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Earnings Results

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First Quarter 2022 Key Financial Metrics

Total Revenue

€ 733m

3.6%

YoY Growth

Adjusted
Gross Margin

27.9%

-250bp

YoY Decline

Adjusted
EBITDA

€ 132m

-4.4%

YoY Decline

Adjusted
EPS

€ 0.43

-8.5%

YoY Decline

Reiterating FY22 Adj. EPS guidance of €1.71 - €1.75

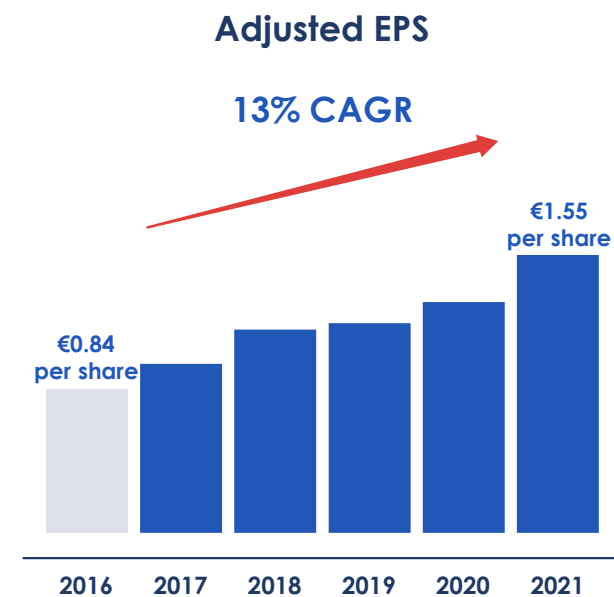
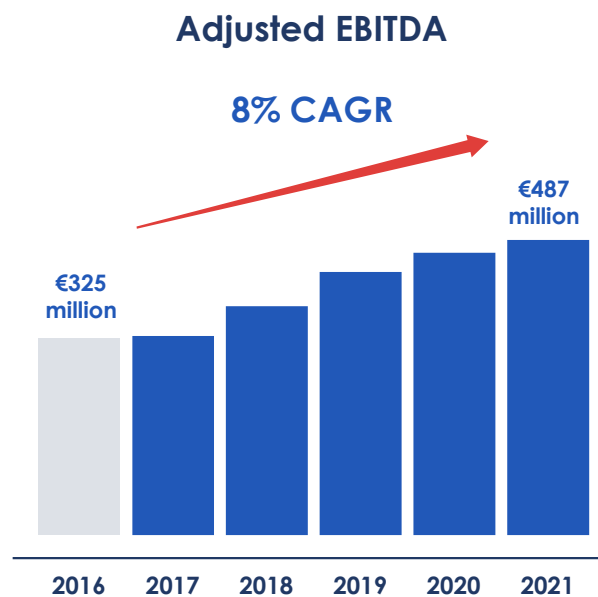
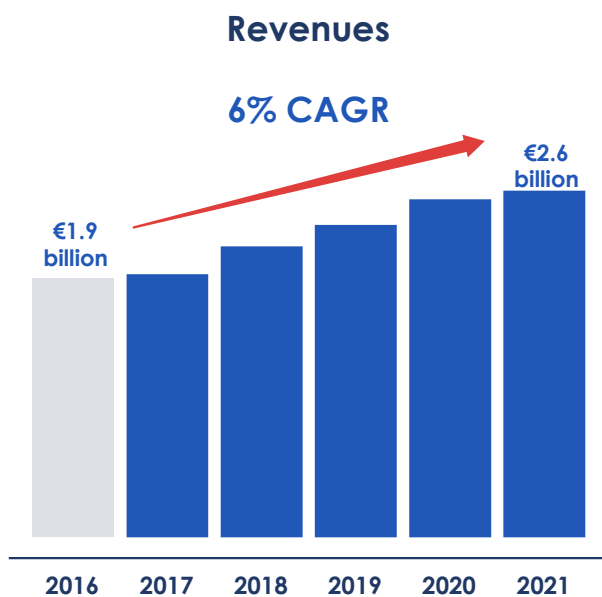
First Quarter 2022 Highlights

- We delivered positive revenue growth driven by the first-time inclusion of the Fortenova acquisition despite difficult pandemic comps and unprecedented inflationary pressures
- Our price increases were phased throughout Q1, with a significant portion coming late in the quarter, and with more planned in the second half of the year
- Value market share improved 10bps overall and 60bps on average in our Must Win Battles in our top four markets (63% of retail sales)
- Our supply chain delivered good results as we hedged 85% of our input costs for 2022 and built new positions for 2023 while reducing stock outs and providing improved customer service
- We are reiterating our 2022 Adjusted EPS guidance of €1.71 to €1.75

We are quickly adjusting to new market realities

- Nomad has a history of successfully handling challenges, including our topline recovery in 2015-16, Brexit, COVID-19, double-digit inflation and now the war in Ukraine
- Our investment in supply chain capabilities is paying off as our service levels remain high, even with supply difficulties in certain markets; our service levels improved 300bps year-on-year in Q1 22
- We are diversifying and strengthening our portfolio to guard against protein supply volatility and to meet changing consumer needs through new products made from plant-protein, farm fish and other alternatives
- We remain focused on our long-term sustainability objectives, especially our Science Based Targets Initiative (SBTi) which will reduce our carbon footprint

Nomad has delivered consistent top line and bottom line growth through several challenging periods



First Quarter 2022 Key Operating Highlights

(in €m unless otherwise noted)	1 Q 2022	1 Q 2021	YoY Change
Revenue	€733	€707	4%
Organic revenue growth/(decline)			(4.5)%
Adjusted Gross profit	205	215	(5)%
Adjusted Gross margin	27.9%	30.4%	(250) bp
Adjusted operating expense	(94)	(94)	—%
Depreciation & amortization	21	17	26%
Adjusted EBITDA	€132	€138	(4%)
Adjusted EBITDA margin	17.9%	19.4%	(150) bp
Adjusted profit for the period	€75	€84	(10%)
Adjusted EPS	€0.43	€0.47	(9%)

First Quarter 2022 Free Cash Flow Highlights

(in €m unless otherwise noted)	3 months ended March 31, 2022	3 months ended March 31, 2021
Adjusted EBITDA	€132	€138
Change in working capital	(29)	14
Capital expenditures ¹	(21)	(20)
Cash taxes	(9)	(21)
Cash interest & other ²	(27)	(13)
Adjusted free cash flow	€46	€98
Adjusted profit for the period	€75	€84
Adjusted free cash flow as % adjusted profit for the period	62%	117%

¹ Calculated as the sum of purchases of property, plant & equipment and intangible non-current assets.

