



Home of the iVario

RATIONAL Wittenheim



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History

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FRIMA took over the distribution of combi-steamers for France.



Invention of the FRIMAX

The first multifunctional cooking appliance based on contact heat.



Invention of the Thermojet

1980

1985

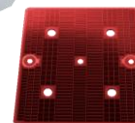
1992

1999

2005

RATIONAL acquires FRIMA as a subsidiary, to strengthen the **distribution network** and drive innovation.

Invention of the VarioCookingCenter



History



Launch of the new
iVario Pro

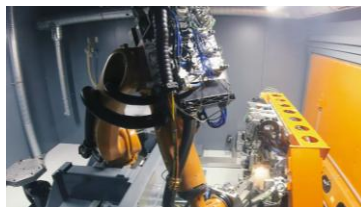


2018

2020



Ahead!
FRIMA becomes RATIONAL



Next level
of **productivity**



Production of the
50,000th Vario

2021



Start of site extension
works in **Wittenheim**

Today

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Home of the iVario and the world-leading expert in contact heat.

2025



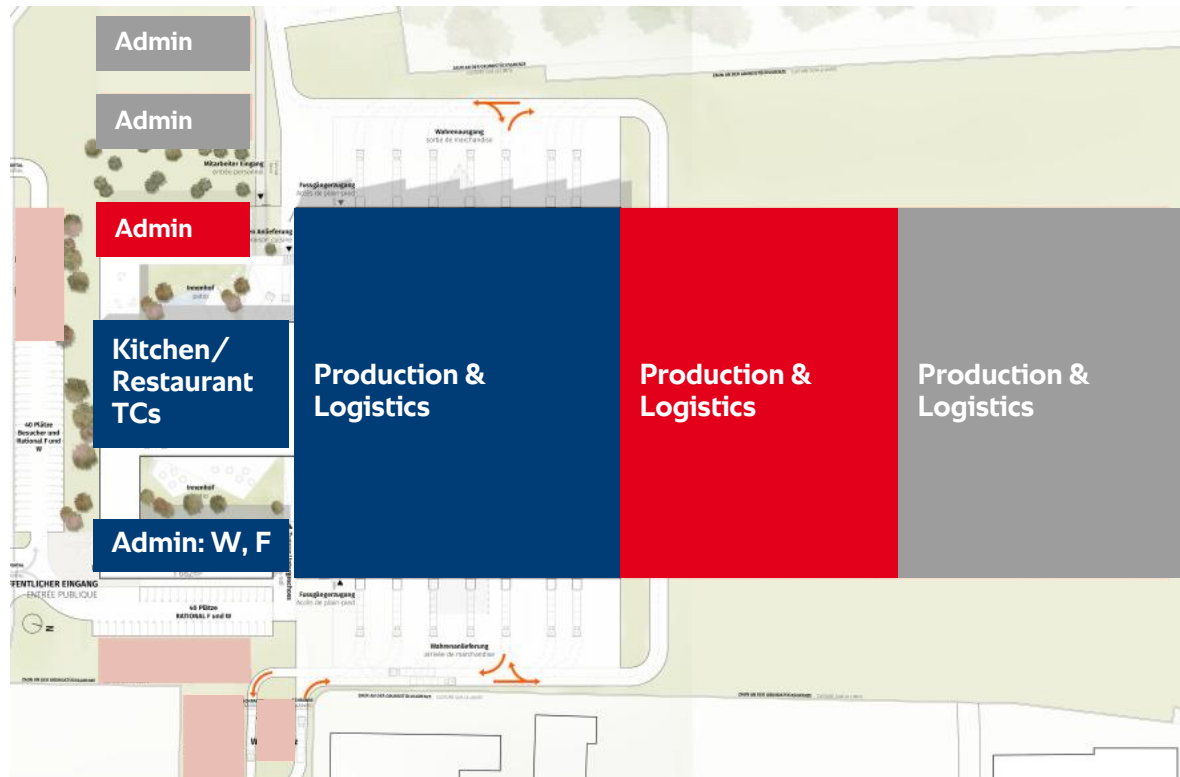
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Bird's-eye view of Wittenheim



Current capacity
25,000 units



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More than a production site



100,000 m²

Site area

10,000 m²

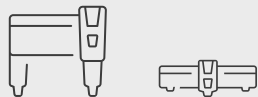
Production floor

1,500 m² ~ 150 people

Administration building

1,250 T€ (800 kW)

