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 Third Quarter 2023 Resulits Presentation

# Third Quarter and Nine Months 2023 

Gonzalve Bich Chief Executive Officer

## Nine-months 2023 Key Takeaways

- Profitable growth across all divisions through enhanced execution of Horizon Plan
- Revenue Growth Management delivered $15 \%$ YTD increase in net sales per SKU ahead of plan
- Consumer-centric portfolio and product innovations drove growth and market share
- Solid 9-months gross profit margin driven by improved price, mix and manufacturing efficiencies



## 2023 Outlook Confirmed



Free Cash Flow is expected to be above $€ 200$ million in 2023, for the fifth year in a row


# Third Quarter and Nine Months 2023 <br> Operational and <br> Consolidated Results 

Chad Spooner
Chief Financial Officer

## Nine Months 2023 Key Financial Figures




Change as reported (3.0)\%



Change as reported
(2.2)\%


Free Cash Flow* $€ 142.2 \mathrm{~m}$

Net Cash Position € 308.3 m


## Nine Months 2023 Division Snapshoł

## Human Expression



Double-digit net sales growth in Latin America, the Middle East and Africa
Single-digit net sales growth in Europe

[^0]Market share gains in ail mature markets driven by both added-value segments and core stationery products

## Flame for Life



Double digit net sales growth in Latin America and Africa
High-single digit net sales growth in Europe

Market share gains in the US and Brazil, where BIC is well positioned

## Blade Excellence

 growth in key European countries, Latin America, the Middle East and Africa

Market share gains in all geographies

Low single-digit growth in North America

Decrease in aEBIT margin driven by input cost inflation, unfavorable forex and investments for the Easy Rinse launch in US partially offset by favorable price and mix

## Double-digit net sales

## Decrease in aEBIT margin due to

 unfavorable fixed cost absorption, raw materials, negative net sales operating leverage in the US and brand support
## Third Quarter 2023 Net Sales Evolution



## Nine Months 2023 Net Sales Evolution



## Third Quarter 2023: Key Components of Change in Adjusted EBIT



# Nine Months 2023: Key Components of Change in Adjusted EBIT 



## Nine Months 2023

from Adjusted EBIT to Net Income

| in million euros | 9M 2022 | 9M 2023 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Adjusted EBIT* | 268.5 | 260.4 | 9M 2023 Non-recurring items |
| Non-recurring items | (6.6) | (4.1) | $\boldsymbol{\epsilon} \mathbf{( 0 . 6 ) m}$ related to Lucky Stationary Ltd |
| ebit | 261.9 | 256.3 | isition cos |
| Finance revenues/costs | (3.4) | (4.0) | optimization/relocation plan |
| Income before Tax | 258.6 | 252.3 |  |
| Net Income Group share | 186.2 | 181.4 |  |
| EPS Group share (in euros) | 4.22 | 4.22 |  |
| Adjusted EPS Group share (in euros) | 4.53 | 4.43 |  |

## Working Capital



## Nine Months 2023 Net Cash Position



## 2023 Outlook Confirmed



## THANK YOU

## APPENDIX

## 2023 Market Assumptions*



# 2023 Main Net Sales Adjusted EBIT and Free Cash Flow Drivers 

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$\checkmark \quad$ Price and Mix increases
$\checkmark$ Manufacturing efficiencies $\quad x \quad$ Increase in Brand Support to drive Net Sales growth
$\checkmark \quad$ Slightly favorable Forex impact (excluding Argentina) $\quad x \quad$ Increase in R\&D and Operating Expenses to support
x Raw Materials and energy inflation
x Labor / overhead inflation


## Organic Growth

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Market Share Gains
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## Adjusted EBIT

