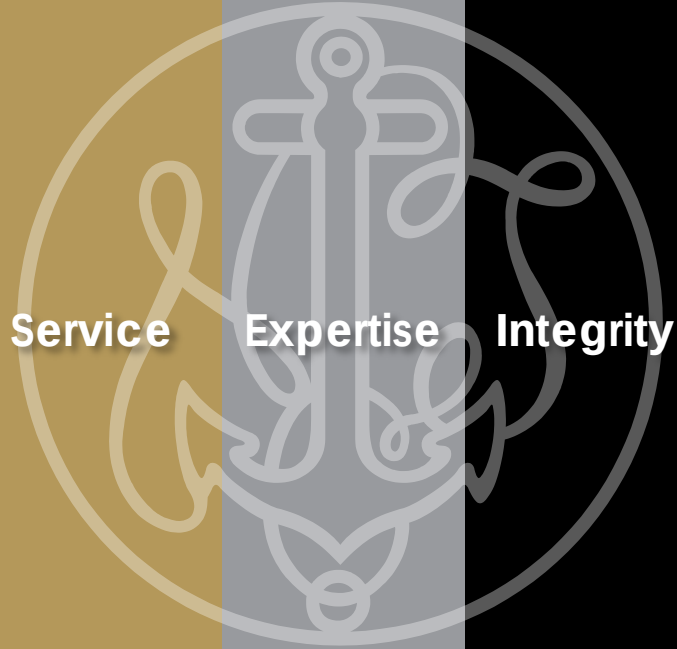




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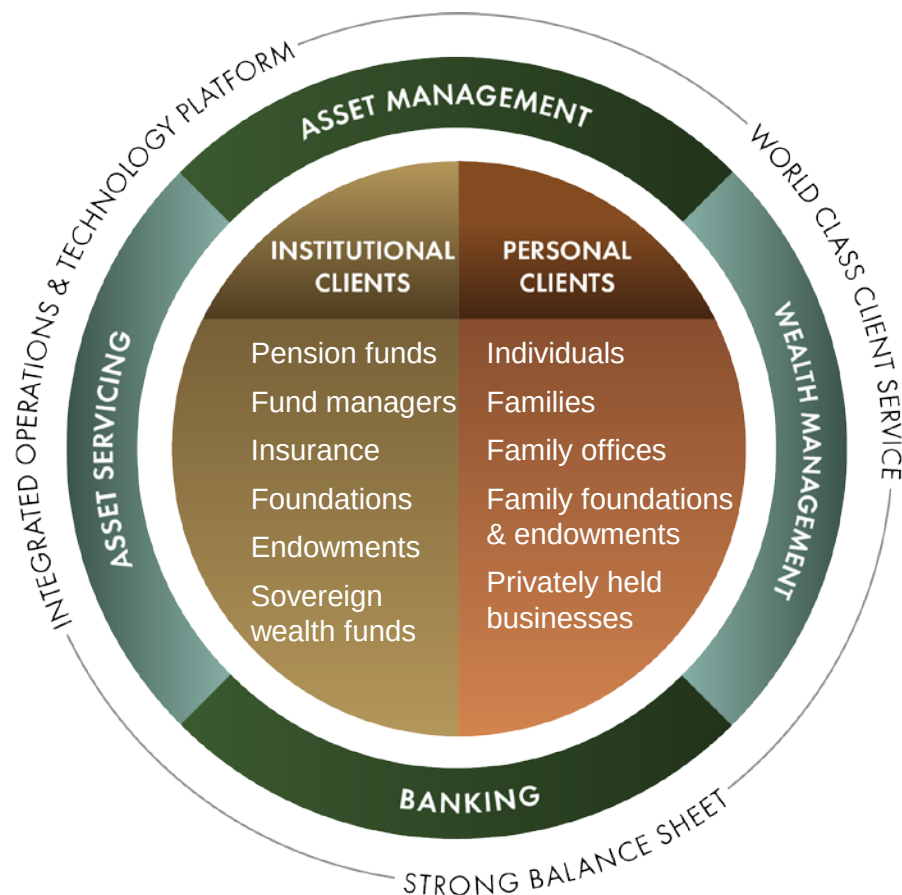
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A Highly Focused Business Model

Founded in 1889, Northern Trust Corporation is a global leader in asset servicing, asset management, wealth management and banking for personal and institutional clients.