² Calculated as the sum of net interest paid, proceeds/payments on settlement of derivatives and lease liability payments.

Reiterate 2022 Guidance

Total Revenue
Growth

High-single digit
Growth

Organic Revenue
Growth

Low-single digit
Growth

Adjusted EPS
Growth

Double-digit
Growth

Adjusted EPS
€1.71 - 1.75



Questions?



Appendix

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The following tables have been included to allow users to reconcile Non-IFRS financial measures as well as Adjusted financial information included within this presentation to reported IFRS financial measures.

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3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS financial measures.

1. Definitions of Non-IFRS financial measures referred to in this presentation

Non-IFRS financial measures should not be considered as substitutes for, or superior to, measures of financial performance prepared in accordance with IFRS. They are limited in value because they exclude charges that have a material effect on the Company's reported results and, therefore, should not be relied upon as the sole financial measures to evaluate the Company's financial results. The non-IFRS financial measures are meant to supplement, and to be viewed in conjunction with, IFRS financial measures. Investors are encouraged to review the reconciliation of these non-IFRS financial measures to their most directly comparable IFRS financial measures as provided in the tables accompanying this document.

Adjusted EBITDA – EBITDA is profit or loss for the period before taxation, net financing costs, depreciation and amortization. Adjusted EBITDA is EBITDA adjusted to exclude, when they occur, the impacts of exited markets, acquisition purchase price adjustments and exceptional items to the extent included in our financial statements such as material restructuring charges, material goodwill and intangible asset impairment charges, other material unusual or non-recurring items, as well as additional items that management deems to be exceptional and appropriate for adjustment. In addition, we exclude other adjustments such as the impact of share based payment expenses and related employer payroll taxes, and non-operating M&A related costs, because we do not believe they are indicative of our normal operating costs, can vary significantly in amount and frequency, and are unrelated to our underlying operating performance. The Company believes Adjusted EBITDA provides important comparability of underlying operating results, allowing investors and management to assess operating performance on a consistent basis.

Adjusted Profit for the period is defined as profit for the period excluding, when they occur, the impacts of exited markets, acquisition purchase price adjustments and exceptional items such as restructuring charges, goodwill and intangible asset impairment charges, unissued preferred share dividends, as well as certain other items considered unusual or non-recurring in nature. In addition, we exclude other adjustments such as the impact of share based payment expenses and related employer payroll taxes, and non-operating M&A related costs, because we do not believe they are indicative of our normal operating costs, can vary significantly in amount and frequency, and are unrelated to our underlying operating performance. The Company believes Adjusted Profit after tax provides important comparability of underlying operating results, allowing investors and management to assess operating performance on a consistent basis.

Adjusted EPS - Adjusted EPS is defined as basic earnings per share excluding, when they occur, the impacts of exited markets, acquisition purchase price adjustments and exceptional items to the extent included in our financial statements such as material restructuring charges, material goodwill and intangible asset impairment charges, unissued preferred share dividends, other material unusual or non-recurring items, as well as additional items that management deems to be exceptional and appropriate for adjustment. In addition, we exclude other adjustments such as the impact of share based payment expenses and related employer payroll taxes, and non-operating M&A related costs, because we do not believe they are indicative of our normal operating costs, can vary significantly in amount and frequency, and are unrelated to our underlying operating performance. The Company believes Adjusted EPS provides important comparability of underlying operating results, allowing investors and management to assess operating performance on a consistent basis.

Adjusted Financial Information – Adjusted financial information presented in this presentation reflects the historical reported financial statements of Nomad Foods, adjusted for share based payment charges including employer payroll taxes, exceptional items (as described above) and non-cash foreign currency translation charges/gain.

Organic Revenue Growth/(Decline) – Organic revenue growth/(decline) is an adjusted measurement of our operating results. This comparison of current and prior period performance takes into consideration only those activities that were in effect during both time periods. Organic revenue reflects reported revenue adjusted for currency translation and non-comparable trading items such as expansion, acquisitions, disposals, closures, trading day impacts or any other event that artificially impact the comparability of our results.

Adjusted Free Cash Flow – Adjusted free cash flow is the amount of cash generated from operating activities before cash flows related to exceptional items (as described above), non-operating M&A related costs and working capital movements on employer taxes associated with share based payment awards, but after capital expenditure (on property, plant and equipment and intangible assets), net interest paid, proceeds/(payments) on settlement of derivatives where hedge accounting is not applied and payments of lease liabilities. Adjusted free cash flow reflects cash flows that could be used for payment of dividends, repayment of debt or to fund acquisitions or other strategic objectives.

