

Zone AMS: navigating headwinds and winning

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The Americas account for 45% of Nestlé group sales

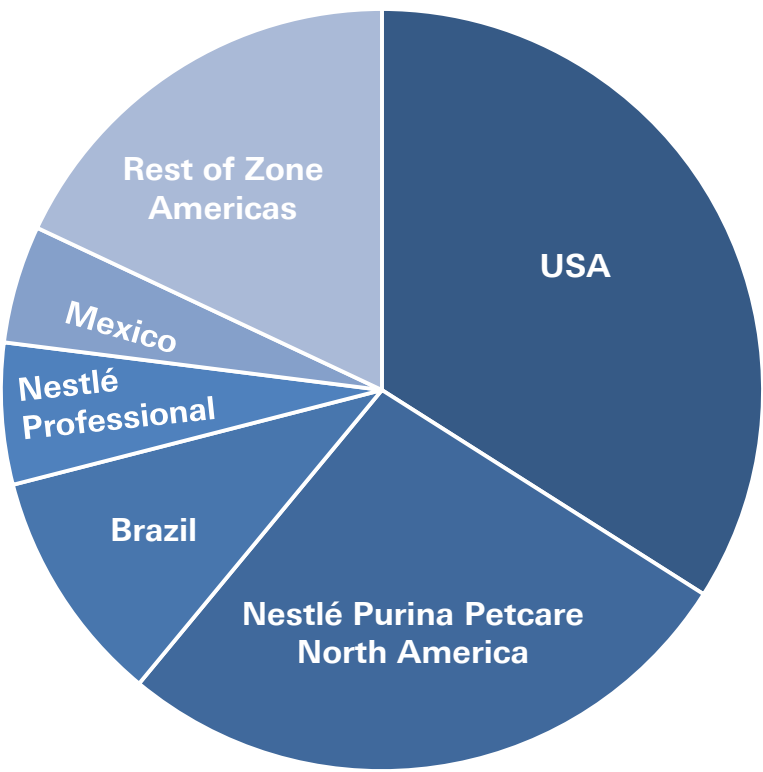


Sales (2016)

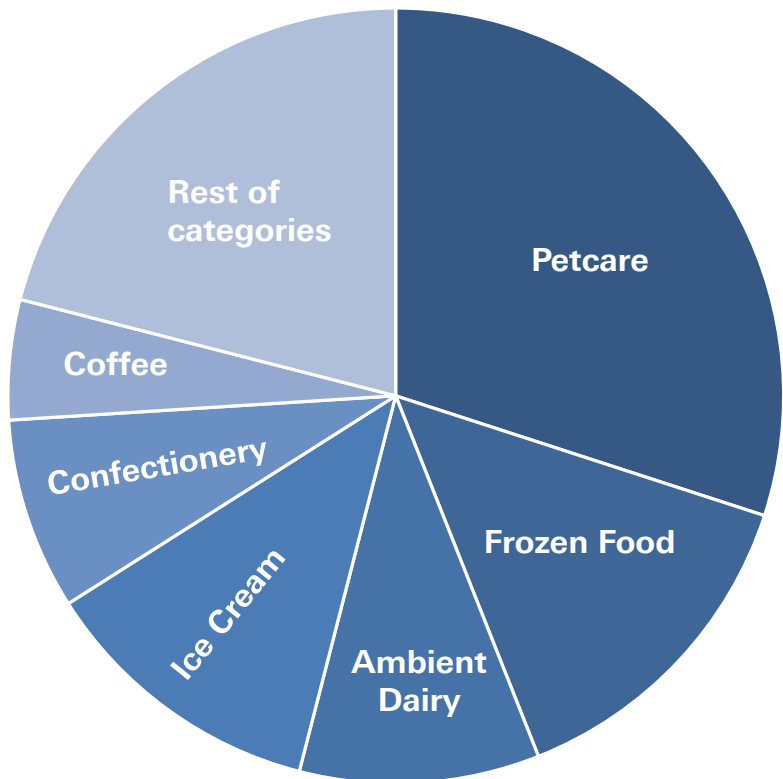
Nestlé in zone AMS
CHF **40.2** billion

of which,
Zone-managed
CHF **28.1** billion

Zone AMS sales
by market responsibility



Zone AMS sales
by product category



Economic environment



U.S.: deflationary

Soft consumer demand, wage stagnation, intense competition



LATAM: recessionary

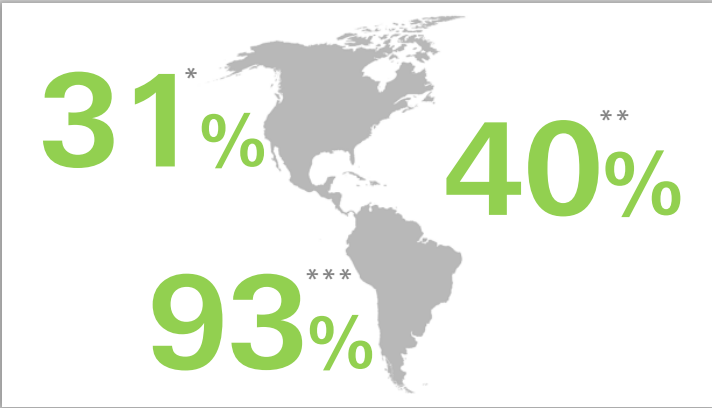
Political instability, low consumer confidence, positive outlook mid-term



Nestlé Zone Americas: snapshot



Zone AMS in 3 numbers



U.S.: resilient and transforming



Mexico: strong despite weak consumer confidence



Brazil: improving against strong macro headwinds



Argentina, Colombia, Cuba: growth opportunities



^{*} Share of group sales ^{**} Share of total free cash flow ^{***} Percentage of sales in top two positions in the category

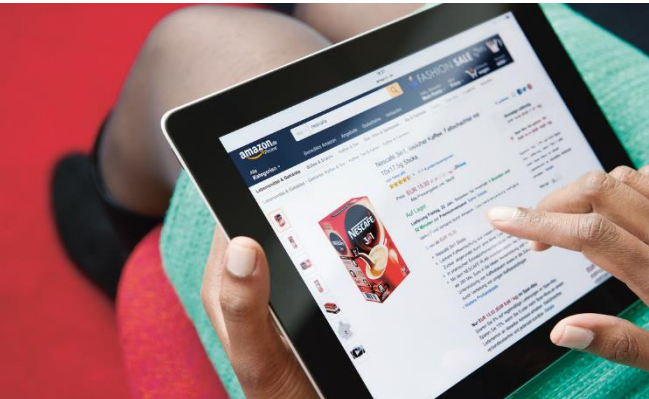
Industry and consumer trends in the Americas



Millennials and aging population



Digital disruption



Significant shifts in retail *

Channel	Growth Share
ALL OUTLETS COMBINED UPC & RANDOM-WEIGHT	-5%
EMERGING RETAILERS INCLUDING WHOLE FOODS, COSTCO, CONVENIENCE AND OTHERS	14%
ONLINE INCLUDING E-COMMERCE, MEAL KITS AND GROCERY DELIVERY	92%

Regulatory environment



Small is winning

U.S. share change (2013 - 2016)

