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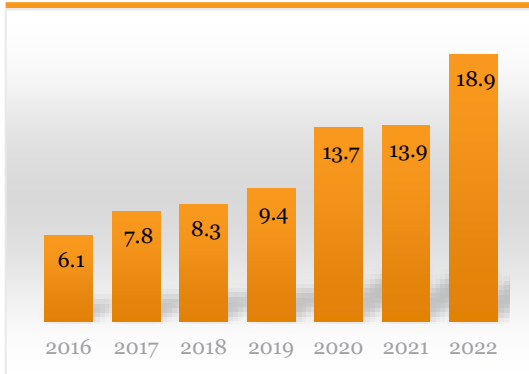
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Half Year Progress – Revenue, Gross Margin and Adjusted EBITDA

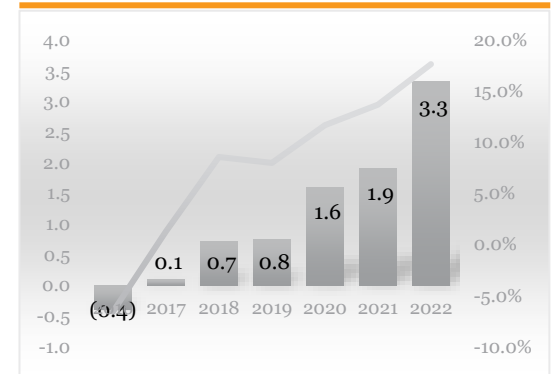
Group Revenue £'m
(excl. HSG impact)



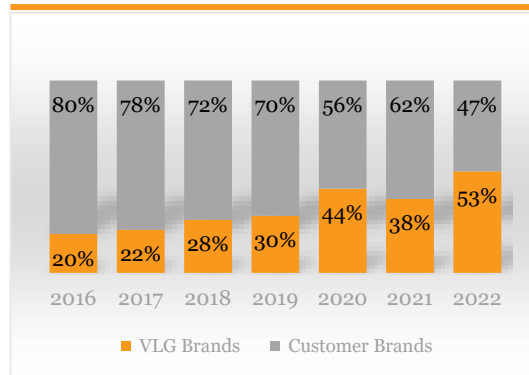
Gross Margin £'m / %
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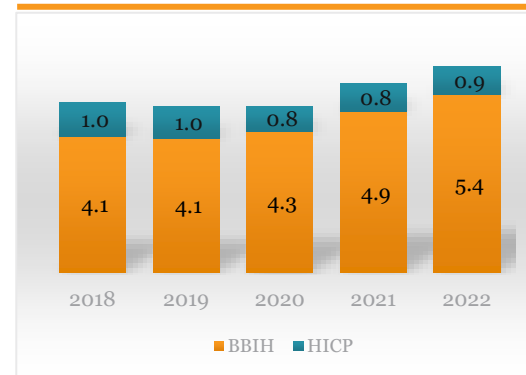
Adj EBITDA¹ £'m / %
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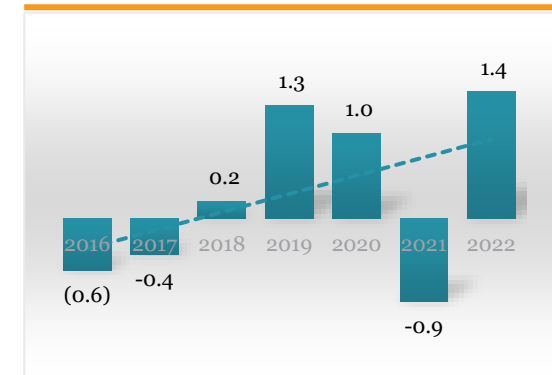
Revenue Mix %



Acquisition Performance £'m
(H1 Revenue pro-forma)



Cash Generation £'m
(from operating activities)



