The Essity Group

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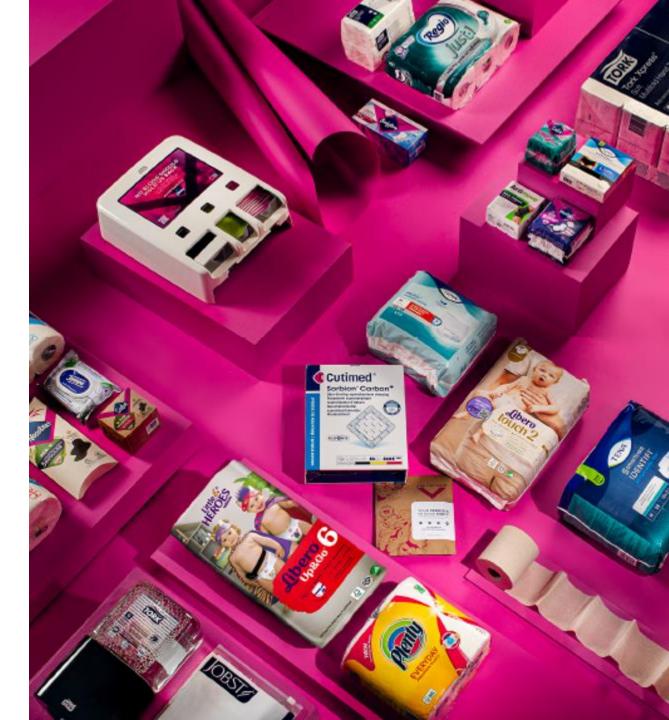




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Every day our brands care for the hygiene and health of a billion people across 150 countries.

































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189 Adjusted EBITA 2023 SEKbn

36,000 employees



Three Attractive Business Areas

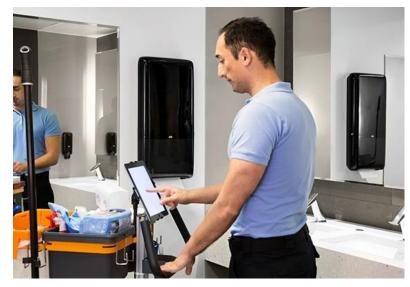
Health & Medical



Consumer Goods



Professional Hygiene













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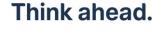














Leading Global Market Positions

Health & Medical

Incontinence Products Health Care #1 Compression Therapy #1 #3 **Orthopedics Wound Care** #5

Consumer Goods

Incontinence Products Retail	#2
Consumer Tissue	#3
Feminine Care	#5
Baby Care	#5

Professional Hygiene

Professional Hygiene



















of branded sales

Position

#1

















Source: The information has been compiled by Essity for presentation purposes based on data taken from external market sources including but not limited to retail audit companies, Price Hanna Consultants, SmartTRAK, Fastmarkets RISI and national macroeconomic data.



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Favorable Market Trends

Growing and Aging Population

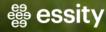
Prevalence of Chronic Conditions

Increased Disposable Income and Higher Living Standards

Awareness about Hygiene and Health

Sustainability

Digitalization



Key Achievements 2023

Highest profit ever and strong platform for growth

Substantially improved structural margins for all business areas

Good progress on key priorities – innovation, efficiency and sustainability

Pre-conditional public offer announced for the shares in Vinda – enabling more attractive portfolio



Pre-conditional Public Offer Announced for 100% of Shares in Vinda

Attractive offer yielding an annual return on the investment of approx. 14% at an EV/EBITDA multiple of 18.1x

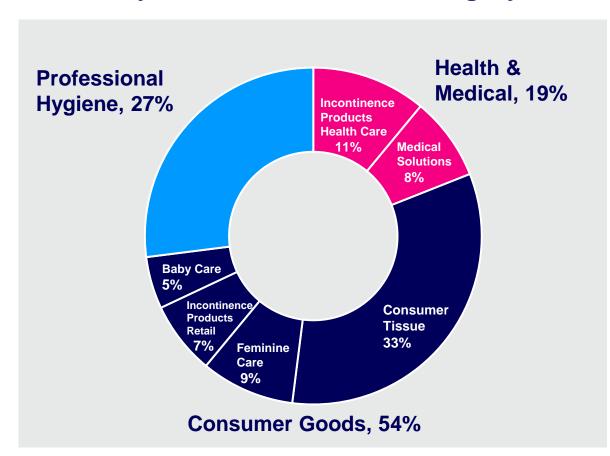
- Isola Castle Ltd has announced that it will make a pre-conditional public offer to acquire 100% of Vinda for a price per share of HKD 23.5
- Essity has signed an irrevocable undertaking to accept the offer in respect its 51.59% shareholding in Vinda
- Cash proceeds to Essity of approx. HKD 15bn (SEK 19bn)
- An exclusive license to continue to market and sell certain Essity branded products will be offered to Vinda after closing of the transaction to replace the existing license agreement
- The transaction is expected to be completed mid-2024
- Essity classifies the financial reporting of Vinda as discontinued operations as of Q4 2023