Big food:	-260 bps
Private label:	-18 bps
Small players:	+120 bps

Radical cost cutting



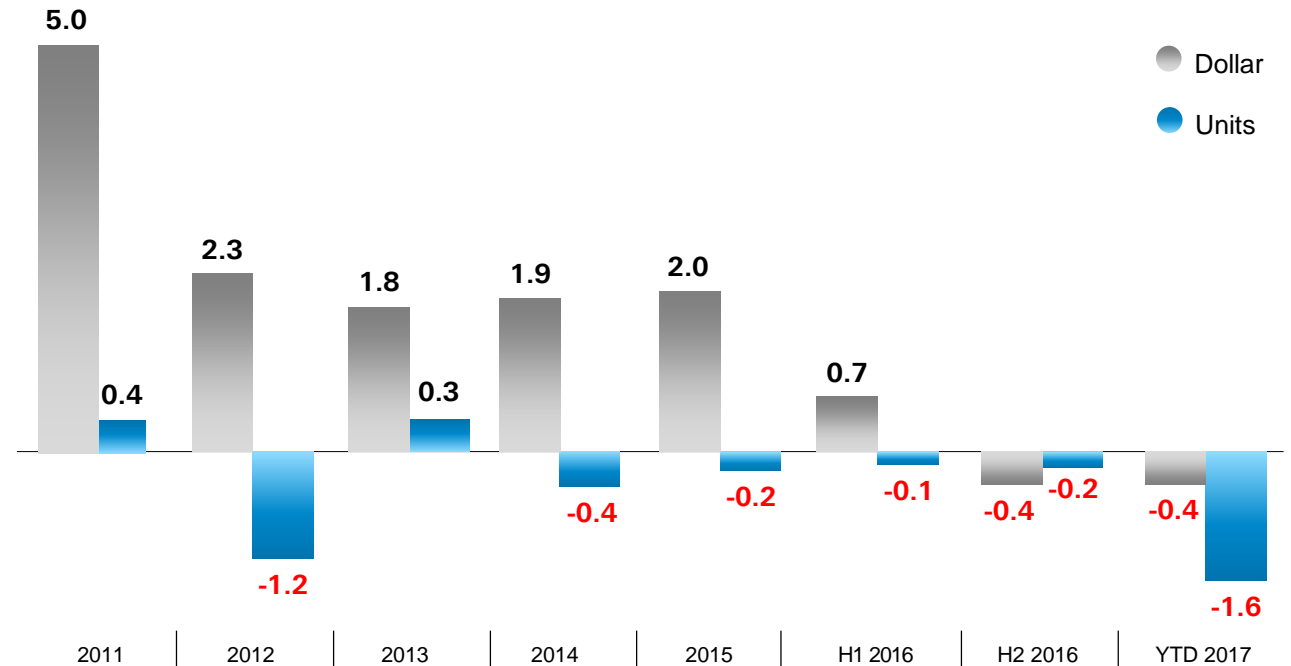
* Source: Nielsen Total Consumer Report 2017

Growth of F&B decelerating in the U.S.



- Disposable income under pressure
- Reduced government SNAP / WIC subsidies
- No F&B inflation in a no-growth environment
- Accelerated shifts in how consumers eat, shop and engage with brands
- In-home vs. out-of-home dynamics
- Basket size / impulsivity

Retail growth in Food & Beverage* (%)



* Retail packaged Food & Beverage spend, excluding alcoholic beverage. Aug YTD 2017 (Nielsen measured retail channels)

Emerging retailers and e-commerce are the growth drivers



Smaller format stores and shelf sets

% of new store openings



More e-commerce options available



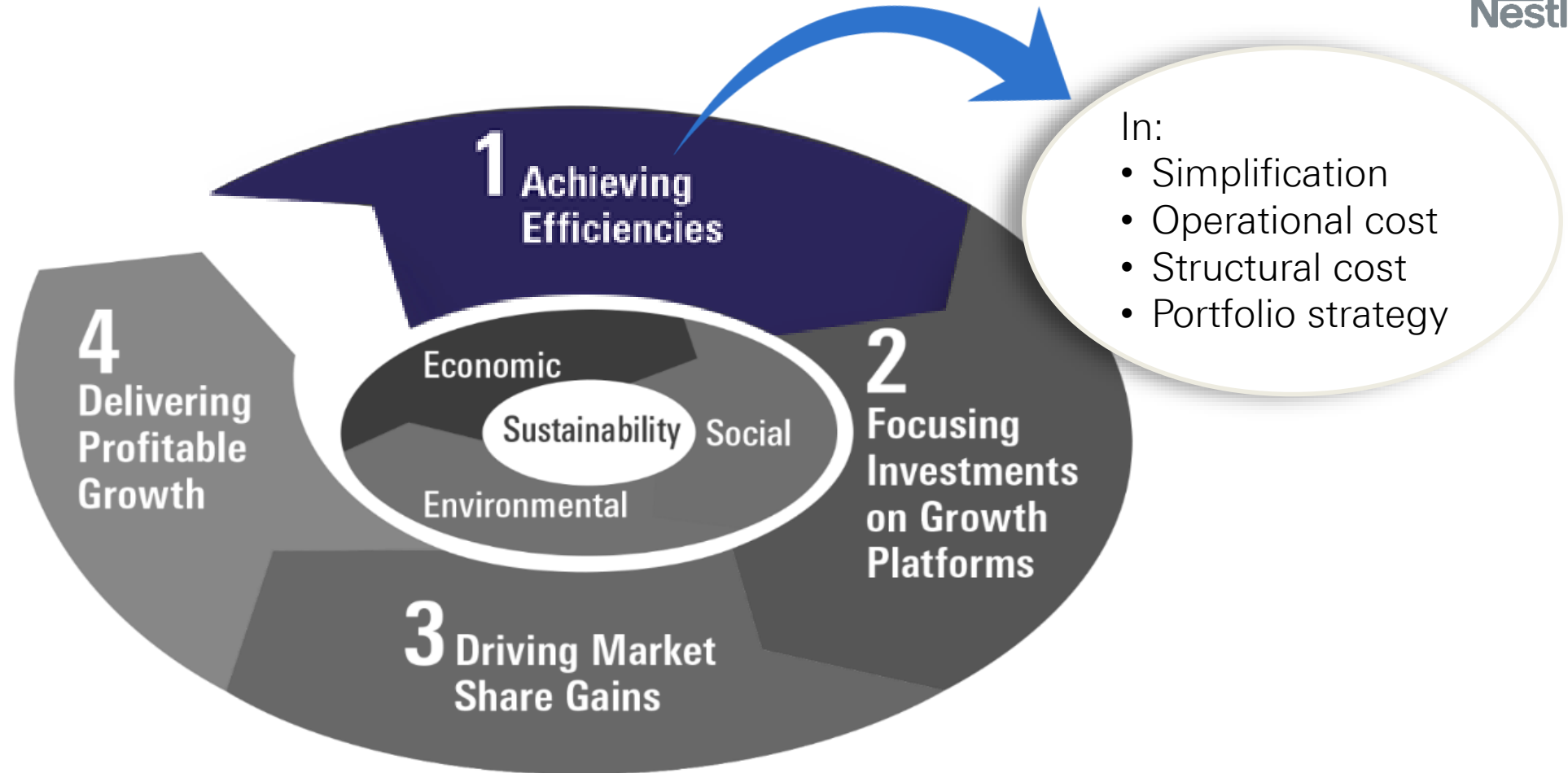
Retailers entering new business models in F&B



