

Virtual Open Day

The Austrian AI Ecosystem

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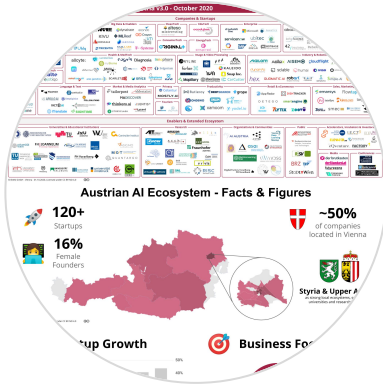
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What is an Ecosystem?



**Companies
& Startups**



Research



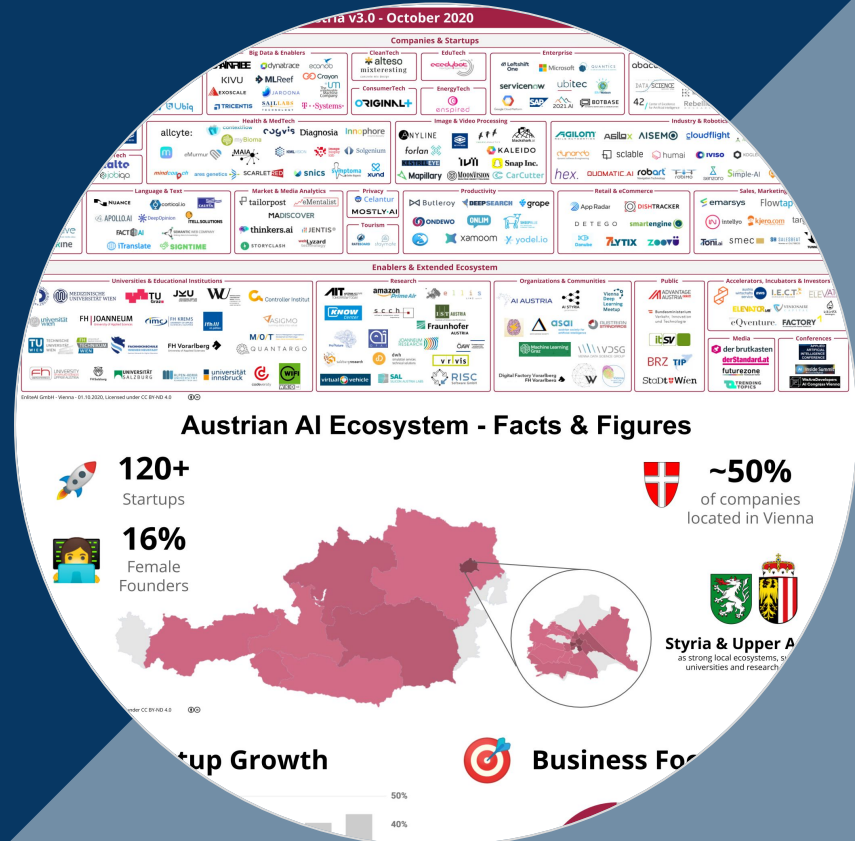
**Funding &
Public Sector**



Community

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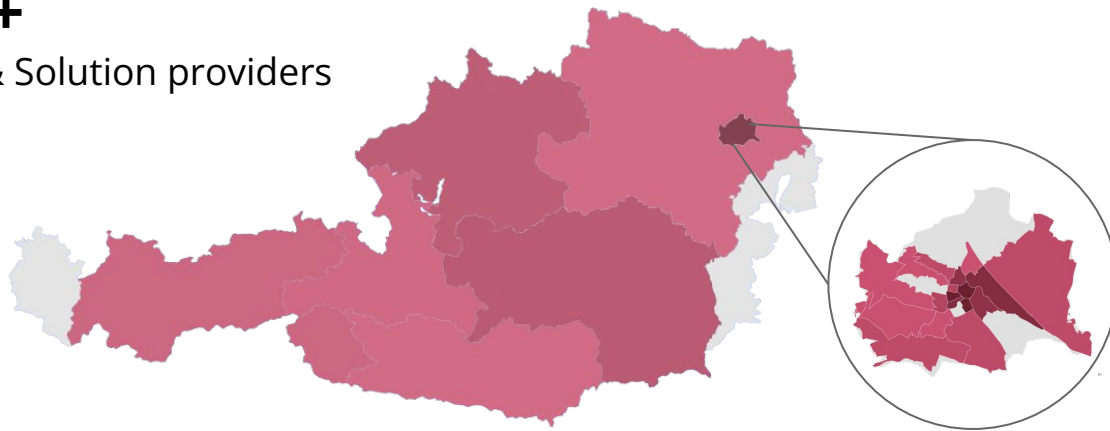
Companies & Startups