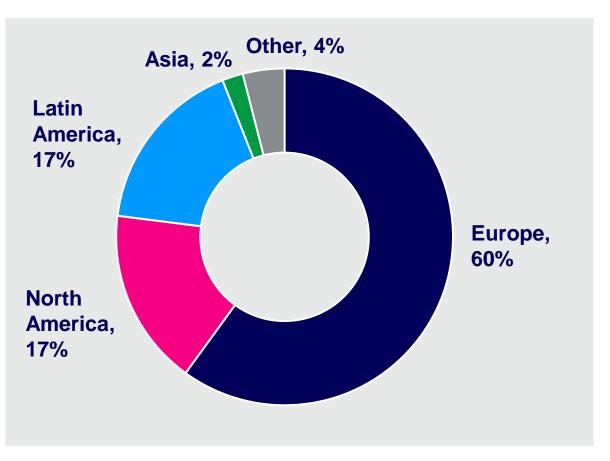


Net Sales Split 2023

By Business Area and Category

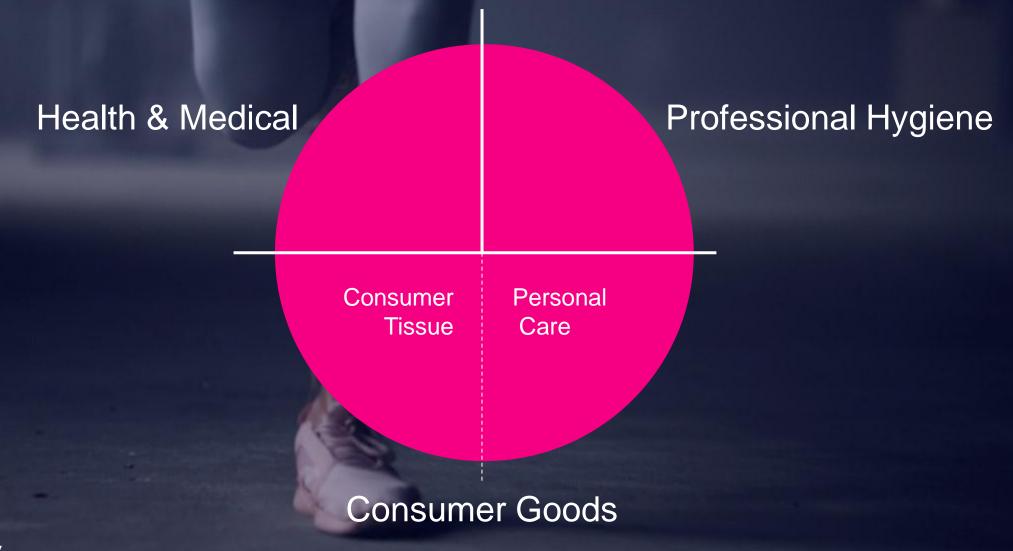


By Region





Long-term Portfolio Direction





Value Creating Acquisitions













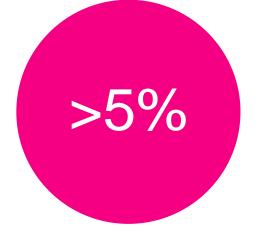




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Clear Long-term Financial Targets and Capital Allocation Priorities