Zone AMS: fit to win with consumers and customers



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Achieving operational and structural efficiencies



Operational cost optimization

- 100 lean value stream initiatives
- Strategic revenue management
- Leverage scale in procurement
- Further reduction in working capital
- Dairy project LATAM

Simplification

- Harmonization of ingredients and specifications:
- Reduction of specifications by -50% in 2017 vs. 2015
 - 100% smart and shared specifications by 2020

Structural cost reduction

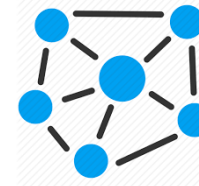
- HQ and factories restructuring, investing in new capabilities:
- U.S.: *Lean Business Transformation*
 - Brazil: *Agility to Win*
 - Mexico: *Fit to Grow*
 - Canada: *Lean Enterprise*
 - Chile: *Fit to Win*
 - One IS/IT in North America
 - NBE impact

Disciplined portfolio strategy

- Focus on businesses with strong ability to win:
- Coffee and beverages
 - Petcare
 - Dairy
 - Food
 - Confectionery ex. U.S.
- Continue selective divestments

**Annual cost improvements*
(from 2014 onwards):**

6% of total delivered costs**



*Includes cost reduction and cost avoidance. **Total delivered costs: marketing and other general expenses, fixed factory overheads, variable and fixed distribution, and cost of goods sold

Nestlé U.S.: Streamlining the cost structure



Operational cost optimization

- Lean value stream
- Food Center of Competence
- Ice cream factory efficiency and footprint optimization
- Marketing mix optimization
- Procurement Acceleration 2.0
- NBE

Simplification

- SKU / assortment optimization
- Specification reduction
- Simplified reporting: 70% financial reports reduction
- Digital workspace enablement and collaboration tools

Structural cost reduction

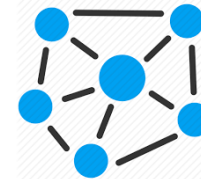
- HQ footprint
- Strategic redesign of functional operating model
- One IS/IT structure
- One Food division

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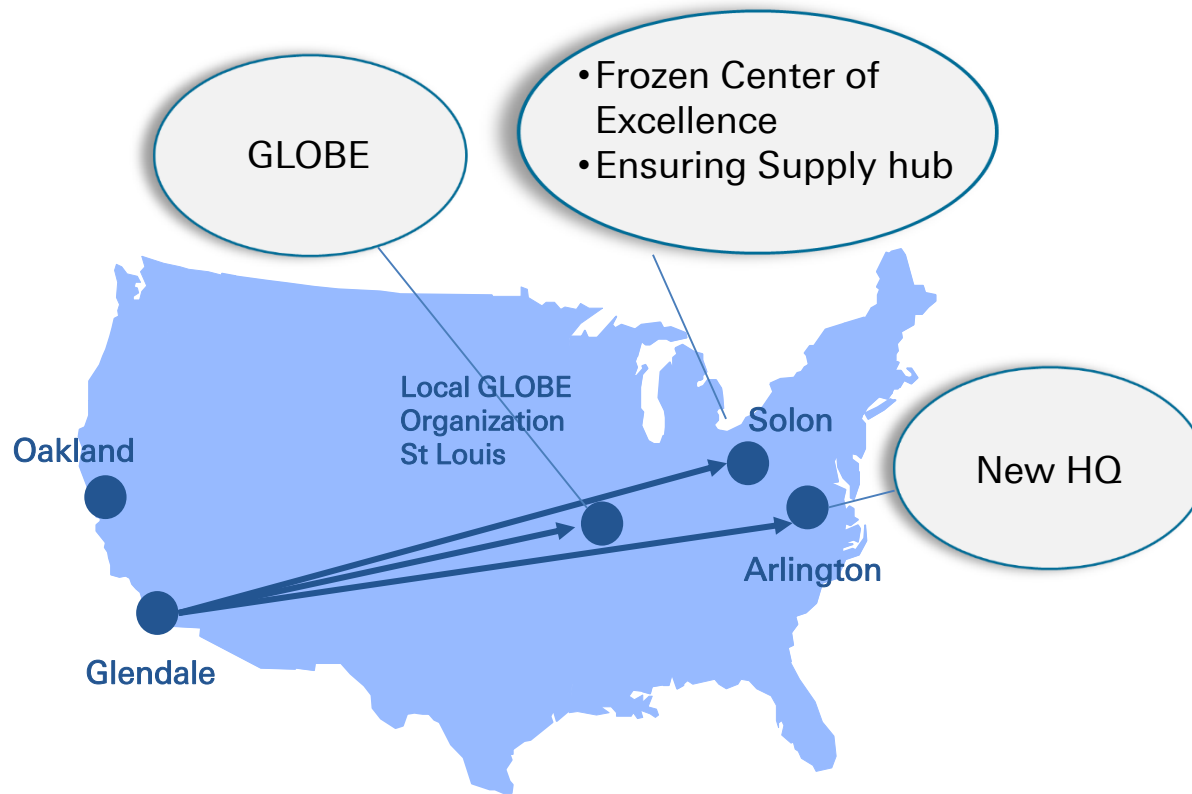
- Acq. Merrick 2015
- Acq. Sweet Earth 2017
- Acq. Blue Bottle 2017
- Equity stake Freshly 2017
- Confectionery review 2017

Total cost improvements in U.S. by 2020 over 2016:

CHF 350-450 million



Nestlé U.S.: Repositioning HQ and redesign of functional operating model



Key benefits

- Proximity to customers, consumers and key stakeholders
- Proximity to industrial footprint, all Nestlé's operating companies
- Talent attraction and development
- Project ahead of plan
 - 6 months gained
 - 70% retention of high potentials
 - Payback in less than 2 years

Nestlé U.S.: turning ice cream into a lean operation



Mid-teen
underlying TOP by 2020



Key actions

1. **Focus on the 3 Cs:** Cost, cash, cases
2. **Streamline factory structure** and redirect non-ice cream specialist functions: “Everyone makes ice cream”
3. **Line level optimization:** redirect capital towards financial return
4. **Portfolio complexity reduction** through step change in I/R process
5. **Leverage in-sourcing** opportunities on dairy and caramel
6. **Increase flexibility on key ingredient** sourcing and **optimize specs** based on ice cream requirements

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Focusing investments on growth platforms



