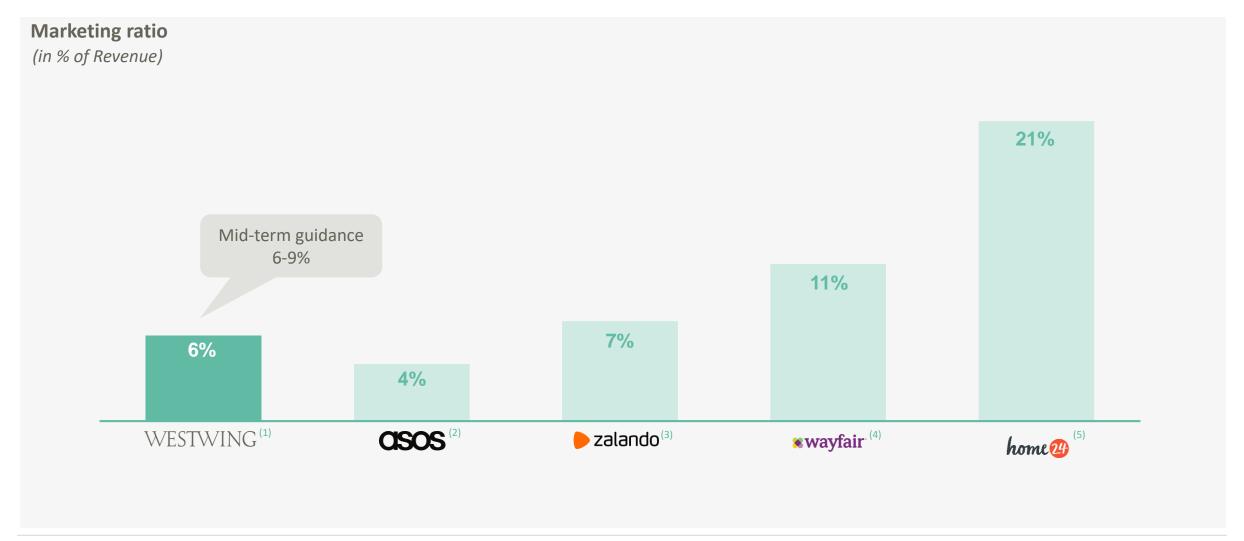


### **Exemplary real customer purchases**

Helene L. from Augsburg (Germany)<sup>(1)</sup>, some of her lifetime Westwing purchases



