



It's Time to Evolve

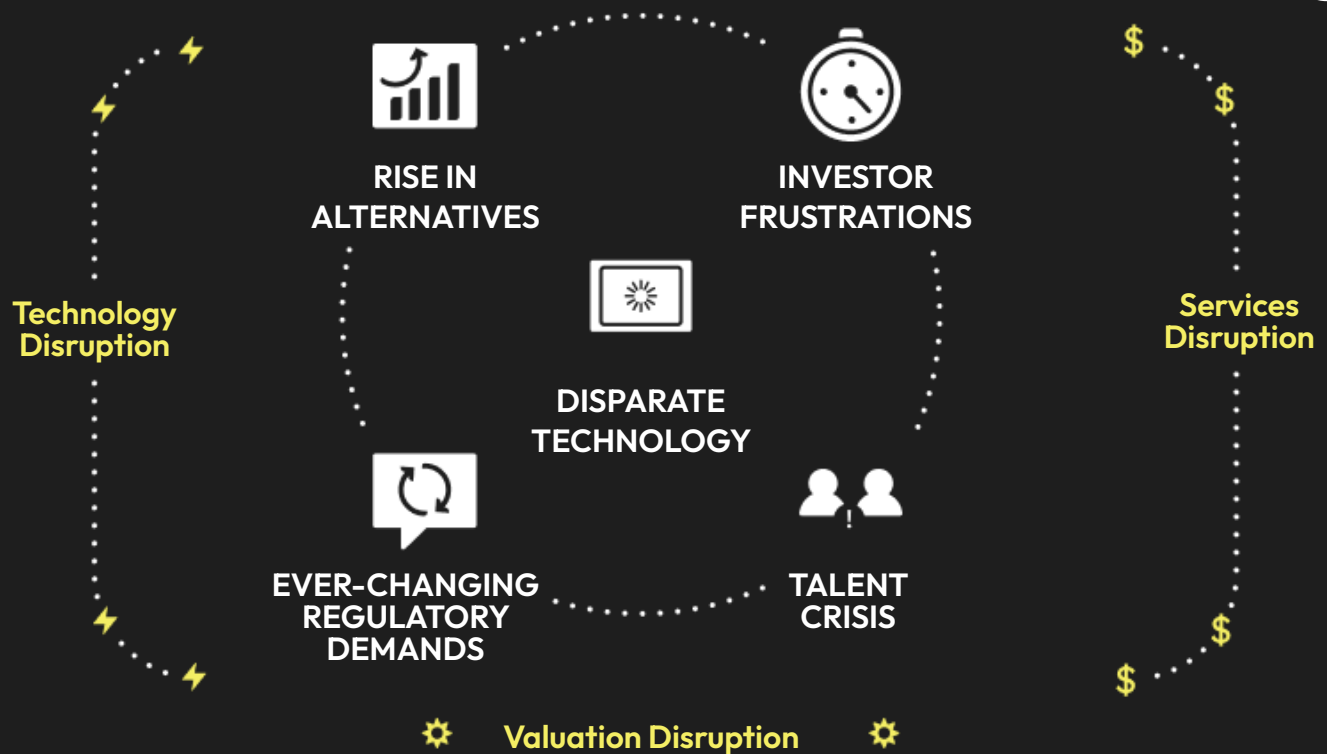
**Private Market Tax Is
Heading for a Collision.
Your Current Approach
Won't Survive It.**



The K-1 Breaking Point

Something is changing in private market tax, and most organizations aren't talking about it out loud. They're just living it in the late nights before the filing deadline, in the frantic search for the one person who knows where the data lives, in the moment a senior partner realizes an extension was filed on bad numbers.

The K-1 has always been hard. But hard and hard **right now** are two different things.



History Created the Pressure. AI Disruption Created the Urgency.

1. A RISE IN ALTERNATIVES

with 401(k) participants opening to alternatives, a driver for even more investors, across more jurisdictions.

2. INVESTOR FRUSTRATION

from K-1s that arrive months late, forcing extensions, amended returns, and strained GP and LP relationships.

3. A TALENT CRISIS

where skilled professionals won't stay in manual data entry roles and copy-paste workflows.

4. REGULATORY COMPLEXITY THAT

never plateaus, and penalty exposure that compounds annually.

5. A FRAGMENTED TECH STACK

assembled to solve problems one at a time, creating new ones in the process.

THREE NEW FORCES

These were difficult enough to navigate, but there are three new forces, driven by AI, that make it important to address these issues sooner vs. later:

TECHNOLOGY DISRUPTION

How you buy technology has changed: moving from charging for Access to assuring Outcomes.

SERVICES DISRUPTION

How you bill for services has changed. Moving from charging for Hours to being measured on Answers.

VALUATION DISRUPTION

How your success measures and values have changed. From Financial Engineering to Operational Alpha.

A collision of these three AI driven forces, means you can no longer absorb the historical pressures and delay change.

MOST ORGANIZATIONS STILL PROCESS K-1s THE WAY THEY DID TWENTY YEARS GO

Manually, seasonally, with disconnected tools and skilled people filling the gaps.

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Evolving is no longer optional.



You've Probably Already Tried to Solve This

Chances are your organization hasn't sat still. You've added staff. You've bought point solutions. You've built spreadsheet-based workflows that are genuinely impressive in their complexity. Maybe you've started experimenting with AI tools, or explored building something in-house.