2. Reconciliation of reported to organic revenue growth/(decline)

Year on Year Growth - Three months ended March 31, 2022 compared to March 31, 2021

	Three months ended March 31, 2021
Reported Revenue Growth	YoY Growth 3.6%
<i>Of which:</i>	
- Organic Revenue Growth / (Decline)	(4.5)%
- Acquisitions	6.7%
- Translational FX (a)	1.4%
Total	3.6%

a. Translational FX is calculated by translating data of the current and comparative periods using a budget foreign exchange rate that is set once a year as part of the Company's internal annual forecast process.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures

Adjusted Statement of Profit or Loss (unaudited)
Three months ended March 31, 2022

€ in millions, except per share data	As reported for the three months ended March 31, 2022	Adjustments	As adjusted for the three months ended March 31, 2022
Revenue	732.9	—	732.9
Cost of sales	(528.2)	—	(528.2)
Gross profit	204.7	—	204.7
Other operating expenses	(98.1)	3.7 (a)	(94.4)
Exceptional items	(19.0)	19.0 (b)	—
Operating profit	87.6	22.7	110.3
Finance income	0.9	(0.9)	—
Finance costs	(15.5)	—	(15.5)
Net financing costs	(14.6)	(0.9) (c)	(15.5)
Profit before tax	73.0	21.8	94.8
Taxation	(17.0)	(2.5) (d)	(19.5)
Profit for the period	56.0	19.3	75.3
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - basic	174.4		174.4
Basic earnings per share	0.32		0.43
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - diluted	174.4		174.4
Diluted earnings per share	0.32		0.43

- Represents share based payment charge including employer payroll taxes of €1.3 million and non-operating M&A transaction costs of €2.4 million.
- Represents exceptional items which management believes are non-recurring and do not have a continuing impact. See Note 6, Exceptional items, within 'Exhibit 99.2 - Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements' for a detailed list of exceptional items.
- Elimination of €0.9 million of foreign exchange translation gains.
- Represents tax impact of the above at the applicable tax rate for each adjustment, determined by the nature of the item and the jurisdiction in which it arises.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Adjusted Statement of Profit or Loss (unaudited)
Three months ended March 31, 2021

€ in millions, except per share data	As reported for the three months ended March 31, 2021	Adjustments		As adjusted for the three months ended March 31, 2021
Revenue	707.4	—		707.4
Cost of sales	(494.6)	2.3	(a)	(492.3)
Gross profit	212.8	2.3		215.1
Other operating expenses	(98.0)	3.6	(b)	(94.4)
Exceptional items	(10.8)	10.8	(c)	—
Operating profit	104.0	16.7		120.7
Finance costs	(40.3)	25.0		(15.3)
Net financing costs	(40.3)	25.0	(d)	(15.3)
Profit before tax	63.7	41.7		105.4
Taxation	(14.4)	(7.3)	(e)	(21.7)
Profit for the period	49.3	34.4		83.7
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - basic	177.8			177.8
Basic earnings per share	0.28			0.47
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - diluted	177.8			177.8
Diluted earnings per share	0.28			0.47

- a. Represents non-cash fair value uplift of inventory recorded as part of the Findus Switzerland purchase price accounting.
- b. Share based payment charge including employer payroll taxes of €0.6 million and non-operating M&A transaction costs of €3.0 million.
- c. Exceptional items which management believes are non-recurring and do not have a continuing impact. See Note 6, Exceptional items, within 'Exhibit 99.2 - Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements' for a detailed list of exceptional items.
- d. Elimination of a one-time €12.4 million loss from the impairment of a short-term investment made with surplus cash as part of our cash management activities, €11.6 million of foreign exchange translation losses and €1.0 million of foreign exchange losses on derivatives.
- e. Represents tax impact of the above at the applicable tax rate for each exceptional item, determined by the nature of the item and the jurisdiction in which it arises.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Reconciliation of Profit for the period to EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA (unaudited)

€ in millions	Three months ended	
	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2021
Profit for the period	56.0	49.3
Taxation	17.0	14.4
Net financing costs	14.6	40.3
Depreciation & amortization	21.2	16.8
EBITDA	108.8	120.8
Acquisition purchase price adjustments ^(a)	—	2.3
Exceptional items ^(b)	19.0	10.8
Other add-backs ^(c)	3.7	3.6
Adjusted EBITDA	131.5	137.5
Revenue	732.9	707.4
Adjusted EBITDA margin ^(d)	17.9%	19.4%

a. Non-cash fair value uplift of inventory recorded as part of the Findus Switzerland and Fortenova acquisition purchase price accounting.

b. Adjustment to add back exceptional items. See Note 6, Exceptional items, within 'Exhibit 99.2 - Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements' for a detailed list of exceptional items.

c. Represents the elimination of share-based payment charges including employer payroll taxes for the three month period to March 31, 2022 of €1.3 million (2021: €0.6 million) as well as the elimination of non-operating M&A related costs, professional fees, transaction costs and purchase accounting related valuations for the three month period to March 31, 2022 of €2.4 million (2021: €3.0 million). We exclude these costs because we do not believe they are indicative of our normal operating costs, can vary significantly in amount and frequency, and are unrelated to our underlying operating performance.

d. Adjusted EBITDA margin is calculated by dividing Adjusted EBITDA by Revenue.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Reconciliation of reported net cash flows from operating activities to Adjusted free cash flow for the three months ended March 31, 2022 and the three months ended March 31, 2021

(in €m)	Three months ended	
	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2021
Net Cash Flows From Operating Activities	78.2	117.9
Add back:		
Cash flows relating to exceptional items ^(a)	12.6	9.7
Employer taxes related to share based payments ^(b)	0.1	0.1
Non-operating M&A costs ^(c)	2.4	3.0
Deduct:		
Capital expenditure ^(d)	(20.4)	(19.5)
Net interest paid	(22.7)	(8.9)
Proceeds on settlement of derivatives	1.7	0.5
Payment of lease liabilities ^(e)	(5.5)	(4.9)
Adjusted free cash flow	46.4	97.9

a. Adjustment to add back cash flows related to exceptional items which are not considered to be indicative of our ongoing operating cash flows.

b. Adjustment to add back working capital movements related to employer taxes related to share based payments which are not considered to be indicative of our ongoing operating cash flows.

