

# Temadag - Probiotika Erik Penser Bank

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### Probi – "First in probiotics"



Founded 1991



420 patents



40 markets



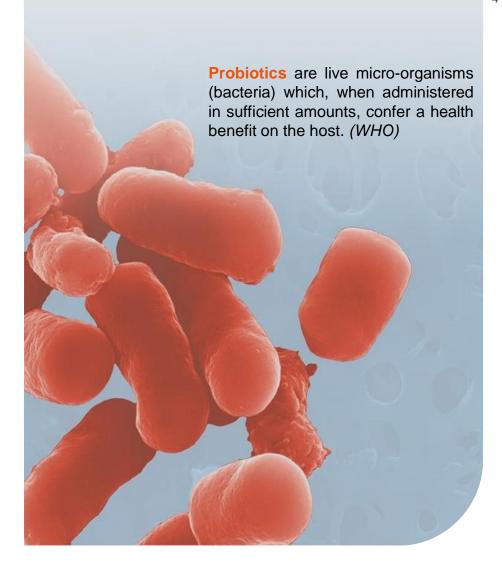
626 MSEK Net Sales 183 MSEK EBITDA



170 employees



4.500 MSEK Market Cap



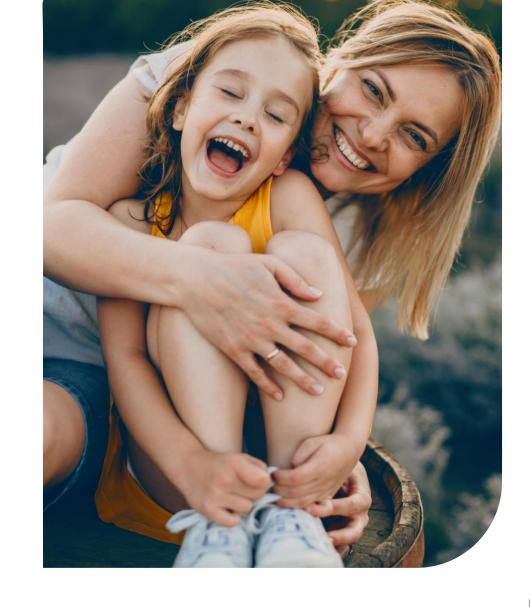




### Probiotics – A solution for better health

The efficacy of probiotics has been studied for decades.

A growing body of evidence, amassed both by Probi® and by the wider scientific community has proven probiotics beneficial effects in many different health areas.



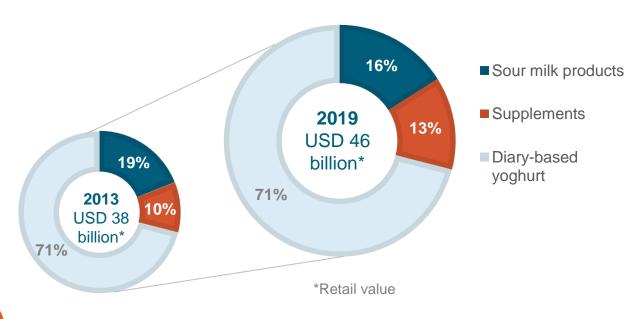


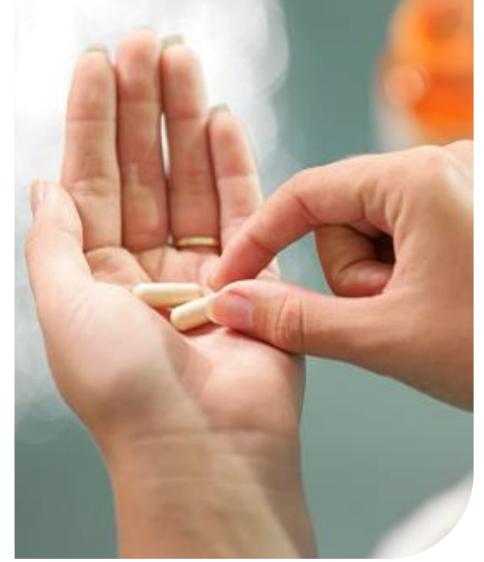


# A growing demand

Consumer demand for dietary supplements and functional food displayed strong growth in the past decade

