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# INTRODUCTION





# Xavier Unkovic

Chief Executive Officer of the Bonduelle Group since June 1, 2023



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### A company that is developing while remaining true to its roots



A family-owned group, pioneers in plant-based food, that is celebrating its 170th anniversary



A mission of remarkable modernity and high impact



Iconic and innovative brands



Strong links with agricultural production and solid agro-industrial expertise



"Inspire the transition toward a plant-based diet, to contribute to people's well-being and planet health"







### Bonduelle posts a real growth momentum

Significant revenue growth

Increase in current operating income







# The inflationary context is affecting consumption



# Our activities in Russia are under pressure



- Pisk of business continuity and administrative and operational difficulties
- Compliance with local and international regulations
- Empowerment of operations under the group's monitoring



# But the financial performance remains insufficient



- **f** Growth in activity driven by price rises
- Very limited profitability
- Return on capital employed significantly below the cost of capital

#### Our responses

Recovery in the commercial and industrial performance of the fresh activity and in North America



## Bonduelle is operating in growing markets Flexitarianism is an underlying trend that is becoming widespread





declare reducing their meat consumption

In Europe, the volume of pulses has grown by

Nielsen 2023 vs precovid

1 in 5 people

declare being "flexitarian all year round"

IPSOS Sept 2023 - 8 pays GER, NL, FRA, UK, US, IT, PL, RUs

30% restation

prefer restaurants that offer a vegetarian option

The NPD Group - Sept 22



## 2 FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE





## The group is organized by region and category

At July 1, 2023\*



<sup>(1)</sup> Full-time equivalent employees in 2022-2023 <sup>(2)</sup> Fiscal Year 2022-2023

\*The Export and wild mushroom activities include one production site managed directly by the group.





## 2022-2023 results



- Current operating income up, above the annual target but insufficient
- A solid financial position despite the impact of inflation on inventories



### Canned and frozen activities are holding up well



### Fresh processed activities are under pressure



Europe :

- Fresh cut salads segments down more sharply
- Growth in fresh prepared activity is driven by the success of innovations
- Staggered price rises affecting margins in the short term

#### Non-Europe :

- The salad bowls market is normalizing and penalizing us
- Industrial performance improvements are offset by an unprecedented agro crisis



Retail market shares preserved and limited decline in volumes

- Price increases covering the costs of the 2022 campaign
  - Confirmed growth in food service

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# Revenue growth boosted by foreign exchange movements

#### Change in revenue

- Growth on a comparable basis driven by price rises
- A notable slowdown in the second half of the year:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> half-year: +6.1%
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> half-year: +3.8%
- Ø Declining markets are impacting volumes
- Changes in the euro against the dollar and especially the change in the ruble have generated significant additional growth







Change in currency impact over 5 years

#### Impact of currencies on revenue

#### **Currency movements**



- 🥖 Significant strengthening of the dollar and the ruble despite a significant weakening at the end of the year (translation effect)
- Weakening of the Hungarian forint and strengthening of the ruble, favorable for production costs in the region (competitiveness effect)

## Europe continues to drive growth

#### Change in the business portfolio

#### Geographical breakdown of revenue

#### 2022-2023



#### Growth 2022-2023

A constant exchange rates and scope



#### Growth driven by long life activities in both regions

#### Europe:

- A business mainly concentrated in Europe after the disposal of the long life activities in North America and which is driving the group's growth
- Growth in value across all technologies

#### Non-Europe:

 Downturn in North America partially offset by the performance in Eurasia and Mercosur





## Brand strengthening and dynamism

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+14.8%

#### Change in the business portfolio

#### Breakdown of revenue by brand



Growth 2022-2023

- Predominant growth in branded activities
- Good resistance in market share for brands and natural development of private label
- Ownturn in activity outside Europe linked to the performance of the fresh food business in North America



## A diversified and growing portfolio

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#### Growth of all distribution channels



- Jimited growth in the retail activity given the consumption context
- Positive momentum in food service confirmed during the fiscal year



