

Presentation to Investors

H1 2026 results

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H1 2026: Key Highlights

Good LFL sales growth and sequential margin improvement through first half

- Good like-for-like (LFL) sales growth of 5% in H1 2026, with 6% in Q2
- Adjusted EBITDA margin improved sequentially, with positive momentum into second half
- Continued improvement in adjusted gross operating free cash flow
- 2026–2028 action plan, aimed at accelerating financial performance introduced at March 2026 CMD, fully on track
- Successful dual listing of shares on SIX Swiss Exchange as of May 21
- €500 million share buyback program progressing well
- Outlook unchanged: 2026 targets underpinned by good H1 delivery

Q2 2026: Financial highlights

Continued good growth and improving margins

Continuing Operations	Perfumery & Beauty	Taste, Texture & Health	Health, Nutrition & Care
Sales growth (LFL) 6%	Sales growth (LFL) 7%	Sales growth (LFL) 6%	Sales growth (LFL) 4%
Adj. EBITDA margin 19.5%	Adj. EBITDA margin 21.5%	Adj. EBITDA margin 20.2%	Adj. EBITDA margin 20.4%
Adj. EBITDA €466m (+10% LFL)	Adj. EBITDA €211m (+6% LFL)	Adj. EBITDA €170m (+8% LFL)	Adj. EBITDA €110m (+19% LFL)

H1 2026: Financial highlights

Good volume-led LFL sales growth and sequential margin improvement

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Adj. EBITDA €900m (+7% LFL)	Adj. EBITDA €424m (+6% LFL)	Adj. EBITDA €321m (+3% LFL)	Adj. EBITDA €206m (+15% LFL)

H1 2026: Sustainability progress¹

Delivering on our 2030 ambitions

Reduce Scope 1 & 2 emissions vs. 2021 -35% (H1 2026) Our target (2030): -42%	Reduce Scope 3 emissions vs. 2021 -22% (H1 2026) Our target (2030): -25%	Water efficiency improvement vs. 2023 -13% (H1 2026) Our target (2030): 10%	Improve safety TRI rate 0.20 (H1 2026) Our target (2030): <0.20	Naturals sourcing program completion rate 58% (H1 2026) Our target (2030): 100%
Make washable products biodegradable 85% (2025) Our target (2030): 90%	Gender pay gap / Living wage 8.2% (2025) in favor of women Our target: <5% 100%	Reduce micronutrient gap 775m reached in 2025 Our target (2030): Reach 1bn people	Improve inclusion 71% (2025) Our target: >70%	Boost employee engagement 80% (2025) Our target: >80%

People
Planet

Highlights H1 2026

- CDP Double A for Climate and Water Security, and CDP single A for Supplier Engagement and EcoVadis Platinum
- 100% purchased renewable electricity achieved, supported by solar power sourcing through Rockhound (Texas)
- New biomass boiler in Bharuch, avoiding up to 12kt CO₂/year
- Convened 500+ suppliers, customers and experts at Join Forces for Climate

Drivers supporting our growth ambitions



Perfumery & Beauty

- Sustained **winning performance** with great momentum in Fine Fragrance in key regions, and strong growth in Consumer Fragrances, with both global & local accounts
- **Accelerate innovation** a/o with Popscent® clear, for sweat malodors in laundry, Skinpositive™ moisture technology, new captives
- **Expansion projects** a/o, Singapore Popscent, Riyadh Creative Lab, state-of-art Manhattan office, France's production capacity for Helvetolide® and Romandolide®