Startup Activity per Region

 **120+**

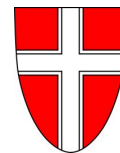
Startups & Solution providers



16%

Female Founders

Source: enliteAI, 2020



~50%

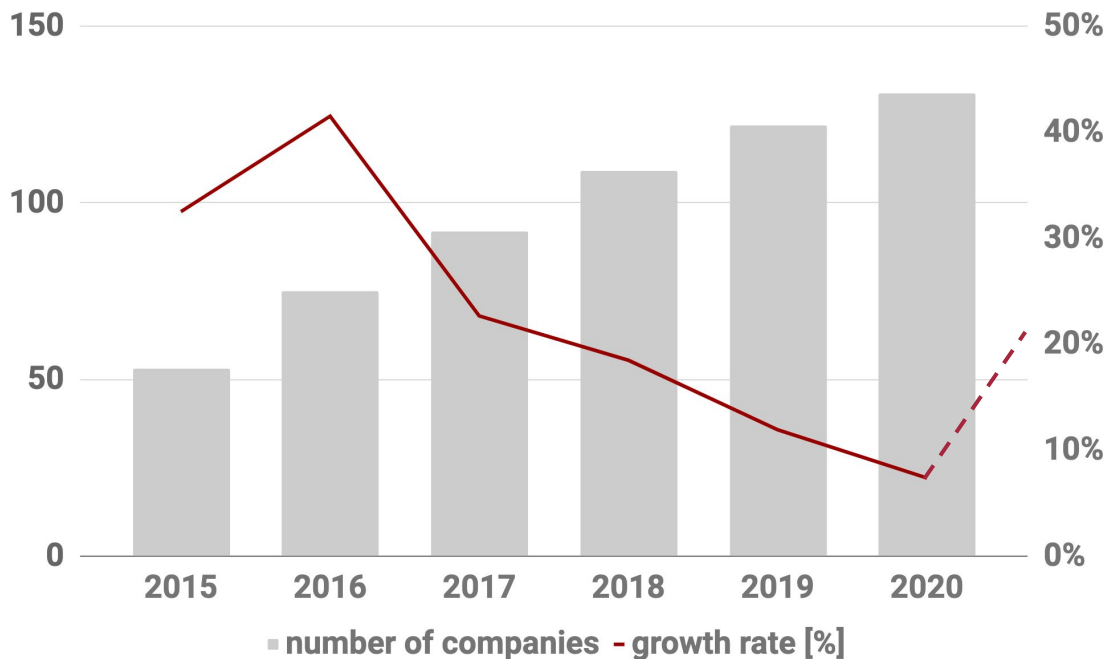


**Styria &
Upper Austria**

as strong local ecosystems,
supported by universities and
research institutions

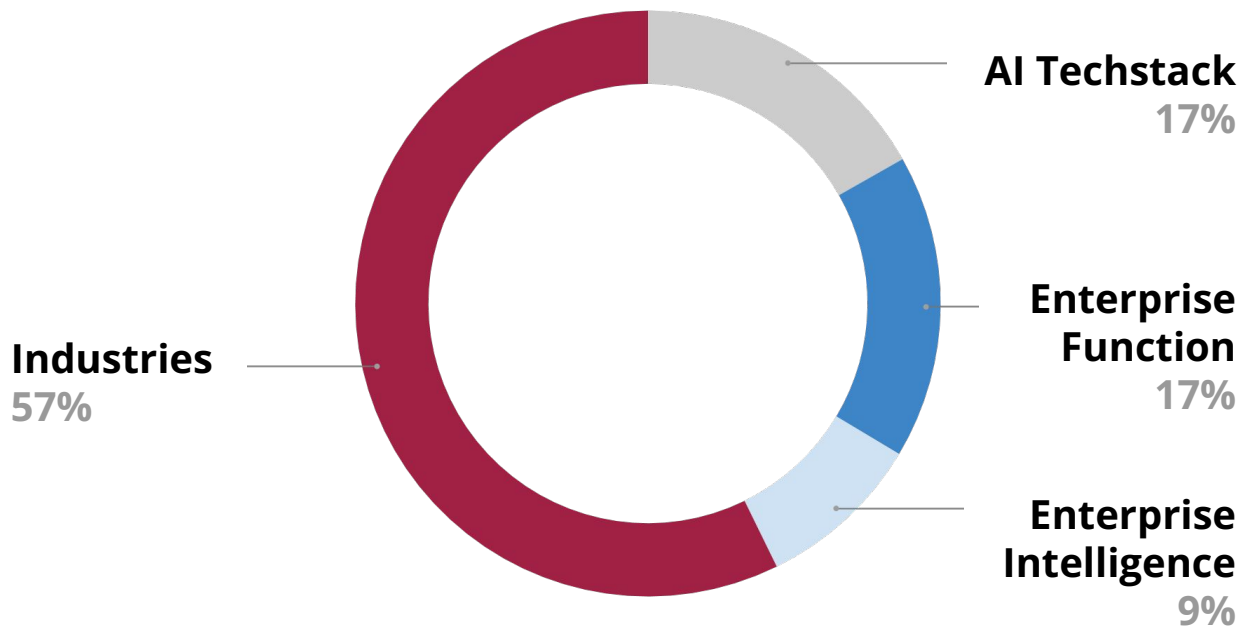
Number of Startups & Growth Rate

Source: enliteAI, 2020  enliteAI

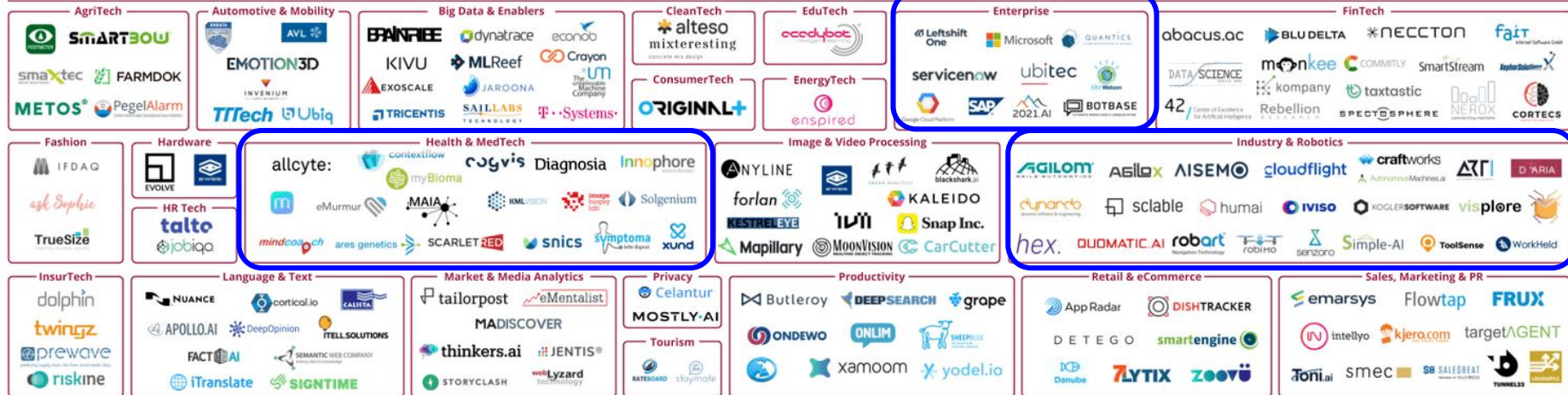


20 %
average
annual growth

Focus areas of Austrian AI Companies



Companies & Startups



Enablers & Extended Ecosystem



Austrian AI Ecosystem

Further Information

>> For the latest version of the landscape and a detailed analysis read:

www.enlite.ai/works/ailandscapeaustria



#2:

Research



Research

public



IARAI

institute of advanced
research in artificial
intelligence



- “Father” of AI-based language translation
- Most-cited AI research paper in the world