Annual sales growth¹⁾

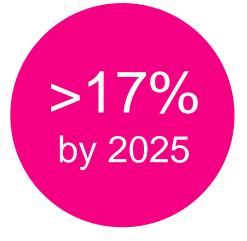


Capital structure

Baa1 long-term rating from Moody's and BBB+ from S&P

Maintain
a solid
investment
grade rating

Adjusted return on capital employed²⁾



Dividend

Dividend policy aiming for stable and rising dividends

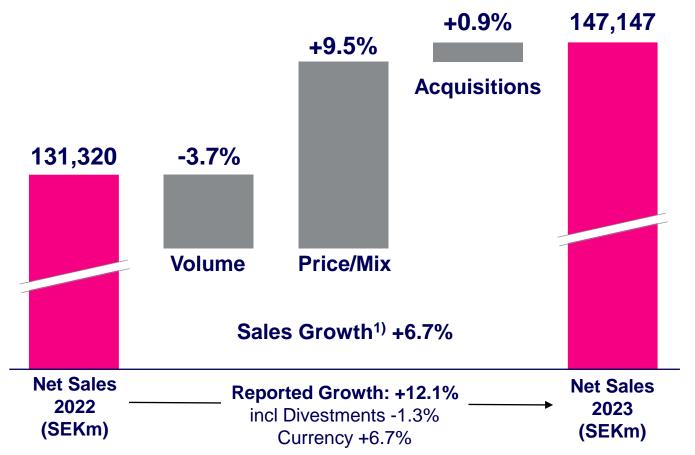
Long-term stable and rising dividends

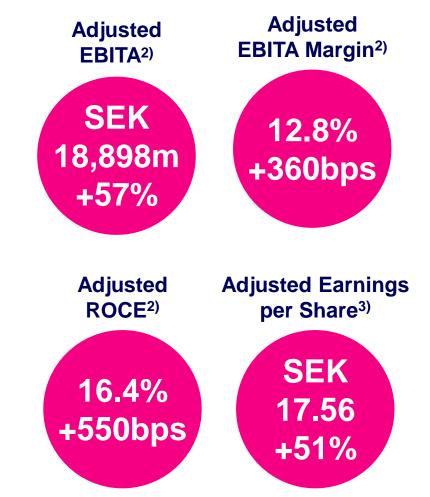
²⁾ Excluding items affecting comparability



¹⁾ Including organic sales growth and acquisitions

2023 - Strong Sales Growth, Record High Adjusted EBITA





³⁾ Excluding items affecting comparability and amortization of acquisition-related intangible assets

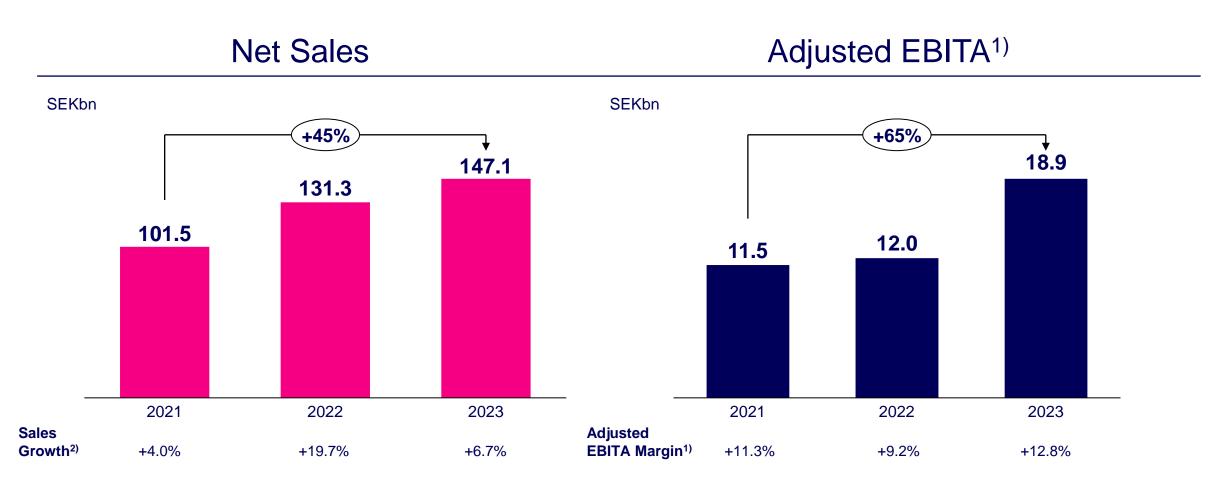


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Strong Development of Sales and Profits



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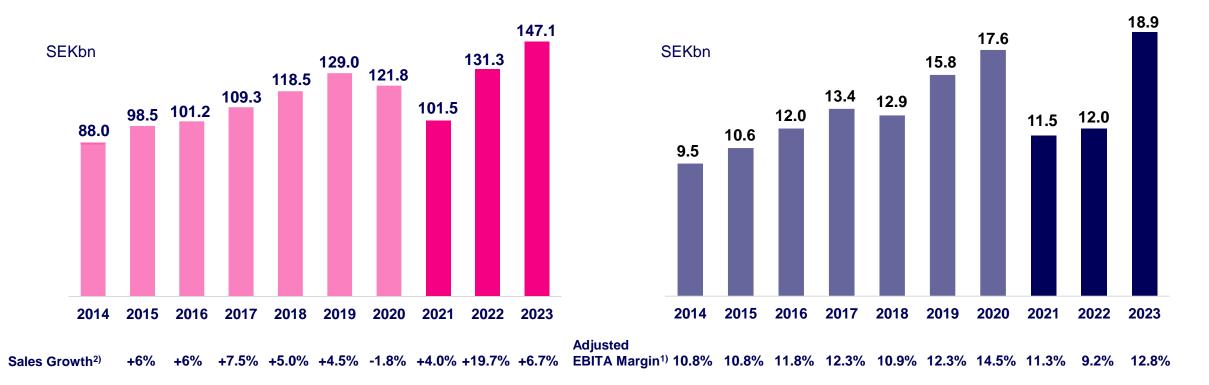
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Strong Development of Sales and Profits