Personal Financial Services

Leading advisor to affluent market

- AUM \$184 Billion
- AUC \$429 Billion

Corporate & Institutional Services

Leading global custodian

- AUC \$4.3 Trillion
- AUM \$566 Billion

Northern Trust Global Investments

Leading asset manager for personal & institutional clients

- AUM \$750 Billion

Operations & Technology

Integrated global operating platform

- Serving personal and institutional clients
- \$1.6 Billion in technology spending 2009-2011

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Comprehensive Approach to Serving the Affluent Market

Financial Planning

- Cash flow analysis
- Debt management
- Tax planning
- Retirement planning

Investment Management

- Comprehensive investment capabilities
- Custom asset allocation
- Broad menu of outside managers
- Brokerage services

Private and Business Banking

- Deposit services
- Custom financing
- Stock option lending

Trust & Estate Services

- Wealth transfer planning
- Trust and estate services
- Philanthropic advisory services
- Securities custody

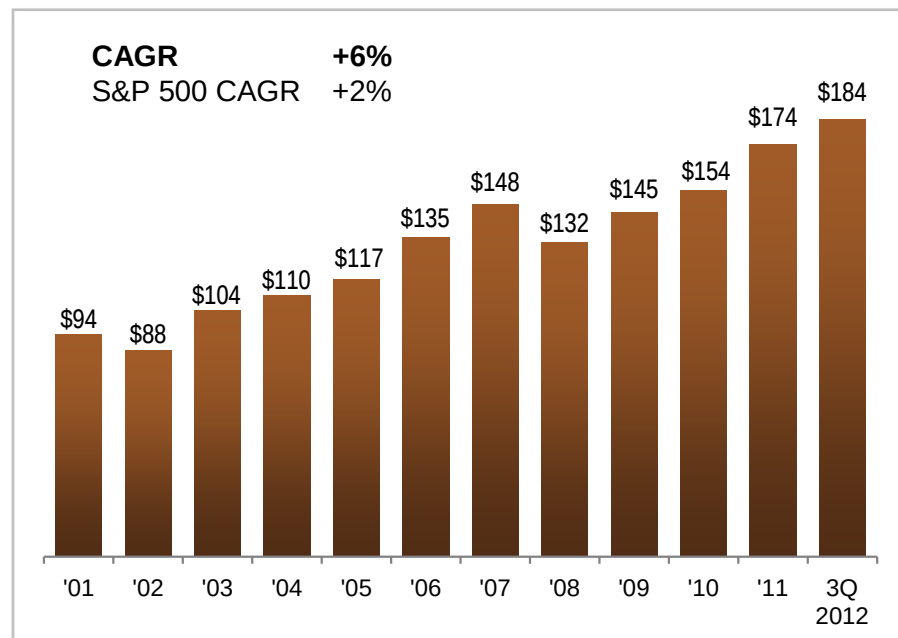
Advisory Services

- Family education and governance
- Family business
- Non-financial asset management

Foundation and Institutional Advisors

- Customized investment objectives and strategic asset allocation
- Manager selection and oversight
- Asset servicing and administration

PFS Assets Under Management (\$ Billions)

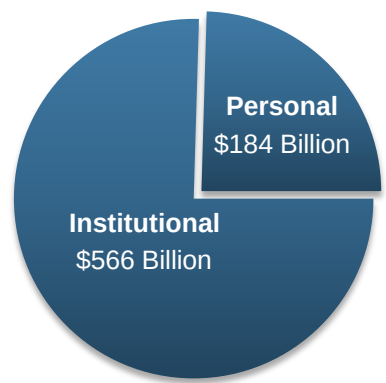




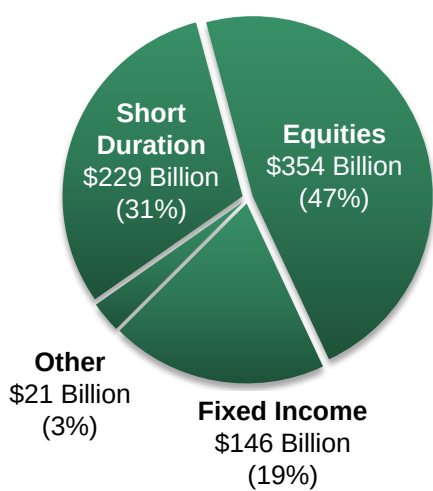
Client Focused, Diversified Investment Manager

Providing diversified asset management solutions, with total assets under management of \$750 billion across...