## Overall growth driven by canned and frozen activities





Breakdown of revenue by technology

- Resistance of the long life activity / price rises (increase in costs)
- Fresh activity under pressure despite resistance from the fresh prepared activity in France



## **Current operating income**



#### Increase in operating margin

#### Change in current operating income

In € million	2022-2023	2021-2022	▲ at constant exchange rates	▲ Like for like basis
Revenue	2,406.2	2,202.6	+9.2%	+5.0%
Current operating income	65.9	52.8	+24.8%	+26.9%
% of revenue	2.7%	2.4%	34 bps	50 bps

- Increase in current operating income:
  - Protection of margins
  - Control of the cost structure
- Performance above the posted current operating margin target of 2.5%
- Profitability that nevertheless remains at insufficient levels



## **Current operating income**



#### Europe zone, the main contributor to the group's profitability

At constant exchange rates and scope					
	202	2-2023	2021-2022		
In € million	Europe	Non-Europe	Europe	Non-Europe	
Revenue	1,515.5	796.4	1,357.3	845.3	
Current operating income	72.0	(5.0)	75.5	(22.7)	
% of revenue	4.8%	-0.6%	5.6%	-2.7%	

#### Revenue and recurring operating income by region

Europe: profitability maintained despite pressure on fresh activities

Start of a recovery in the fresh activity in North America and good performance in the Eurasia zone helped by foreign exchange rates (competitiveness)



### **Operational income**



#### Non-recurring items

In € million	2022-2023	2021-2022	<b>A</b>
Revenue	2,406.2	2,202.6	+9.2%
Current operating income	65.9	52.8	+24.8%
Non recurring items	(11.7)	(118.0)	
Operating result	54.1	(65.2)	+183.1%

 $\sigma$  Non-recurring items mainly related to the industrial reorganization in North America ( $\in$ 10.1 M)

Y-1: impairment of tangible and intangible assets

## **Financial income**



#### Financial income

In € million	2022-2023	2021-2022
Debt	(23.7)	(13.3)
Foreign exchange result	(4.6)	1.1
Other items	(2.9)*	(2.3)*
Total	(31.3)	(14.5)
	* o/w IFRS 16 (- 2,2)	* o/w IFRS 16 (- 2,2)

#### Increase in the debt expense

- Increase in the level of debt related to the value of inventories (inflation)
- Increase in interest rates
- Foreign exchange result: depreciation of the ruble at the end of the period
  - Foreign exchange loss lower than the gain in competitiveness
  - No hedging in the market



Taxes



Taxes

In € million	2022-2023	2021-2022
Income tax	(18.5)	(40.0)
Effective tax rate	80.9%	-50.2%

- Distortion of the effective tax rate due to the non-capitalization of BFA losses in 22-23
- Y-1: impairment of deferred tax assets



### Equity method

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#### Equity method

In € million	2022-2023	2021-2022
Equity method	4.4	(5.2)

- Income from associates (share of net income), mainly Nortera Foods (formerly BALL 35% holding)
- Nortera Foods fiscal year 2022-2023:
  - Revenue up 12.4%, due to price rises
  - Strong increase in operating income benefiting from a favorable comparison basis
  - Limited increase in net profitability due to higher financing costs

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Provision on non-controlling interests in start-ups (fair value)

Net income

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#### Change in net income

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Financial income	(31.3)	(14.5)	-115.1%
Corporate tax	(18.5)	(40.0)	+53.8%
Equity method	4.4	(5.2)	
Net income from continuing operations % of revenue	<b>8.8</b> 0.4%	(125.0) -5.7%	+107.0% +604 bps
<b>REBITDA*</b> excluding IFRS 16 % of revenue	<b>125.4</b> 5.2%	<b>117.6</b> 5.3%	<b>+6.6</b> % -13 bps

\* Recurring EBITDA

Growth in current operating income and recurring EBITDA

Net income from continuing operations impacted by non-recurring items (Florence, NJ - USA site) and the increase in financial expenses and currency effects