c. Adjustment to add back cash flows related to non-operating M&A costs which are not considered to be indicative of our ongoing operating cash flows.

d. Defined as the sum of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets purchased in the year, which are considered part of the underlying business cash flows.

e. These lease liabilities are included in Net Cash Flows from Financing Activities. We believe these payments are part of the underlying business cash flows and should be reflected in Adjusted free cash flow.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Adjusted Statement of Profit or Loss (unaudited)

Twelve months ended December 31, 2021

€ in millions, except per share data	As reported for the twelve months ended December 31, 2021	Adjustments		As adjusted for the twelve months ended December 31, 2021
Revenue	2,606.6	—		2,606.6
Cost of sales	(1,862.3)	8.4	(a)	(1,853.9)
Gross profit	744.3	8.4		752.7
Other operating expenses	(356.3)	18.7	(b)	(337.6)
Exceptional items	(45.3)	45.3	(c)	—
Operating profit	342.7	72.4		415.1
Finance income	0.1	—		0.1
Finance costs	(106.1)	41.9		(64.2)
Net financing costs	(106.0)	41.9	(d)	(64.1)
Profit before tax	236.7	114.3		351.0
Taxation	(55.7)	(18.7)	(e)	(74.4)
Profit for the period	181.0	95.6		276.6
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - basic	178.1	—		178.1
Basic earnings per share	1.02			1.55
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - diluted	178.1	—		178.1
Diluted earnings per share	1.02			1.55

a. Represents non-cash fair value uplift of inventory recorded as part of the Findus Switzerland and Fortenova acquisition purchase price accounting.

b. Share based payment charge including employer payroll taxes of €5.8 million and non-operating M&A related costs of €12.9 million.

c. Exceptional items which management believes are non-recurring and do not have a continuing impact. See table 'EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA (unaudited) twelve months ended December 31, 2021' for a detailed list of exceptional items.

d. Elimination of €17.9 million of charges recognized as part of refinancing activities, a one-time net €8.6 million loss from the impairment of a short-term investment, which was made with surplus cash as part of our cash management activities, €4.0 million of foreign exchange translation losses and €11.4 million of foreign exchange losses on derivatives.

e. Tax impact of the above at the applicable tax rate for each adjustment, determined by the nature of the item and the jurisdiction in which it arises.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Adjusted EBITDA (audited)

Twelve months ended December 31, 2021

€ in millions	As reported for the twelve months ended December 31, 2021	
Profit for the period	181.0	
Taxation	55.7	
Net financing costs	106.0	
Depreciation and amortization	71.6	
Acquisition purchase price adjustments	8.4	(a)
Exceptional items:		
<i>Findus Switzerland integration costs</i>	6.2	(b)
<i>Brexit</i>	5.3	(c)
<i>Information Technology Transformation program</i>	4.2	(d)
<i>Business Transformation Program</i>	18.8	(e)
<i>Fortenova Group integration costs</i>	3.5	(f)
<i>Factory optimization</i>	4.9	(g)
<i>Settlement of legacy matters</i>	(2.6)	(h)
<i>Release of indemnification assets</i>	5.0	(i)
Other Adjustments:		
Other add-backs	18.7	(j)
Adjusted EBITDA (k)	486.7	

- a. Represents non-cash fair value uplift of inventory recorded as part of the Findus Switzerland and Fortenova's acquisition purchase price accounting.
- b. Expenses associated with the integration of the Findus Switzerland business acquired on December 31, 2020.
- c. Expenses related to preparations for the potential adverse impacts of the United Kingdom exiting the European Union to our supply chain, such as tariffs and delays at ports of entry and departure.
- d. Expenses associated with the Information Technology Transformation program, which are primarily professional fees.
- e. Expenses associated with the start of a multi-year, enterprise-wide transformation and optimization program. Expenses in the period consist of restructuring and transformational project costs, including business technology transformation initiative costs and related professional fees.
- f. Expenses associated with the integration of the Fortenova's Group acquired on September 30, 2021.
- g. Expenses associated with a three-year factory optimization program to develop a new suite of standard manufacturing and supply chain processes, that will provide a single network of optimized factories. The project was initiated in 2018.
- h. Income and expenses associated with tax and other liabilities relating to periods prior to acquisition of the Findus and Iglo Groups.
- i. Charge for the release of shares held in escrow as part of the consideration on the acquisition of the Findus Group.
- j. Represents the elimination of share based payment charge including employer payroll taxes of €5.8 million and elimination of non-operating M&A related costs of €12.9 million.
- k. Adjusted EBITDA margin of 18.7% for the twelve months ended December 31, 2021 is calculated by dividing Adjusted EBITDA by Revenue of €2,606.6 million.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Adjusted Statement of Profit or Loss (unaudited)
Twelve months ended December 31, 2020

€ in millions, except per share data	As reported for the twelve months ended December 31, 2020	Adjustments		As adjusted for the twelve months ended December 31, 2020
Revenue	2,515.9	—		2,515.9
Cost of sales	(1,753.4)	—		(1,753.4)
Gross profit	762.5	—		762.5
Other operating expenses	(382.7)	19.4	(a)	(363.3)
Exceptional items	(20.6)	20.6	(b)	—
Operating profit	359.2	40.0		399.2
Finance income	4.7	(4.0)		0.7
Finance costs	(68.4)	1.5		(66.9)
Net financing costs	(63.7)	(2.5)	(c)	(66.2)
Profit before tax	295.5	37.5		333.0
Taxation	(70.4)	—	(d)	(70.4)
Profit for the period	225.1	37.5		262.6
Profit attributable to:				
Equity owners of the parent	225.2	37.5		262.7
Non-controlling interests	(0.1)	—		(0.1)
	225.1	37.5		262.6
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - basic	194.0			194.0
Basic earnings per share	1.16			1.35
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - diluted	197.9	(3.9)	(e)	194.0
Diluted earnings per share	1.14			1.35

a. Share based payment charge including employer payroll taxes of €12.1 million and non-operating M&A related costs of €7.3 million.