Research

public

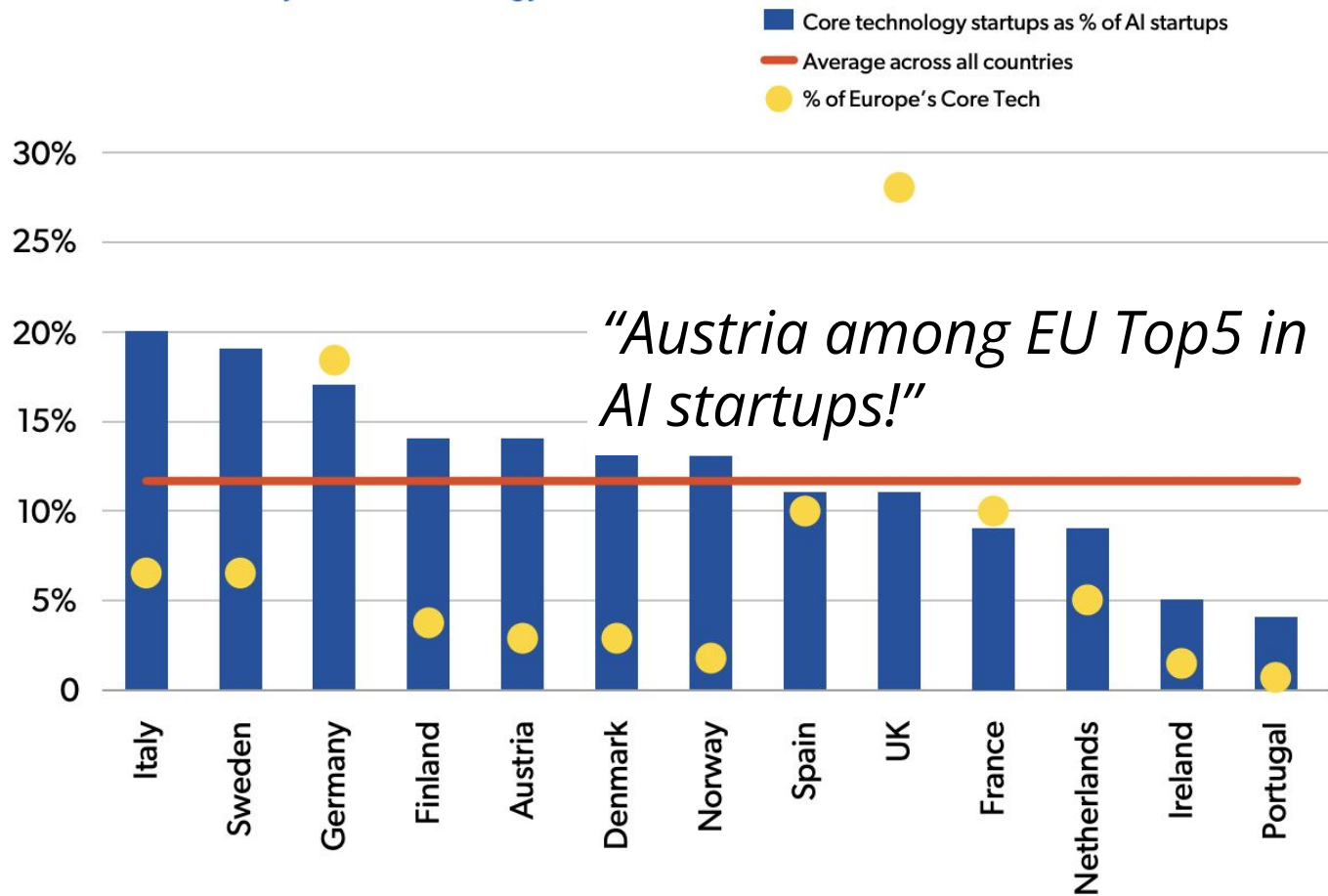


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**HERE establishes groundbreaking AI
research institute with €25+ million
funding**





Source: MMC Ventures, Beauhurst, Crunchbase, Tracxn

Autonomous Driving - Test Areas



Heavy Duty Trucks (Upper Austria)

- Daimler
- MAN

Digibus[®]
Austria

Bus (Vienna & Carinthia)



Passenger Cars (Styria)



Tracks



Research

public



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private



#3:

Public Sector & Funding



National AI Strategy



- Focus on Green Energy transition & CO2 reduction