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Net income from discontinued operations	5.7	160.4	
Net income of the consolidated group % of revenue	<b>14.5</b> 0.6%	<b>35.4</b> 1.6%	- <b>59.</b> 1% -101 bps
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\* Recurring EBITDA

Net income from discontinued operations:

- 22-23: earn-out related to the disposal of the long life activities in North America
- 21-22: capital gain on disposal and net income from 100% of the canned and frozen activities in North America



## Net income

## A solid financial structure



Simplified balance sheet (in € million)

20	22-2023 <u>e</u>	excluding	<u>IFRS 16</u>			20	21-2022 <u>e</u>	excluding	IFRS 16	
ASSETS		[	LIABILITIES			ASSETS			LIABILITIES	
Fixed assets	805.2	Equity		788.9	Fixed a		815.0	Equity		855.3
Working capital & other	340.4	Net debt		356.7	Workin & other	ng capital r	308.2	Net debt		267.9
GEARING <sup>(1)</sup> NET FIN. DEBT / REB ROCCE <sup>(3)</sup>	BITDA <sup>(2)</sup>	45.2% 2.84 5.2%			GEARIN NET FI ROCCE	N. DEBT / REBI	TDA <sup>(2)</sup>	31.0% 2.28 4.6%		
202 ASSETS	22-2023 <u>ir</u>	ncluding	I <u>FRS 16</u> LIABILITIES	]		202 ASSETS	1-2022 <u>in</u>	cluding II	F <u>RS 16</u> LIABILITIES	]
<b>ASSETS</b> Fixed assets	2 <b>2-2023 <u>ir</u></b> 870.6	Equity		774.5	Fixed as	<b>ASSETS</b>		<b>cluding II</b> Equity		852.4
ASSETS		[	LIABILITIES	774.5 436.1		ASSETS ssets g capital				852.4 362.9
ASSETS Fixed assets Working capital	870.6 340.0	Equity	LIABILITIES		Workin & other GEARI	ASSETS ssets g capital	907.4 307.9	Equity		

(1) Net financial debt/equity - (2) Net financial debt on recurring EBITDA - (3) Current operating income before tax / capital used

🥖 Debt leverage: increase in debt in line with the value increase in WCR and higher than the increase in profitability

ROCE up slightly, but still well below target of 12.5%



## A solid financial structure



#### A largely disintermediated debt and an adapted amortization profile

Breakdown of debt		Debt amortizatio	Debt amortization profile					
At June 30, 2023		Maturities in € millior	n <sup>(1)</sup>					
6%	USPP							
	BANKING	39	67	67	67			
		23-24	24-25	25-26	26-27			
		Average cost			4.01%			
		Average debt r	maturity <sup>(2)</sup>		3 years			
0.40/		Disintermediat	tion rate		94%			
94%			<sup>(2)</sup> Average matu	urity of available f	<sup>(1)</sup> excluding financing instrur			

- Financial structure strengthened by the signature in February 2023 of an Amend & Extend transaction on the €400 million RCF: maturity extended to February 2028 with two one-year extension options
- / Increased financing rate in line with the significant rise in interest rates and higher average outstanding debt (inflation)



## A solid financial structure



#### Sustainable leverage despite an increase in debt

#### Net financial debt (in € million)



Net debt / REBITDA

Proceeds from the disposal of the long life activity partly offset by the revaluation of inventories

// Leverage below 3.5x REBITDA

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# EXTRA-FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE





## One third of our revenue is B Corp<sup>™</sup> certified



**United States** 

Italy

#### Many other regions already on the way:





## We are making progress on the three pillars of our B! Pact

Our positive impact roadmap redefined in 2022





# Our stakeholders' expectations are in line with our priorities



# **Bonduelle transforms plates**

to better support the expectations of flexitarians





Target 100% by 2025



of products are Nutri-Score A & B



Target 20% by 2030 of revenue is generated by main meal offers





of products without controversial additives



chefs have been trained in plant-based cooking over two years

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# Iconic brands that reinvent themselves to gain relevance