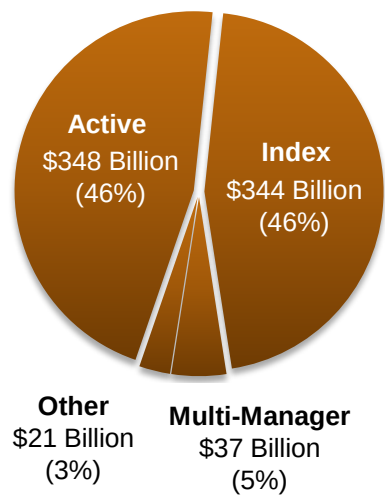
Client Segments



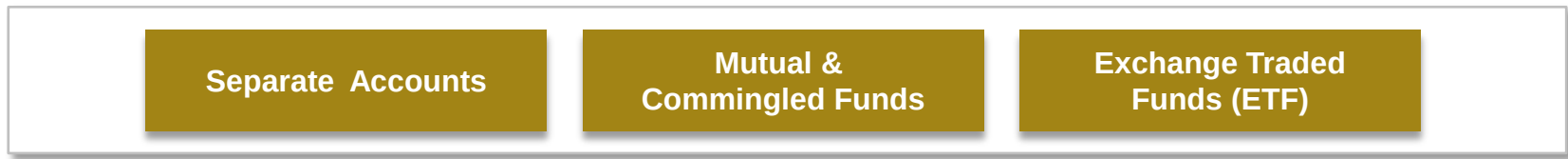
Asset Classes



Styles



Delivered through Various Structures

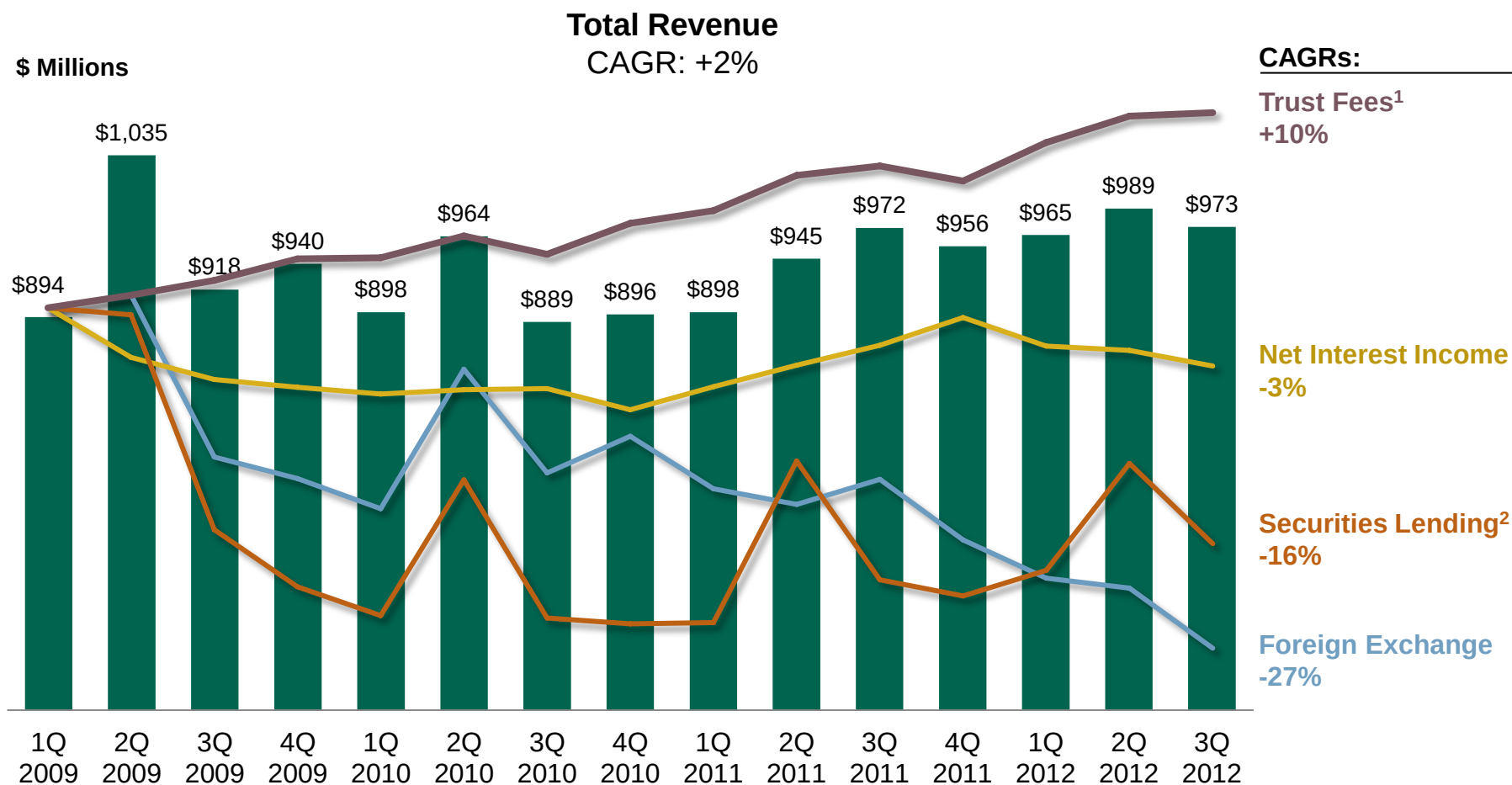


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Strong