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# Diversifying Success. Successfully Diversifying. Symrise AG

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### Investment Highlights Why Symrise?





**Resilient business model** *in attractive niche industry geared towards defensive end-consumer markets.* 



**Strongly balanced portfolio** *across businesses, regions and customer groups.* 



Industry-leading growth at high profitability levels.



Competitive edge thanks to crossdivisional networking and research engine.



**Backward integration** *serving the trend towards naturals.* 



**Beyond traditional F&F** *expanding into adjacent high growth areas like cosmetic ingredients, pet food or probiotics.* 

### Symrise A Leader in Global Flavors & Fragrances



<b>1st</b> to produce nature-identical vanillin in 1874	<b>2003</b> merger of Haarmann & Reimer and Dragoco	<b>70</b> production sites	<b>10,000</b> <i>raw materials</i>	
<b>~9,000</b> <i>employees</i>	<b>€2.9bn</b> sales in 2016	<b>6,000</b> global, regional and local clients	<b>275%</b> total shareholder return since IPO in 2006*	

\*As of December 31, 2016.

### Industry An Attractive Niche



**Industry tied to population growth and disposable income**; *little dependence on cyclical, economic trends.* 

**High market concentration –** *top 4 players with 60%*.

**Global footprint key** to meet local tastes & preferences.

Megatrends driving organic growth.

### 'Sweet spot' in value chain: only a small fraction of product costs (1-5%), but a key buying criteria.

**Sustainability & supply chain management** *increasingly important to clients.* 

**High barriers to entry** *e.g. core list system and increasing regulatory pressure.* 

Tailor-made products with generally small volumes and decreasing product life cycles.

Handling complexity for our clients. *Managing 10,000 raw mats and 30,000 products*.

Short-term visibility.

### Organizational Structure A Highly Diversified Business



Segment	Scent & Care		<b>45%</b> total sales (2016)	Flavor 35% total sales (2016)	Nutrition 20% total sales (2016)
Division	Fragrance	Cosmetic Ingredients	Aroma Molecules	Flavor	Diana
Application area	Fine Fragrance Beauty Care Home Care Oral Care	Actives Product Protection Botanicals & Colors Sun Protection	Fragrance Ingredients Menthols & Coolants Terpene Ingredients	Beverages Savory Sweet	Food Pet Food Aqua Probi

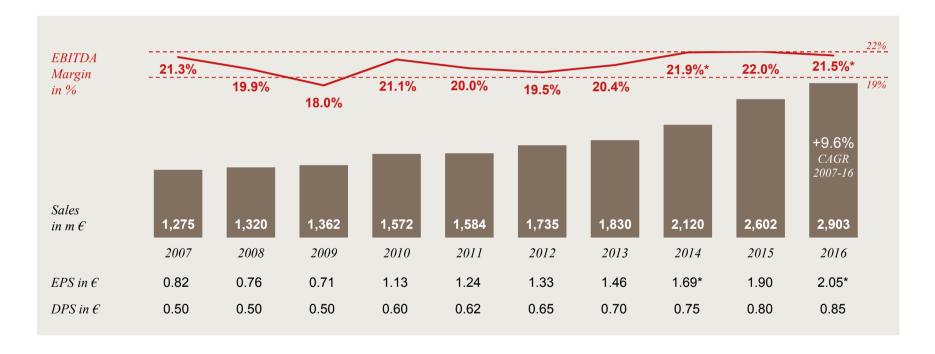
### **Global Footprint** *Historically Strong Presence in Emerging Markets*





### Strong Track Record Since IPO Sustainable Growth At High Profitability Levels





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### Financial Targets for 2017 and Beyond Organic Growth Significantly Above Relevant Market



2017	2012- 2020
Significantly outperform the relevant market* Sales growth	5-7% Annual sales growth
>20% EBITDA margin	19-22% EBITDA margin

\*Which is expected to grow at a rate of about 3 % per year.

### Strategy Overview Proven Three Pillar Approach Since 2009







### Growth Driven by Market Dynamics & End Consumer Trends



Trend		and how we deal with it
Y	Rise of local players & private label	<ul> <li>2/3 of our customer base are local &amp; regional players</li> <li>Present in over 40 countries identifying market trends and serving local needs</li> </ul>
	Increasing consumer spending in emerging markets	<ul> <li>43% of sales generated in EM (target &gt;50% by 2020); +15% LC growth in 2016</li> <li>Historically strong presence (e.g. market entry Brazil 1956, China 1982)</li> <li>€148m investment in LatAm and APAC over the last five years</li> <li>Next projects: new production site China, pet food capacity expansion in Colombia</li> </ul>
	Focus on health & well-being	<ul> <li>Comprehensive product portfolio of natural actives, nutritional ingredients and dietary</li> <li>Expertise in taste modulation to reduce sugar, salt and fat (symlife<sup>®</sup>)</li> <li>Cooperation with Probi to bring probiotics into new areas like oral and skin care</li> </ul>
	Trend towards naturalness & sustainability	<ul> <li>70% of raw material basket is naturals</li> <li>Backward integration in 30% of naturals ensures supply, traceability and quality</li> <li>Multiple awards for strong commitment to sustainability</li> </ul>



### Emerging Markets Expanded Presence in Asia

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#### Flavor Innovation and Technology Centre Singapore

Opened in May 2017.