Regenerative agriculture is a reality Our carbon trajectory is in line with our SBTI commitments in absolute terms



of our producers are engaged in regenerative agriculture





The use of virgin fossil plastics has decreased by



**37%** VS 19/20 Target -100% in 2030



Scope 1-2 CO2 emissions (absolute figures) decreased by **12,7**<sup>70</sup> VS 19/20 Target: -38% in 2035



# Our business is driven by a loyal and committed ecosystem

despite a complex context

The employee engagement rate increased 1 pt. vs. 21/22 to

+12pts vs OpenSquare Benchmark



of producers have renewed their contracts

Target: 100% in 2025

of Bonduelle sites are involved in local initiatives (civic engagement)







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# The Company is embarking on a real progress trajectory





# A gradual improvement in revenue and profit



Dividend: The General Management will propose at the Shareholders' Meeting of December 7, 2023 the payment of a dividend of 0.25 euro per share.



 Recovery of North American activities



- Commercial activation in points of sale
- Relevant innovations
- Industrial competitivity
- Monitoring of structure costs









As of August 31, 2023





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#### **Supervisory Board**

Ensures permanent control of company management on behalf of the Shareholders. The Bonduelle Group complies with the Afep-Medef governance principles.

Martin Ducroquet (Chairman)
Jean-Pierre Vannier (Vice-Chairman)
Laurent Bonduelle
Agathe Danjou
Matthieu Duriez
Cécile Girerd-Jorry
Jean-Michel Thierry
Corinne Wallaert
Didier Cliqué (employee representative)







**Audit Committee** 

By delegation of the Supervisory Board, this committee is responsible for supervising the financial matters.

Jean-Michel Thierry (Chairman)
Martin Ducroquet
Cécile Girerd-Jorry
Jean-Pierre Vannier









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### **Our Governance**

#### **Board of Directors**

Made up of Bonduelle family members and independent members, this Board is responsible for defining the company's strategy and investment policy.

1. Christophe Bonduelle (Chairman) 2. Ana-Maria Bonduelle

- 3. Benoît Bonduelle
- 4. François Bonduelle
- 5. Jean-Bernard Bonduelle
- 6. Marc Bonduelle
- 7. Philippe Carreau (as of Nov. 30, 2022)
- 8. Pierre Deloffre
- 9. Miriam Fedida
- 10. Pierre Pâris
- 11. Martine Pélier
- 12. Marie-Ange Verdickt
- 13. Armand Biau (Employee representative)





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#### **Compensation Committee**

#### This committee is independent and recommends the compensation granted to Bonduelle family members working at Bonduelle. The committee also gives its opinion on the compensation of top managers.

Marie-Ange Verdickt (Chairwoman)
Pierre Deloffre
Florence Ferraton
Laurent Marembaud







#### **Ethics Committee**

Its aim is to support the ethical principles implemented by Bonduelle. It also provides advice on ethical issues; its role is purely advisory.

Philippe Vasseur (Chairman)
Tadeusz Bechta
Jean-Bernard Bonduelle
Cécile Girerd-Jorry







#### **Executive Committee**

The Executive Committee (Comex) is composed of General Managers of business units, the Director of Bonduelle Prospective and Development, the Director of Human Resources, the Director of Corporate Communications and Corporate Social Responsibility, and the Director of Finance, Digital Transformation and Geographic Development.

The Executive Committee is responsible for executing the strategy defined by the Board of Directors, and for ensuring that it is applied throughout the group.

 Xavier UNKOVIC - Bonduelle Group CEO
Cyrille AUGUSTE - Bonduelle Europe Long Life
Céline BARRAL - Corporate Communication & CSR
Ekaterina ELISEEVA - Bonduelle EurAsia Mercosur
Marine HENIN - Chief Human Resources Officer
Patrick LESUEUR - Bonduelle Prospective & Development
Andrea MONTAGNA - Bonduelle Fresh Americas
Daniel PAGNIEZ - Bonduelle Fresh Europe
Grégory SANSON - Chief Finance, Digital Transformation and Geographic Development Officer









# Thank you !





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