Taste, Texture & Health

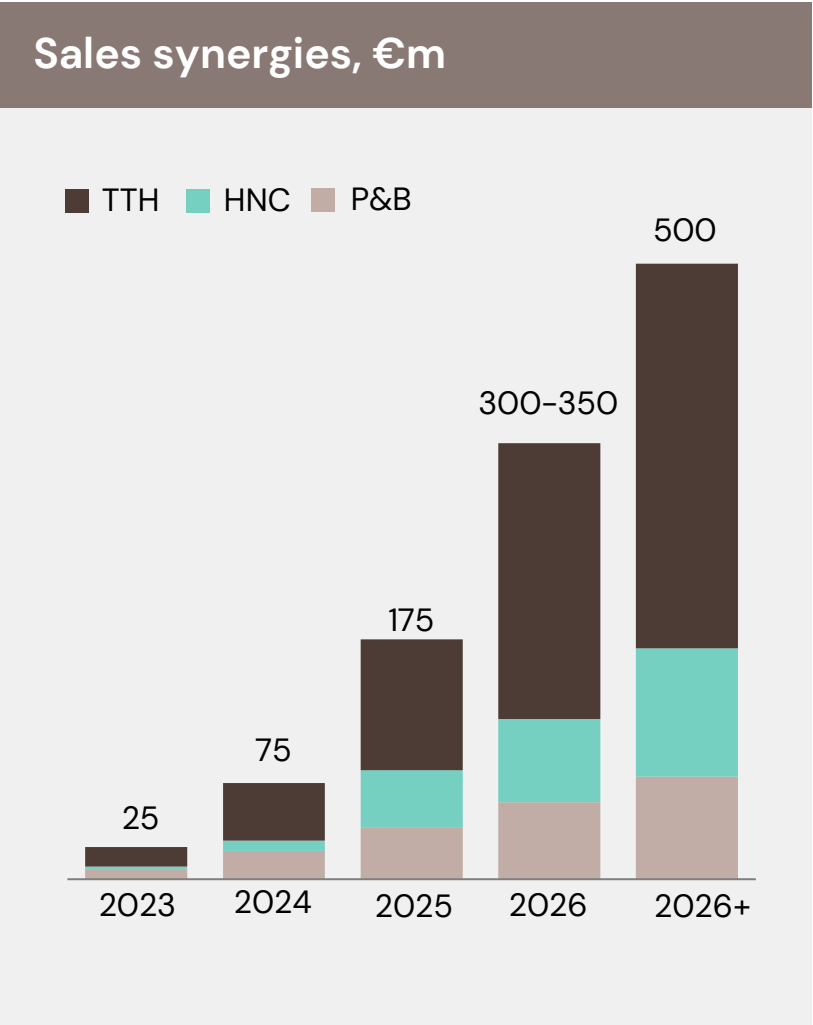
- Scaling up global capacity of **enzymes and cultures** to meet increasing demand
- **New pet food facility** in US addressing nutritious and tasty food for pets
- **Capacity investments in Taste** to keep up with growing demand in growth markets such as India, Africa, and Asia
- Dairy solutions to address demand for **high-protein and GLP-1** related food choices



Health, Nutrition & Care

- Growth ELN supported by **HMOs in China** and **HMO expansion**
- Innovation is fueling growth across **i-Health's microbiome** and **women's health** brands
- Strong momentum with **algae lipids** (Life's Omega-3) driven by **health, longevity, and sustainability** trends
- Strong growth in **Biomedical** with continued progress on globalization initiatives

Sales synergies supporting the top-line



Examples of recent synergies



- Launch of **ModulaSENSE® Bitter**, a novel taste modulation technology that helps customers in pharma masking bitterness in their drugs, improving palatability and patient adherence



- **High-protein / GLP-1 dairy solutions:** combining cultures, enzymes, texture solutions and taste modulation to create high-protein, low-sugar yogurts with excellent taste and mouthfeel



- **No/low alcohol beverages:** combining brewing enzymes with flavor technologies such as NovaSense® to improve mouthfeel, alcohol sensation and overall drinking experience



- **Pet Food:** combining nutrition, health and palatability solutions, including next-generation postbiotics supporting gut health and stress management in dogs

Accelerate financial performance

Cost savings and restructuring program

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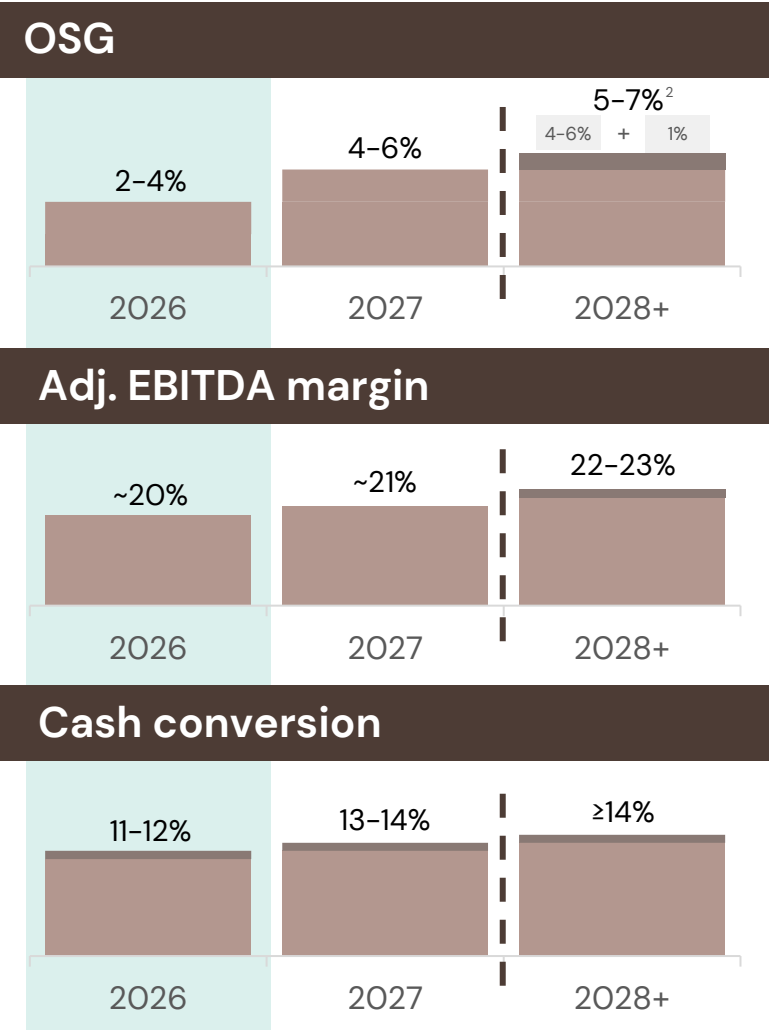
Action plan in place to accelerate