b. Exceptional items which management believes are non-recurring and do not have a continuing impact. See table 'EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA (unaudited) twelve months ended December 31, 2020' for a detailed list of exceptional items.

c. Elimination of €4.0 million of foreign exchange translation gains and €1.5 million of foreign exchange losses on derivatives.

d. Tax impact of the above at the applicable tax rate for each adjustment, determined by the nature of the item and the jurisdiction in which it arises.

e. Adjustment to eliminate the dilutive effect of the Founder Preferred Share Dividend earned as of December 31, 2020 but for which shares were issued on January 4, 2021.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Adjusted EBITDA (audited)
Twelve months ended December 31, 2020

€ in millions	As reported for the twelve months ended December 31, 2020	
Profit for the period	225.1	
Taxation	70.4	
Net financing costs	63.7	
Depreciation and amortization	67.6	
Exceptional items:		
<i>Brexit</i>	1.6	(a)
<i>Supply chain reconfiguration</i>	(12.5)	(b)
<i>Findus Switzerland integration costs</i>	0.3	(c)
<i>Goodfella's Pizza & Aunt Bessie's integration costs</i>	4.0	(d)
<i>Factory optimization</i>	10.0	(e)
<i>Release of indemnification assets</i>	17.8	(f)
<i>Settlement of legacy matters</i>	(2.9)	(g)
<i>Business Transformation Program</i>	2.3	(h)
Other Adjustments:		
Other add-backs	19.4	(i)
Adjusted EBITDA(j)	466.8	

- a. Expenses related to preparations for the potential adverse impacts of the United Kingdom exiting the European Union to our supply chain, such as tariffs and delays at ports of entry and departure.
- b. Income recognized on reaching an agreement to end the leasehold on a cold store in Sweden.
- c. Expenses associated with the integration of the Findus Switzerland business acquired on December 31, 2020.
- d. Expenses associated with the integration of the Goodfella's pizza and Aunt Bessie's businesses which were acquired in 2018.
- e. Expenses associated with a three-year factory optimization program to develop a new suite of standard manufacturing and supply chain processes, that will provide a single network of optimized factories. The project was initiated in 2018.
- f. Charge for the release of shares held in escrow as part of the consideration on the acquisition of the Findus Group..
- g. Income and expense associated with tax and other liabilities relating to periods prior to acquisition of the Findus and Iglo Groups.
- h. Expenses associated with the start of a multi-year, enterprise-wide transformation and optimization program.
- i. Represents the elimination of share based payment charge including employer payroll taxes of €12.1 million and elimination of non-operating M&A related costs of €7.3 million.
- j. Adjusted EBITDA margin of 18.6% for the twelve months ended December 31, 2020 is calculated by dividing Adjusted EBITDA by Revenue of €2,515.9 million.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Adjusted Statement of Profit or Loss (unaudited)
Twelve months ended December 31, 2019

€ in millions, except per share data	As reported for the twelve months ended December 31, 2019	Adjustments		As adjusted for the twelve months ended December 31, 2019
Revenue	2,324.3	—		2,324.3
Cost of sales	(1,626.4)	—		(1,626.4)
Gross profit	697.9	—		697.9
Other operating expenses	(359.9)	25.7	(a)	(334.2)
Exceptional items	(54.5)	54.5	(b)	—
Operating profit	283.5	80.2		363.7
Finance income	2.5	—		2.5
Finance costs	(75.7)	8.8		(66.9)
Net financing costs	(73.2)	8.8	(c)	(64.4)
Profit before tax	210.3	89.0		299.3
Taxation	(56.7)	(7.5)	(d)	(64.2)
Profit for the period	153.6	81.5		235.1
Profit attributable to:				
Equity owners of the parent	154.0	81.5		235.5
Non-controlling interests	(0.4)	—		(0.4)
	153.6	81.5		235.1
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - basic	192.0			192.0
Basic earnings per share	0.80			1.23
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - diluted	198.4	(6.4)	(e)	192.0
Diluted earnings per share	0.78			1.23

a. Share based payment expense including employer payroll taxes of €22.4 million and non-operating M&A related costs of €3.3 million.

b. Exceptional items which management believes are non-recurring and do not have a continuing impact. See table 'EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA (unaudited) twelve months ended December 31, 2019' for a detailed list of exceptional items.

c. Elimination of €3.9 million of foreign exchange translation losses and €4.9 million of foreign exchange losses on derivatives.

d. Tax impact of the above at the applicable tax rate for each adjustment, determined by the nature of the item and the jurisdiction in which it arises.

e. Adjustment to eliminate the dilutive effect of the Founder Preferred Share Dividend earned as of December 31, 2019 but for which shares were issued on January 2, 2020.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA (audited)
Twelve months ended December 31, 2019

€ in millions	As reported for the twelve months ended December 31, 2019	
Profit for the period	153.6	
Taxation	56.7	
Net financing costs	73.2	
Depreciation and amortization	68.3	
Exceptional items:		
<i>Brexit</i>	1.6	(a)
<i>Supply chain reconfiguration</i>	(3.6)	(b)
<i>Findus Group integration costs</i>	3.5	(c)
<i>Goodfella's Pizza & Aunt Bessie's integration costs</i>	12.5	(c)
<i>Factory optimization</i>	5.7	(d)
<i>Release of indemnification assets</i>	44.0	(e)
<i>Settlement of legacy matters</i>	(9.2)	(f)
Other Adjustments:		
Other add-backs	25.7	(h)
Adjusted EBITDA(i)	432.0	