Sustainability investment in
photovoltaic and latest
technologies standards



~350 people

Company restaurant

~250 people

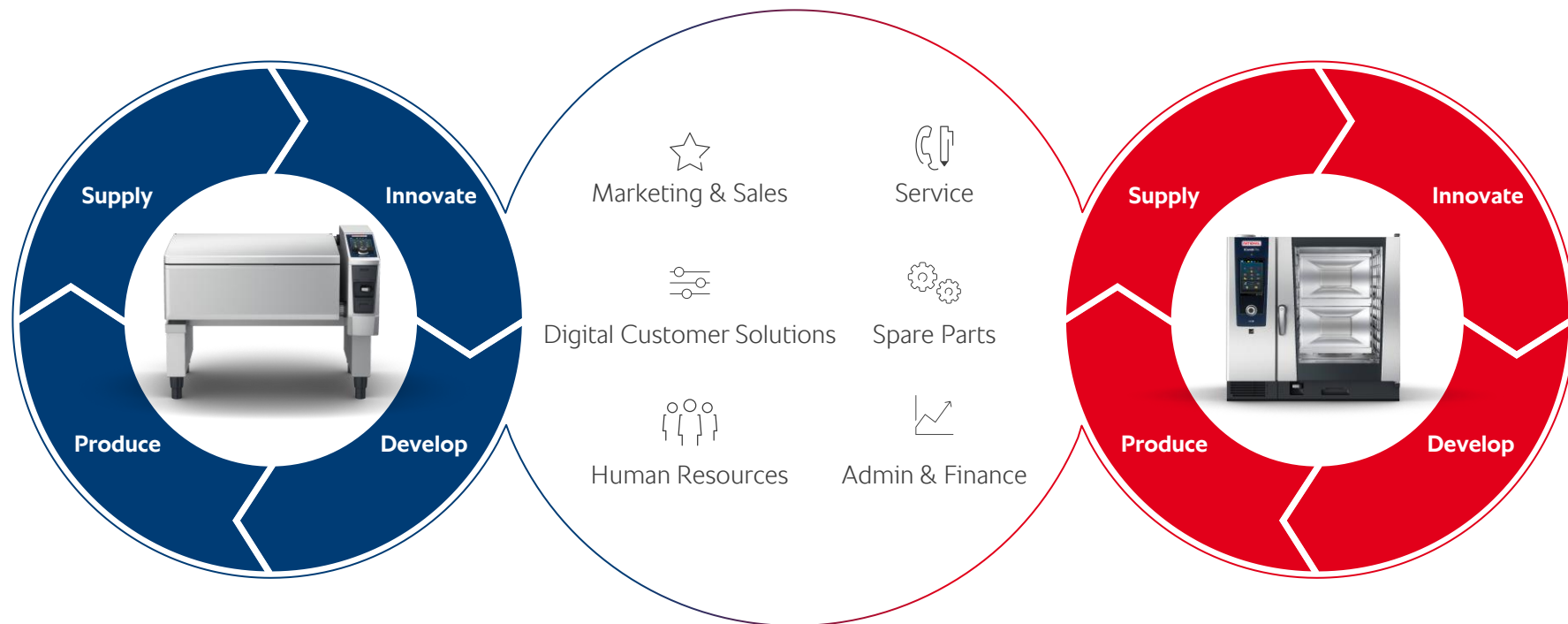
Customer experience center

We operate in full synergy with our iCombi product group.