Accelerate sales	Grow EBITDA margin	Increase cash conversion
- Focus on high-growth, high-margin products/ segments with biggest right-to-win - Fully exploit reformulation opportunities by focusing investment on affordability, clean label, high protein, GLP-1, etc. - Speed up innovation and launches from pipeline	1% margin improvement program: - Operational excellence supported by AI - Dedicated cost reduction program - Drive further operational leverage from growth, mix, innovation and synergies ----- - Program to offset stranded costs (€75m) from ANH carve-out	- Normalization of Capex to maximum 5% of sales post Bovaer® investment (1-1.5%/sales) - Inventory reduction program in place – working capital structurally to below 27% of sales over 2-year period

- ~€100m cost savings program including an intended reduction of about **1,000 positions** over the next 18-24 months
- One-off implementation costs of ~€100m

CMD 2026 Action plan

Focus on execution will accelerate financial performance



- ### Drivers

 - Acceleration of OSG – Grow what we have (~1%)
 - Some market normalization (1-2%)
 - Bovaer® significantly contributing as of 2028 (~1%)
- Growth leverage (incl. synergies) (~1-2%)
 - Margin improvement program (~1%)
- EBITDA margin improvement
 - Capex normalization to maximum 5% of sales
 - Working capital improvement structurally to below 27%

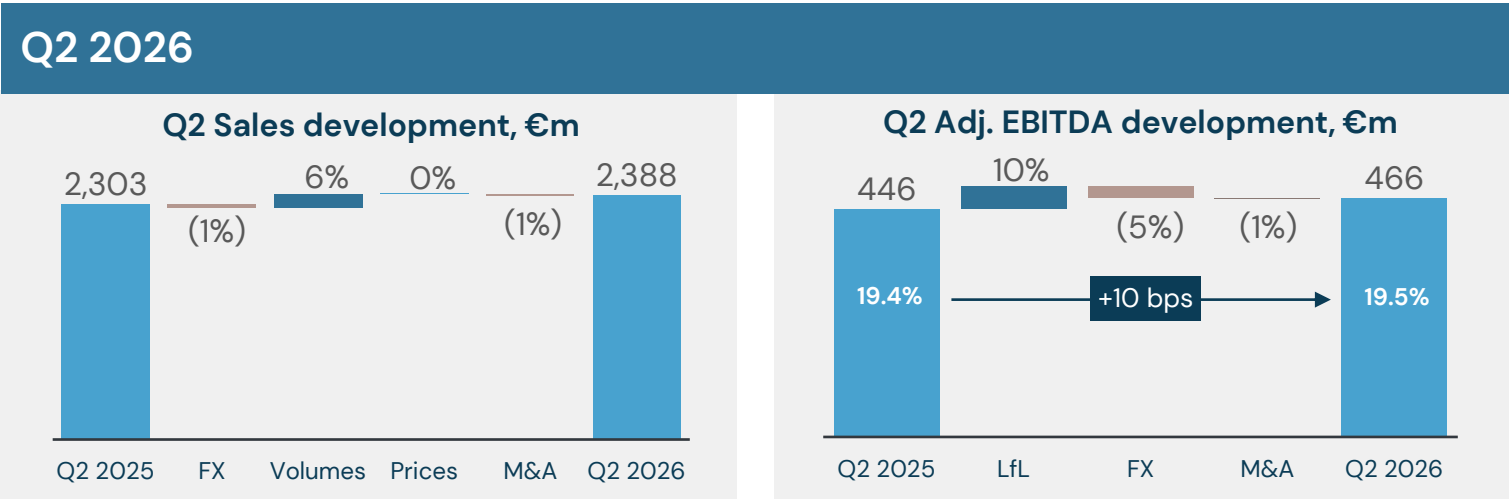
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Continuing Operations: performance highlights