Zone-wide priorities



New health benefits innovation



Opportunity markets



Colombia



Argentina



Cuba

circa **CHF 3 billion incremental sales by 2020***

* Total incremental sales in 2020 over 2016

Investing to win with millennials



Organic



Plant-based



Ethnic / Local



Natural

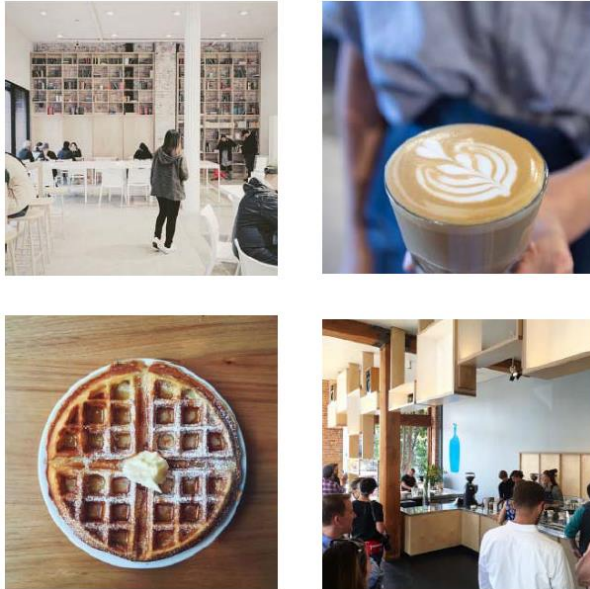


“Digital first” engagement model

New consumption experience: Blue Bottle Coffee



Retail cafés



- 50+ locations
- Range of successful formats
- Elegant experience, with concise menus and clean design
- Highly trained and hospitable baristas

Direct-to-consumer e-commerce



- Fresh coffee roasted to order, delivered to your home or business
- Subscription plans for an ongoing relationship and added convenience
- A-la-carte for gifting and exploring coffee
- Curated merchandise offering

Consumer packaged goods



- Ready-to-drink New Orleans Iced Coffee and Cold Brew
- Available in natural and specialty grocery stores
- Whole bean and Perfectly Ground in pilot; broader expansion in 2018

Nestlé U.S.: many breakthrough initiatives in food



Core food business

CHF 4 billion sales in 2016

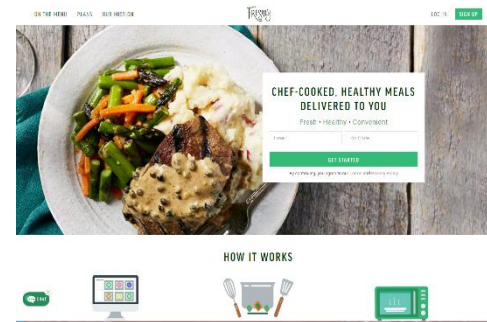
- Prepared foods accretive to Nestlé U.S.
- Center of the plate
- High ability to win
- Leading market position
- Strong pipeline



New territories and business models

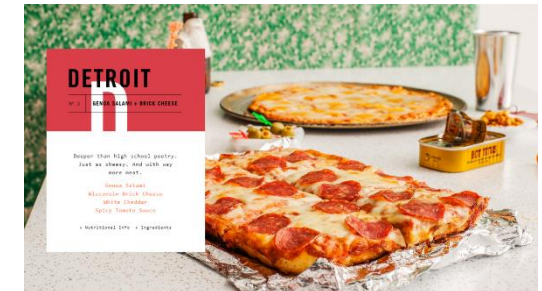


FRESHLY



Internal incubators and innovation accelerators in food

OUTSIDERS
PIZZA COMPANY
DAMN EYE GOOD



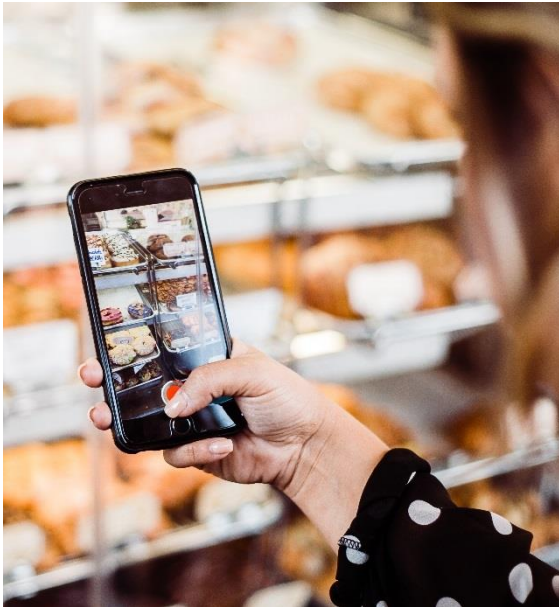
Innovation partnerships to explore new territories and business models



Partnerships with leading technology

SVIO

Silicon Valley Innovation Outpost



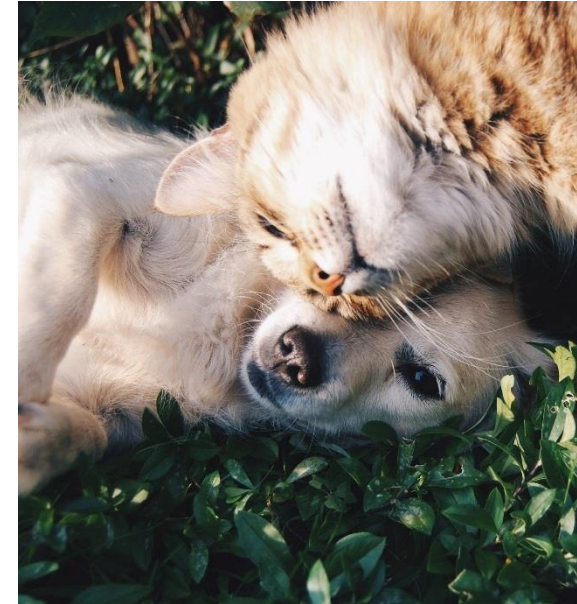
Food and agriculture startup acceleration



Early stage pet business equity investment

SQUARE

VENTURES



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Focusing on market shares



High growth channels

amazon

WHOLE
FOODS
MARKET



COSTCO
WHOLESALE



PETSMART

New business models



Nescafé Café



Ice cream bar



Meal kits
"Grab 'n' Go"