iVario Product Group

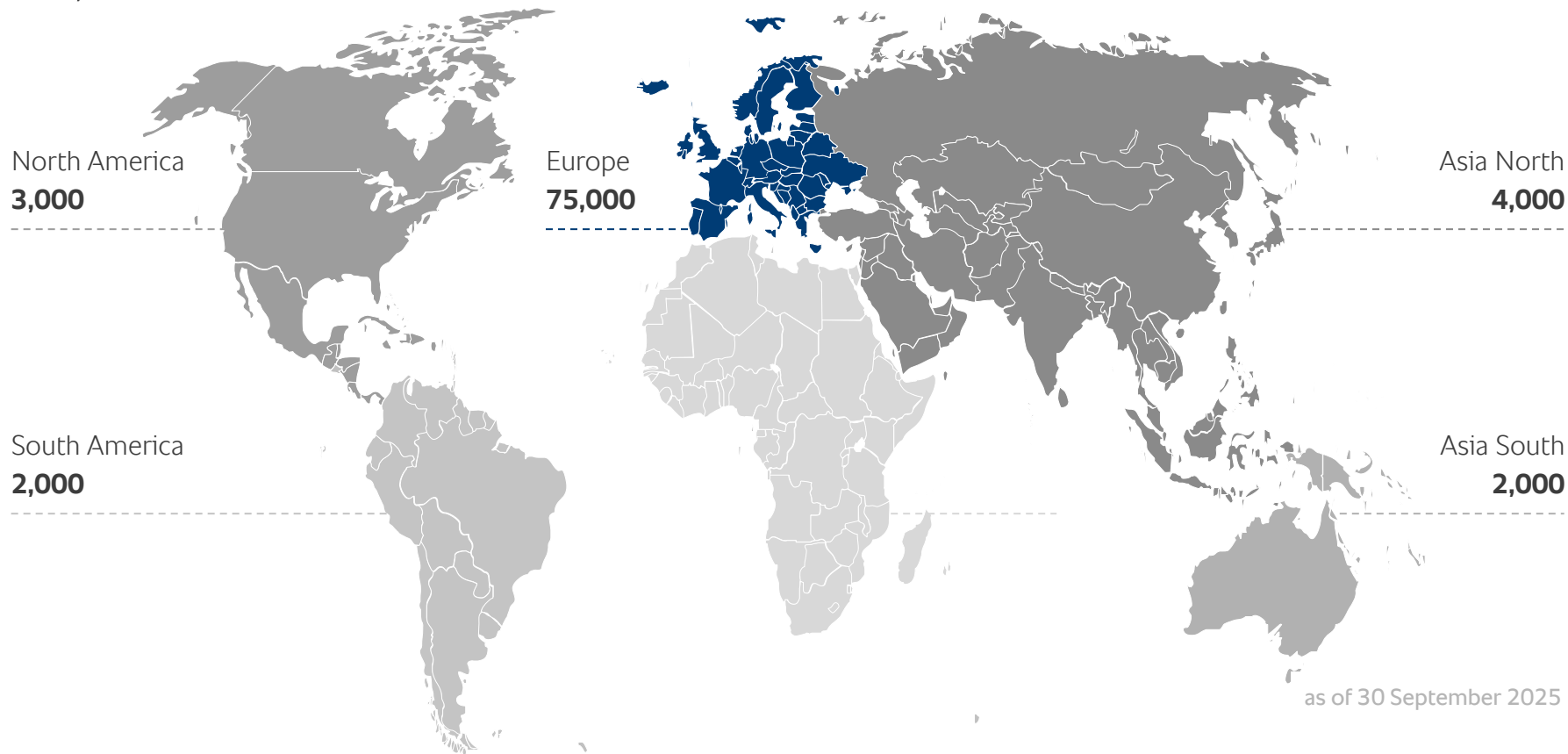
Shared Services

iCombi product Group



iVario installed base

86,000 iVario worldwide



as of 30 September 2025



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Let us now explore the
foundation for the
iVario future growth.