HIDDEN COST ICEBERG

Each approach carries risks and limitations that become more costly and visible over time. Headcount doesn't scale proportionally. Point solutions don't talk to each other. Spreadsheets are rebuilt from scratch every season, carrying no institutional memory forward. DIY AI builds require

ongoing maintenance and expertise, and offer no guarantee of extraction accuracy or compliance. Increasingly it also means surprise AI token costs. The hidden and not-so-hidden costs of these limitations doesn't show up on a single invoice. It accumulates in hours, errors, extensions, re-work, and the quiet attrition of people who got tired of doing work that shouldn't require human hands.

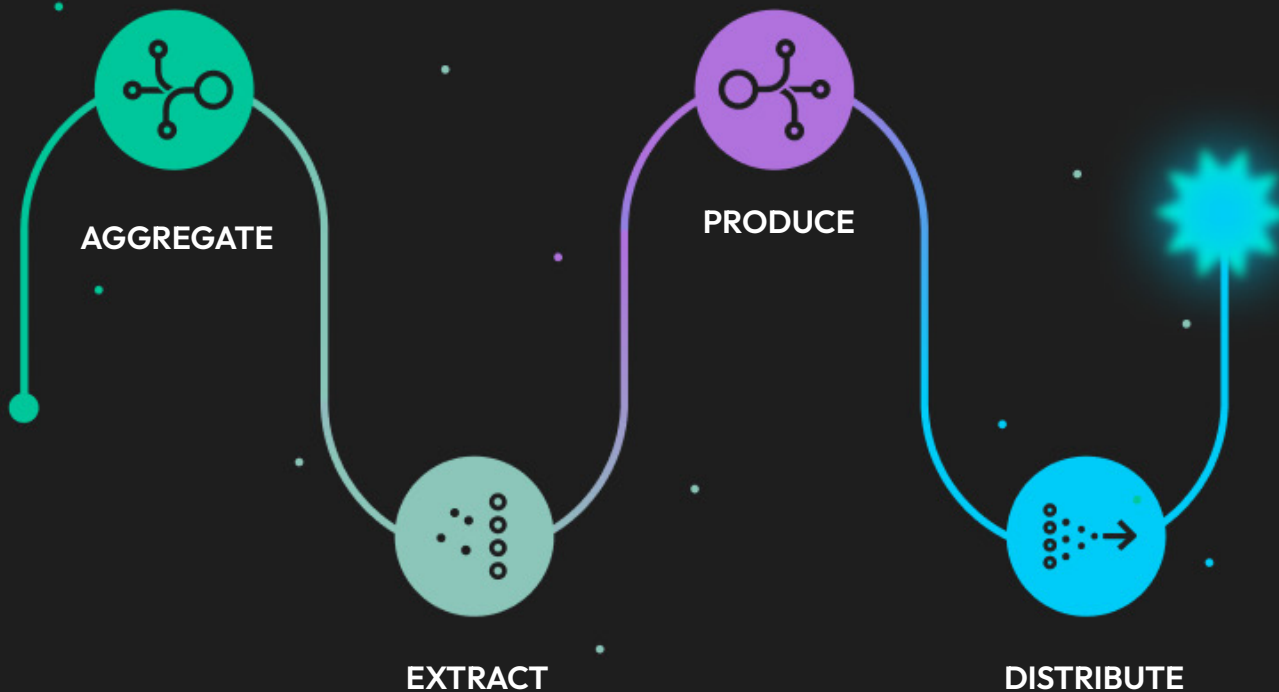


What's Possible When You Stop Rebuilding From Scratch Every Year

Here's the question worth sitting with: What if your K-1 infrastructure didn't reset at the end of every tax season?

What if every K-1 your team receives, produces, or files flowed as structured, validated data without a single manual handoff? What if the work your team did this season made next season faster, not just survivable? What if your tax data infrastructure became a competitive advantage that attracted clients, retained investors, and demonstrated the operational maturity that wins re-ups and referrals?

What if busy season stopped being the thing your best people dread, and became the time that proves why they chose your firm?



THE K-1 LIFECYCLE

These aren't theoretical outcomes. They describe what a governed system of record — purpose-built for the full K-1 lifecycle — actually delivers.

No general-purpose tool does this. No spreadsheet-based workflow does this. No point solution does this.



**K1X IS THE ONLY PLATFORM
DESIGNED FROM THE GROUND UP
FOR THIS PROBLEM**

aggregating, extracting, producing, and distributing K-1 data across accounting firms, family offices, funds, fund administrators, and tax-exempt organizations, and building longitudinal intelligence that compounds season over season instead of disappearing when the season ends




Evolve to Gain the Competitive Edge

The private market tax landscape is changing whether your organization is ready or not. In this series, K1x will help you understand what's driving that change, what it costs to delay, and what it looks like to build an operation that can not only survive the disruption, but become the firm that cannot be disrupted.




HERE'S HOW YOU CLAIM YOUR EDGE



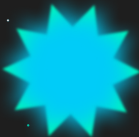
**Evolve your
Capabilities**

Expand what your team can do without expanding headcount proportionally.



**Evolve your
Confidence**

Build the compliance infrastructure that protects your organization as complexity accelerates.



**Evolve your
Capacity**

Create a scalable, compounding operating model that attracts clients, retains talent, and proves its value season after season.

Many organizations have already made the shift – turning their K-1 infrastructure from a liability into a competitive advantage. Keep reading to learn how.



About K1x, Inc.

K1x is the purpose-built platform for private market K-1 intelligence — the system of record that accounting firms, family offices, funds, and tax-exempt organizations use to aggregate, extract, produce, and distribute K-1 data with accuracy, compliance, and scale no general tool can match.

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