

# Q4 2022 Conference Call

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### Fourth quarter impacted by one-off items

- Net sales decreased by 15% (-27% adjusted for currency effects) to SEK 144 m (170) in Q4. Snowstorms in the USA delayed deliveries to the value of SEK 18 m in net sales.
- The EBITDA margin amounted to 11% (32) in Q4. Adjusted for the delayed deliveries and one-off items, the EBITDA margin was 24%.
- Probi will take over the distribution of its own brand Probi<sup>®</sup> from April 1, 2023.
- Purchase of strain rights from American partners for faster commercialization of spores.
- The Board appointed Anita Johansen as Interim CEO.
- Dividend of 1.30 SEK (1.30) proposed by Board of Directors.







### Year 2022 – Challenging markets

- Net sales down 6% (-17% adjusted for currency effects) to SEK 618 m (658).
- The EBITDA margin amounted to 22% (28).
- Region Americas faced a weaker market and some negative customer dynamics.
- Region EMEA had a decent market development but affected by changed strategy of Perrigo.
- Region APAC developed according to plan with good growth in China.
- The technology transfer of BLIS products started, with first batch of BLIS K12.
- New skin care product based on by-product from production, with good market potential plus reducing both environmental costs and impact.
- Slower progression of clinical studies due to pandemic, however pilot study in Gut-Brain completed in Q4.
- Continued investments in production facilities.





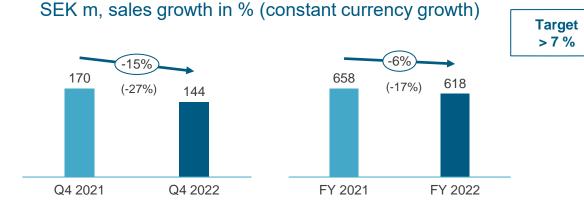




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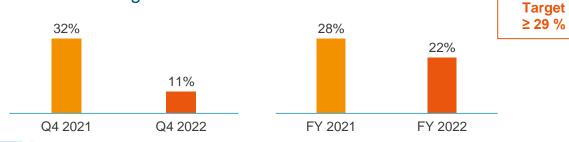


### **Region Americas sales affecting growth**



#### **EBITDA %** EBITDA margin as % of Net sales

Net sales



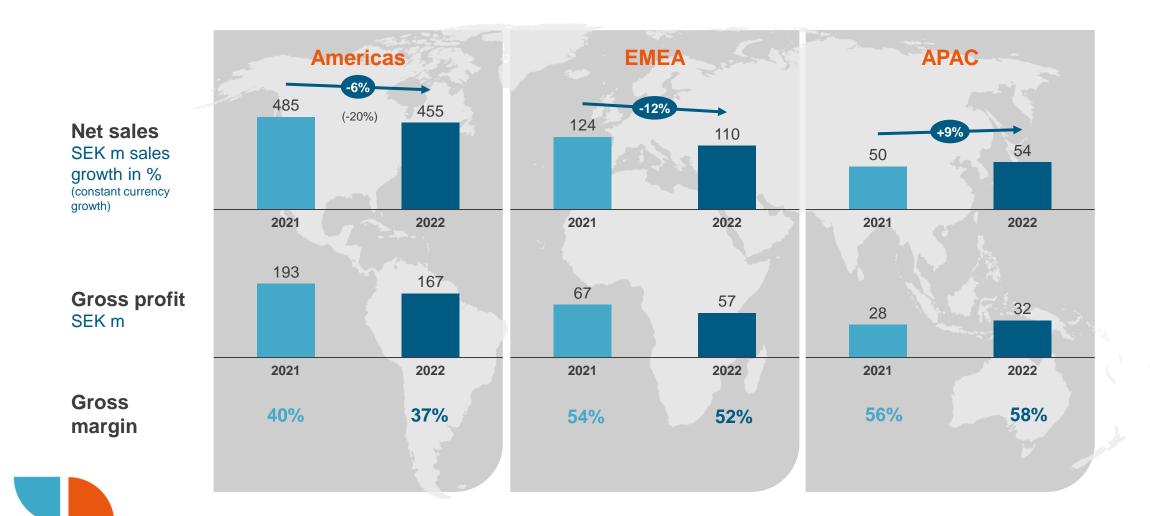
#### Highlights in the quarter



- Net sales YTD down 6% from previous year
- EBITDA-margin lower than previous year due to lower sales volumes and one-off items