Center marks completion of SGD30m (~EUR19m) expansion of regional headquarters.

First major firm to base its Global Sensory and Consumer Insight function in Asia.

*R&T* capabilities will be applied to discover new flavor compounds and create new natural and sustainable products that meet the preferences of Asian consumers.



#### Scent & Care Creative Center Mumbai

*Creative & development hub inaugurated in June 2017.* 

State-of-the-art development lab for fragrances and cosmetic ingredients.

*Complements existing Chennai Creative Centre.* 

Critical move to get closer to the customers with even better turnaround time from creation to contract in attractive Indian market.



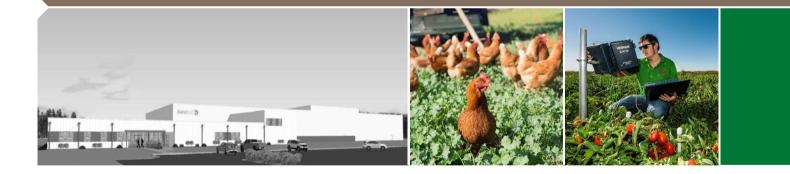


### Investments New Nutrition Site in Georgia, USA



Construction of a new production site

- Investment of  $\in$  50 million
- New factory on a 40-hectare site for manufacturing of natural, declaration-free food ingredients
- and product solutions
- Scheduled for completion in 2019



### G E P S

# Research & Technology



# Driven by Trends, Customers and Sustainability



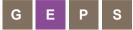


### Efficiency Continuously Improving Our Cost Base



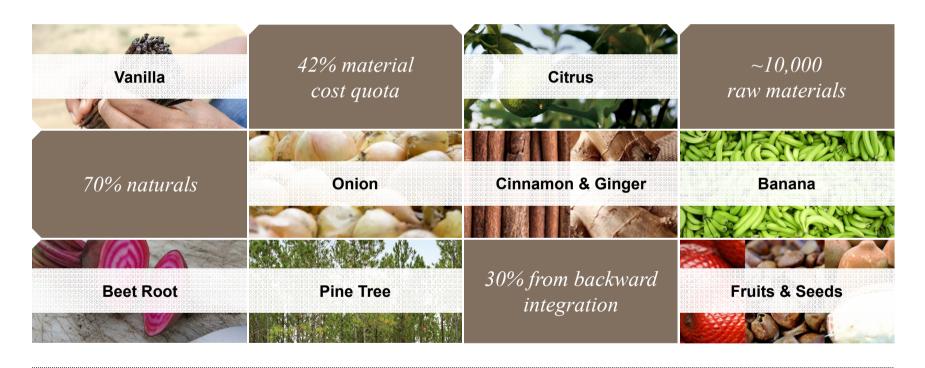


\*Already at 90% in Holzminden (based on dosages and production quantities).



### Raw Material Basket Managing Complexity for Our Clients



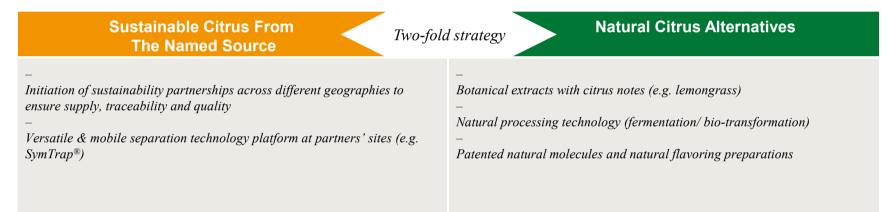




### Raw Material Basket

### Citrus: Best from Nature Meets Best For Nature









Probiotics

Agua

Fine

**Beauty Care** 

(%)

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Home

Care

Fragrances

Pet food

### Portfolio A Key Differentiator To Competitors



#### **Traditional F&F:** UV filters **Sharpening our Portfolio** ×X́< **Beverages Cosmetic actives** đ Ã Additional business Savory Expanding fruit and vegetable extract portfolio 50 -Sweet Acquisitions into cranberries and mushrooms in 2016 đ FIav Ĩ Food Fragrance & sensory ingredients Expansion into renewable aroma and Fragrance Fragrance & molecules with acquisition of Renessenz 8 Sensory Ingredients **Beverages**

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Oral

Care

Mentho

Expanding market presence in UK with acquisition of Cobell in 2017

A highly attractive market Aqua Functional marine ingredients for the aqua feed and aquaculture sector

via Probi and acquisition of Nutraceutix

Beyond F&F: 'Thinking

**Outside the Box**<sup>4</sup>

UV filters and cosmetic actives

Legacy business

**Entering probiotics** 

Pet food

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### Portfolio Cobell Acquisition Strengthens UK Beverages



#### About

**Cobell** Largest supplier of processed fruit and vegetable juices in UK. 56 employees at two locations in Exeter and Devon, UK.

