

Agenda



Milestones and main developments

Ralph Siegl, CEO and Delegate of the Board of Directors

Financial key figures 2021

Nanette Haubensak, CFO

Outlook 2022

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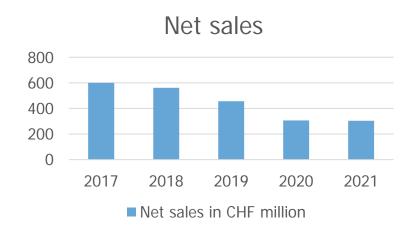
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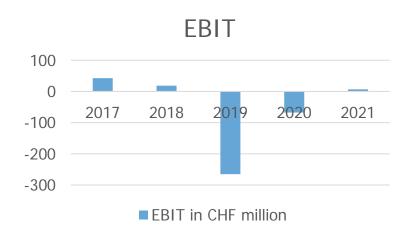
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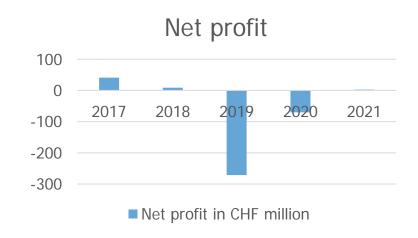




- Sales target achieved, unfavourable product mix (margins)
- One-off effects improve results
- Milk price significantly affects operating result



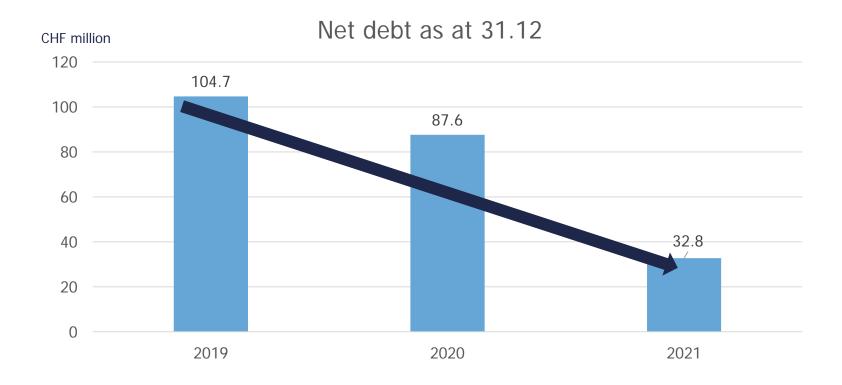








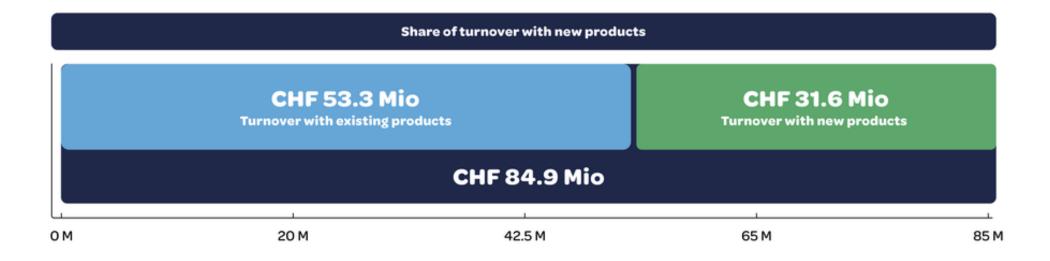
The HOCHDORF Group's net debt has been significantly decreased in the last two years – in 2021, in particular, due to the Pharmalys purchase price payment (CHF 30 million) and the sale of the Hochdorf site (CHF 50.2 million)







