The Great Australian Food Company

Great Food Great People Great Aspirations Greater Good



# 1H FY2021 Results Presentation

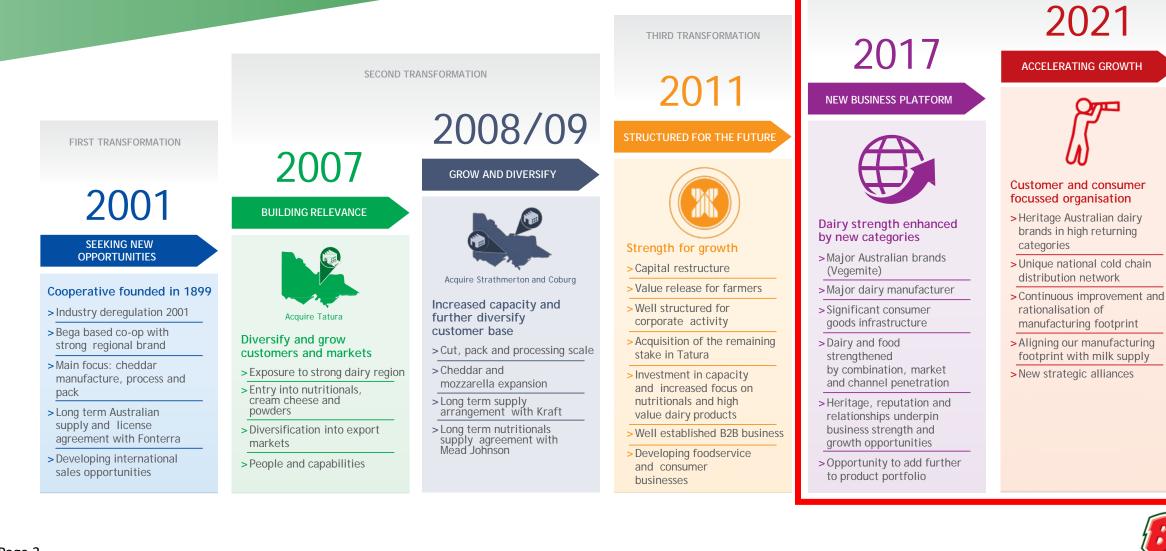
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### Key message

- Strong financial performance, balance sheet strengthening
- Continuing to manage the impact of COVID-19
- Volatile international dairy commodity market
- New lactoferrin capacity completed and commissioned
- Operational Performance Review outcomes implemented
- National dairy production stable
- Good performance in Australian retail market
- Completion of Lion Dairy and Drinks acquisition on 25 January 2021



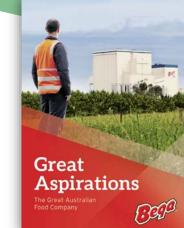
### Transformation to becoming 'The Great Australian Food Company'



FOURTH TRANSFORMATION

### **Bega values**















We have great aspirations to go beyond our business today. We invest in technology, innovative products and new markets.







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## **Performance highlights**

- Revenue decreased by 4.5% to \$708 million
- Statutory EBITDA increased 68% to \$65.8 million
- Normalised EBITDA increased by 51% to \$73.0 million
- Working capital decreased by 5% to \$168.3 million
- Net debt pre capital raise decreased by 21% to \$247.5 million





### **Revenue analysis**

- Increase in international branded sales
- Increase in lactoferrin sales
- Increase in dairy toll manufacture (not reflected in revenue)
- Conclusion of milk supply guarantee arrangements (Koroit)
- Decrease in global dairy commodity prices and appreciation of Australian dollar
- Decrease in contract manufacture volumes
- Margin improvement reflects changed product mix





### **Key measures**

1H FY2020 Key Measures	1H FY2021 \$'000	1H FY2020 \$'000
Statutory performance		
Revenue	707,733	741,151
EBITDA	65,810	39,262
EBIT	40,826	17,688
PAT	21,707	8,545
EPS (cents per share)	9.6	4.0
Normalised performance		
EBITDA	72,989	48,464
EBIT	48,005	26,890
PAT	29,735	14,986
EPS (cents per share)	13.2	7.0

- Bega Foods and Koroit acquisitions meeting earnings expectations
- Margin improvement reflecting business diversity and product mix
- PAT impacted by 39% effective tax rate
- First half performance does not reflect likely full year performance
- Positioned for further transformation and growth following LD&D acquisition



## **Reconciliation of normalised result**

Consolidated Period Ending 27 December 2020	Per Financial Statements \$'000	Acquisition Costs \$'000	Legal Costs \$'000	Normalised Outcome \$'000
Revenue	707,733	-	-	707,733
Cost of sales	(564,734)	-	-	(564,734)
Gross profit	142,999	-	-	142,999
EBITDA	65,810	6,337	842	72,989
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment	(24,984)	-	-	(24,984)
EBIT	40,826	6,337	842	48,005
Net finance costs	(4,979)	1,610	-	(3,369)
Profit before income tax	35,847	7,947	842	44,636
Income tax expense	(14,140)	(508)	(253)	(14,901)
Profit for the period	21,707	7,439	589	29,735
Basic earnings per share - cents	9.6			13.2