- Fundamental research
- Trustworthy & ethical AI

Vienna has developed its own AI Strategy

Stadt Wien entwickelt Strategie zum Einsatz Künstlicher Intelligenz

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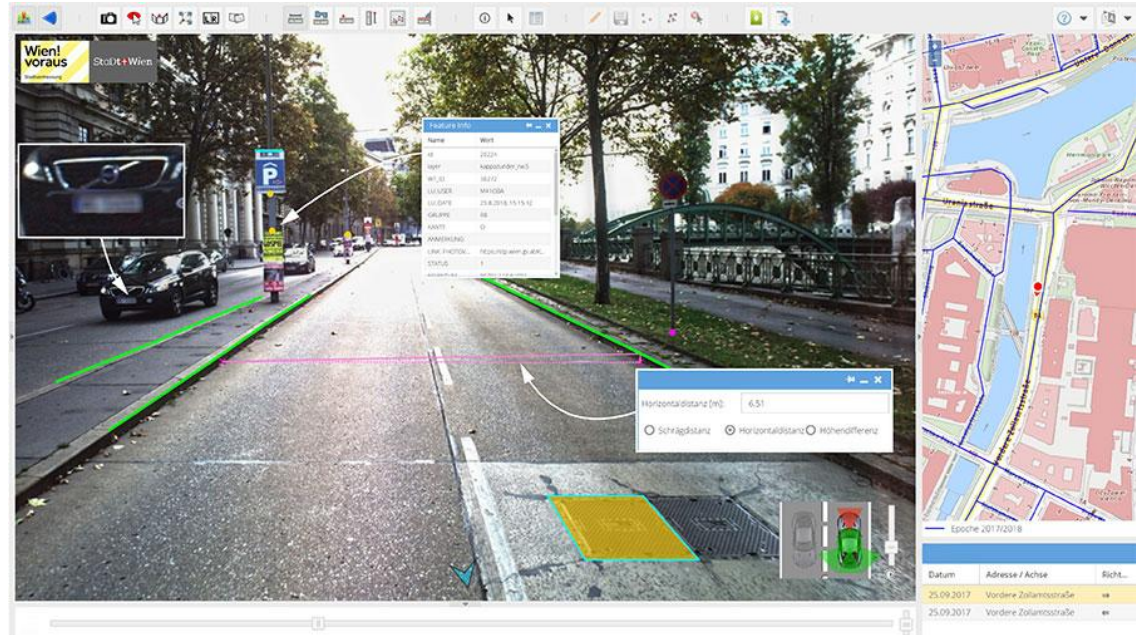


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Im Rahmen der generellen "Digitalen Agenda Wien 2025" entwickelte die Stadt Wien eine neue Strategie für den Einsatz von Künstlicher Intelligenz (KI). Sie soll im September 2019 im Wiener Gemeinderat beschlossen werden. Die Servicequalität der Wiener Stadtverwaltung soll so erhöht und effizienter werden.