The global probiotics market was estimated at \$46 Bn in 2019 – of which probiotic supplements was \$6 Bn (CAGR +8%)<sup>1</sup>







### Trends driving future probiotics market

#### Trends impacting probiotic demand



Scientific progress leading to new applications



Higher proportion of older people



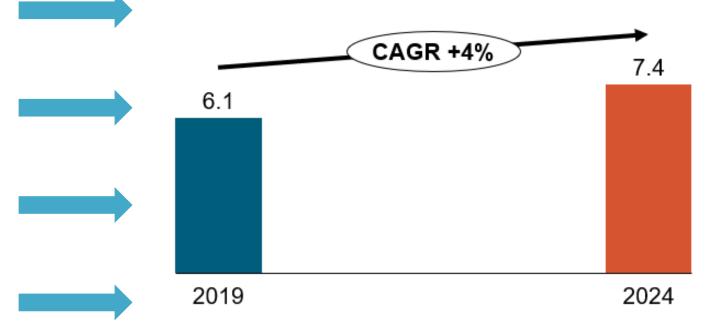
Higher living standards and interest in probiotics in new countries



**E-commerce growth** 

#### **Probiotics – Supplements**

Expected global growth 2019-2024 (USD bn consumer value)<sup>1</sup>







### **Probiotics market dynamics**

#### **AMERICAS**

- Highest worldwide spending on supplements per capita
- High consumer quality awareness supports demand for premium probiotics
- Increased market demand in connection with Covid-19 pandemic – longer term effects unclear

#### **EMEA**

- Large probiotic markets showing maturing growth while others indicate strong growth potential
- No EU-wide regulatory framework for probiotics
- Functional Food relatively large share of probiotic market
- Market growth driven by supplements

#### APAC

- China is the dominant market and is estimated to show strongest growth moving forward
- Increasing disposable income and demand for premium probiotics
- Certain damping effects on demand related to Covid-19, likely temporary







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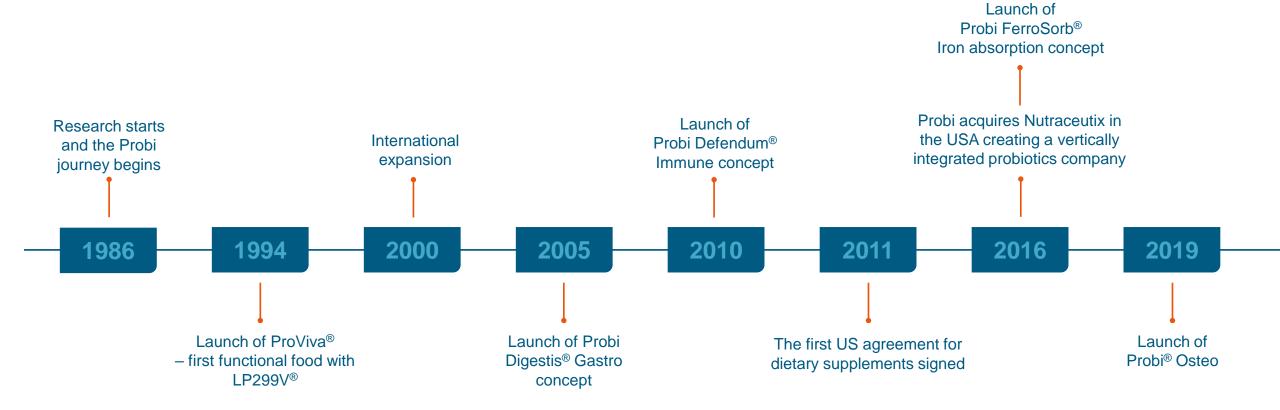