Achieving e-business leadership

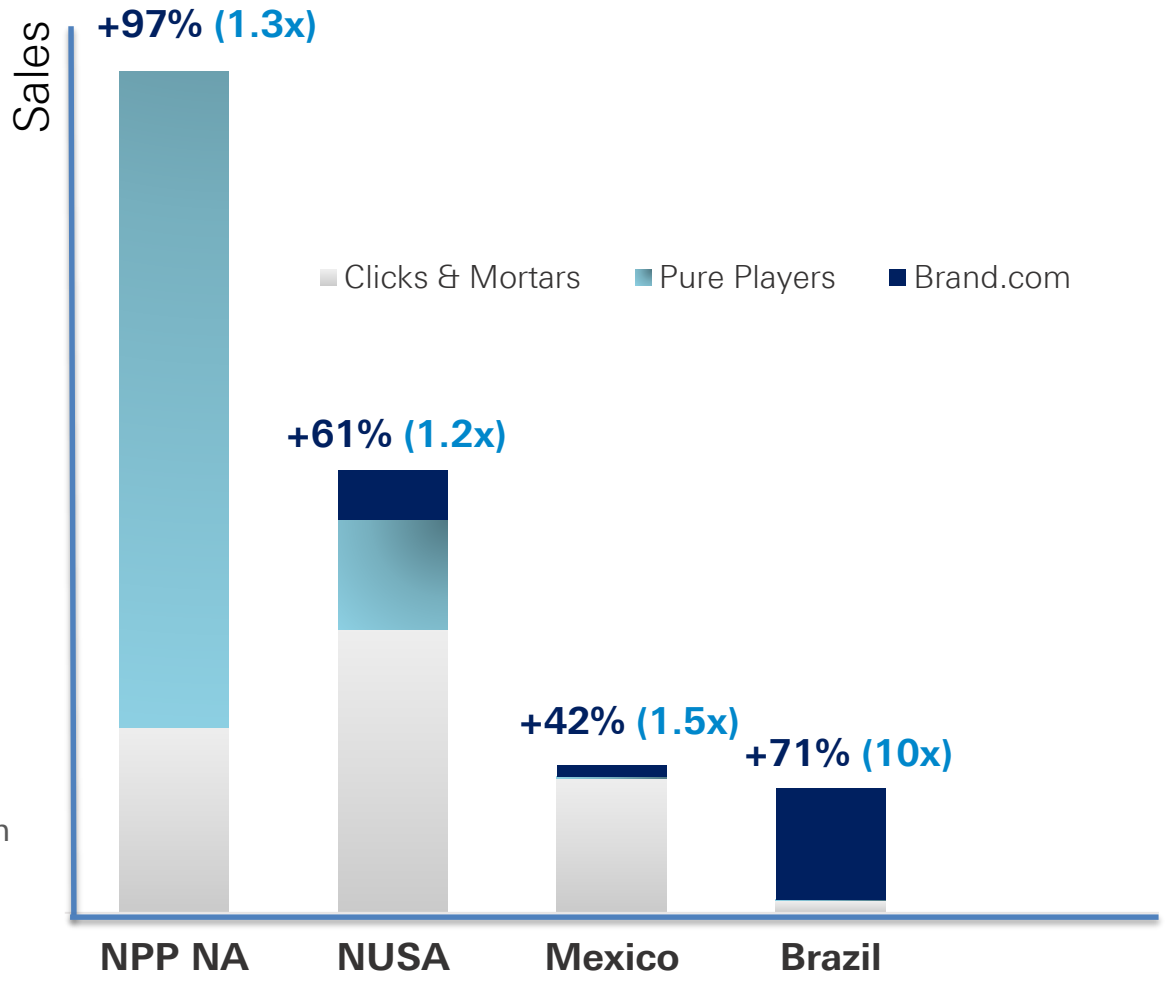
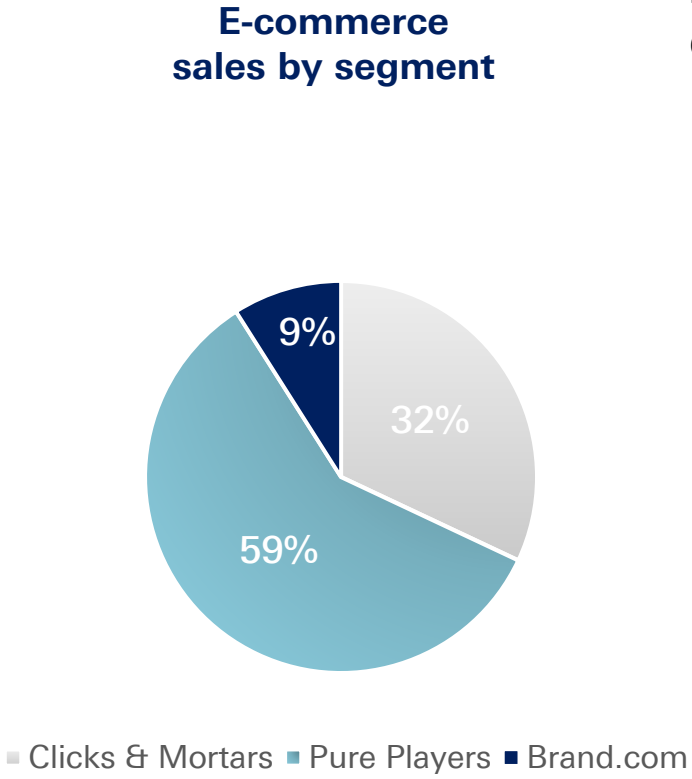


E-business Acceleration Teams



Most effective marketer
LATAM 2017

Winning in e-commerce



Nestlé growth vs. previous year Nestlé growth vs. category growth

Global Amazon Acceleration Team

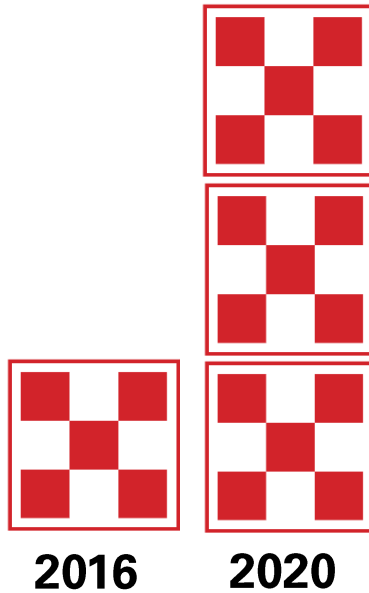
- Objectives:
- Get basics right
 - Accelerate priority cells
 - Drive new initiatives
- Located in Seattle WA, next to Amazon Global HQ
 - Reporting to Nestlé U.S. CEO



Petcare North America: strengthening leadership in e-business

Online market share leadership

- Combined online market share is **#1 for the Petcare category** in the largest U.S. e-commerce retailer
- Online sales doubled in H1 2017, and are **set to triple by 2020**