iVario Pro Insights

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The challenges of a chef

Produce high quality
food with consistency



Stay profitable
and competitive



Ensure hygiene
& energy efficiency



Competent staff
and low turnover



The solution

Food quality and
consistency

Versatile and
flexible

Sustainable
and efficient

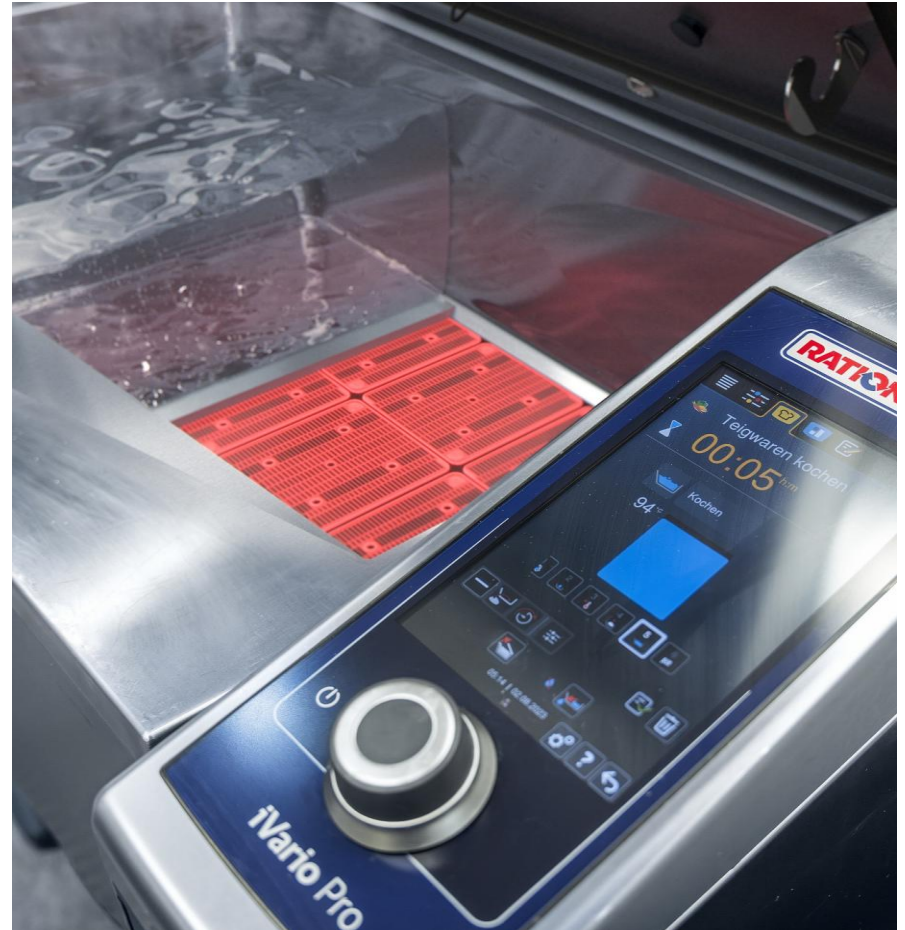
Intelligent
Assistance





Food quality and consistency

With its innovative technology, the iVario prepares high-quality meals quickly and with reliable results.

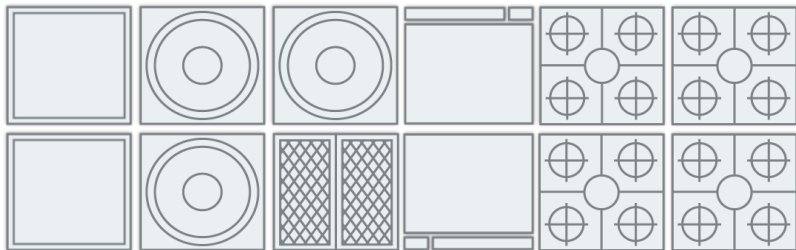




Versatile and flexible

The iVario combines boiling, braising, deep-frying, and pressure cooking in a single appliance — **saving** customers valuable space and ensuring flexibility.

Multifunctional appliances vs. **conventional kitchens**

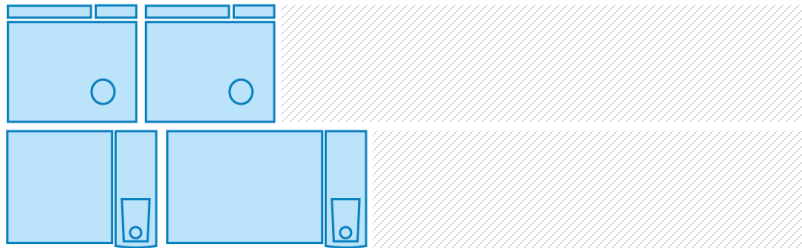




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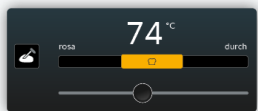


Intelligent assistance

Intuitive display, pre-installed cooking processes and access to Connected Cooking – the iVario is easy to operate, with a short training.

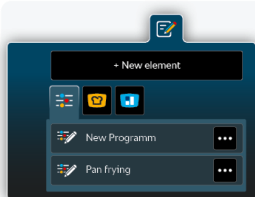
Precise

Exact time and temperature control



Intuitive

Easy to use with guiding processes



Connected

Online access with Connected Cooking





Sustainable and efficient

The iVario lowers staff costs and improves working conditions while reducing food waste, water consumption and energy consumption.

Results from the AXA Study (in Total)

47.9%

Lower water consumption

24.1%

Lower energy consumption

20.2%

Lower connected load

>20%

Reduced power peaks



iVario one-pan models

replace tilt skillets, boiling kettles, deep fat fryers and pressure cookers.



iVario two-pan models

replace pots, pans, stoves,
deep fryers, pressure-cookers
and bain-maries.