# We are probiotic pioneers

- The origins of Probi<sup>®</sup> is traced back to the late 1980s.
- Founded by a team of scientists from Lund University, Sweden, company founded in 1991
- Since then, Probi has taken the lead in identifying new strains of probiotics, backed by gold-standard research.
- More than 100 clinical trials carried out resulting in more than 270 scientific publications and more than 400 granted patents



# Probi step by step – milestones







# From ready-to-go probiotic concepts to custom probiotic end-to-end solutions

R&D	Manufacturing	B2B marketing	B2C marketing
Scientific research and development	Fermentation, formulation, packaging and distribution	Marketing and sales of probiotics to business to consumer customers and brand owners	Marketing and sales of products to consumers through various sales channels

- Wide portfolio of proven probiotic concepts in areas such as digestive and immune health
- Additional unique health positions including ironabsorption and bone health
- Solutions targeting specific consumer groups children, women and seniors

 Regardless of our customers needs, Probi provides tailor-made end-to-end solutions enabling business success







### Probiotics that meet our customers needs



#### Clinically proven and patented health concepts

Probi Digestis®

- supporting gastrointestinal health

Probi Defendum®

- supporting a balanced immune system

Probi FerroSorb®

- increasing iron uptake

Probi® Osteo

- maintain strong and healthy bones



#### Safe probiotics for use in customer applications

A selection of Probi LiveBac® strains and species:

Bifidobacterium bifidum

Lacticaseibacillus paracasei

Bifidobacterium infantis

Lactiplantibacillus plantarum

Bifidobacterium lactis

Limosilactobacillus reuteri

Bifidobacterium longum

Lacticaseibacillus rhamnosus





### **Application areas**







#### **Dietary supplements**

Supplements intended to enrich the normal diet













#### Food & beverages

Food ingredients that have positive health effects over and above the product's normal nutritional value





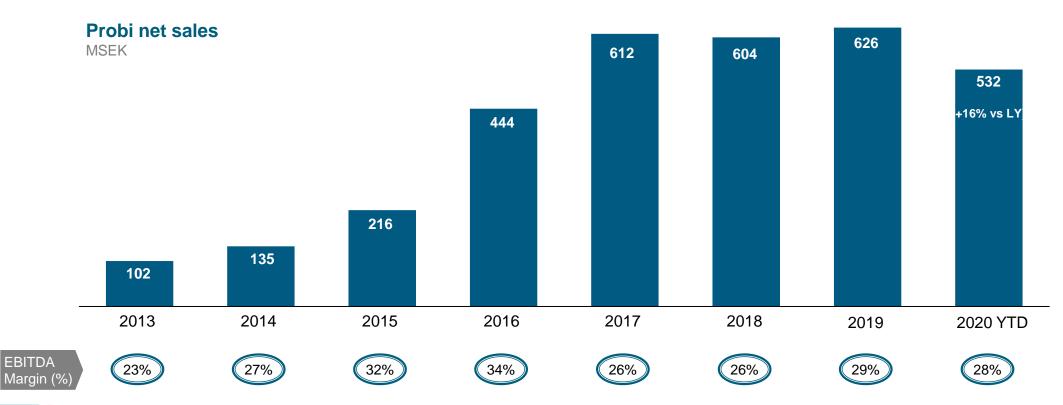




### Probi global footprint



# Getting back on a growth track









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### **Strong development in 2020**

- Generally limited impact of COVID-19 on Probi operations
- Net sales growth of +16% YTD
- EBITDA margin 28%
- Strong sales development in region Americas while weaker development in EMEA/APAC related to Covid-19 and other factors
- Manufacturing facility upgrade program well underway
- New partnerships initiated for product launches in 2021 and beyond
- Updated financial goals and dividend policy established
- New management team complete
- Strategic partnerships initiated with VivaPro and Vital Nutrients
  Holdings



