## AURIGA EXPANDS INTO CENTRAL & EASTERN EUROPE MARKET FOR DIGITAL

## SELF SERVICE BANKING TECHNOLOGY

Takes majority shareholding in Polish ATM & cash management innovator F1 Solutions

Bari, Italy 19<sup>th</sup> January 2023 - <u>Auriga</u>, a global software provider for the omnichannel banking and payments industry, today announced it is taking a **majority shareholding** in **F1 Solutions**, a Warsaw-based, multi-vendor ATM, cash management and cash recycler software vendor. The deal furthers Auriga's **international expansion strategy** and will help the business enter the **Polish market** and **grow** in **Central** and **Eastern Europe (CEE)**.

Founded in 2014, F1 Solutions is focused on software for **cash management** and **multivendor applications** for ATM machines and cash recyclers. Its software F1 TPS Suite runs on a quarter of ATMs in Poland, while its cash management solution system is used by the biggest banks in Poland. The full team of skilled analysts, developers, and testers at F1 Solutions will be joining Auriga.

The **F1 TPS suite**, which like Auriga's <u>WinWebServer (WWS)</u> software solution is hardware agnostic, highly adaptable and complies with the NDC/DDC environment/infrastructure, manages all self-service operations optimally with full insight. The software is designed to accelerate **innovation** through **personalised customer** experience and adaptable **development technology**. It provides full support of processing all transactions and processes including withdrawals, cash-in, goods and services, etc, as well as cash management and active monitoring.

Vincenzo Fiore, CEO, and founder of Auriga said: "We are delighted to bring F1 Solutions into the Auriga family. They share our passion for technology innovation and transforming self-service banking with modern software solutions. The acquisition also enables us to expand our presence in the region, helping more banks and ATM operators deliver improved services to customers and achieve significant operational efficiencies"

Łukasz Fusiara, CEO, F1 Solutions said: "We are very pleased with this new formal cooperation between Auriga and F1 Solutions and to be supporting the implementation and deployment of Auriga solutions in the CEE region. For F1, joining forces with Auriga gives us the opportunity to grow by our software internationally and expand our customer base"

## About Auriga

Auriga is a leading supplier of software and technology solutions for the banking and payments industries, and a specialist provider of innovative omnichannel solutions to banks and other financial institutions. Its solutions, deployed on over 74% of Italian ATMs, are founded on a modern technology architecture and improve time to market for new services while lowering costs, protecting critical devices from cyber-attacks, and building long-term competitive advantage. Auriga is a global company with a direct presence in Italy, UK, Spain, Belgium, and Mexico, and expanding operations in Western and Eastern Europe, Latin American (LATAM) and Asia-Pacific (APAC).

## About F1

F1 Solutions Sp. z o. o. has been on the market since 2014. Our goal is to provide specialized IT services and provide high quality IT products and solutions, tailored to the individual needs and requirements of customers from various sectors of the economy. The company's offer focuses on providing entities from the financial sector with software for operating, managing, and monitoring of self-service devices (ATMs), CDMs, deposit safes, cash recycles, as well as cash management software. Since 2014, the company has successfully completed many IT projects in several financial institutions, thanks to which it has gained trust and a position on the financial and software market in Poland.

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