Trust Fee Growth Tempered by Headwinds



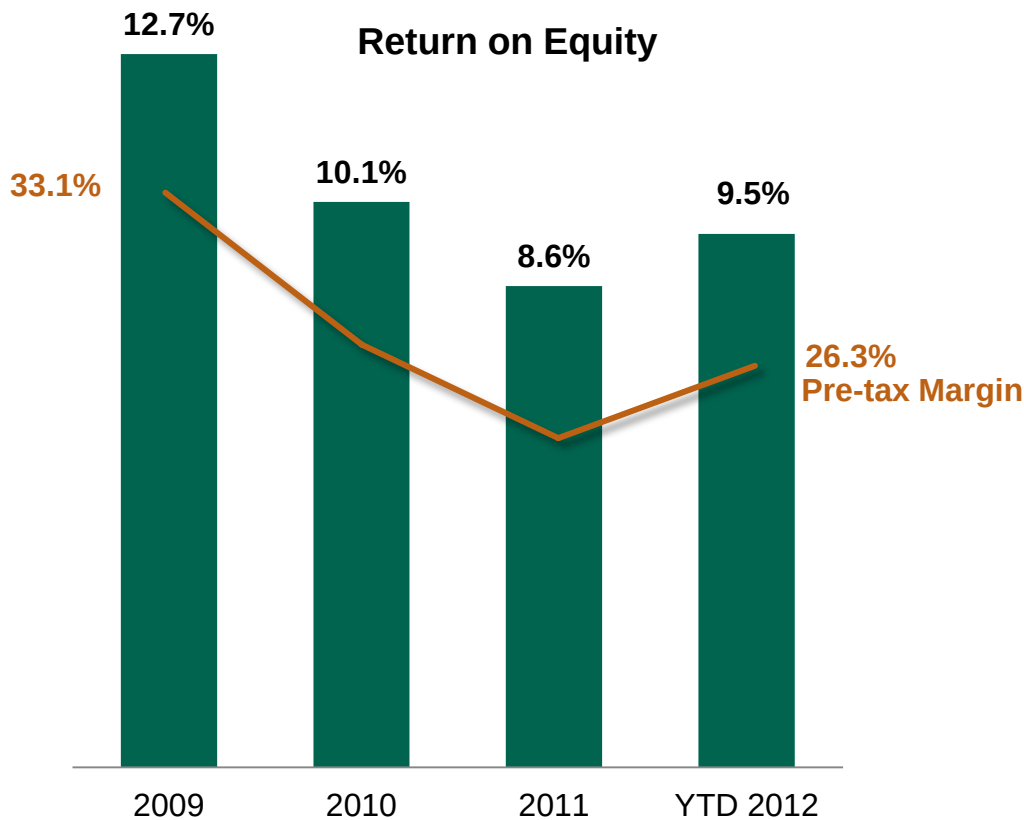
¹ Trust Fees exclude securities lending fees

² 2007-2010 fees exclude the impacts of one mark-to-market Securities Lending collateral fund