Key e-commerce initiatives



Develop best-in-class content



Direct-to-consumer



MAP program expansion



Custom products and packaging solutions

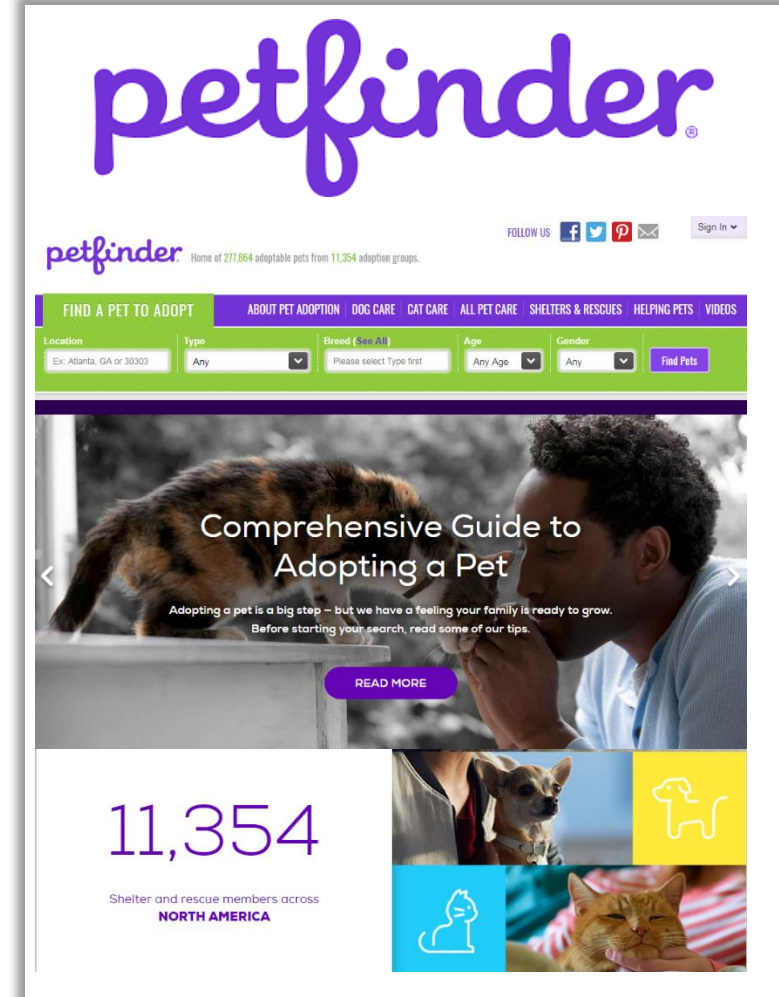


Store-based



Pure Play

Personalization



Brazil focus on growth platforms: Nescafé Dolce Gusto



Most important direct-to-consumer brand in Brazil

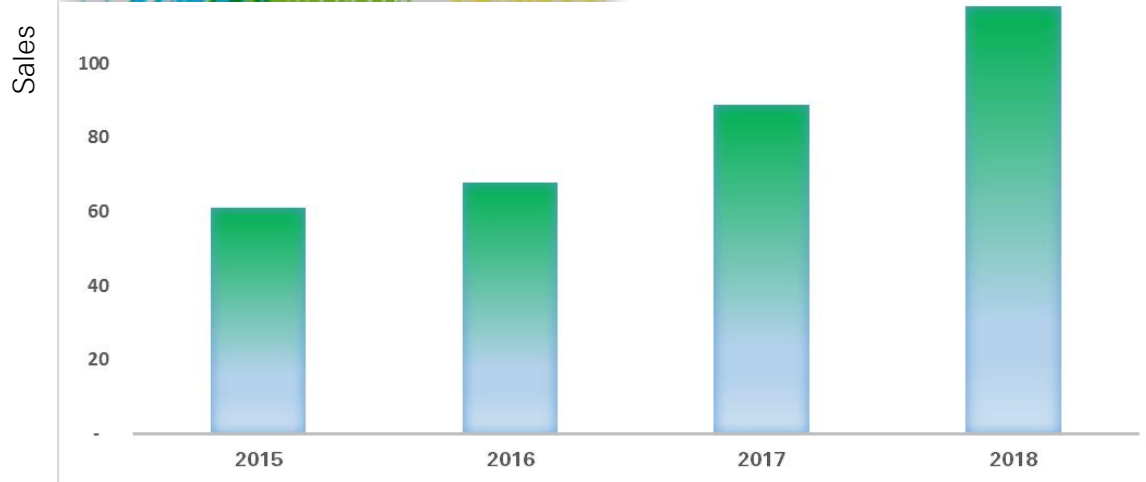
Lighthouse for Zone AMS



Sales evolution Brazil

CAGR 41%

E-commerce share
of sales circa 40%



Nescafé Dolce Gusto in
Zone AMS to achieve:

CHF 500 million
by 2020*

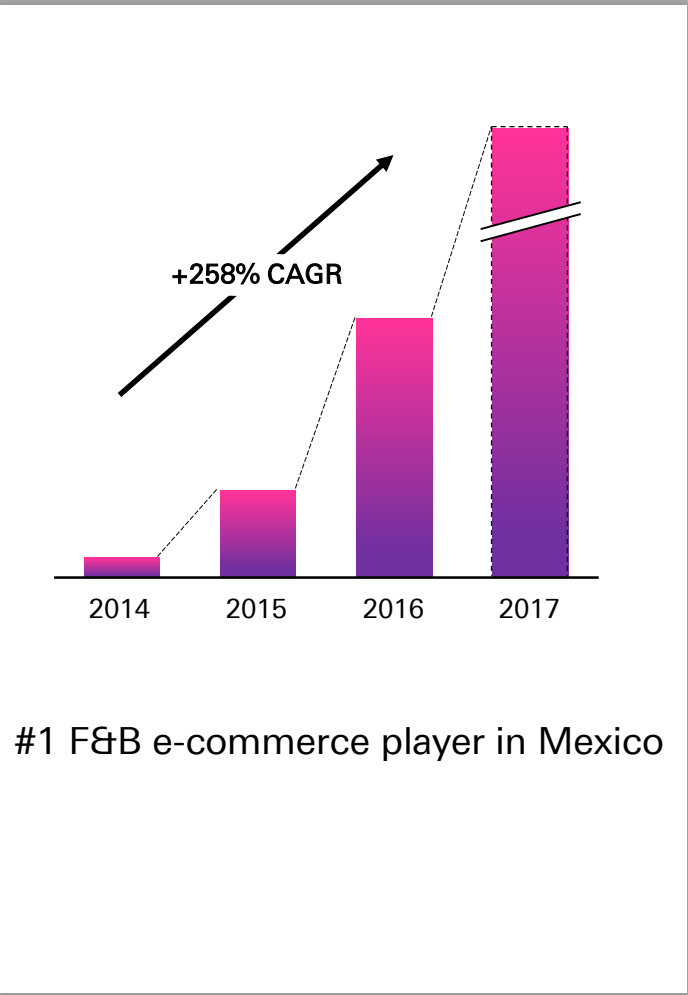
Nestlé Mexico today: investing for the future