- a. Expenses related to preparations for the potential adverse impacts of the United Kingdom exiting the European Union to our supply chain, such as tariffs and delays at ports of entry and departure.
- b. Supply chain reconfiguration relates to activities associated with the closure of the Bjuv manufacturing facility in Sweden which ceased production in 2017. The income relates to the sale of the agricultural land which completed in May 2019 and the finalization of consideration received for the sale of the industrial property which completed in 2018.
- c. Expenses related to the roll-out of the Nomad ERP system following the acquisition of the Findus Group in November 2015.
- d. Expenses associated with the integration of the Goodfella's pizza and Aunt Bessie's businesses which were acquired in 2018.
- e. Expenses associated with a three-year factory optimization program to develop a new suite of standard manufacturing and supply chain processes, that will provide a single network of optimized factories. The project was initiated in 2018.
- f. Charge in 2019 for the release of shares held in escrow as part of the consideration on the acquisition of the Findus Group.
- g. Income and expense associated with tax and other liabilities relating to periods prior to acquisition of the Findus and Iglo Groups.
- h. Represents the elimination of share based payment charge including employer payroll taxes of €22.4 million and elimination of non-operating M&A related costs of €3.3 million.
- i. Adjusted EBITDA margin of 18.6% for the twelve months ended December 31, 2019 is calculated by dividing Adjusted EBITDA by Revenue of €2,324.3 million.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Adjusted Statement of Profit or Loss (unaudited)
Twelve months ended December 31, 2018

€ in millions, except per share data	As reported for the twelve months ended December 31, 2018	Adjustments		As adjusted for the twelve months ended December 31, 2018
Revenue	2,172.8	--		2,172.8
Cost of sales	(1,519.3)	5.7	(a)	(1,513.6)
Gross profit	653.5	5.7		659.2
Other operating expenses	(352.7)	23.6	(b)	(329.1)
Exceptional items	(17.7)	17.7	(c)	--
Operating profit	283.1	47.0		330.1
Finance income	1.6	(1.4)		0.2
Finance costs	(57.6)	(2.4)		(60.0)
Net financing costs	(56.0)	(3.8)	(d)	(59.8)
Profit before tax	227.1	43.2		270.3
Taxation	(56.6)	(4.7)	(e)	(61.3)
Profit for the period	170.5	38.5		209.0
Profit for the period attributable to equity owners of the parent	171.2	38.5		209.7
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - basic	175.6	—		175.6
Basic earnings per share	0.97			1.19
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - diluted	175.8	(0.2)	(f)	175.6
Diluted earnings per share	0.97			1.19

a. Non-cash fair value uplift of inventory recorded as part of the Goodfella's Pizza and Aunt Bessie's purchase price accounting.

b. Share-based payment expense including employer payroll taxes of €14.7 million and non-operating M&A transaction costs of €8.9 million.

c. Exceptional items which management believes are non-recurring and do not have a continuing impact. See table 'EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA (unaudited) twelve months ended December 31, 2018' for a detailed list of exceptional items.

d. Elimination of €1.1 million of costs incurred as part of the refinancing on the May 3, 2017 and repricing on December 20, 2017, €0.3 million of realized and unrealized foreign exchange translation losses and €5.2 million of gains on foreign currency derivatives.

e. Tax impact of the above at the applicable tax rate for each adjustment, determined by the nature of the item and the jurisdiction in which it arises.

f. Adjustment to eliminate the dilutive effect of the Founder Preferred Share Dividend earned as of December 31, 2018 but for which shares were issued on January 2, 2019.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Adjusted EBITDA (audited)

Twelve months ended December 31, 2018

€ in millions	As reported for the twelve months ended December 31, 2018	
Profit for the period	170.5	
Taxation	56.6	
Net financing costs	56.0	
Depreciation	39.3	
Amortization	7.0	
Acquisition purchase price adjustments	5.7	(a)
Exceptional items:		
<i>Supply chain reconfiguration</i>	1.2	(b)
<i>Findus Group integration costs</i>	10.4	(c)
<i>Goodfella's Pizza & Aunt Bessie's integration costs</i>	8.3	(d)
<i>Factory optimization</i>	1.6	(e)
<i>Settlement of legacy matters</i>	(3.8)	(f)
Other Adjustments:		
<i>Other add-backs</i>	23.6	(g)
Adjusted EBITDA (h)	376.4	

- a. Non-cash fair value uplift of inventory recorded as part of the Goodfella's Pizza and Aunt Bessie's purchase price accounting.
- b. Supply chain reconfiguration costs following the closure of the factory in Bjuv, Sweden. Following the closure in 2017, the Company has incurred costs relating to the relocation of production to other factories. The costs are partially offset by income from the disposal of the remaining tangible assets.
- c. Non-recurring costs related to the roll-out of the Nomad ERP system following the acquisition of the Findus Group in November 2015.
- d. Non-recurring costs associated with the integration of the Goodfella's pizza business in April 2018 and the Aunt Bessie's business in July 2018.
- e. Non-recurring costs associated with a three-year factory optimization program to develop a new suite of standard manufacturing and supply chain processes, that will provide a single network of optimized factories.
- f. Non-recurring income and costs associated with liabilities relating to periods prior to acquisition of the Findus and Iglo Groups, settlements of tax audits, settlements of contingent consideration for acquisitions and other liabilities relating to periods prior to acquisition of the Findus and Iglo businesses by the Company. This includes an income of €2.7 million recognized on settlement of contingent consideration for the purchase of the La Cocinera acquisition and net income of €0.7 million associated with settlements of tax audits.
- g. Represents the elimination of share-based payment charges including employer payroll taxes of €14.7 million and elimination of non-operating M&A related costs of €8.9 million.
- h. Adjusted EBITDA margin of 17.3% for the twelve months ended December 31, 2018 is calculated by dividing Adjusted EBITDA by Adjusted revenue of €2,172.8 million.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Adjusted Statement of Profit or Loss (unaudited)
Twelve months ended December 31, 2017