Net Sales

Adjusted EBITA¹⁾



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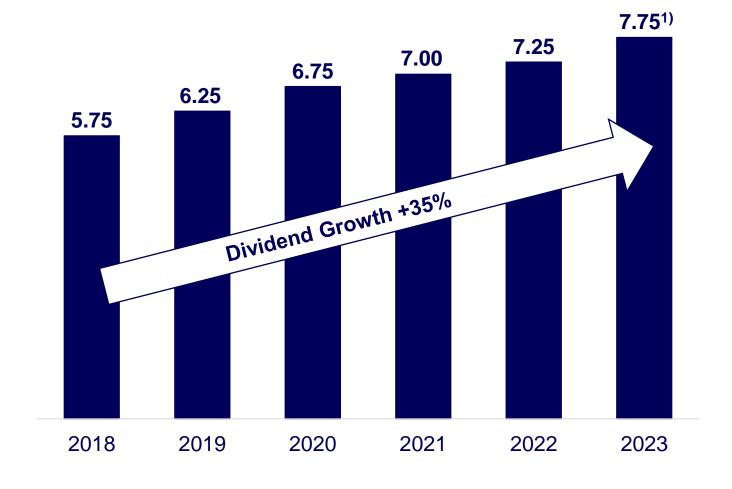


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Dividend







1) Board of Directors Proposal



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Progress on Key Priorities

2023









Price Management

+8.9% in Price

Strong price effect while still successfully protecting our #1 and #2 positions

Innovation & Brands

+0.6% in Mix

Growth in high margin product segments and important product launches

Portfolio of growing and trusted brands used by one billion people world-wide

















Cost Efficiency

SEK 433m

generated from cost savings

Examples:

- Operational efficiency
- Digitalization
- Raw material rationalization
- Fiber mix
- Sourcing negotiations
- E-save

Growth in Fastest Growing Categories and **Channels**

Inco Retail +14% Feminine Care +13% Compression +10% Knix +18% Hydrofera +23% Legacy +19%

E-commerce +10% to 9% of net sales 2023

Leading in **Sustainability**

Science Based Targets Scope 1 and 2 vs 2016

Target 2030:

Outcome 2023:

-35% -26%

- Ranked as one of the world's most sustainable companies by Corporate Knights. The Global 100 list represents the top 1% of companies in the world in terms of sustainability performance.
- Recognized as a diversity leader by Financial Times





Tork PeakServe with 20+ patents







Highest capacity on the market¹



250% More capacity²



50%Compression of towels



1/2
Cut refill
time in half²

¹⁾ Compared to competitor's longest roll towel in North America

²⁾ Compared to Tork Universal refills and folded towel dispenser



Accelerate Sustainable Solutions

3Rs



Reduce



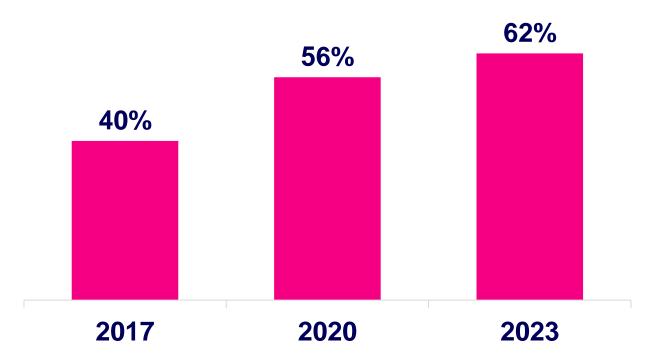
Reuse



Recycle

Superiority

Share of Net Sales with Superiority





Priorities 2024 Strong platform for growth

- Volume growth in high yielding segments
- Innovation, brands and market shares gains
- Price management
- Operational efficiency and digitalization
- Continued progress on ESG



Reasons to Invest in Essity

- Fundamentally attractive market
- Market leading brands
- Sustainability at the core
- © Clear value creating strategy
- Attractive financial profile
- Proven execution







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