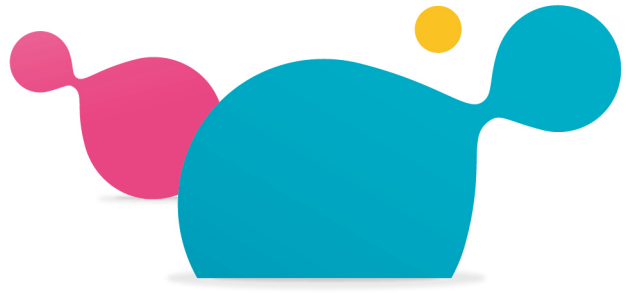


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Acquisition of Knab by BAWAG Group successfully completed

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The acquisition of Knab by BAWAG Group has been successfully completed. The Austrian bank bought Knab from insurer a.s.r. in February 2024.

BAWAG, a listed banking group with a market capitalisation of over €5.5 billion, will provide Knab with financial strength and operational support to continue its growth.

Nadine Klokke, CEO Knab: "We are pleased to become part of BAWAG Group. It offers us a great opportunity to further build our brand as the number one bank for the self-employed and entrepreneurs. BAWAG Group will strengthen our ambitions to grow faster and help us to serve our customers even better."

About Knab

Knab, the bank for self-employed people, was founded in 2012 as the first online bank in the Netherlands. Around 500,000 customers – including more than 270,000 entrepreneurs – now manage their financial affairs via Knab. Knab has a total balance sheet of €17.6 billion.