$\checkmark \quad$ Gross Profit expansion long-term Growth and Innovation

On-going focus on Free Cash Flow before acquisitions and disposals

Approximately between €110-120 million Capex

Working capital improvements
aEBIT margin expansion contributing to cash flow

## Nine Months 2023 Net Sales Breakdown



By Geography


## Sensitivity to Net Sales and Income before Tax: USD/EUR Fluctuation

| Sensitivity to Net Sales and Income Before Tax (IBT) <br> of USD-EUR fluctuation <br> in \% | 9 M 2022 | 9 M 2023 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| $+/-5 \%$ change in USD impact on Net Sales | 2.1 | 2.0 |
| $+/-5 \%$ change in USD impact on IBT | 1.2 | 1.0 |

## Nine Months 2023 Foreign Currencies Impact on Net Sales



## Nine Months 2023 Net Sales <br> Main Exchange Rate Evolution vs Euro

|  |  |  |  | ge rates |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\%$ of sales | 9M 2022 | 9M 2023 | \% of change |
| US Dollar |  | 39\% | 1.06 | 1.08 | -1.85\% |
| Brazilian Real |  | 9\% | 5.45 | 5.42 | 0.55\% |
| Mexican Peso |  | 5\% | 21.55 | 19.26 | 11.89\% |
| Argentina Peso |  | 2\% | 127.39 | 266.29 | -52.16\% |
| Canadian dollar |  | 3\% | 1.36 | 1.46 | -6.85\% |
| Australian dollar |  | 1\% | 1.50 | 1.62 | -7.41\% |
| South African Zar |  | 1\% | 16.95 | 19.91 | -14.87\% |
| Indian Rupee |  | 2\% | 82.30 | 89.22 | -7.76\% |
| Non-Euro European countries |  | 10\% |  |  |  |
|  | Sweden |  | 10.54 | 11.48 | -8.19\% |
|  | Russia |  | 75.57 | 87.94 | -14.07\% |
|  | Poland |  | 4.67 | 4.58 | 1.97\% |
|  | British Pound |  | 0.85 | 0.87 | -2.30\% |

## Group Quarterly Figures

| In million euros | Q1 21 | Q2 21 | Q3 21 | Q4 21 | FY 21 | Q1 22 | Q2 22 | Q3 22 | Q4 $22^{* *}$ | FY 22 ** | Q1 23 | Q2 23 | Q3 23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | 411.0 | 505.7 | 478.4 | 436.8 | 1,831.9 | 515.7 | 611.4 | 580.1 | 526.7 | 2,233.9 | 538.7 | 638.2 | 560.3 |
| YoY actual changes | +15.1\% | +20.7\% | +8.2\% | +6.5\% | +12.5\% | +25.5\% | +20.9\% | +21.3\% | +20.6\% | +21.9\% | +4.5\% | +4.4\% | (3.4) \% |
| YoY changes on a constant currencies basis* | +25.6\% | +26.8\% | +8.5\% | +4.1\% | +15.9\% | +20.4\% | +11.6\% | +10.5\% | +13.7\% | +13.8\% | +4.3\% | +9.3\% | +7.2\% |
| YoY changes on a comparative basis* | +20.9\% | +23.9\% | +5.0\% | +0.5\% | +12.2\% | +18.8\% | +9.6\% | +7.6\% | +9.1\% | +11.0\% | +0.9\% | +6.9\% | +3.2\% |
| EBIT | 227.3 | 105.2 | 82.5 | 36.9 | 452.0 | 97.9 | 99.8 | 64.3 | 41.6 | 303.5 | 71.9 | 102.8 | 81.6 |
| Adjusted EBIT * | 60.5 | 105.6 | 82.5 | 31.2 | 279.8 | 101.9 | 101.1 | 65.6 | 43.2 | 311.7 | 70.0 | 105.0 | 85.3 |
| EBIT margin | 55.3\% | 20.8\% | 17.2\% | 8.5\% | 24.7\% | 19.0\% | 16.3\% | 11.1\% | 7.9\% | 13.6\% | 13.3\% | 16.1\% | 14.6\% |
| Adjusted EBIT margin* | 14.7\% | 20.9\% | 17.2\% | 7.1\% | 15.3\% | 19.8\% | 16.5\% | 11.3\% | 8.2\% | 14.0\% | 13.0\% | 16.5\% | 15.2\% |
| Net Income Group Share | 161.6 | 68.6 | 57.3 | 26.7 | 314.2 | 67.6 | 71.8 | 46.8 | 12.4 | 198.6 | 50.8 | 70.8 | 59.8 |
| EPS Group Share | 3.59 | 1.53 | 1.28 | 0.60 | 7.02 | 1.53 | 1.62 | 1.06 | 0.28 | 4.52 | 1.17 | 1.64 | 1.39 |