Investing in innovation




Accelerating e-commerce




New business models




Nescafé Dolce Gusto vending machines



Personalized online recipe service



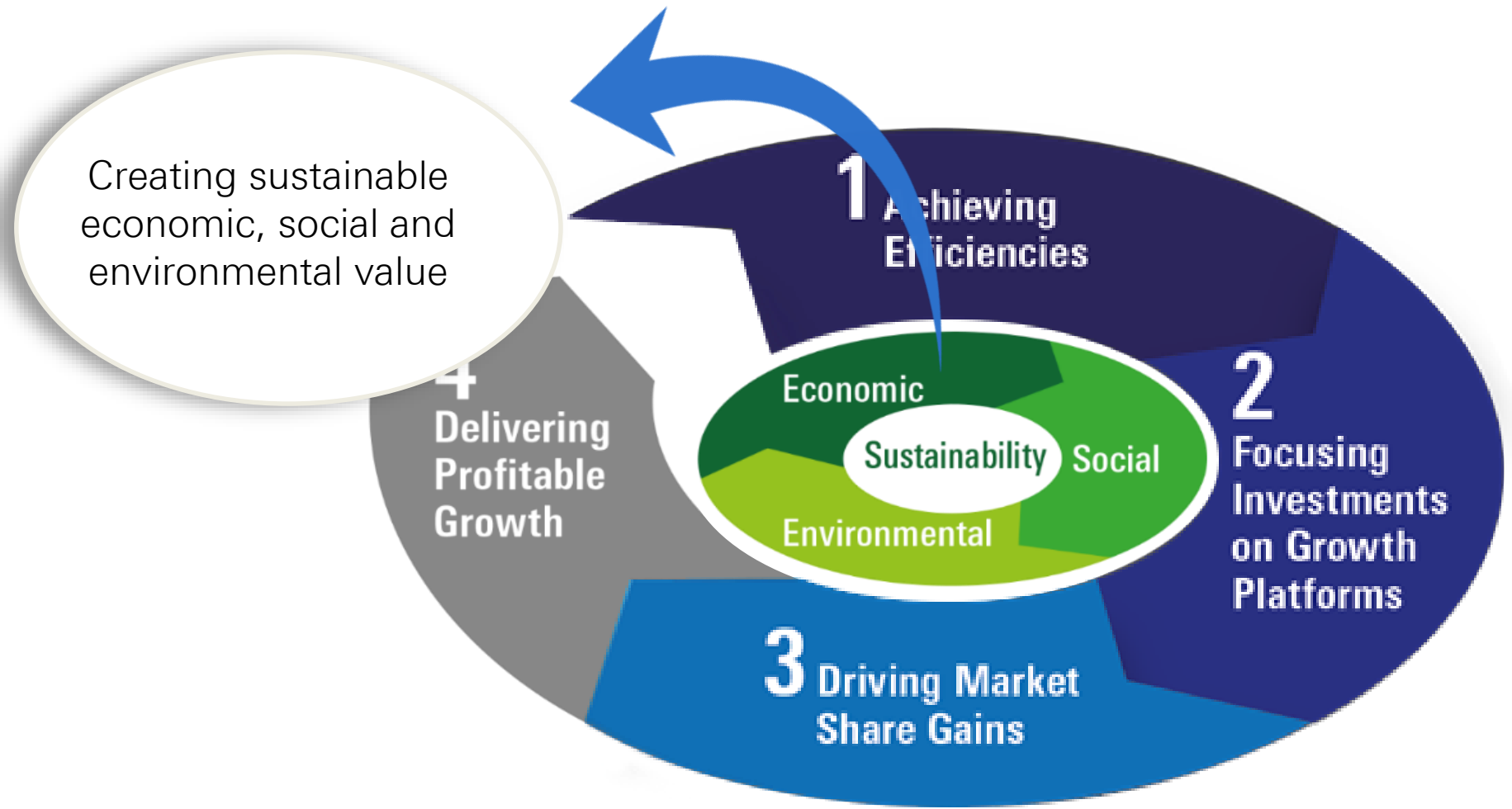
130 SHARES



Nestlé impulsará el desarrollo de start-ups mexicanas

Engaging with start-ups

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Nestlé in Society



NHW

- Aggressive reformulation to be the best nutritional option for consumers
- Focus efforts on children nutrition education programs



Youth Employment

- Vocational training
- "Readiness For Work" (live and digital)
- Alliances with 128 stakeholders and 114 private companies
- Focus on veterans in the U.S.



Water Stewardship

- Water Stewardship programs in every factory across Zone AMS



Environmental Sustainability

- GHG emission planned reduction of 35% by 2020
- 56% of factories are "Zero Waste"
- 100% coal elimination
- Mexico, Brazil and Chile using 80% -100% green electricity
- Mexico using wind energy at large scale
- "Triple Zero" factory in Brazil



Winning with people and teams



Leadership & Organization

- Entrepreneurial
- Agile
- Flexible
- Connected



Safety

- Journey towards zero accidents



Talent Management

- Best Place to Work 2017:
 - Purina North America
 - Canada
 - Brazil
 - Colombia
 - Ecuador
- Focus on top and emerging talent