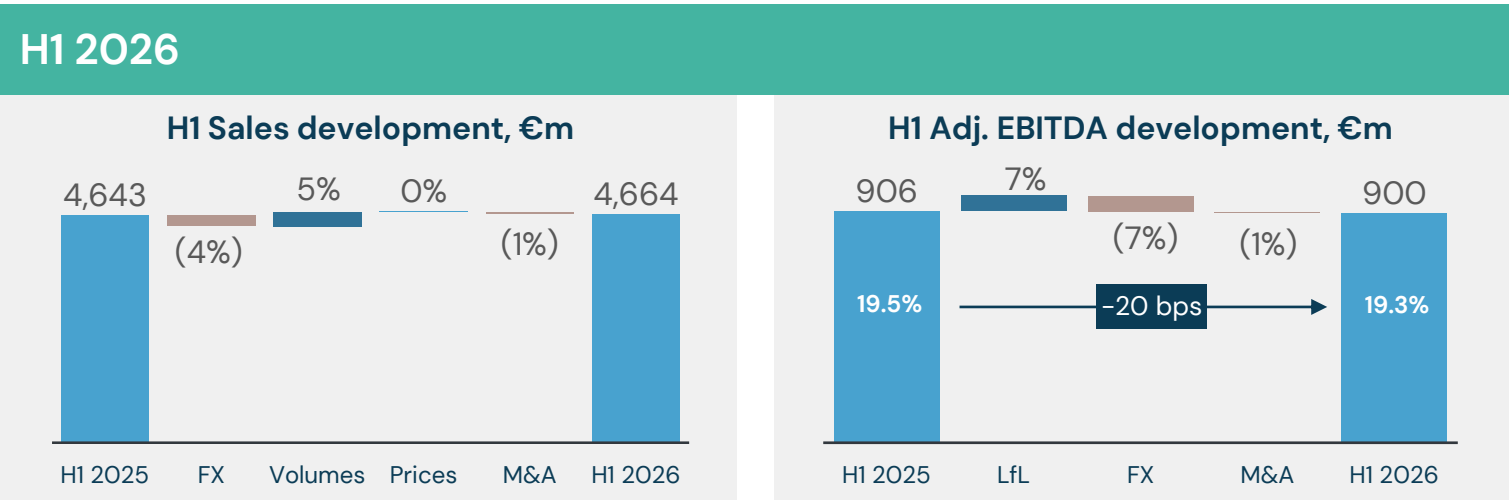
Q2 2026 Sales (growth) LFL 6% Sales €2,388m	Q2 2026 Adj. EBITDA margin 19.5% +10bps vs Q2 2025 (+40bps vs Q1 2026)	Q2 2026 Adj. EBITDA +10% LFL €466m
H1 2026 Sales (growth) LFL 5% Sales €4,664m	H1 2026 Adj. EBITDA margin 19.3% (20bps) vs H1 2025	H1 2026 Adj. EBITDA +7% LFL €900m
H1 Core Adj. EPS €1.84 +14% vs H1 2025	H1 Core Adj. ROCE 11.6% +20bps vs H1 2025	H1 Adj. Gross Operating Free Cash Flow 7% of sales €320m, vs €79m in H1 2025 (2% of sales)

Continuing Operations



Key drivers

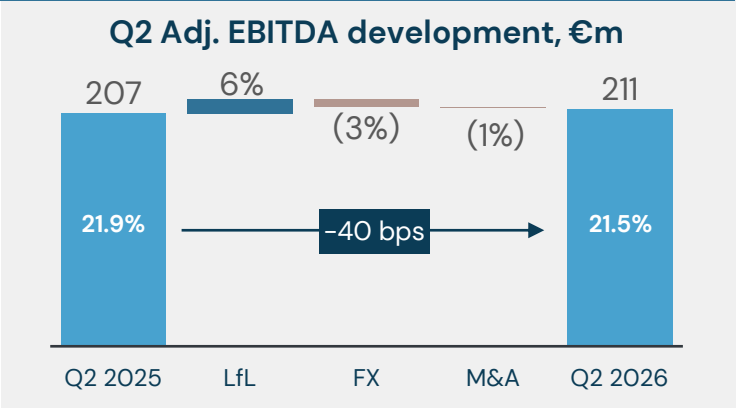
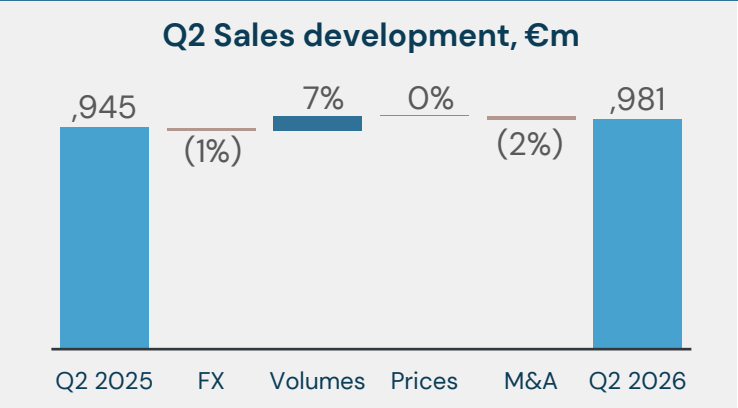
- Good 6% volume-led LFL sales increase across all businesses. June saw an exceptionally strong acceleration owing to positive customer sentiment on easing Middle East concerns
- Adj. EBITDA margin of 19.5%, up 40bps vs. Q1 and stable y-o-y despite a 70bps FX headwind
- LFL Adj. EBITDA increased 10%



Key drivers

- Good 5%, volume-led LFL sales increase owing to improving business conditions, revenue synergies, higher win rates on customer briefs
- Adj. EBITDA margin of 19.3% including a 60bps FX headwind
- LFL Adj. EBITDA increased 7%