${ }^{(* *)}$ Corrected to take into account the VPPA accounting

## Group Quarterly Figures by Geography

| In million euros | Q1 21 | Q2 21 | Q3 21 | Q4 21 | FY 21 | Q1 22 | Q2 22 | Q3 22 | Q4 22 | FY 22 | Q1 23 | Q2 23 | Q3 23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Europe |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Sales | 125.2 | 166.8 | 155.4 | 123.1 | 570.6 | 142.8 | 185.1 | 169.6 | 139.1 | 636.7 | 151.5 | 202.3 | 170.7 |
| YoY actual changes | +5.2\% | +20.3\% | +5.6\% | +9.6\% | +10.3\% | +14.0\% | +11.0\% | +9.1\% | +13.0\% | +11.6\% | +6.1\% | +9.3\% | +0.6\% |
| YoY changes on a comparative basis* | +4.9\% | +19.3\% | +4.3\% | +8.6\% | +9.4\% | +15.9\% | +10.1\% | +7.9\% | +10.5\% | +10.9\% | +6.5\% | +12.7\% | +8.6\% |
| North America |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Sales | 184.1 | 222.3 | 194.7 | 177.9 | 779.0 | 233.5 | 265.5 | 236.9 | 219.1 | 954.9 | 217.5 | 259.1 | 207.6 |
| YoY actual changes | +31.1\% | +9.6\% | (0.8) \% | +8.7\% | +10.8\% | +26.8\% | +19.4\% | +21.7\% | +23.2\% | +22.6\% | (6.9) \% | (2.4) \% | (12.3) \% |
| YoY changes on a comparative basis* | +33.4\% | +15.0\% | (5.5) \% | (3.9) \% | +8.6\% | +16.5\% | +3.2\% | +1.0\% | +7.5\% | +6.7\% | (11.4) \% | +0.2\% | (5.2) \% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Latin America |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Sales | 58.2 | 67.7 | 72.6 | 77.4 | 275.9 | 84.3 | 95.5 | 108.5 | 102.4 | 390.6 | 104.8 | 112.2 | 116.4 |
| YoY actual changes | +6.6\% | +71.6\% | +27.5\% | (2.2) \% | +19.9\% | +44.7\% | +41.1\% | +49.4\% | +32.3\% | +41.6\% | +24.3\% | +17.5\% | +7.3\% |
| YoY changes on a comparative basis* | +34.0\% | +81.7\% | +23.0\% | (5.5) \% | +26.0\% | +31.0\% | +18.2\% | +24.9\% | +8.9\% | +20.1\% | +13.7\% | +13.9\% | +5.8\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Middle East and Africa |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Sales | 22.0 | 29.1 | 31.3 | 29.2 | 111.7 | 32.1 | 34.0 | 36.0 | 34.4 | 136.4 | 42.0 | 41.0 | 42.0 |
| YoY actual changes | +9.7\% | +54.1\% | +60.4\% | +1.7\% | +28.0\% | +45.9\% | +16.6\% | +14.7\% | +17.6\% | +22.1\% | +30.8\% | +20.7\% | +16.7\% |
| YoY changes on a comparative basis* | +18.7\% | +57.9\% | +57.4\% | (1.6) \% | +29.2\% | +40.0\% | +10.1\% | +8.3\% | +14.5\% | +16.6\% | +34.5\% | +32.3\% | +36.5\% |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Asia \& Oceania (including India) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Net Sales | 21.5 | 19.8 | 24.3 | 29.2 | 94.8 | 23.1 | 31.3 | 29.1 | 31.8 | 115.3 | 22.9 | 23.6 | 23.6 |
| YoY actual changes | (5.8) \% | +3.4\% | +10.7\% | +11.0\% | +5.1\% | +7.6\% | +58.2\% | +20.1\% | +8.7\% | +21.7\% | (0.9) \% | (24.5) \% | (19.0) \% |
| YoY changes on a comparative basis* | +0.8\% | +9.1\% | +14.4\% | +11.8\% | +9.1\% | +4.9\% | +48.9\% | +11.9\% | +8.5\% | +17.0\% | +3.0\% | (18.0) \% | (9.1) \% |