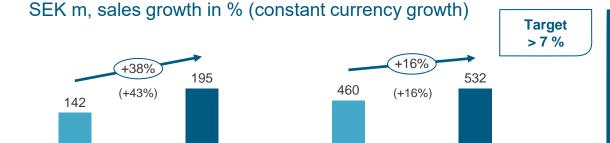




### Strong sales growth with good profitability in Q3

YTD 2020

#### **Net sales**



YTD 2019

#### **EBITDA** %

Q3 2019

Q3 2020



#### Highlights in the quarter

- Net sales (organic) growth by 38%
- Positive one-off effect in the quarter of SEK ~15 m from customer update program in region Americas
- Higher sales and product mix delivered good margin
- Higher OPEX in Q3 reflecting increased activity levels



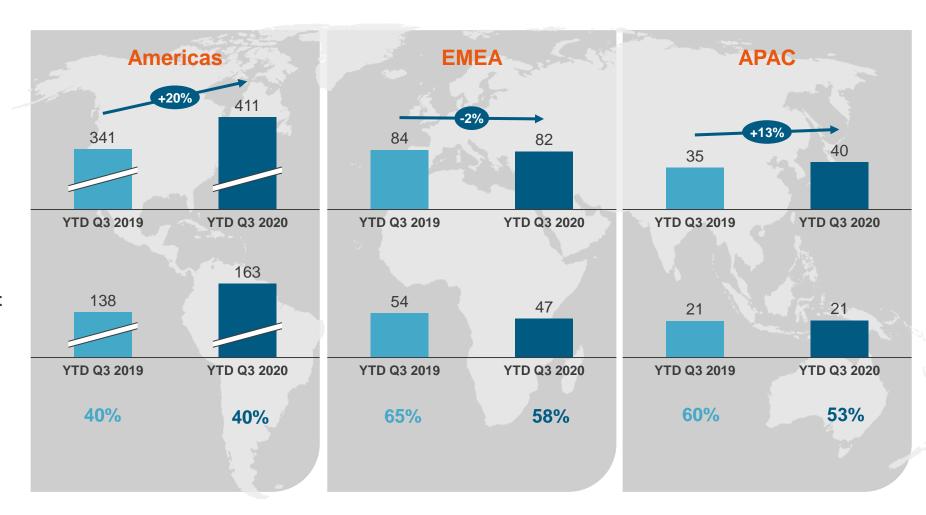


### **Net Sales and Gross Profit by region**



**Gross profit** SEK m

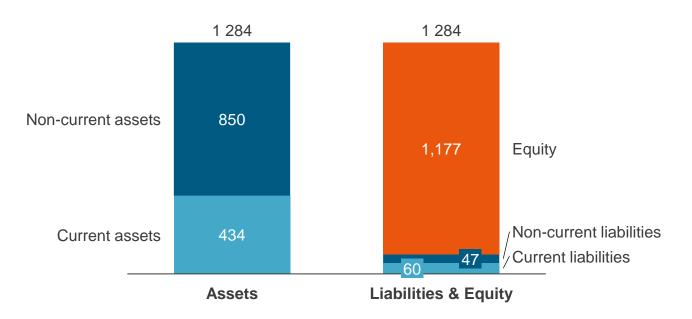
Gross margin





#### Solid balance sheet with no external loans

### Balance sheet as per September 30, 2020 SEK m



#### **Key aspects**

- Total equity of SEK 1 177 m
- No external loans
- Equity ratio 92%







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### Strategic focus

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**Doubled sales** 



#### Growth

- Stronger presence in growth markets
- Solidify position in premium probiotic segments
- Strategic partnerships
- Acquisitions



Lead the way in probiotic innovation and science



# Accelerate development of new products

- Expand range of clinically documented offerings
- Increase international collaborations
- Evaluate growth potential in probiotic related market segments



Manufacturing excellence



### More efficient manufacturing

- High quality production adapted to market needs
- New manufacturing capabilities in growth regions
- Gradually improved gross margins







Q&A

Thank you for your attention!





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