Die Stadt Wien ist damit eine der ersten Stadtverwaltungen in Europa und die erste Gemeinde in Österreich, die eine KI-Strategie entwickelt

AI for road condition monitoring



#4:

Community



The Applied AI Conference

Under the brand AAIC a range of conferences are organized aimed to bring together AI innovators from the corporate & startup world and venture capital.

Since its inception in 2018 the AAIC has become one of the largest conferences on Applied AI, attracting top speakers from the US, Asia and Europe

Participants learn from international experienced professionals, exchange on and discuss best practices with other ambitious intrapreneurs.



Facts & figures

9.000+

AI & business participants

5.000+

B2B Meetings initiated

3.500+

Companies

8

Editions (and counting)

70+

Speakers + Experts

85

nations

Global Partner Network



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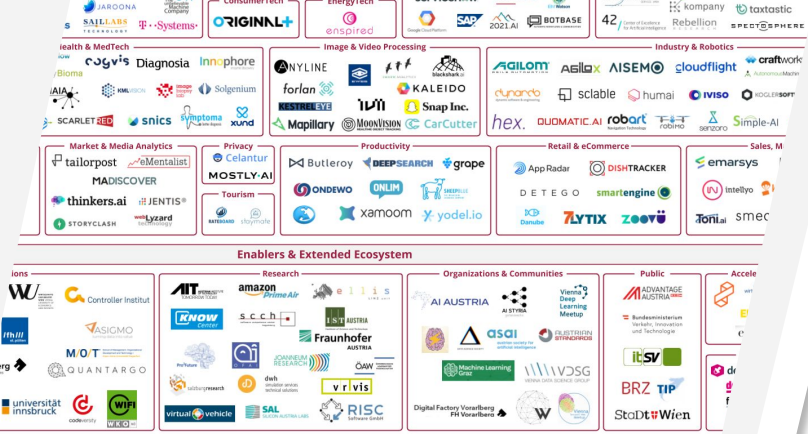
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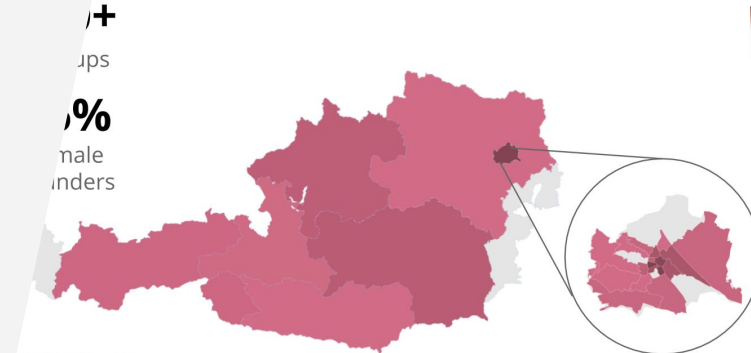
Backup

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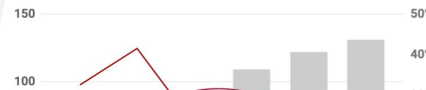
- >250 entries
- Startups, Corporates, Universities & (public) organizations
- Release frequency: 1x / year