## Human Expression

| In million euros | Q1 21 | Q2 21 | Q3 21 | Q4 21 | FY 21 | Q1 22 | Q2 22 | Q3 22 | Q4 22 | FY 22 | Q1 23 | Q2 23 | Q3 23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | 131.1 | 202.2 | 197.5 | 153.1 | 683.8 | 168.3 | 269.7 | 225.2 | 175.6 | 838.8 | 177.5 | 282.9 | 214.7 |
| YoY actual changes | +3.3\% | +21.2\% | +22.4\% | +27.0\% | +18.8\% | +28.4\% | +33.4\% | +14.1\% | +14.7\% | +22.7\% | +5.4\% | +4.9\% | (4.7) \% |
| YoY changes on a constant currencies basis* | +11.2\% | +25.1\% | +22.8\% | +24.5\% | +21.3\% | +25.4\% | +25.4\% | +6.6\% | +11.4\% | +16.9\% | +8.5\% | +9.5\% | +4.5\% |
| YoY changes on a comparative basis* | +1.3\% | +20.1\% | +15.9\% | +14.2\% | +13.6\% | +21.4\% | +21.9\% | +2.1\% | +2.5\% | +11.8\% | +1.5\% | +6.7\% | +1.2\% |
| EBIT | 5.2 | 23.9 | 12.7 | (0.9) | 41.0 | 10.2 | 23.3 | (2.6) | (9.7) | 21.3 | 5.1 | 39.6 | 12.4 |
| Adjusted EBIT | 3.4 | 24.2 | 12.7 | (3.5) | 36.8 | 11.4 | 24.1 | (1.2) | (8.9) | 25.4 | 2.4 | 42.2 | 16.0 |
| EBIT Margin | 4.0\% | 11.8\% | 6.5\% | (0.6) \% | 6.0\% | 6.1\% | 8.6\% | (1.1) \% | (5.5) \% | 2.5\% | 2.9\% | 14.0\% | 5.8\% |
| Adjusted EBIT Margin | 2.6\% | 12.0\% | 6.5\% | (2.3) \% | 5.4\% | 6.8\% | 9.0\% | (0.6) \% | (5.1) \% | 3.0\% | 1.4\% | 14.9\% | 7.5\% |