## **Balance sheet**

	1H FY2021 Dec \$m	FY2020 Jun \$m
Cash	251.2	22.9
Trade and other receivables	97.8	117.4
Inventories	296.2	257.4
Property, plant and equipment	435.0	446.0
Intangible assets	545.8	548.1
Total Assets	1,664.9	1,423.4
Trade and other payables	225.6	253.4
Borrowings (net of costs)	98.6	247.3
Total Liabilities	439.5	609.4
Net Assets	1,225.4	814.0
Net (Cash)/Debt	(145.1)	231.3

- Balance sheet reflects proceeds of capital raise
- Net debt leverage ratio pre capital raise reduced from 2.9 to 2.0
- Capital expenditure reduced following completion of lactoferrin plant and ERP system



## **Cash flow**

	1H FY2021 Dec \$m	1H FY2020 Dec \$m
Receipts from customers	787.2	867.0
Payments to suppliers	(763.0)	(814.6)
Interest and other costs of financing paid	(5.0)	(6.2)
Income tax paid	(12.3)	(8.2)
Operating activities	6.8	38.1
Investing activities	(10.7)	(32.2)
Repayment of borrowings	(148.6)	(29.4)
Net proceeds from issue of shares	392.6	-
Financing activities	232.2	(11.0)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	228.4	(5.1)





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### **Our consumer brands**

- Spreads category growth of 9.4% for the six months to December to a year ago
- Bega category growth of 13.6% and market share increased to 30.9%
- Sales of Bega Simply Nuts has doubled with market share of naturals increasing to 21%
- B honey has grown 11.4% share in Coles after six months in market
- Launched Vegemite squeezy for new usage occasions and to increase consumption
- Export revenue increased 14% to \$270 million





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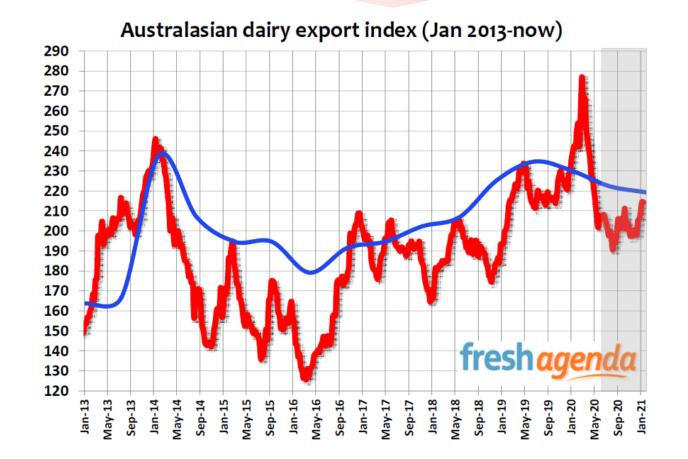




## **Dairy nutritionals**

- Continued growth in new channels particularly Indonesia
- Significant sector challenges reflecting changed market and delivery channels in China
- Reduced demand from several longer term customers
- Subsequent to 1H FY2021 Reckitt Benckiser advised they are exiting Derrimut nutritional canning facility
- Bega service contracts to RB includes compensation for loss of future earnings
- Bega considering implications of RB exit and any potential opportunities
- Downward pressure on lactoferrin pricing due to additional global capacity

## Dairy commodity and farm gate milk prices



- Significant dairy commodity price decrease immediately following COVID-19
  - Consistent improvement in global pricing offset by appreciating Australian currency
  - Stable national dairy supply
  - Continued competitive procurement environment
  - Announced 10c per kg milk solids step up 23 February 2021
    - Export trend index global commodity prices and Australian currency impact
       Source: freshagenda
    - Bega Cheese southern farm gate milk price trend

FY2020 opening milk price \$6.75 per kg milk solids FY2021 opening milk price \$6.40 per kg milk solids

## **Operations review**



- Total milk processed including toll arrangements increased by 1.6%
- Tolling arrangements improving plant utilisations and efficiencies
- Direct milk intake decreased;
  - Conclusion of milk supply guarantee at Koroit
  - Strong competition for milk particularly in northern Victoria
- Continuous improvement program achieving lower cost, improved capacity and solids utilisation
- Successfully commissioned new lactoferrin facility at Koroit
- Development of new whey, skim and cheese products
- Implementation of DuPont safety leadership and engagement



## Lion Dairy & Drinks acquisition

- Acquisition completed 25 January
- Implementing 100 day transition plan
  - Organisational re-structure
  - Procurement program
  - Milk management and manufacturing integration
- On track to achieve synergy target for FY2022
- Business improvement and growth initiatives prioritised
- Market and trading conditions in line with expectations
- LD&D business performance highly seasonal