Impact of the Environment on Profitability and Returns



- Revenue pressures have led to declining margins and returns
- Efforts are underway to improve profitability in 2012 and beyond – a program we call “Driving Performance”

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Driving Performance: Improving Profitability and Returns

*More than \$100MM in pre-tax income improvement has been achieved year-to-date.
We are on track to achieve our 2012 and 2013 targets.*

		<u>Percent of 2013 Impact</u>
Revenue Enhancements	- Fully align value proposition - Unbundle pricing structures - Expand share of relationship	30 – 35%
Process Optimization	- Streamline major business processes - Optimize operational footprint - Apply best-in-class procurement practices - Refine service delivery model	30 – 40%
Technology Efficiency	- Migrate IT resourcing mix - Rationalize overlapping applications - Manage internal end-user demand	5 – 10%
Corporate-wide Initiatives	- Simplify organizational structure - Align retirement plans with market - Rationalize real estate - Consolidate banking charters	20 – 25%
		\$250 million





Delivering a Broad Range of Solutions

Asset Processing

- Safekeeping
- Settlement
- Derivatives and collateral processing
- Income collection
- Corporate actions
- Tax reclamation

Asset Administration

- Fund accounting
- Transfer agency
- Corporate secretarial/trustee
- Valuations
- Investment operations outsourcing

Asset Reporting

- White label reporting
- Valuation analytics
- Performance analytics
- Risk monitoring and reporting
- Trade execution analysis

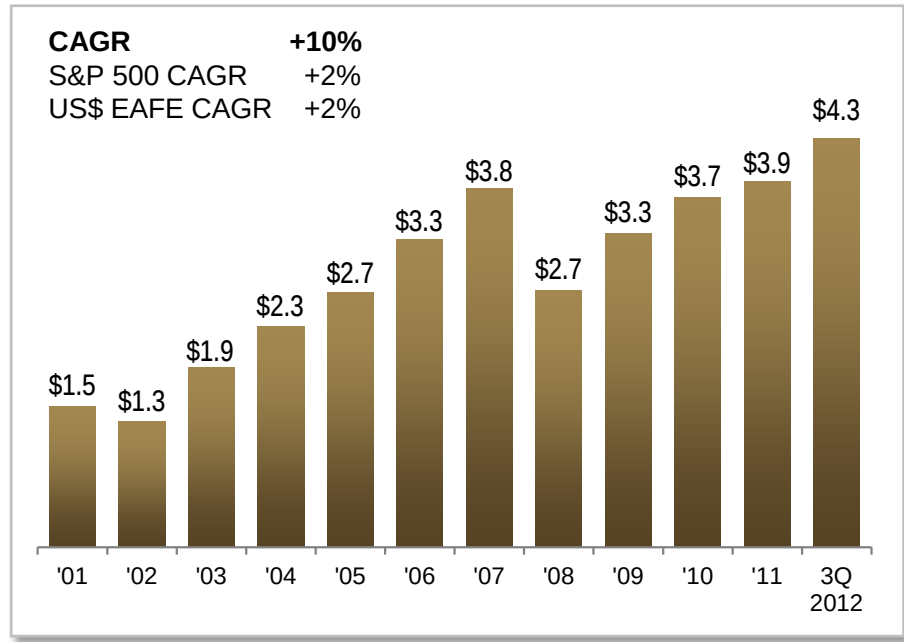
Asset Enhancement

- Cross-border pooling
- Trade execution
- Cash management
- Securities lending
- Foreign exchange

Investment Management

- Active
- Global index
- Investment outsourcing
- Liability driven investing
- Multi-manager
- Transition management

C&IS Assets Under Custody (\$ Trillions)