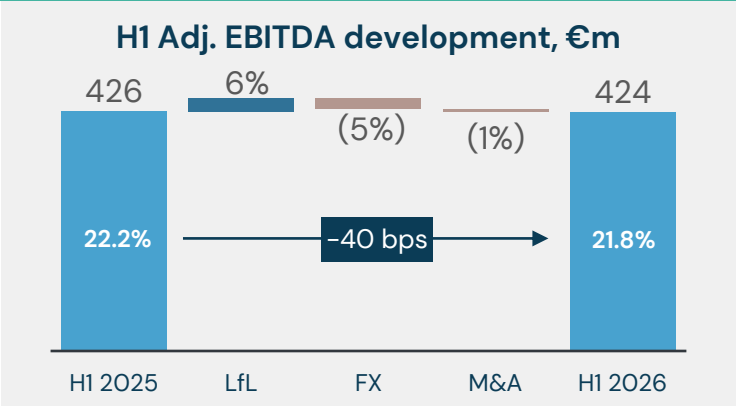
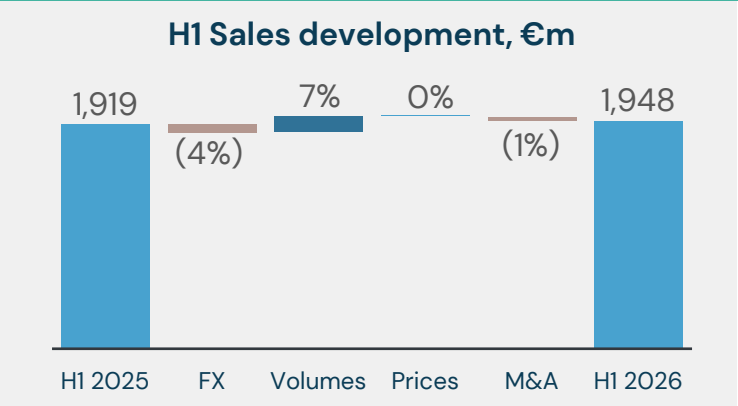
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Key drivers

- 7% LFL sales growth on continued good business momentum with strong month of June
- Fine Fragrances and Consumer Fragrances had double-digit LFL growth from strong market demand, supported by higher win rates of customer briefs. Ingredients was stable
- Adj. EBITDA margin of 21.5%, including a 40bps FX headwind and one-off operational costs
- Adj. EBITDA up 6% LFL

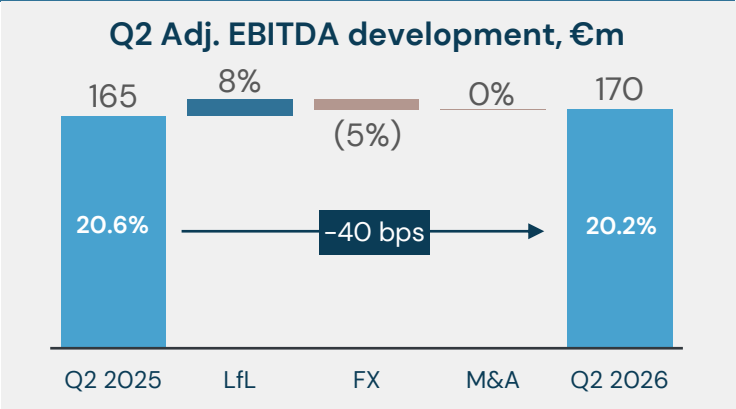
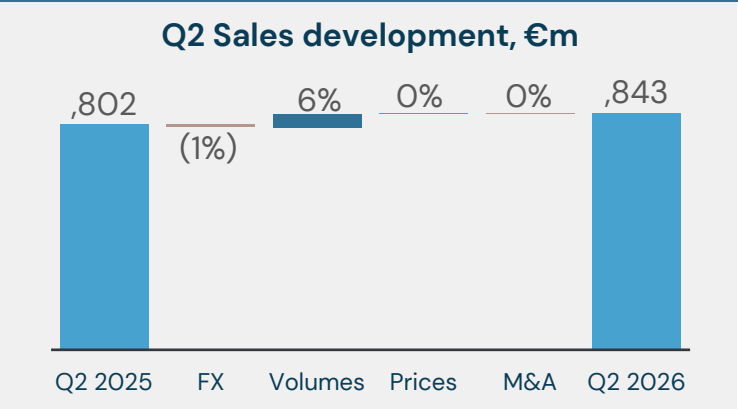
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Key drivers

- Strong H1 performance with 7% LFL sales growth, driven by volumes
- Fine Fragrances delivered double-digit growth; Consumer Fragrances grew high single digits and Ingredients achieved low single-digit growth
- Adj. EBITDA margin of 21.8%, impacted by one-off costs and an FX headwind of 20bps
- Adj. EBITDA up 6% LFL