(1) Before exceptional items and share based payments

Flavour of *H1 2022*

- Positive impact of 2021 acquisitions being felt and very visible, **gross margin improvement** driven by accretive M&A;
- Delivering increased levels of EBITDA margin and cash generation
- **Strong order book**, comfortably ahead of the same time previous year (like for like)
- Multiple organic **revenue growth opportunities in the portfolio**, for further future growth in UK and overseas
- **Value from new Chinese partner** still to be realised, re-opening of Shanghai expected to unlock potential but challenges remain with continued lockdowns
- Significant spare operating capacity remains, **and scalable further**
- Pipeline of potential M&A opportunities with **significant resource** (RCF) available to utilize
- Supply chain strategies in place to protect gross margin and fulfil demand through difficult trading conditions



Mergers & Acquisitions Update

Recent Acquisitions *Performance*¹

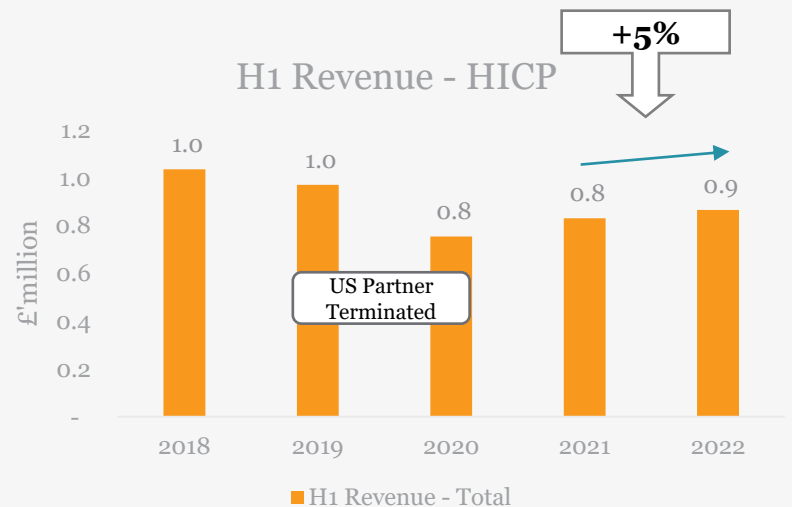
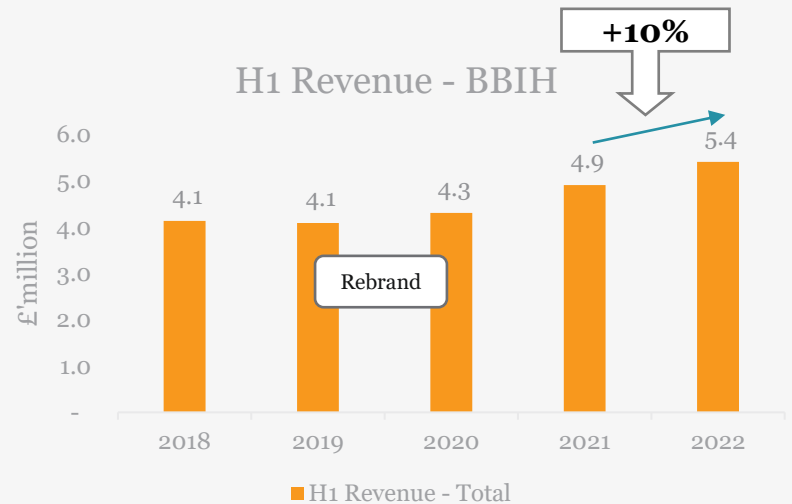
BBIH Acquired June 2021

- Overall organic growth H1 2022 of **£0.5 million / 10%**
- Significant growth of Lift **+42%**, driven from UK / Ireland
- Balance Activ underlying growth **+5%** (excl. impact from Russia and fertility gel)
- **New opportunities unlocked** in Europe & South America, driving second half revenues growth, **strong visibility**

HICP Acquired August 2021

- First half revenue growth of **£0.1 million / 5%**
- International opportunities at advanced stage discussion (USA, Brazil, Canada)

