

## Group performance

	Q2 17/18	Q2 18/19	YTD 17/18	YTD 18/19
Income statement				
Revenue	263.7	283.7	518.2	553.2
Gross profit	140.9	155.1	274.6	303.0
EBITDA before special items	87.2	94.7	167.2	181.2
EBIT before special items	71.2	78.8	135.9	149.6
EBIT	71.2	78.3	135.9	148.6
Net financial items	(4.9)	(3.0)	(9.2)	(6.9)
Profit for the period	51.1	58.0	97.6	109.1

## Group growth drivers

	Q2 17/18	Q2 18/19	YTD 17/18	YTD 18/19
Organic growth	9%	8%	9%	9%
Volume/mix	7%	6%	7%	6%
Price	2%	2%	2%	3%
Currencies	-7%	0%	-6%	-2%
M&A	0%	0%	0%	0%
EUR growth	2%	8%	3%	7%

## Regional performance

	Q2 17/18	Q2 18/19	YTD 17/18	YTD 18/19
Cash flow and investments				
Operating cash flow	51.7	69.7	55.9	66.6
Investing cash flow	(21.8)	(30.1)	(45.0)	(69.3)
Free cash flow	29.9	39.6	10.9	(2.7)
Free cash flow b.s.i.a.	29.9	40.1	11.0	7.6
Acquisitions and sale of PPE	-	-	-	(9.3)

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Organic growth by region				
EMEA	9%	9%	7%	9%
NA	1%	5%	4%	5%
LATAM	14%	23%	15%	27%
APAC	22%	0%	21%	5%

## Financial position at February 28 Total assets 1,809.9 1,926.1 Invested capital 1,641.8 1,738.7 Net working capital 229.9 249.5 Equity 747.9 772.5 Net interest-bearing debt 732.7 785.0

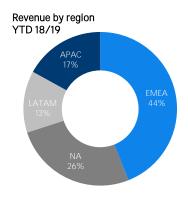
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Key ratios				·
Gross margin	53.4%	54.7%	53.0%	54.8%
EBITDA margin b.s.i.	33.1%	33.4%	32.3%	32.8%
EBIT margin b.s.i	27.0%	27.8%	26.2%	27.0%
EBIT margin	27.0%	27.6%	26.2%	26.9%
ROIC excl. goodwill	32.8%	33.3%	32.1%	32.8%
ROIC	17.4%	18.4%	16.9%	17.9%
NWC	21.3%	22.0%	21.3%	22.0%
R&D	7.4%	7.5%	7.6%	7.6%
Capex	8.3%	10.6%	8.7%	10.8%
Net debt to EBITDA b.s.i.			2.0x	2.0x

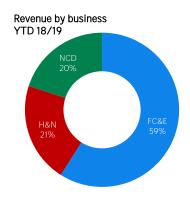
Business performance

YTD 17/18 YTD 18/19

	Q2 17/18	Q2 18/19	YTD 17/18	YTD 18/19
Food Cultures & Enzy				
Revenue	153.7	166.0	308.8	327.1
EUR growth	5%	8%	6%	6%
Organic growth	12%	11%	12%	10%
Volume/mix	10%	7%	10%	6%
EBIT	47.6	53.3	96.8	104.3
EBIT margin	31.0%	32.1%	31.3%	31.9%
ROIC excl. goodwill			39.7%	39.1%

	Q2 17/18	Q2 18/19	YTD 17/18	YTD 18/19
Health & Nutrition				
Revenue	57.2	62.5	105.5	118.1
EUR growth	-2%	9%	1%	12%
Organic growth	7%	6%	8%	11%
Volume/mix	6%	6%	8%	10%
EBIT	18.6	19.5	29.8	33.5
EBIT margin, %	32.5%	31.0%	28.2%	28.4%
ROIC excl. Goodwill, %	)		24.6%	25.3%





	Q2 17/18	Q2 18/19	YTD 17/18	YTD 18/19
Natural Colors				
Revenue	52.8	55.2	103.9	108.0
EUR growth	-3%	4%	-2%	4%
Organic growth	4%	5%	4%	5%
Volume/mix	2%	6%	2%	5%
EBIT	5.0	6.0	9.3	11.8
EBIT margin	9.5%	11.0%	8.9%	10.9%
ROIC excl. goodwill			15.9%	19.4%