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#### A long-term, investment-led growth model



Compounding returns on investment

#### **Enduring strengths**



#### **BRANDS**

Purpose-led global + local brands: 85% of turnover from #1 or #2 positions

#### **GEOGRAPHIC PRESENCE**

Available in 190 countries. 57% of turnover in Emerging Markets

#### **DISTRIBUTION**

2.5 billion consumers through 30 million outlets. Broad channel expertise

#### **MANAGEMENT**

80% of leaders are local. #1 FMCG employer in 34 countries

#### Our investment case



**Enduring strengths** 

**BRANDS** 

GEOGRAPHIC PRESENCE

**DISTRIBUTION** 

**MANAGEMENT** 

Value creation

**GROWTH:** Ahead of markets, Underlying Sales Growth 3-5%

MARGIN: 20% Underlying Operating Margin by 2020

CASH: 100% Free Cash Flow conversion

**RETURNS:** High-teens ROIC, growing dividends

Unilever Sustainable Living Plan: more growth, lower costs, less risk, more trust

## Faster pace of change





**Channels** 



Media



**Competitors** 



Radically different path to purchase



Less reliance on Big Box









Communication channels changing









Disruptive new models



Kraft Heinz

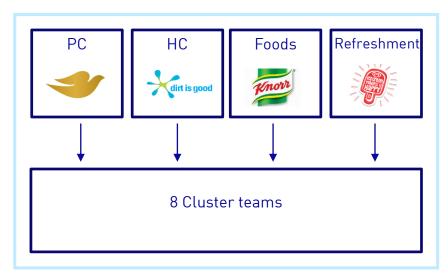


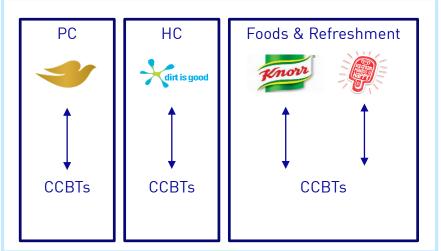
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## Connected 4 Growth: A simpler, faster organisation

2011-2016 4 Global Categories

From 2017
Country Category Business Teams





**Building global scale** 

More global and more local

## Better innovation: More global and more local

#### Global category teams now more focussed



#### More local innovations



#### Building a stronger, more agile business

#### **Connected 4 Growth**

On-trend innovation, delivered faster: More global and more local

#### **Growing the core**



Building brands in a connected world

Penetration

**Distribution reach** 

#### **Evolving the portfolio**

Segments of the future

Flexible models

Future € billion businesses

#### **Developing channels**

E-commerce

Out-of-Home

Beauty and drug

Targeted savings programmes: 5-S in supply chain, Zero Based Budgeting

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# Amanda Sourry President Foods





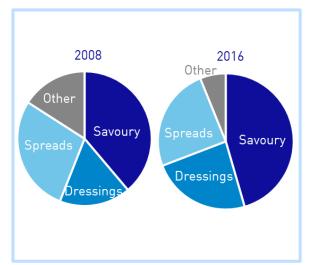


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- Growing the core: Modernising the portfolio
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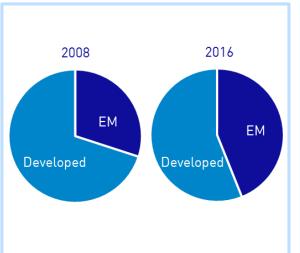
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## **Evolving the Foods portfolio**

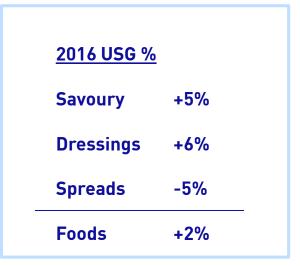
More focussed



More emerging markets



Savoury & Dressings momentum



## **Evolving the Foods portfolio: Spreads**

#### Modernised brands, increased cash flow

Step-up in innovation



- Cash profit increased by €80m in 2016
- Slower rate of sales decline 3.7% in H1 2017