(1) Revenue comparatives presented on a pr-forma basis

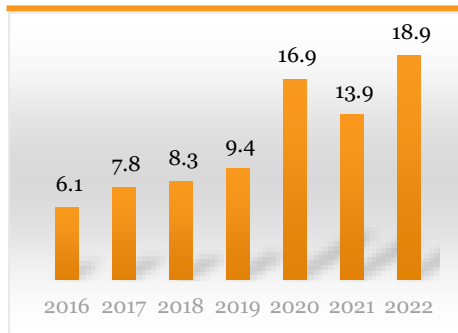




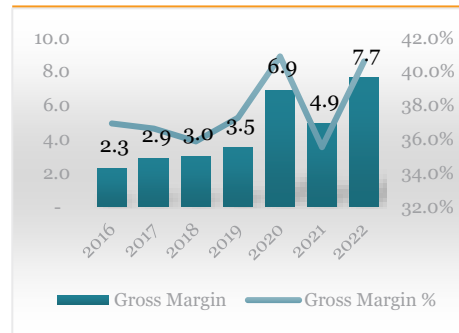
Financial Overview

Financial Highlights – H1 2022

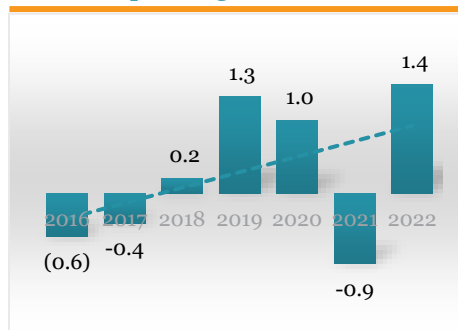
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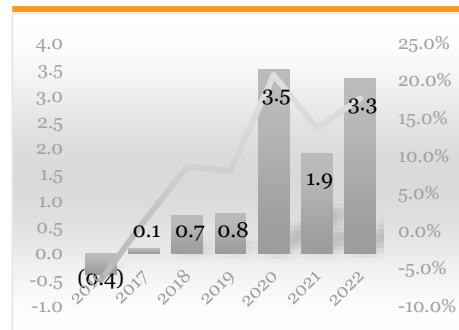
Gross Margin £'m / %



Cash Generation £'m (from operating activities)