Austrian AI Ecosystem - Facts & Figures



Startup Growth



Business

Selected companies

Chips & semi-conductors



Text



Image



Operations



Dev Tools



Privacy



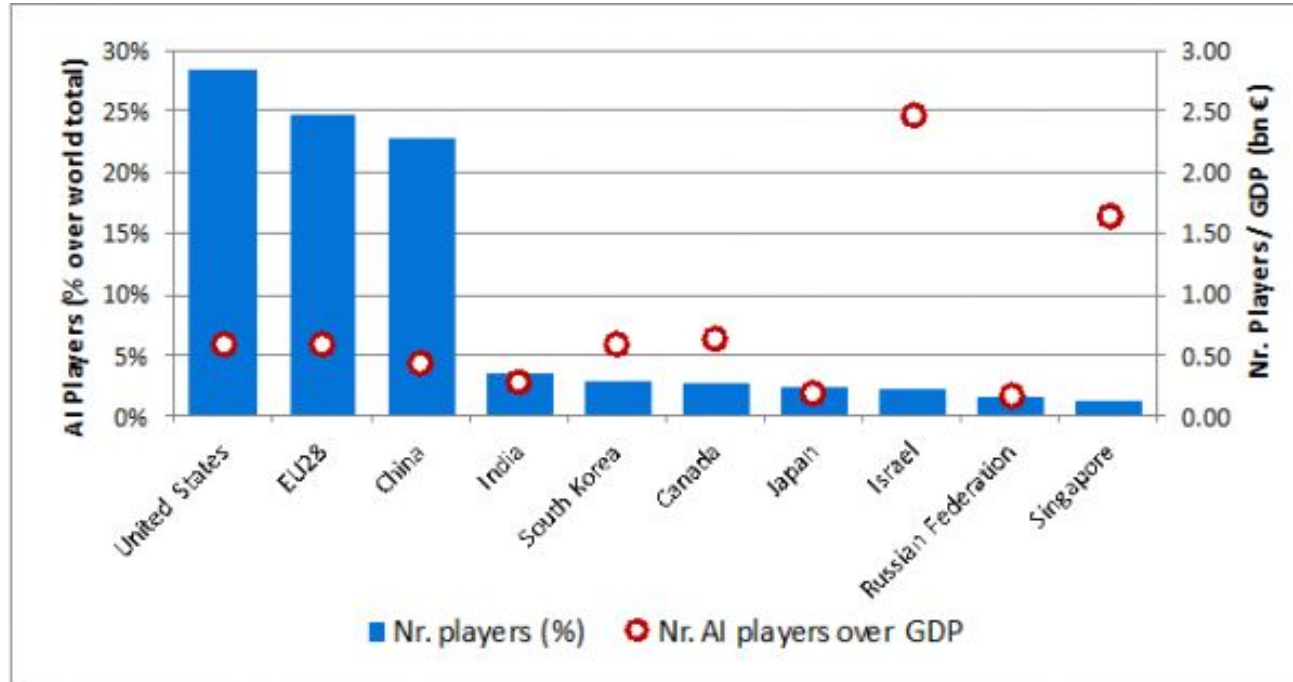
Gaming



out of business

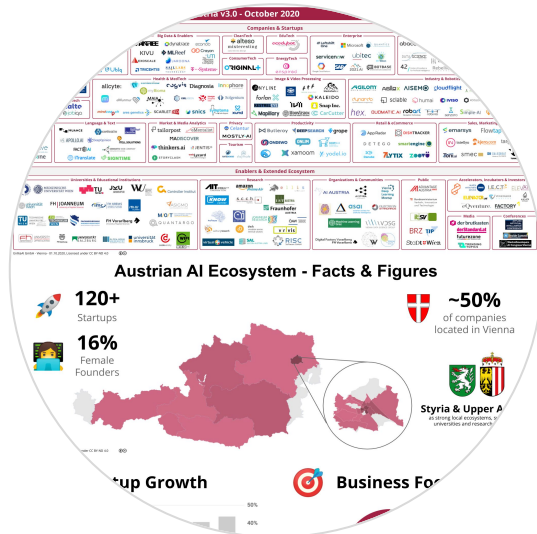


Comparison USA, EU & China



Wien Bot as UX for the city





Austrian Ecosystem



Austria as a destination