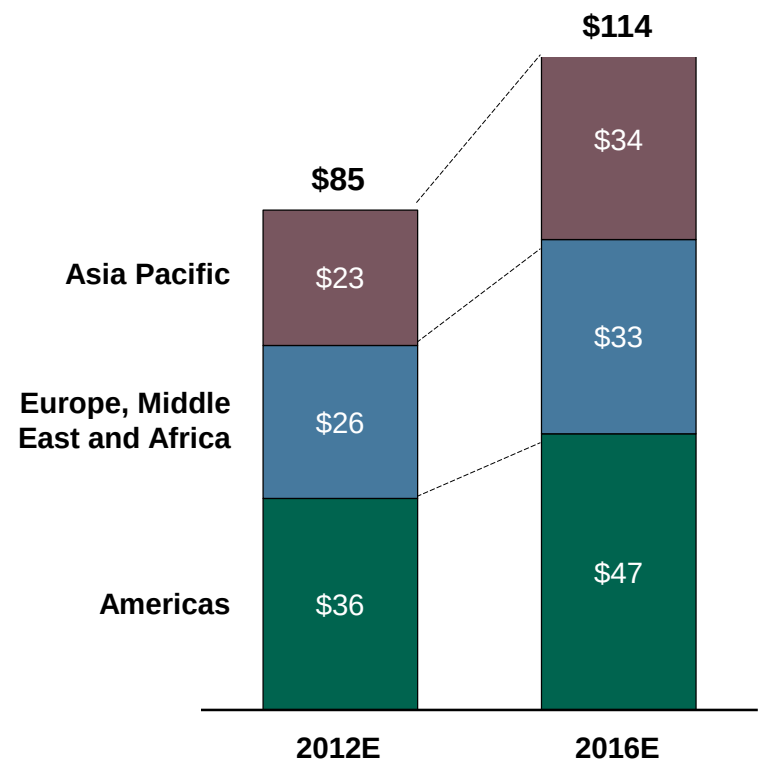


An Attractive Market for C&IS Capabilities

\$US Trillion

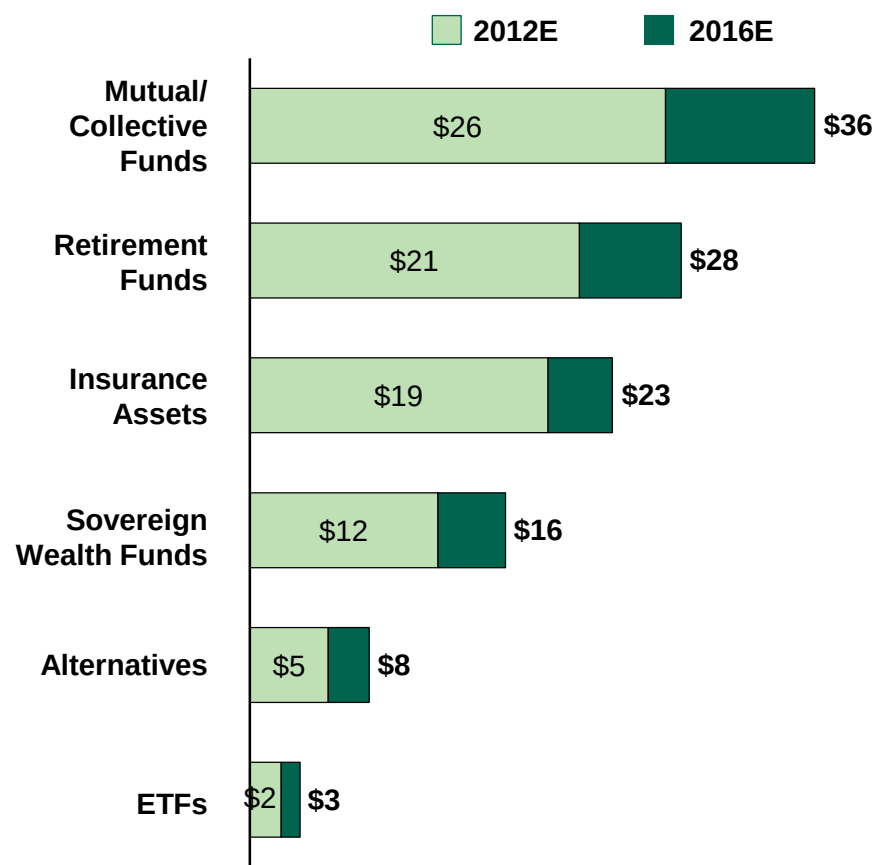
Large Global Market

Global Assets by Geography



Growth Across All Segments

Global Assets by Client Segment



Sources: Cerulli, Investment Company Institute, CEA, Blackrock, The City UK, Internal Estimates