€ in millions, except per share data	As reported for the twelve months ended December 31, 2017	Adjustments		As adjusted for the twelve months ended December 31, 2017
Revenue	1,956.6	—		1,956.6
Cost of sales	(1,357.2)	—		(1,357.2)
Gross profit	599.4	—		599.4
Other operating expenses	(319.3)	5.6	(a)	(313.7)
Exceptional items	(37.2)	37.2	(b)	—
Operating profit	242.9	42.8		285.7
Finance income	7.2	(7.0)		0.2
Finance costs	(81.6)	22.0		(59.6)
Net financing costs	(74.4)	15.0	(c)	(59.4)
Profit before tax	168.5	57.8		226.3
Taxation	(32.0)	(19.1)	(d)	(51.1)
Profit for the period	136.5	38.7		175.2
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - basic	176.1			176.1
Basic earnings per share	0.78			1.00
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - diluted	184.8	(8.7)	(e)	176.1
Diluted earnings per share	0.74			1.00

a. Share-based payment charge

b. Exceptional items which management believes do not have a continuing impact. See table 'EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA (unaudited) twelve months ended December 31, 2017' for a detailed list of exceptional items.

c. Elimination of €20.1 million of costs incurred as part of the refinancing on the May 3, 2017 and repricing on December 20, 2017, €3.9 million of foreign exchange translation losses and €9.0 million of foreign currency gains on derivatives.

d. Tax impact of the above at the applicable tax rate for each adjustment, determined by the nature of the item and the jurisdiction in which it arises.

e. Adjustment to eliminate the dilutive effect of the Founder Preferred Share Dividend earned as of December 31, 2017 but for which shares were issued on January 2, 2018.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Adjusted EBITDA (audited)

Twelve months ended December 31, 2017

€ in millions	As reported for the twelve months ended December 31, 2017	
Profit for the period	136.5	
Taxation	32.0	
Net financing costs	74.4	
Depreciation	35.9	
Amortization	6.5	
Exceptional items:		
Transactions related costs	3.2	(a)
Investigation and implementation of strategic opportunities	18.8	(b)
Supply chain reconfiguration	14.0	(c)
Findus Group integration costs	15.1	(d)
Settlement of legacy matters	(5.6)	(e)
Remeasurement of indemnification assets	(8.3)	(f)
Other Adjustments:		
Other add-backs	5.6	(g)
Adjusted EBITDA (h)	328.1	

- a. Costs incurred related to enhanced control compliance procedures in territories.
- b. Costs incurred in relation to investigation and implementation of strategic opportunities considered non-recurring for the combined group following acquisitions by the Company. These costs primarily relate to changes to the organizational structure of the combined businesses.
- c. Supply chain reconfiguration costs, namely the closure of the Bjuv factory.
- d. Costs recognized by Nomad Foods relating to the integration of the Findus Group, primarily relating to the rollout of the Nomad ERP system.
- e. Non-recurring income and costs associated with liabilities relating to periods prior to acquisition of the Findus and Iglo Groups, settlements of tax audits, sale of non-operating factories acquired and other liabilities relating to periods prior to acquisition of the Findus and Iglo businesses by the Company. This includes a charge of €3.9 million associated with settlements of tax audits, offset by gains of €4.2 million from the reassessment of sales tax provisions, €1.2 million from the reassessment of interest on sales tax provisions, a €2.8 million gain on a legacy pension plan in Norway and a €1.3 million gain on disposal of a non-operational factory.
- f. Adjustment to reflect the remeasurement of the indemnification assets recognized on the acquisition of the Findus Group, which is capped at the value of shares held in escrow at the share price as at December 31, 2017. Offsetting are the release of indemnification assets associated with final settlement of indemnity claims against an affiliate of Permira Advisors LLP, which are legacy tax matters that predate the Company's acquisition of Iglo Group in 2015.
- g. Represents the elimination of share-based payment charges of €2.6 million and elimination of non-operating M&A related costs of €3.0 million.
- h. Adjusted EBITDA margin 16.8% for the twelve months ended December 31, 2017 is calculated by dividing Adjusted EBITDA by Adjusted revenue of €1,956.6 million.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Adjusted Statement of Profit or Loss (unaudited)
Twelve months ended December 31, 2016

€ in millions, except per share data	As reported for the twelve months ended December 31, 2016	Adjustments		As adjusted for the twelve months ended December 31, 2016
Revenue	1,927.7	—		1,927.7
Cost of sales	(1,356.7)	—		(1,356.7)
Gross profit	571.0	—		571.0
Other operating expenses	(298.4)	1.2	(a)	(297.2)
Exceptional items	(134.5)	134.5	(b)	—
Operating profit	138.1	135.7		273.8
Finance income	24.2	(18.3)		5.9
Finance costs	(86.3)	7.1		(79.2)
Net financing costs	(62.1)	(11.2)	(c)	(73.3)
Profit before tax	76.0	124.5		200.5
Taxation	(39.6)	(6.0)	(d)	(45.6)
Profit for the period	36.4	118.5		154.9
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - basic	183.5			183.5
Basic earnings per share	0.20			0.84
Weighted average shares outstanding in millions - diluted	183.5			183.5
Diluted earnings per share	0.20			0.84

a. Adjustment to add back share based payment charge

b. Adjustment to add back exceptional items which management believes do not have a continuing impact. See table 'EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA (unaudited) twelve months ended December 31, 2016' for a detailed list of exceptional items.

c. Adjustment to eliminate €18.3 million of non-cash foreign exchange translation gains, €4.3 million foreign exchange loss on derivatives and €2.8 million of other exceptional non-cash interest.

d. Adjustment to reflect the tax impact of the above at the applicable tax rate for each adjustment, determined by the nature of the item and the jurisdiction in which it arises.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Adjusted EBITDA (audited)
Twelve months ended December 31, 2016