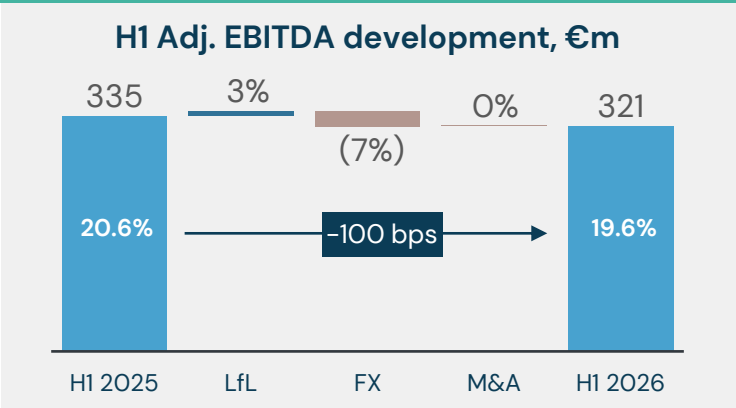
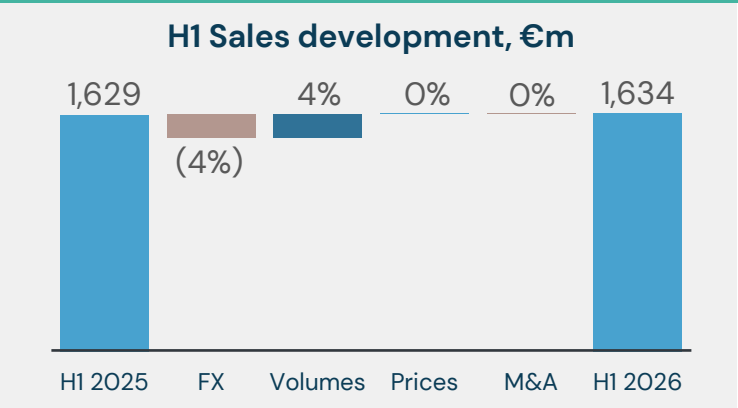
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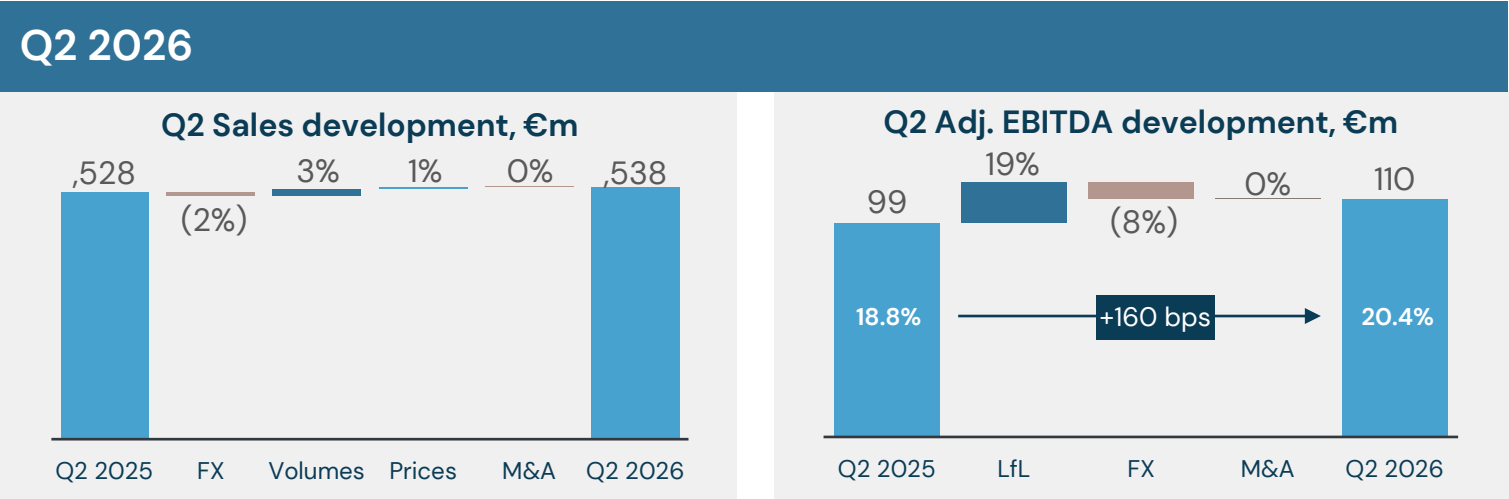
- Q2 LFL sales growth of 6% (up from 2% in Q1), supported by synergies (~2%) and Bovaer® (+1%)
- Good growth in Beverages, Baking, and Dairy
- Adj. EBITDA margin improved sequentially to 20.2% vs Q1. Versus prior year, the margin reflects a 70 bps negative impact from FX
- LFL Adj. EBITDA was up 8%