Adj EBITDA¹ £'m / %

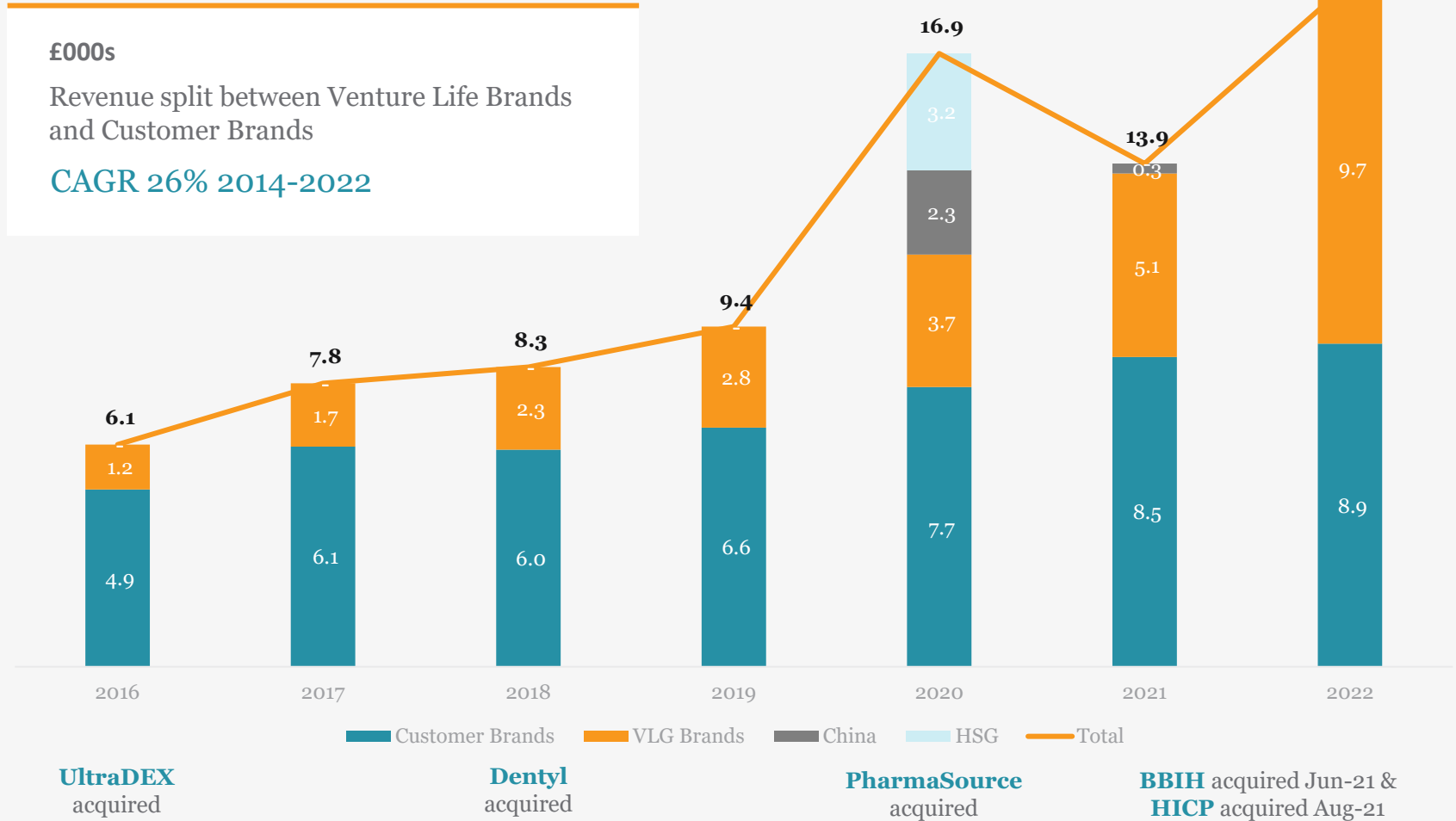


- Revenue growth of **36%** to £18.9 million (2021: £13.9 million)
- Gross Margin improvement of **5.0ppts** to 40.6% (2021: 35.6%)
- Adjusted EBITDA¹ growth of **71%** to £3.3 million (2021: £1.9 million)
- Adjusted EBITDA margin of **17.6%** (2021: 14.0%)
- Adjusted earnings per share² of **1.43p** (2021: 0.83p)
- Operating profit improvement to **£0.4 million** (2021: loss of £0.2 million)
- Net cash generated from operating activities of **£1.4 million** (2021: outflow £(0.9) million)

(1) Before exceptional items and share based payments
 (2) Adjusted earnings per share is profit after tax excluding amortisation, exceptional items and share based payments