# Result #3: Best-in-class marketing ratio

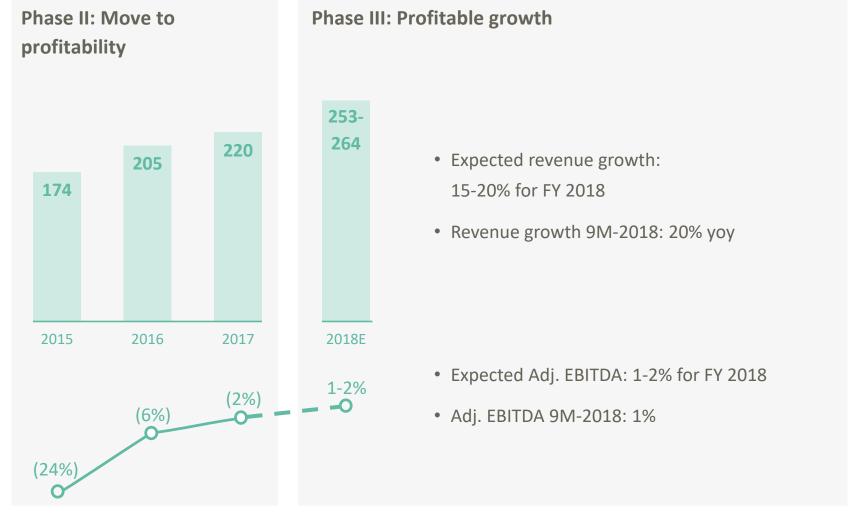


# Result #4: Superior CLV/CAC<sup>(1)</sup> ratio ahead of other eCommerce companies



# Financials: We are growing profitably

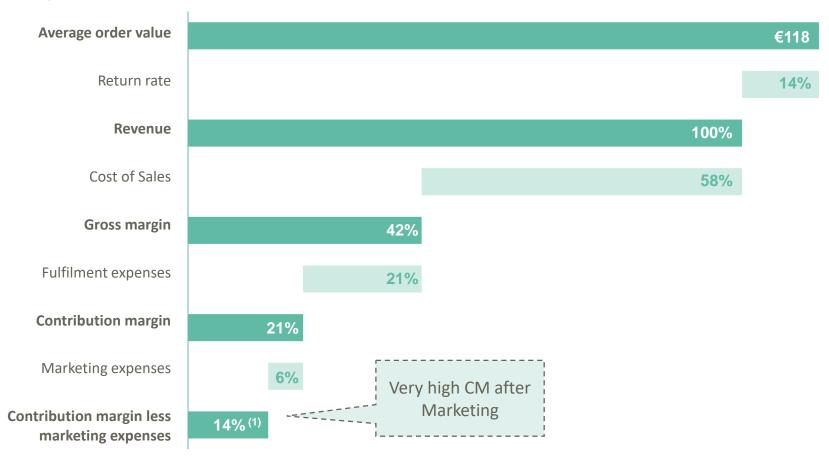




# Our Contribution Margin is attractive at 21%, with a 42% Gross Margin and 21% Fulfilment cost

### Revenue and cost breakdown LTM per Q3-2018

(EUR, in % of revenue)



# DACH Segment and International Segment: P&Ls

### Segment revenue and adj. EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup> development

(EUR, in % of revenue)

2015	2016	2017	LTM 2018 <sup>(2)</sup>
62	79	98	124
(13)	(3)	1	5
(21%)	(4%)	1%	4%
112	126	122	124
(29)	(9)	(5)	0
(26%)	(7%)	(4%)	0%
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- DACH is where we have implemented the complete business model first (i.e. daily themes, permanent assortment, Own & Private Label, organic marketing)
- Once proven, we have started to roll it out to our International Segment

# Our DACH segment is leading the way

- Daily themes and loyalty model
- Brand building
- Organic and content marketing
- Permanent bestseller assortment
- Focus on Own & Private Label

International rollout of DACH role model ongoing

50%

**Group Sales** 

Growth of

40%

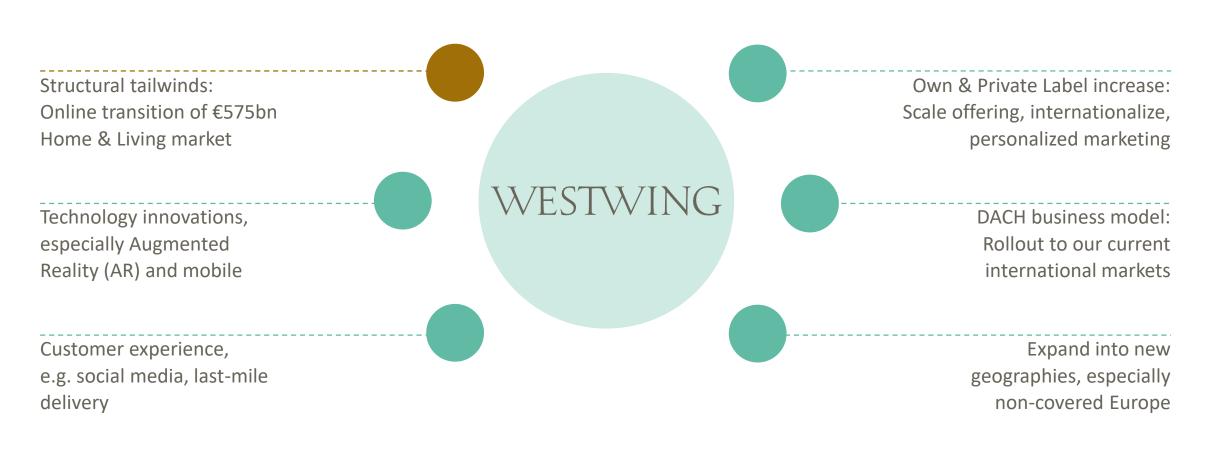
Adj. EBITDA margin of

4%

Note: LTM per end of Q3-2018

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# Our business combines a number of drivers for profitable growth



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