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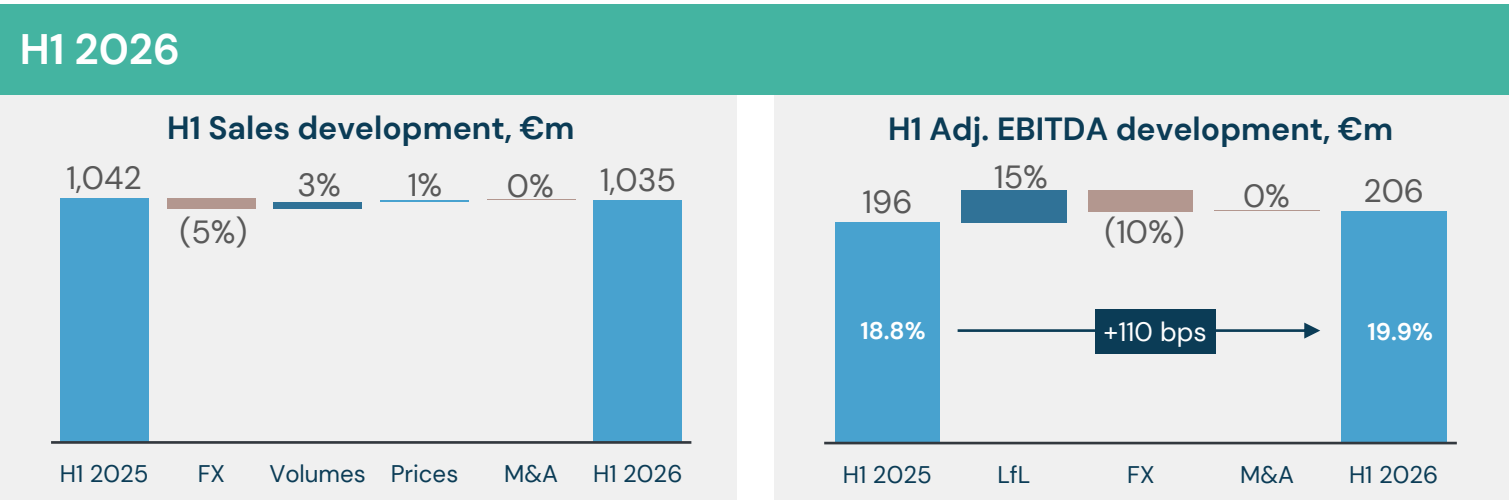


Key drivers

- 4% volume-led LFL growth, supported by 1.5% revenue synergies
- Improving momentum across businesses
- Adj. EBITDA margin of 19.6%, impacted by a 60 bps FX headwind and higher costs
- Adj. EBITDA up 3% LFL



- ### Key drivers
- 4% LFL sales growth
 - Strong HMO, ARA and Biomedical momentum
 - Soft consumer demand in Dietary Supplements and i-Health, especially in North America
 - Adj. EBITDA margin of 20.4%, driven by a favorable mix from high-margin products and despite an adverse 110-bps FX effect
 - LFL Adj. EBITDA was up 19%



- ### Key drivers
- 4% LFL sales growth, driven by Early Life Nutrition (ELN) and Biomedical
 - Consistent performance
 - Adj. EBITDA margin of 19.9%, up 110bps and continuing its gradual improvement despite a 90-bps FX headwind
 - LFL Adj. EBITDA up 15% in H1 vs. prior year