Competitive cooking

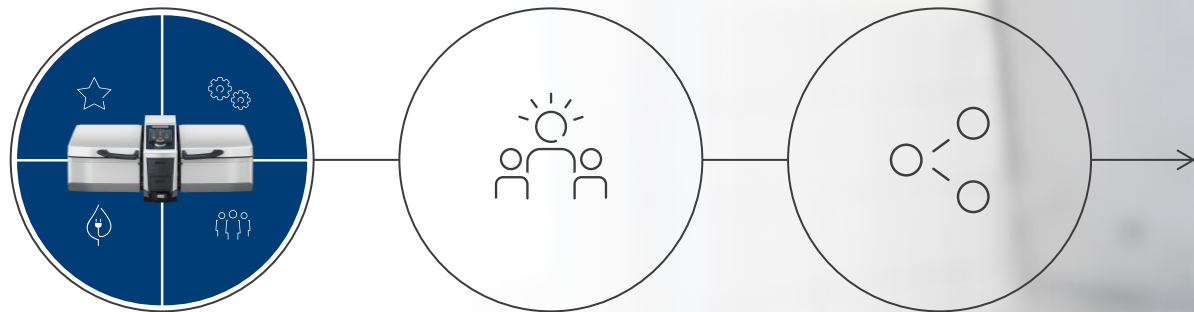
Conventional 6 ring gas range versus iVario Pro 2-S

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Our recipe for success



Product
leadership

Marketing & sales
leadership

Partners
leadership

iVario market



We currently supply 4% of the relevant kitchens worldwide.