## Lion Dairy & Drinks transaction overview

Transaction overview	<ul> <li>Bega Cheese Limited ("Bega") has entered into a binding agreement to acquire Lion Dairy &amp; Drinks Pty Ltd ("LD&amp;D") for \$534 million<sup>1</sup></li> <li>Implies EV / EBITDA multiple of 10.9x pro forma normalised LTM Sep-20 EBITDA<sup>2</sup> of \$56 million and 6.3x post synergy realisation<sup>3</sup></li> <li>In addition to the acquisition price, Bega expects to incur stamp duty and acquisition transaction costs (\$42 million), capital raising and debt funding costs (\$11 million), upfront transition costs (\$21 million), additional transition and separation costs (\$60 million)</li> </ul>
Lion Dairy & Drinks	<ul> <li>One of Australia's leading branded dairy and beverages companies with a portfolio of iconic brands holding #1 and #2 category share positions</li> <li>Large-scale, well-invested national manufacturing capability as well as Australia's largest national cold chain distribution network</li> <li>LTM Sep-20 revenue of \$1.6 billion and pro forma normalised EBITDA<sup>2</sup> of \$56 million (post-AASB 16) excluding synergies</li> </ul>
Acquisition rationale	<ul> <li>Creates large-scale dairy and foods business with increased branded portfolio. Achieving 2023 branded portfolio target ahead of schedule</li> <li>Highly complementary Consumer Packaged Goods ("CPG") capability</li> <li>Significant expansion of domestic distribution network, with a focus on route channel</li> <li>Strengthens core dairy footprint</li> <li>Substantial synergy opportunity (estimated at \$41 million per annum)</li> <li>Financially compelling returns for shareholders</li> </ul>



<sup>1</sup> Net acquisition price represents gross sale price of \$560 million less a \$26 million deduction for IT separation costs (net of tax)

<sup>2</sup> Represents post-AASB 16 pro forma normalised EBITDA, including Vitasoy JV: 49% of NPAT and a management fee, and 75% of Capitol Chilled Foods (Australia) ("CCFA") earnings

<sup>3</sup> Including \$41 million of base case synergies. EV / EBITDA multiple on post-AASB 16 basis. EV including \$78 million finance lease liabilities

## **Lion Dairy & Drinks highlights**



Attractive portfolio of Milk-Based Beverages, Yoghurt, Juice, White Milk, Plant-Based Beverages, Culinary and other brands

Some of Australia's iconic dairy and beverage brands with #1 and #2 market share positions in its core categories

Australia's largest national cold chain distribution network

Large-scale, well invested national manufacturing capability across 13 sites

Pro forma LTM Sep-20 net revenue of \$1.6 billion and EBITDA of \$56 million<sup>1</sup> excluding synergies



### **Brand portfolio**





## **Combined manufacturing footprint**





## Growing and diversifying our branded business

#### Pre 2017

## Limited investment in brands

Fonterra responsible for Bega brand in Australia

Long established international branded presence via distributors

Minimal direct investment in supporting brands

Reliance on large contract manufacturing relationships

Branded sales

### 20%



#### Now

### Building brand growth engine

Extension of Bega brand into new categories

Vegemite acquisition

Developing sales and marketing capability

Branded sales

Re-investment in brand portfolio and innovation Strengthening international presence

62%

### Our focus

Increase brand organic growth rate

Improve branded margins

Expand brand portfolio

#### 2023

## Strong brand platform for future growth

Strong portfolio of brands Balanced top and bottom line brand growth

Strong brand capability extended across multiple geographies and categories

Branded sales

80%

## Diversifying and value adding our milk pool

#### Pre 2017

Concentration of milk pool regions

Core dairy infrastructure located at Bega and Tatura

Each region likely to be impacted by drought conditions at the same time

Coburg cheese plant constrained

Nutritional business reliant on small number of high volume customers

#### Now

## Infrastructure diversity and rationalisation

Acquisition of Koroit and divestment of Tatura dryer

Toll processing and capital efficiency

Dairy manufacturing integrated between key sites to maximise value of milk

Expanded nutritional capacity and customer base Significant global producer of lactoferrin

#### Our focus

Diversified milk regions

High value dairy ingredients directed to branded consumer goods

Dairy ingredients transformed to nutritional products

#### 2023

## Majority of milk destined for value added products

Network of facilities in sustainable milk regions

Dairy products supporting high value brand portfolio

Growth in international branded consumer and food service business

Diversified Australian and international customer base High value micronutrients

## Where are we today?

- Financial results at expectation
- Performance reflecting strategy and benefit of Bega Foods and Koroit acquisitions
- Kraft legal case concluded in Bega's favour and awaiting outcome of Fonterra case
- Organisational process review benefits being realised
- Challenges in dairy nutritional demand
- Continue to manage COVID-19 impacts
- LD&D acquisition result and integration at expectation



## **Our priorities**

- Ensure LD&D acquisition seamless for customers and dairy farmer suppliers
- Implement 'One Bega' program for the combined Bega/LD&D business
- Safety, people and culture focus
- Execute synergy opportunities to realise first full year target of \$36 million
- Focused investment on leading brands and market development
- Leverage and rationalise manufacturing network and product capabilities
- Continue to focus on cash generation and cost management
- Support transition of RB from Derrimut and review nutritional canning options







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