€ in millions	As reported for the twelve months ended December 31, 2016	
Profit for the period	36.4	
Taxation	39.6	
Net financing costs	62.1	
Depreciation	43.3	
Amortization	7.8	
Exceptional items:		
<i>Costs related to transactions</i>	4.8	(a)
<i>Costs related to management incentive plans</i>	1.9	(b)
<i>Investigation and implementation of strategic opportunities</i>	7.0	(c)
<i>Cisterna fire net income</i>	(4.3)	(d)
<i>Supply chain reconfiguration</i>	84.3	(e)
<i>Other restructuring costs</i>	(1.0)	(f)
<i>Findus Group integration costs</i>	29.6	(g)
<i>Settlement of legacy matters</i>	1.8	(h)
<i>Remeasurement of indemnification assets</i>	10.4	(i)
Other Adjustments:		
<i>Other add-backs</i>	1.2	(j)
Adjusted EBITDA(k)	324.9	

- a. Elimination of costs incurred in relation to completed and potential acquisitions and one-off compliance costs incurred as a result of listing on the New York Stock Exchange.
- b. Adjustment to eliminate long term management incentive scheme costs from prior ownership.
- c. Elimination of costs incurred in relation to investigation and implementation of strategic opportunities considered non-recurring for the combined group following acquisitions by the Company. These costs primarily relate to changes to the organizational structure of the combined businesses.
- d. Elimination of net insurance income offset by incremental operational costs incurred as a result of a fire in August 2014 in the Iglo Group's Italian production facility which produces Findus branded stock for sale in Italy.
- e. Elimination of supply chain reconfiguration costs, namely the closure of the Bjuv factory.
- f. Elimination of a credit on release of provisions for restructuring activities associated with operating locations.
- g. Elimination of costs recognized by Nomad Foods relating to the integration of the Findus Group.
- h. Elimination of non-recurring costs associated with settlements of tax audits and other liabilities relating to periods prior to acquisition of the Findus and Iglo businesses by the Company. These were previously classified within Investigation and implementation of strategic opportunities and other items and have been reclassified into this line for the period presented.
- i. Adjustment to reflect the remeasurement of the indemnification assets recognized on the acquisition of the Findus Group, which is capped at the value of shares held in escrow at the share price as at December 31, 2016.
- j. Other add-backs include the elimination of share-based payment charges of €1.2 million.
- k. Adjusted EBITDA margin 16.9% for the twelve months ended December 31, 2016 is calculated by dividing Adjusted EBITDA by Adjusted revenue of €1,927.7 million.

3. Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures (continued)

Reconciliation of reported net cash flows from operating activities to Adjusted free cash flow for the Twelve months ended December 31, 2021 and the Twelve months ended December 31, 2020

€ in millions	Twelve months ended December 31, 2021	Twelve months ended December 31, 2020	
Net Cash Flows From Operating Activities	306.3	457.0	
Add back:			
Cash flows relating to exceptional items	48.8	12.1	(a)
Employer taxes related to share based payments	0.7	3.1	(b)
Non-operating M&A costs	12.9	7.3	(c)
Deduct:			
Capital expenditure	(79.2)	(58.7)	(d)
Net interest paid	(36.6)	(49.5)	
Payments on settlement of derivatives	(2.0)	(6.1)	
Payment of lease liabilities	(19.4)	(20.3)	(e)
Adjusted free cash flow	231.5	344.9	

- a. Adjustment to add back cash flows related to exceptional items which are not considered to be indicative of our ongoing operating cash flows.
- b. Adjustment to add back working capital movements related to employer taxes related to share based payments which are not considered to be indicative of our ongoing operating cash flows.
- c. Adjustment to add back cash flows related to non-operating M&A costs which are not considered to be indicative of our ongoing operating cash flows.
- d. Defined as the sum of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets purchased in the year, which are considered part of the underlying business cash flows.
- e. These lease liabilities are included in Net Cash Flows from Financing Activities. We believe these payments are part of the underlying business cash flows and should be reflected in Adjusted free cash flow.

3. Reconciliation of reported net cash flows from operating activities to Adjusted free cash flow

Reconciliation of reported net cash flows from operating activities to Adjusted free cash flow for the Twelve months ended December 30, 2019, 2018, 2017 & 2016

(in €m)	Twelve months ended December 31, 2019	Twelve months ended December 31, 2018	Twelve months ended December 31, 2017	Twelve months ended December 31, 2016
Net Cash Flows From Operating Activities	315.4	321.3	193.8	282.1
Add back:				
Cash flows relating to exceptional items (a)	15.9	43.4	99.5	49.2
Legacy tax payments (b)	—	—	27.3	—
Employer taxes related to share based payments (c)	7.5	1.7	—	—
Non-operating M&A costs (d)	3.3	8.9	3.0	—
Deduct:				
Capital expenditure (e)	(47.3)	(41.6)	(42.6)	(42.4)
Net interest paid	(46.0)	(45.1)	(48.5)	(63.0)
(Payments)/proceeds on settlement of derivatives	0.7	(2.8)	1.6	(4.0)
Payment of lease liabilities (f)	(21.8)	—	(1.6)	(0.7)
Adjusted free cash flow	227.7	285.8	232.5	221.2
Adjusted free cash flow as % adjusted profit for the period	97%	137%	133%	143%
Adjusted Profit for the period	235.0	209.0	175.2	154.9

a) Adjustment to add back cash flows related to exceptional items which are not considered to be indicative of our ongoing operating cash flows.

b) Tax paid relating to open tax audits for pre-Nomad periods which are considered one-off in nature

c) Adjustment to add back working capital movements related to employer taxes related to share based payments which are not considered to be indicative of our ongoing operating cash flows.

d) Adjustment to add back cash flows related to non-operating M&A related costs which are not considered to be indicative of our ongoing operating cash flows.

e) Defined as the sum of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets purchased in the year, which are considered part of the underlying business cash flows.

f) These lease liabilities are included in Net Cash Flows from Financing Activities. We believe these payments are part of the underlying business cash flows and should be reflected in Adjusted free cash flow.