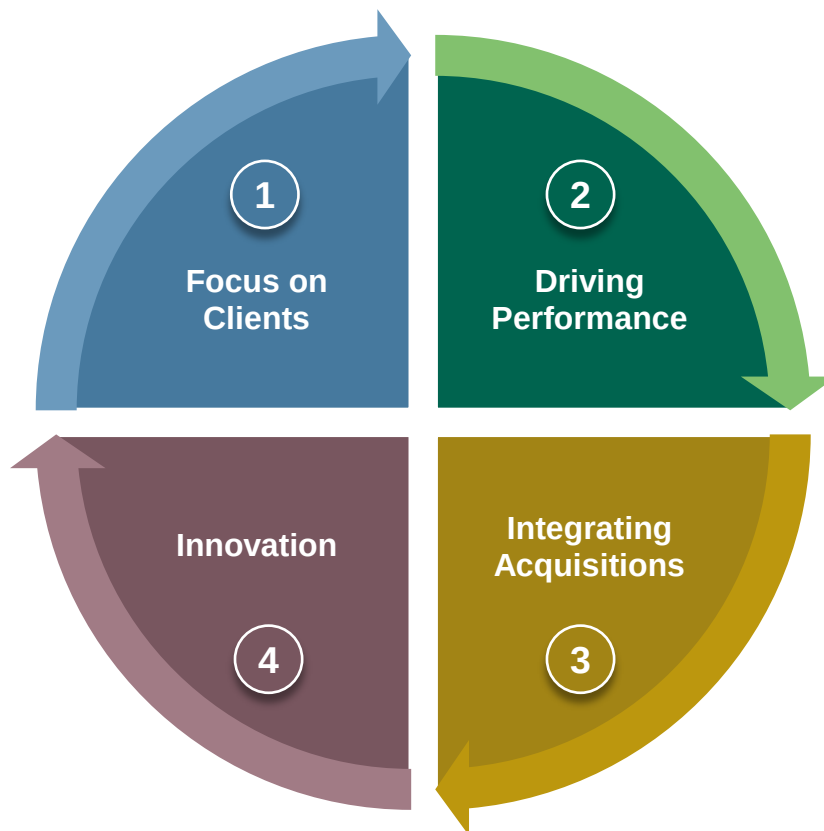


Solid Positioning in Institutional Investor Services

Of the Top...	Northern Trust Serves:
100 U.S. Corporate Plans	46%
200 U.S. Plans	40%
200 U.K. Funds	35%
50 U.S. Foundations	32%
50 U.S. Endowments	30%
50 U.S. Healthcare	46%
25 Taft-Hartley Funds	40%
100 U.S. Public Funds	30%
U.K. Local Authority Market	36%

Growing Presence in Global Fund Services

- Top 10 Global Hedge Fund Administrator
- Top 3 Global Investment Operations Outsourcing Provider (by assets)
- Largest Fund Administrator in Guernsey (by assets)
- Largest Custodian in Ireland (by number of funds)
- Second largest Administrator in Ireland (by number of funds)





1. Focus on Clients



Institutional investors are grappling with multi-faceted challenges

- Pension funding
- Endowment draw reductions
- Risk adjusted client returns
- Demand for greater transparency
- Stronger focus on risk governance
- Pressure to reduce costs
- Increased regulation and compliance



Northern Trust delivering on solutions to enhance client performance

- Economic and market counsel
- Dynamic de-risking, risk budgeting, compliance and transparency solutions
- Integrated front, middle and back office operational solutions
- Improved analytics for performance and governance assessment
- Business intelligence providing multiple data views in real-time





Driving Performance in C&IS

Key Areas of Focus

- Leveraging enterprise-wide end-to-end processes to improve our efficiency
- Optimizing the geography of our operational footprint
- Empowering our clients with more automation
- Reviewing client product usage and relationship pricing





3. Integrating Acquisitions



Bank of Ireland Securities Services (BOISS)

- Increased presence in fund administration in Ireland
- Exchange Traded Fund (ETF) administration capabilities

Omnium (Northern Trust Hedge Fund Services)

- Hedge Fund administration capabilities

Status of Integration:

- Majority of BOISS clients (90%) and assets (>80%) migrated
- Fully integrating with anticipated synergies
- Transition to Northern Trust data center complete
- NTHFS has doubled its client base since Omnium acquisition
- Approximately \$180 billion in hedge fund assets under administration





4. Innovation



Innovation Has Morphed

- Clients continue to demand value-add
- Innovation has evolved from capability additions to new solutions
 - ◆ Risk
 - ◆ Governance
 - ◆ Cost Reduction
 - ◆ Process Improvement
- We have re-engineered the way we think about clients' needs