Commercial kitchens
19.8 Million

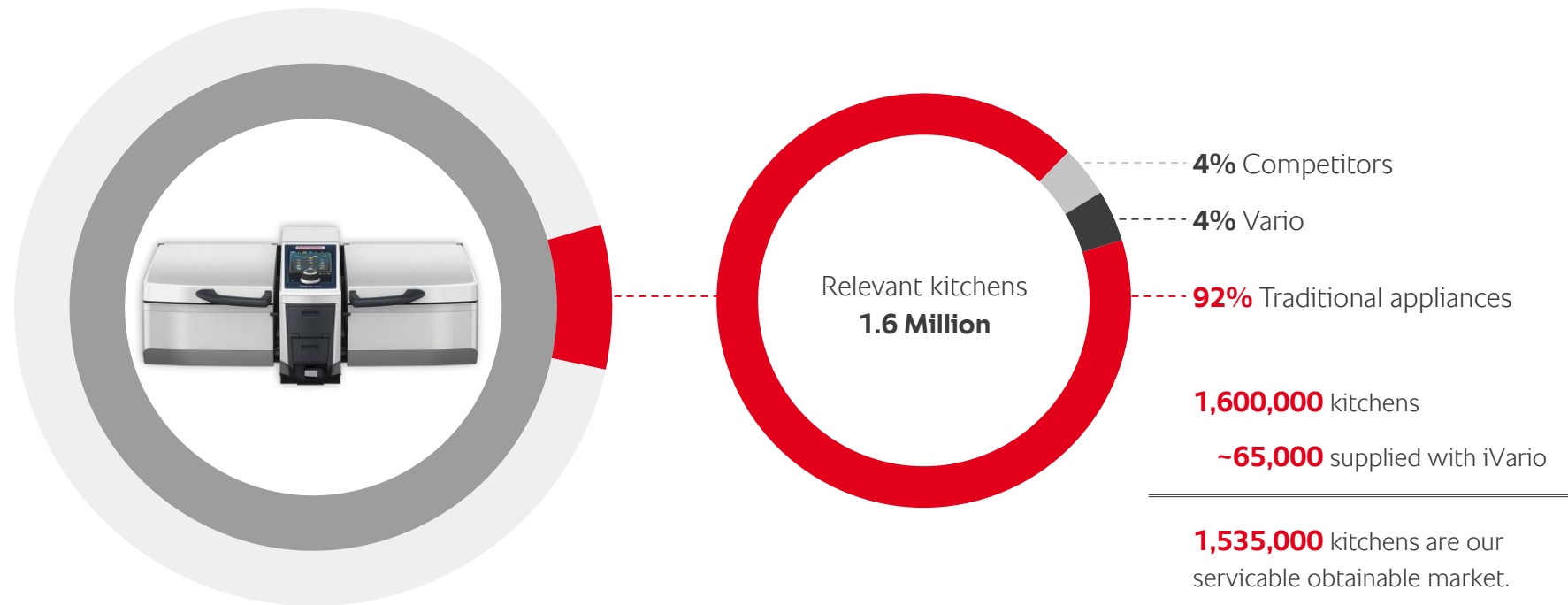


Relevant kitchens
1.6 Million

iVario market

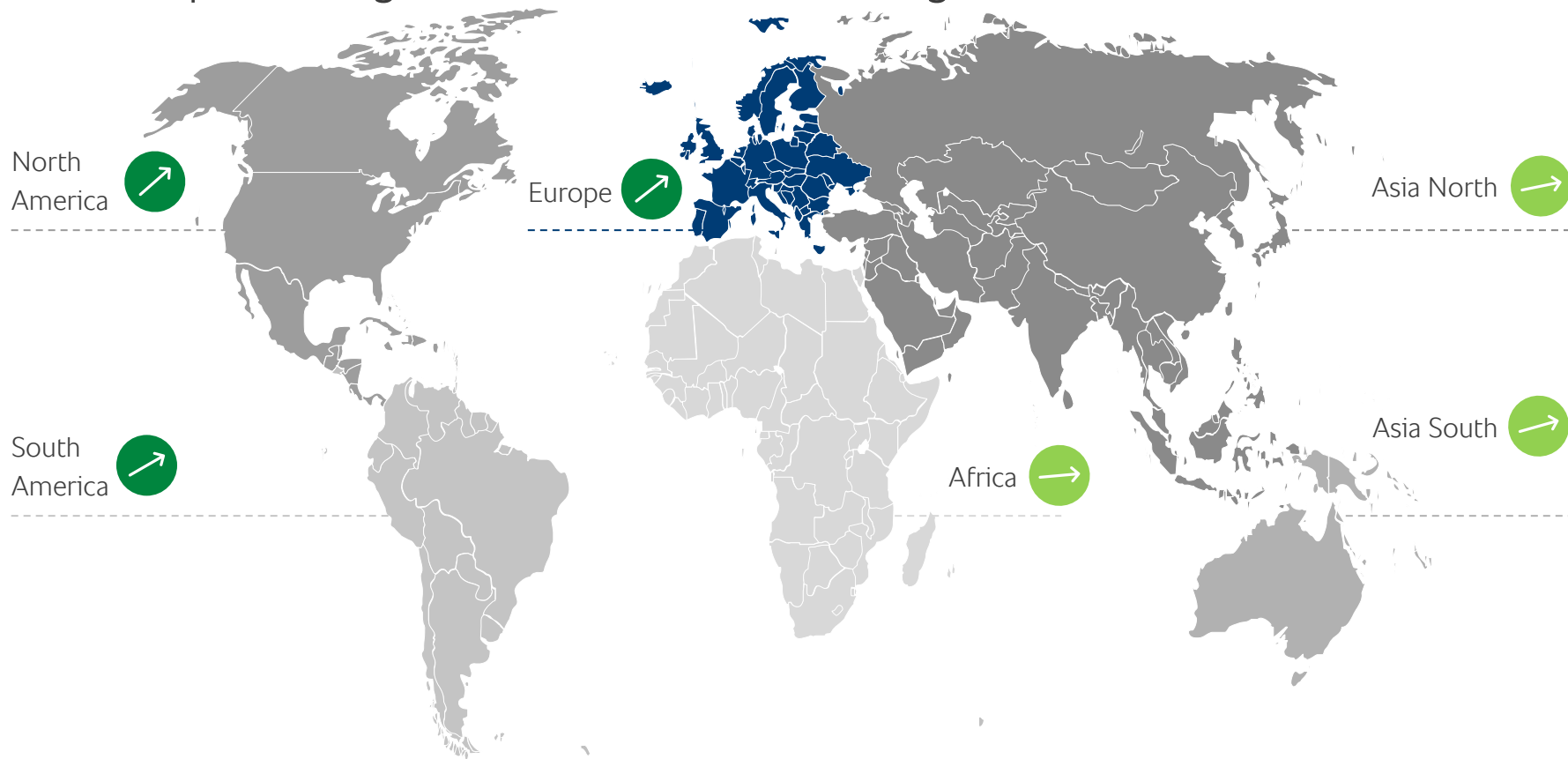


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iVario growth potential

We see positive growth trends across the globe.



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The Game Changer.





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