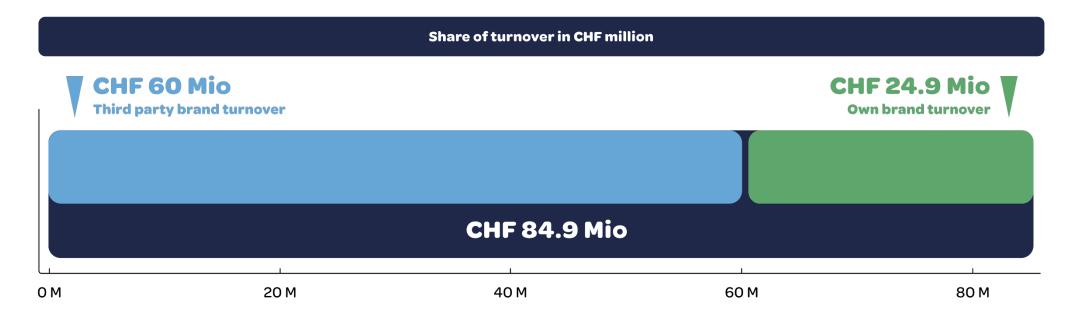
- High renovation & innovation rate: 37.2% turnover with products that are less than 3 years old
- Private label sales below expectations (Covid)





Baby Care - Bimbosan with strong market position

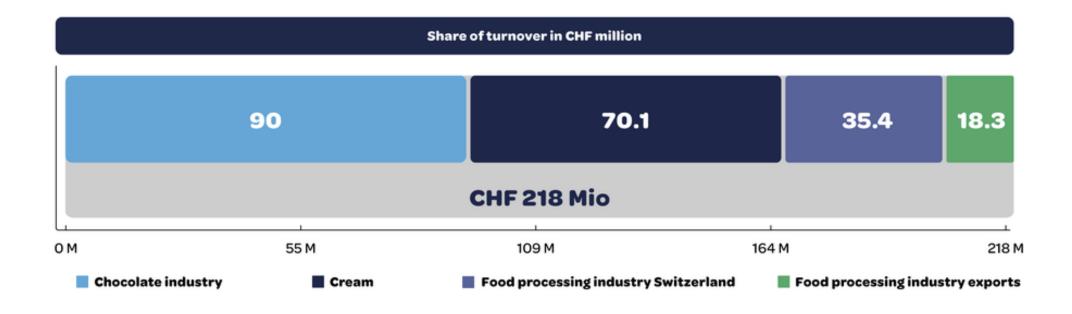
 In Switzerland, Bimbosan maintained its position as market leader in the specialised trade with a market share of over 39%. Overall, HOCHDORF achieved net sales of CHF 24.9 million with its own brands, +2.5% compared to the previous year





Food Solutions – Recovery in the chocolate industry

- Turnover above previous year's level but with relatively low margins
- Milk volume driven business model not meaningful





Food Solutions – Milk costs impact margins

Relatively long lead times for innovations



Main factors 2021



- Corona-related postponements of Baby Care projects
- Massive increase in milk prices
- Price increases for important raw materials, other materials and energy
- Volatile delivery planning and stock building to ensure customer supply
- Sale of the Hochdorf site and lease back



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Net sales at previous year's level; positive EBIT and net profit

in CHF million	2019 (adjusted)	2020	2021
Net sales	456.8	306.2	303.5
Earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) as % of production revenue	-74.7 -17.0	13.9 4.5	24.7 7.1
Earnings before interest and taxes (EBIT) as % of production revenue	-265.3 -60.3	-67.9 -22.3	6.5 1.9
Net profit as % of production revenue	-271.4 -61.7	-70.3 -23.0	2.6 0.7

2019 figures adjusted due to the change in the valuation principles for the hybrid bond.