## Flame for Life

| In million euros | Q1 21 | Q2 21 | Q3 21 | Q4 21 | FY 21 | Q1 22 | Q2 22 | Q3 22 | Q4 22 | FY 22 | Q1 23 | Q2 23 | Q3 23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | 174.5 | 192.9 | 170.7 | 180.4 | 718.5 | 226.4 | 209.7 | 216.0 | 219.6 | 871.6 | 228.5 | 205.8 | 200.1 |
| YoY actual changes | +44.2\% | +31.0\% | (0.2) \% | +0.9\% | +16.2\% | +29.7\% | +8.7\% | +26.5\% | +21.7\% | +21.3\% | +0.9\% | (1.8) \% | (7.3) \% |
| YoY changes on a constant currency basis* | +57.8\% | +39.4\% | +0.1\% | (1.6) \% | +20.3\% | +22.9\% | (1.4) \% | +12.4\% | +12.3\% | +11.2\% | (1.3) \% | +2.8\% | +3.9\% |
| YoY changes on a comparative basis* | +54.2\% | +36.9\% | (2.1) \% | (2.3) \% | +18.2\% | +22.4\% | (2.5) \% | +11.0\% | +10.9\% | +10.1\% | (2.6) \% | +0.9\% | (1.3) \% |
| EBIT | 63.4 | 80.5 | 68.6 | 56.1 | 268.5 | 86.6 | 79.3 | 74.8 | 63.3 | 304.0 | 83.4 | 69.4 | 68.2 |
| Adjusted EBIT | 65.1 | 80.5 | 68.6 | 56.0 | 270.2 | 87.1 | 79.8 | 74.8 | 63.8 | 305.5 | 83.9 | 69.2 | 68.3 |
| EBIT Margin | 36.3\% | 41.7\% | 40.2\% | 31.1\% | 37.4\% | 38.2\% | 37.8\% | 34.6\% | 28.8\% | 34.9\% | 36.5\% | 33.7\% | 34.1\% |
| Adjusted EBIT Margin | 37.3\% | 41.7\% | 40.2\% | 31.0\% | 37.6\% | 38.5\% | 38.0\% | 34.6\% | 29.1\% | 35.0\% | 36.7\% | 33.6\% | 34.1\% |

## Blade Excellence

| In million euros | Q1 21 | Q2 21 | Q3 21 | Q4 21 | FY 21 | Q1 22 | Q2 22 | Q3 22 | Q4 22 | FY 22 | Q1 23 | Q2 23 | Q3 23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | 96.4 | 104.0 | 104.6 | 96.2 | 401.2 | 113.5 | 126.8 | 132.6 | 124.0 | 497.0 | 124.7 | 143.6 | 139.1 |
| YoY actual changes | (5.5) \% | +5.4\% | +1.6\% | (4.4) \% | (0.7) \% | +17.7\% | +22.0\% | +26.8\% | +28.9\% | +23.9\% | +9.9\% | +13.3\% | +4.9\% |
| YoY change on a constant currency basis* | +5.0\% | +11.9\% | +1.9\% |  | +3.0\% |  |  |  |  | +14.6\% | +9.0\% | +19.7\% | +17.3\% |
| YoY change on a comparable | +5.0\% | +11.9\% | +1.9\% | (6.6) \% | +3.0\% | +12.5\% | +11.1\% | +14.7\% | +20.6\% | +14.6\% | +9.0\% | +19.7\% | +17.3\% |
| basis* | +4.5\% | +11.6\% | +1.1\% | (7.3) \% | +2.5\% | +12.2\% | +10.0\% | +12.3\% | +16.4\% | +12.7\% | +6.5\% | +16.8\% | +13.9\% |
| EBIT | 12.2 | 20.1 | 18.5 | 5.4 | 56.2 | 23.2 | 17.9 | 13.3 | 9.8 | 64.1 | 5.3 | 14.9 | 26.0 |
| Adjusted EBIT | 12.2 | 20.2 | 18.5 | 6.5 | 57.4 | 25.4 | 17.9 | 13.3 | 10.1 | 66.6 | 5.7 | 14.8 | 26.0 |
| EBIT Margin | 12.7\% | 19.3\% | 17.7\% | 5.6\% | 14.0\% | 20.4\% | 14.1\% | 10.0\% | 7.9\% | 12.9\% | 4.3\% | 10.4\% | 18.7\% |
| Adjusted EBIT Margin | 12.7\% | 19.4\% | 17.7\% | 6.8\% | 14.3\% | 22.4\% | 14.1\% | 10.0\% | 8.1\% | 13.4\% | 4.5\% | 10.3\% | 18.7\% |