#### **Exit process**

- Decision to exit Spreads in April 2017
- Carved-out financial data Q3 2017
- Sale process starting
- Aim for binding deal by end 2017 / early 2018
- If insufficient value from sale, plan to de-merge

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#### **Emerging markets as a growth driver**

#### **Consistent growth**



#### **Future potential**



Deep Unilever route-to-market capabilities

#### **Growing the core: Emerging markets**

**Portfolio** 

## Global powerhouse brands HELLMANN'S Knorr Iconic local jewels kissan A

#### Relevant innovation



## **Knorr Brazil example**



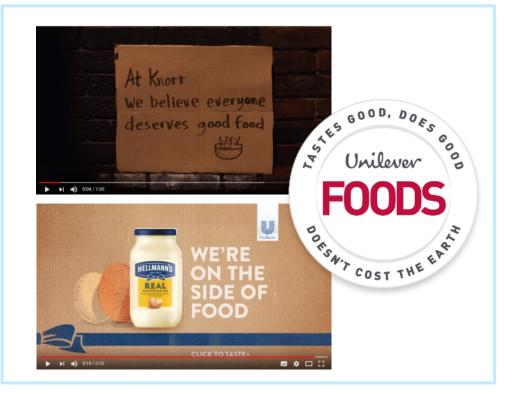
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#### Growing the core: Modernising the portfolio

**On-trend innovation** 

**Purpose-led** 





## Modernising the Savoury portfolio: more natural and on-trend

















## **Expanding the Hellmann's portfolio**



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## Developing channels: Winning out-of-home

**Channel expertise** 



From products to dish solutions



Increasingly digitally-led



## **Developing channels: E-commerce**

#### Building capability in all models

## Grocery.com Market place Taobao.com Direct Pureplay

#### **Driving growth**

- 40% USG in H1 2017
- E-commerce now close to 3% of UL turnover
- Perfect Store Online programme
- Joint business plans & strategic partnerships
- Big data to optimise tracking, search, Paths to Purchase insights

Dedicated 800 people strong Unilever team

Continued growth ahead of the markets

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## Accelerating supply chain savings through 5-S programme



#### Foods examples:

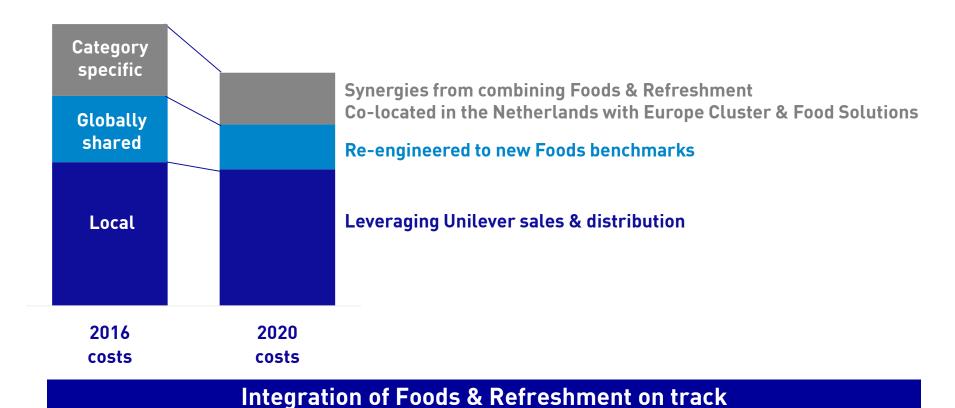
- Recipe harmonisation (-30% formulations vs. 2014)
- Design to value
- Margin-accretive innovation
- Buying efficiencies (eAuctions)
- Supply chain agility via 3rd party manufacturing
- Net Revenue Management

## ZBB delivering savings in Overheads and Marketing



H1 2017 delivered >€200m in Overheads and >€300m in Brand & Marketing

#### Foods & Refreshment: a leaner business model



## **Summary**



- C4G making Unilever stronger and more agile
- Foods now more focussed with an improving growth profile
- Modernising the portfolio in both developed and emerging markets
- Strong out-of-home capabilities
- Accelerating margin delivery