Income statement 31.12.2021 Operating EBIT



The positive EBIT in 2021 is influenced by the special effects from the sale of land and buildings as well as provisions. Operating EBIT is strongly negative



production²⁾

Main reason for the decline: increased raw material prices (average milk price 5 cents higher) not completely passed on to customers

- Net profit from sale Hochdorf/Welschenrohr: after deduction of all costs
- 2) Provisions, costs accrued and impairment of fixed assets
- 3) Project costs, adjustment of fixed assets, effects from adjustment of non-core business, provision for legal dispute

Welschenrohr¹⁾





Equity ratio rose to 62.5%; decreased non-current liabilities and net debt

CHF million	31.12.2020		31.12.202	31.12.2021	
Current assets	144.9	44.7%	134.9	46.0%	
Fixed assets	179.0	55.3%	158.4	54.0%	
Total assets	323.9	100.0%	293.3	100.0%	
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Current liabilities	31.5	9.7%	35.3	12.0%	
Non-current liabilities	111.9	34.5%	74.7	25.5%	
Total liabilities	143.4	44.2%	110.0	37.5%	
Equity	180.5	55.8%	183.3	62.5%	
Total liabilities and equity	323.9	100.0%	293.3	100.0%	

Net debt:

31.12.2019: CHF 104.7 Mio.

31.12.2020: CHF 87.6 Mio.

31.12.2021: CHF 32.8 Mio.





Positive net cash inflow due to divestment of buildings/properties and Pharmalys purchase price payment; operating cash flow negative

CHF million	31.12.2020	31.12.2021		
Earned capital	11.1	3.6%*	-3.9	-1.3%*
Change in net current assets	-22.4		-13.9	
Operating cash flow	-11.3	-3.7%*	-17.9	-5.9%*
Investment activity	28.7		79.1	
Free cash flow	17.3	5.7%*	61.3	20.2%*
Financing activities	-24.9		-49.4	
Currency effects	-0.2		-0	
Total in/out flow	-7.8		+11.9	
Cash and cash equivalents as of 1.1.	20.2		12.4	
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Investing activities:

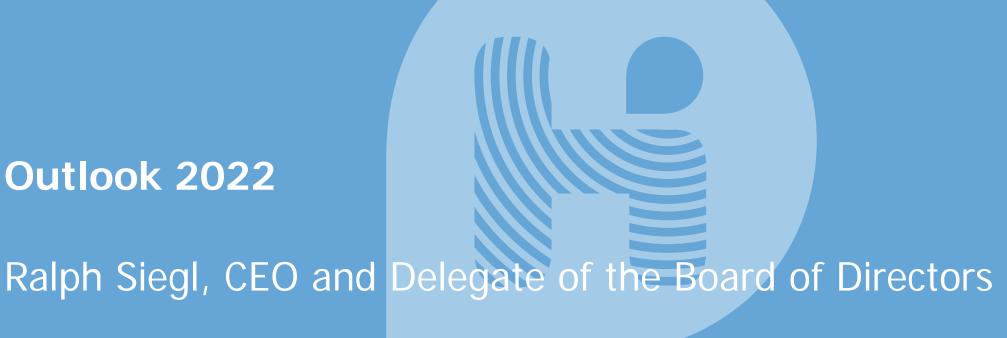
Divestments: CHF 53.3 million

Purchase Price Pharmalys: CHF 30 million

Financing activities:
Decrease in liabilities to banks
CHF -43 million

As % of net sales revenue

Outlook 2022



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Outlook 2022



- Enhance market perspective
- Focus on margin instead of volume
- Review product lines and customer contribution (forecast 2022)
- Focus on technology utilisation with value-added products
- Communication
- Organisational change
- Corporate culture

Outlook 2022



Emmi and HOCHDORF have agreed a cooperation in the area of speciality powders, for both milk-based and vegan products. HOCHDORF will produce semi-finished and finished products in powder form for Emmi to meet special requirements. This operational cooperation is contractually structured as contract manufacturing.



Next financial dates



13 April 2022 Annual General Meeting of HOCHDORF Holding Ltd, 10 am

(The AGM will take place without shareholders in attendance due to the

Covid-19 pandemic)

08 August 2022 Communication of interim result 2022



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