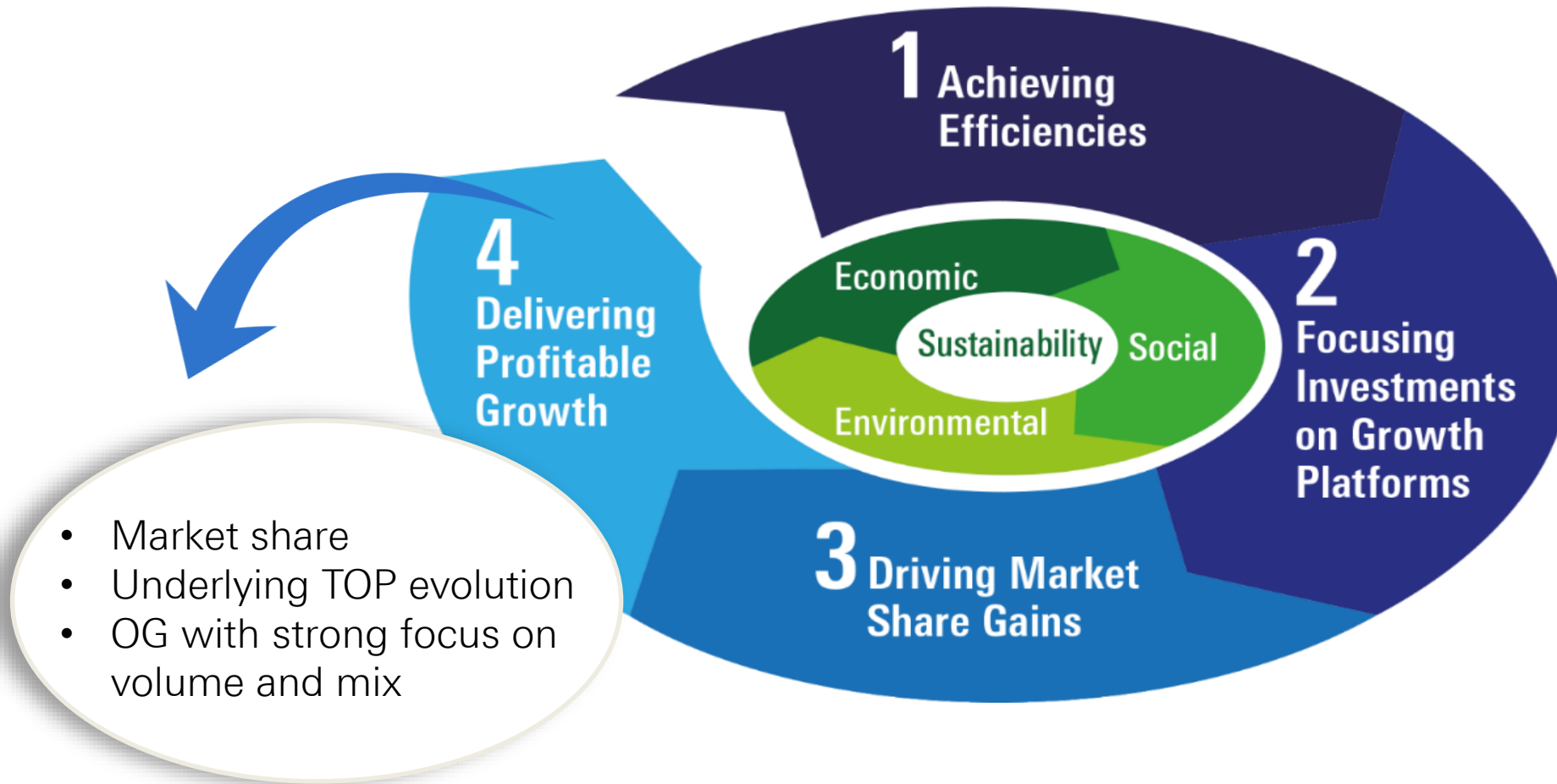


Diversity

- Gender balance: management committee, operations and sales
- Disability



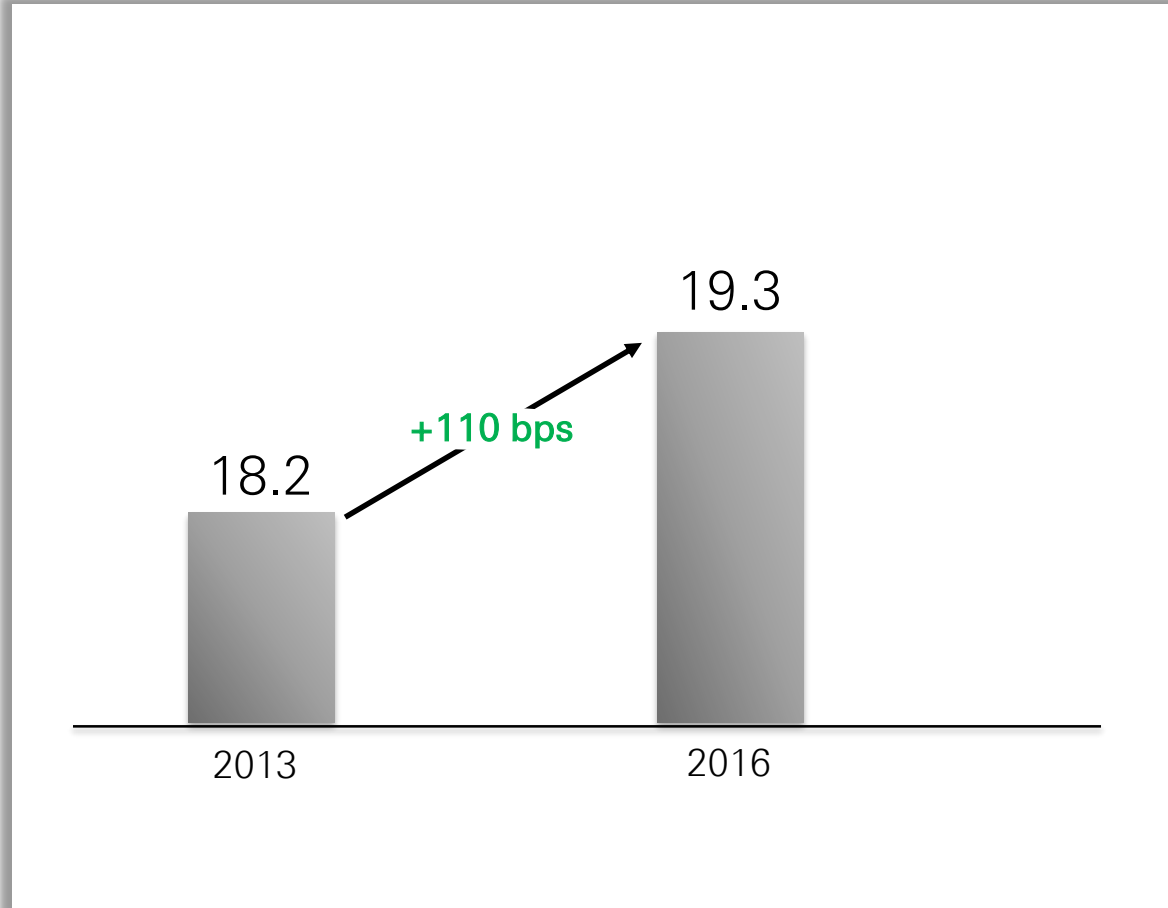
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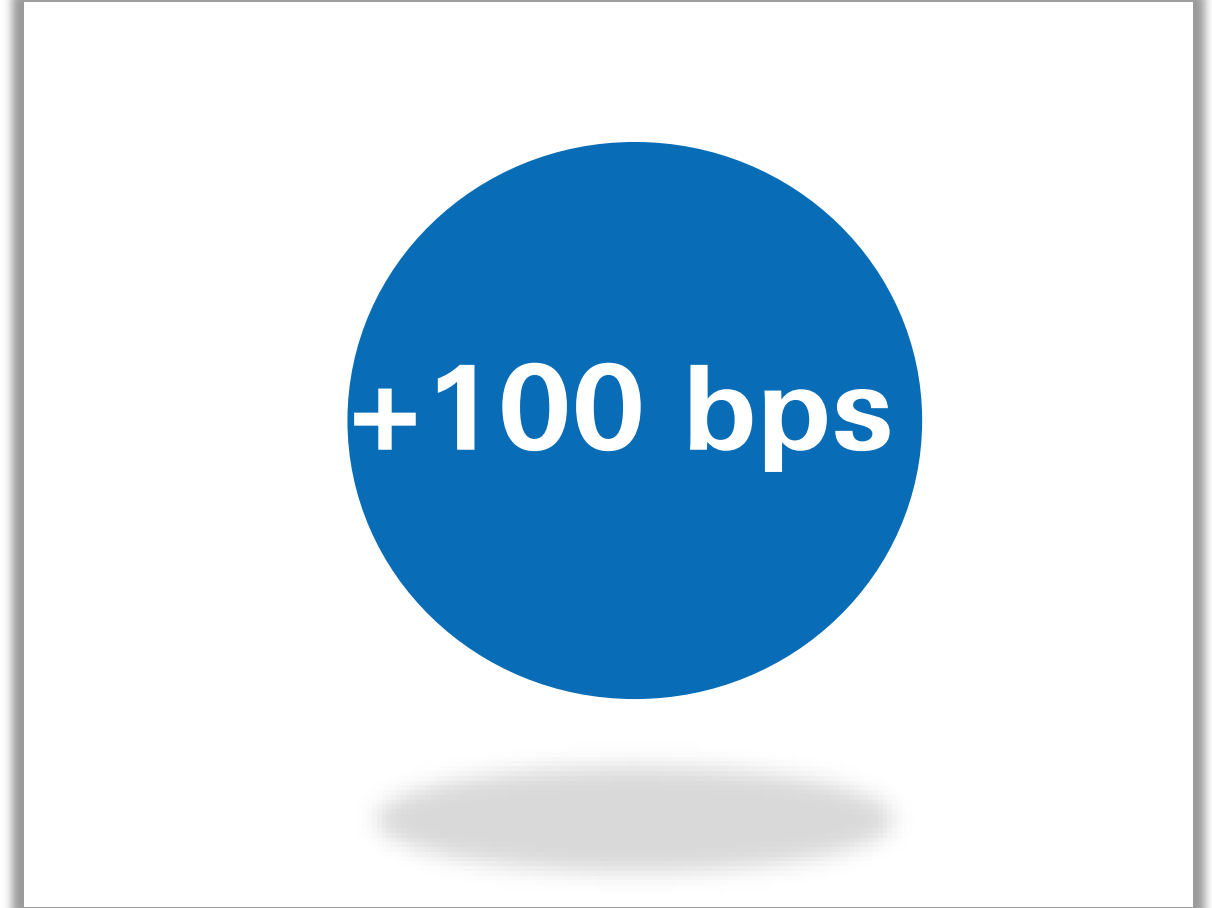
Delivering profitable growth in summary



Zone AMS TOP evolution (% of sales)



Zone portfolio market share evolution* difference 2013-2016



Dynamic zone with strong capabilities and scale across markets set to:

1

Be an even leaner, more agile and better connected organization

2

Address costs structures

3

Focus investment on profitable growth platforms, new channels and new business models

4

Focus on market shares, volume growth and profitability