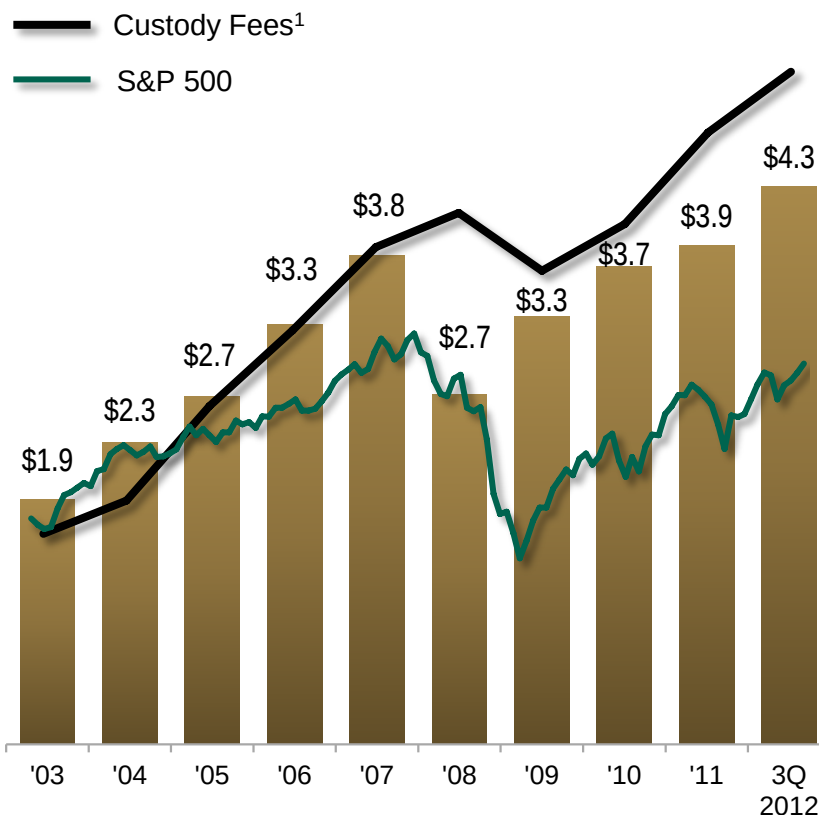
Examples

- Fully integrated front-to-back information solutions for large, complex clients
- Tools to increase transparency across holdings
- Form PF
- Regulatory support





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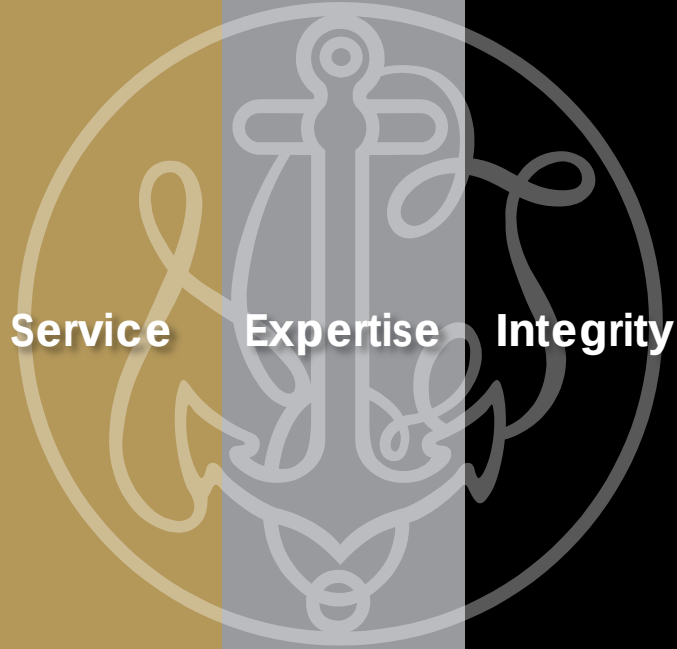
- Continue to deliver strong growth in Corporate & Institutional Services
- Great demographics and long-term opportunities
- Operating environment remains challenging
- Focus on what we can control to build the franchise
- Strategic priorities will position business for long-term growth

¹ C&IS custody & fund administration fees. 2012 fees are YTD, annualized.



Strategically Positioned for Growth





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