## Other Products

| In million euros | Q1 21 | Q2 21 | Q3 21 | Q4 21 | FY 21 | Q1 22 | Q2 22 | Q3 22 | Q4 22 | FY 22 | Q1 23 | Q2 23 | Q3 23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | 9.0 | 6.6 | 5.7 | 7.1 | 28.4 | 7.6 | 5.2 | 6.3 | 7.5 | 26.6 | 8.1 | 5.9 | 6.5 |
| YoY actual changes | +29.4\% | +8.7\% | (14.9) \% | (31.1) \% | (5.3) \% | (16.5) \% | (21.1) \% | +11.5\% | +5.9\% | (6.4) \% | +6.8\% | +13.2\% | +2.9\% |
| YoY changes on a constant currency basis* | +29.7\% | +7.9\% | (15.5) \% | (31.3) \% | (5.6) \% | (16.4) \% | (21.1) \% | +11.6\% | +6.4\% | (6.2) \% | +7.4\% | +14.5\% | +4.4\% |
| YoY changes on a comparative basis* | +29.7\% | +7.9\% | (15.5) \% | (31.3) \% | (5.6) \% | (16.4) \% | (21.1) \% | +11.6\% | +6.4\% | (6.2) \% | +7.4\% | +14.5\% | +4.4\% |
| EBIT | (0.2) | (2.8) | (1.0) | (1.3) | (5.2) | (1.8) | (1.9) | (0.1) | 1.0 | (2.8) | (0.8) | (0.0) | (0.9) |
| Adjusted EBIT | (0.2) | (2.8) | (1.0) | (1.5) | (5.5) | (1.8) | (1.9) | (0.1) | 1.0 | (2.8) | (0.7) | (0.0) | (0.9) |

## Unallocated Costs

| In million euros | Q1 21 | Q2 21 | Q3 21 | Q4 21 | FY 21 | Q1 22 | Q2 22 | Q3 22 | Q4 22 | FY 22 | Q1 23 | Q2 23 | Q3 23 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EBIT | 146.8 | (16.5) | (16.3) | (22.4) | 91.6 | (20.3) | (18.8) | (21.1) | (22.8) | (83.0) | (21.2) | (21.1) | (24.1) |
| Adjusted EBIT | (20.0) | (16.5) | (16.3) | (26.2) | (79.1) | (20.3) | (18.8) | (21.1) | (22.8) | (83.0) | (21.2) | (21.1) | (24.1) |

## Capital and Voting Rights

As of September 30, 2023 the total number of issued shares of SOCIÉTÉ BIC is $43,952,226$ shares representing:

- 64,236,103 voting rights
- 62,364,526 voting rights excluding shares without voting rights

Total number of treasury shares held at the end of September 2023: 1,871,577

## Glossary

- Constant currency basis: constant currency figures are calculated by translating the current year figures at prior year monthly average exchange rates.
- Organic change or Comparable basis: at constant currencies and constant perimeter. Figures at constant perimeter exclude the impact of acquisitions and/or disposals that occurred during the current year and/or during the previous year. until their anniversary date. All Net Sales category comments are made on a comparable basis. Organic change excludes Argentina Net Sales.
- EBITDA: EBIT before Depreciation. Amortization (excluding amortization of right of use assets under IFRS 16 standard) and impairment.
- Adjusted EBIT: adjusted means excluding normalized items.
- Adjusted EBIT margin: adjusted EBIT as a percentage of Net Sales.
- Net Cash from operating activities: Cash generated from principal activities of the entity and other activities that are not investing or financing activities.
- Free Cash Flow: Net cash flow from operating activities less capital expenditures (capex). Free cash flow does not include acquisitions and proceeds from the sale of businesses.
- Net cash position: Cash and cash equivalents + Other current financial assets - Current borrowings -Non-current borrowings (except financial liabilities following IFRS 16 implementation)


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A description of the risks borne by BIC appears in section Risks Management of BIC's 2022 Universal Registration Document filed with the French financial markets authority ("AMF") on March 30, 2023.


[^0]:    Strong increase in aEBIT margin driven by favorable pricing and mix, lower brand support