Cash: FY 2026 delivery of 11-12% cash-to-sales fully on track

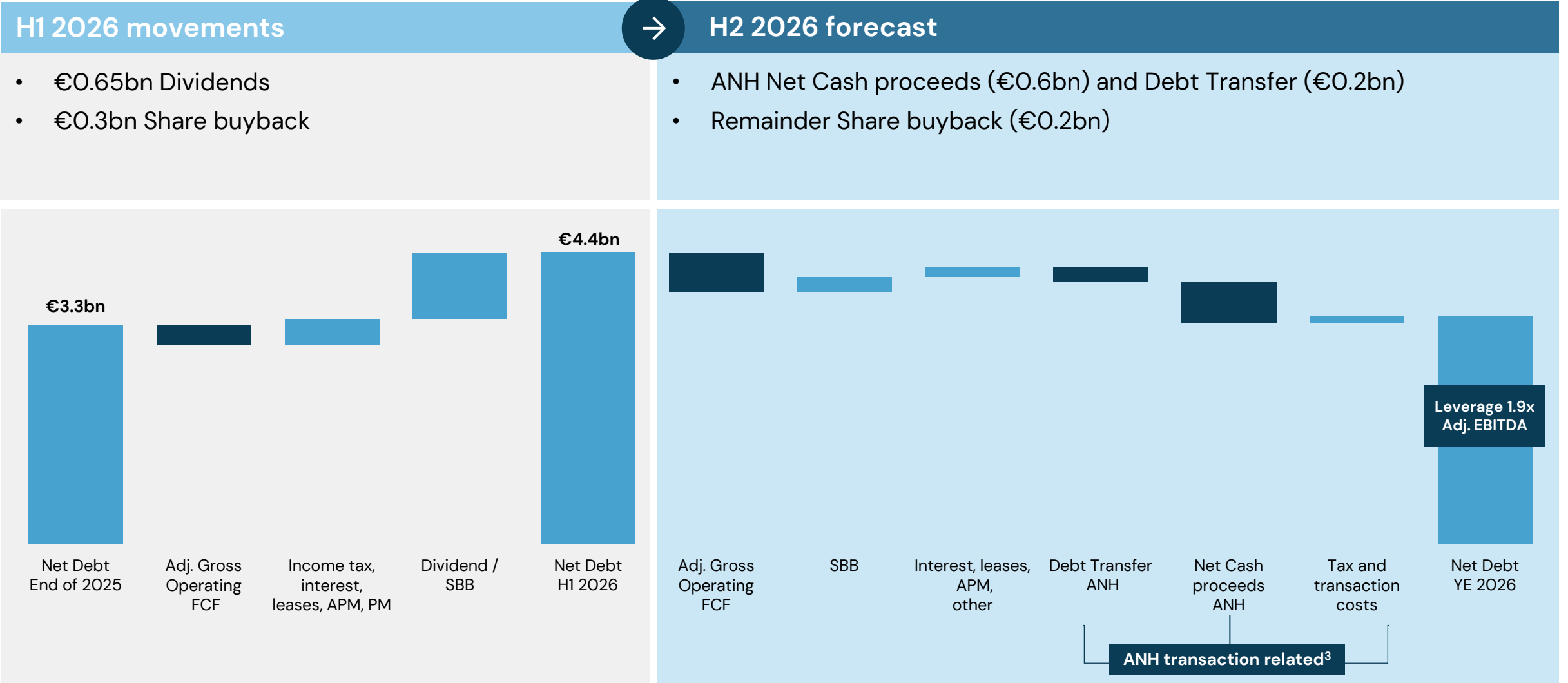
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Adj. GOFCF	Cash CAPEX	Operating Working Capital	Working Capital
7% Sales to cash	8.3% of Sales	27.9% of Sales	21.8% of Sales

H1 2025

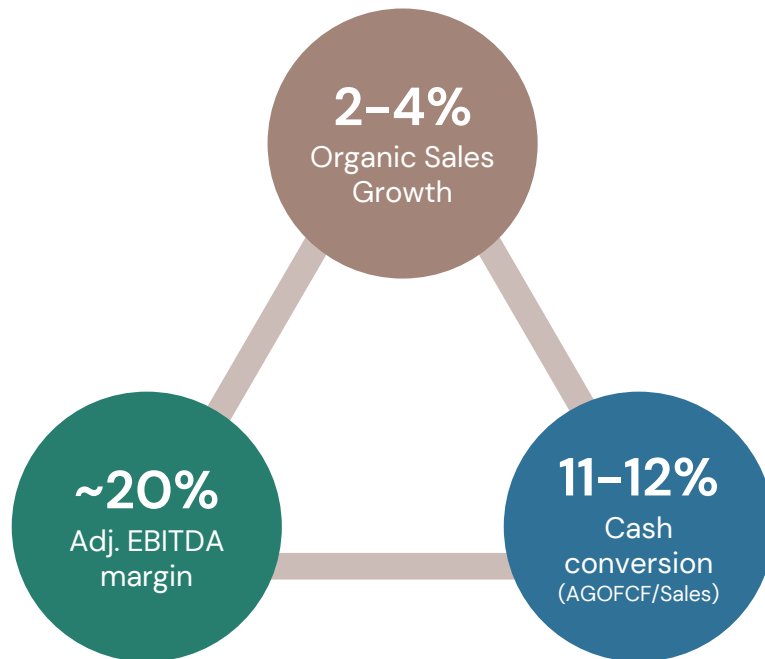
Adj. GOFCF	Cash CAPEX	Operating Working Capital	Working Capital
2% Sales to cash	6.8% of Sales	28.9% of Sales	24.1% of Sales

H1 2026 Net Debt reflects timing of cash-out, FY26 leverage expected to be broadly In line with FY25



Outlook 2026 unchanged: Fully on track with 2026 Strategic Action Plan

The company expects Continuing Operations for full-year 2026 to deliver:



- Underpinned by good H1 delivery, the company expects full-year LFL sales growth to be at the higher end of its 2026 target of 2-4%
- This outlook assumes that, also in H2, the conflict in the Middle East will have a limited impact. The company will address cost inflation through a range of initiatives including a cost savings and restructuring program, and pricing actions

Key drivers

- D&A – around €235m/quarter
- PPA adjustments – around €110m/quarter
 - around €70m/quarter PPA from merger
 - around €40m/quarter from pre-merger M&A
- Core Finex – around €40m/quarter
- Core Income Tax – around 21%
- Capex – around 6.5% of sales
- Key FX sensitivities on adj. EBITDA:
 - 1 ct US\$: roughly €13m EBITDA (annualized), 50% hedged
 - 1 Rappen CHF: roughly €6m EBITDA (annualized), 50% hedged
 - H1 2026 impact was (€60m); H2 2026 FX impact of around (€25m) expected

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