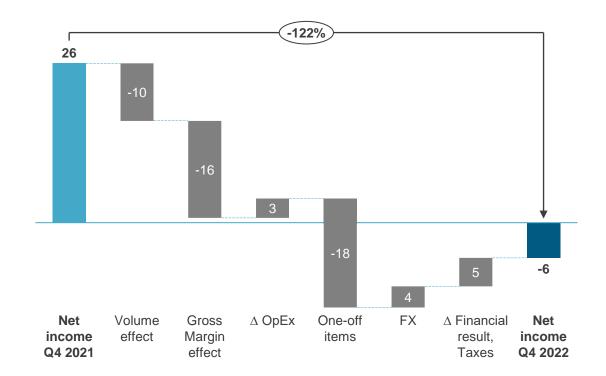
### **Net Sales and Gross Profit by region**





### Lower volumes and one-off items put pressure on net income

#### **Reconciliation of net income** SEK m



#### Key aspects

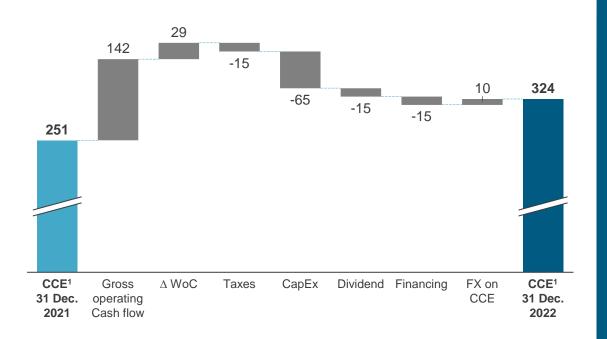
- Net income decreased by SEK 32 m compared to previous year explained by lower sales volumes and large one-off items
- Excluding delayed orders and one-off items net income at ca SEK 12 m
- Favorable FX development contribute to SEK 4 m on net income





### Solid cash flow from operations

#### **Reconciliation of group liquidity** SEK m



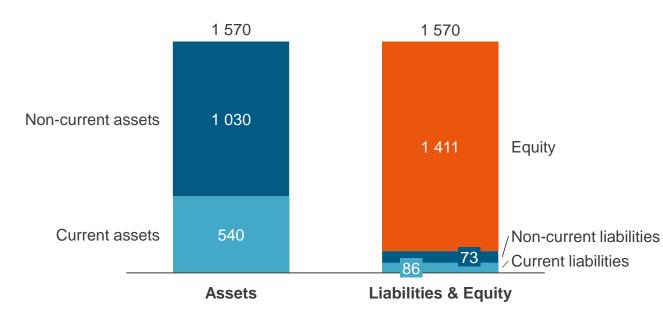
#### **Key aspects**

- Gross operating cash flow of SEK 142 m
- Positive working capital effect
- CapEx of SEK 65 m mainly due to investments in production facilities
- Dividend of SEK 15 m (SEK 2 m higher than previous year)
- Financing includes payments of lease obligations
- Positive FX effect on cash of SEK 10 m

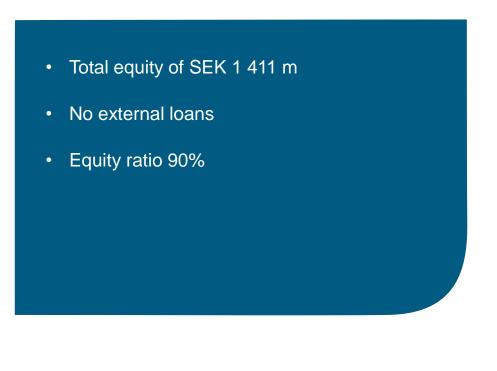


### Solid balance sheet with no external loans

#### Balance sheet as per Dec 31, 2022 SEK m



#### Key aspects









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### My agenda for 2023

#### Increase growth and profitability

Launch new innovations

Manufacturing excellence





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## **Financial calendar**

Interim report Q1 2023 Annual General Meeting Payment date for dividend Interim report Q2 2023 Interim report Q3 2023 Year-end report 2023 April 26, 2023 May 4, 2023 May 11, 2023 July 18, 2023 October 24, 2023 January 26, 2024