**Sales** of £50m ( $\notin$ 58m) in 2016 trading more than 370 processed fruit and vegetable ingredients.

Closing on July 3, 2017.

#### Rationale

Access to the UK beverage market with a total market size of  $\pounds 100m$  for flavors and  $\pounds 200m$  for juices and purees.

**Complementary client portfolio** with a focus on local and regional UK customers.

**Local infrastructure** *allows for significant reduction of lead times for product developing and manufacturing.* 





### Sustainability An Imperative For Our Clients... And Us



Customer	Client	Symrise
Ethical Consumerism all natural Non-GMO fewer ingredients Organic	€966bn opportunity for brands that make their sustainability credentials stand out €2.5tn market for sustainable goods 66% of consumers willing to pay more for sustainable brands	<b>Certification</b> <i>Policies</i> <b>Clean label</b> <i>Traceability</i>

Source: Unilever (2017), Europanel (2016), nielsen (2016).

### Symrise Group 9M 2017 Continues Growth Path At Accelerated Pace



Sales In € m					EBITDA & EBIT In € m				
	+6.5% 143.2	-37.1	-0.9% -20.0	+3.9%		9M 2016	9M 2016 normalized*	9M 2017	Change %
		-1.7%	-20.0		EBITDA EBITDA-Margin in % EBIT EBIT-Margin in %	462.6 21.1 311.7 14.2	480.3 21.9 329.5 15.0	485.2 21.3 337.2 14.8	1.0 2.3
2,192.3				2,278.4	Comments	17.2	10.0	14.0	
					Strong organic growt revitalization in Scent &	Care in $Q^3$ a	s expected.		
9M 2016	Organic growth	Portfolio	FX	9M 2017	Portfolio effect stemmi Nutraceutix and Cobell. I — EBITDA margin very su	<b>FX</b> impacted	by headwinds	in the third q	uarter.

\* Normalized for acquisition and integration expenses for Pinova Group.

# Scent & Care 9M 2017 *Good Growth Momentum, Especially In The Third Quarter*

Sales In € m					<b>EBITDA</b> In € m				
_	+3.3%	-7.5% -74.5	+0.5% 4.7	-3.7%	EBITDA	<b>9M 2016</b> 185.9	9M 2016 <u>normalized*</u> 203.6	9M 2017 196.2	Change %
					EBITDA-Margin in % Comments	18.6	20.4	20.4	
997.2				960.1	Cosmetic Ingredients — Aroma Molecules with — Fragrance Continued dy	n moderate gr ynamics in F	rowth, excludio ine Fragrance	ng Pinova po s and positive	rtfolio effect. e sales
9M 2016	Organic growth	Portfolio	FX	9M 2017	momentum in Oral Care		·		

\* Normalized for acquisition and integration expenses for Pinova Group.

## Flavor 9M 2017 Benefits From New Business And Strong Demand



Sales In € m					EBITDA In € m			
	+10.0%	+1.8% 14.1	-3.2%	+8.6%		9M 2016	9M 2017	Change %
	77.6		-25.0		EBITDA EBITDA-Margin in %	179.6 23.1	183.4 <i>21.8</i>	2.1
					Comments			
775.9				842.6	EAME Double-digit organ Asia/Pacific less dynami momentum from Japan, Vi — Latin America with stron	c due to strong prio ietnam and Philippin	r year results. Heat nes.	lthy growth
9M 2016	Organic growth	Portfolio	FX	9M 2017	healthy increases in all ap <b>EBITDA margin</b> slightly acquisition of Cobell.	plication areas.	-	

### Nutrition 9M 2017 Again With Strong Gains In Pet Food



Sales In € m					EBITDA In € m			
	+7.8%	+5.6%	+ <mark>0.1%</mark> 0.3	+13.5%		9M 2016	9M 2017	Change %
-	32.9	23.3			EBITDA EBITDA-Margin in %	97.1 23.2	105.6 22.2	8.7
					Comments			
419.2				475.7	<b>Pet Food</b> posted high sin increases in all four region particularly in Latin Amer	ns. Food with signij	ficant sales increas	•
					<b>Probiotics</b> business temp customer. Continued very		0.0	
<i>9M 2016</i>	Organic growth	Portfolio	FX	9M 2017	<b>EBITDA margin</b> at high (US) and regional investm	• • •	• • •	Diana Foods

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