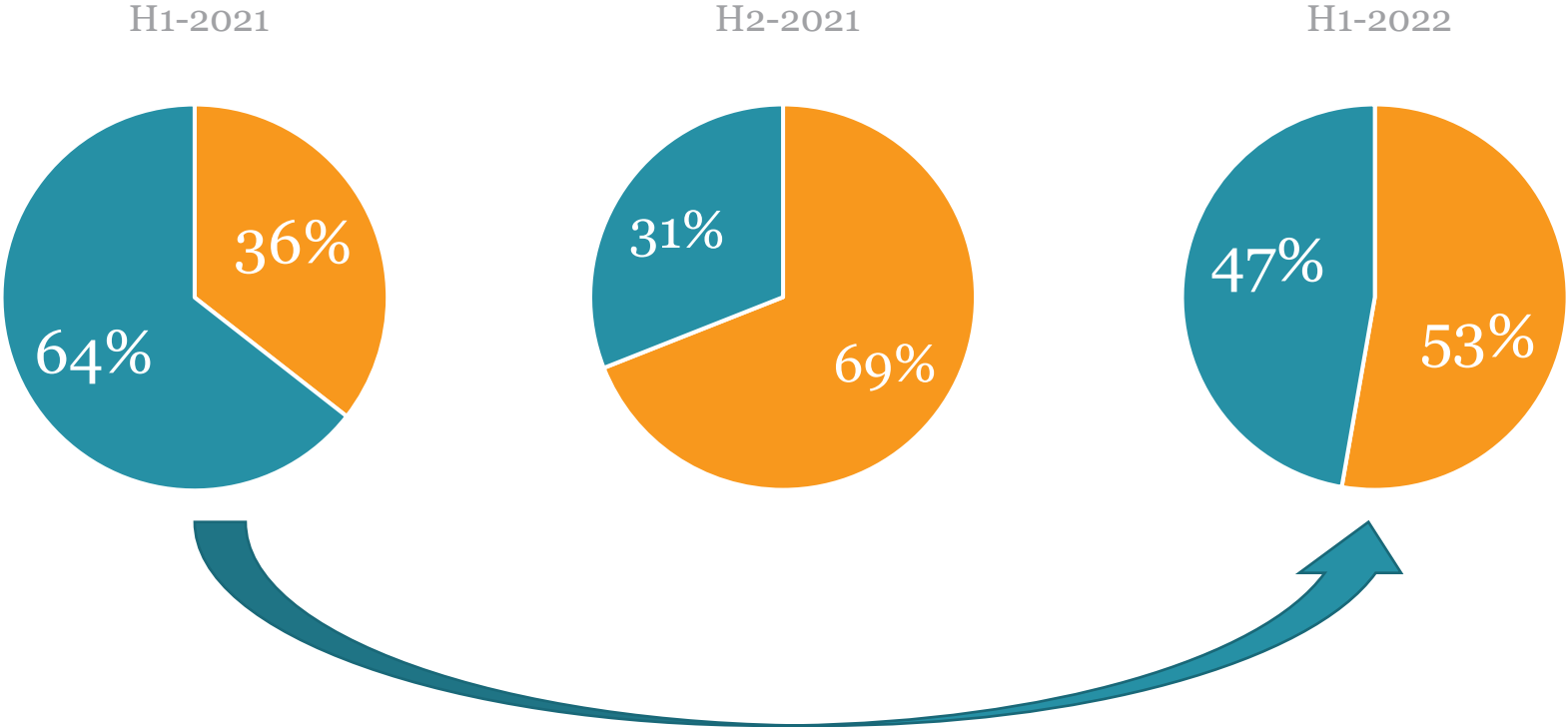
Revenues *H1 2022*

Revenues increased **36%** vs H1 2021 (on a reported basis)



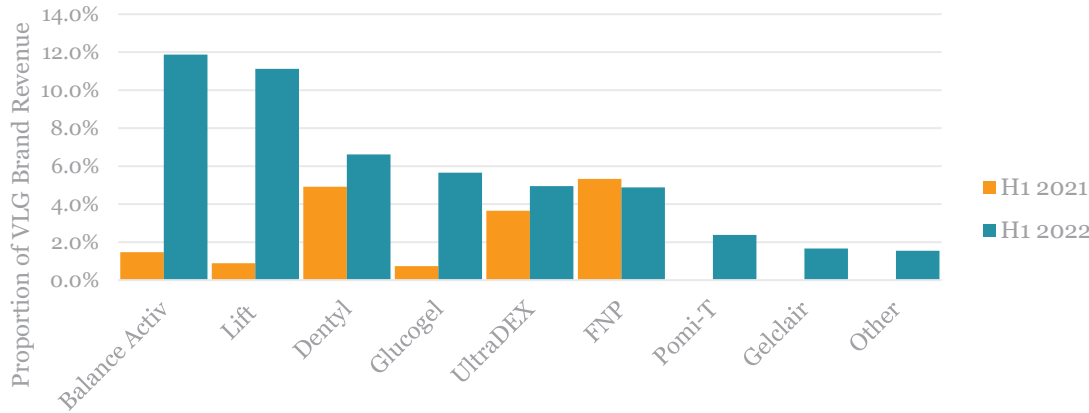
Product portfolio - *VLG brands significantly increased year on year*

Revenue split between VLG and Customer Brands:



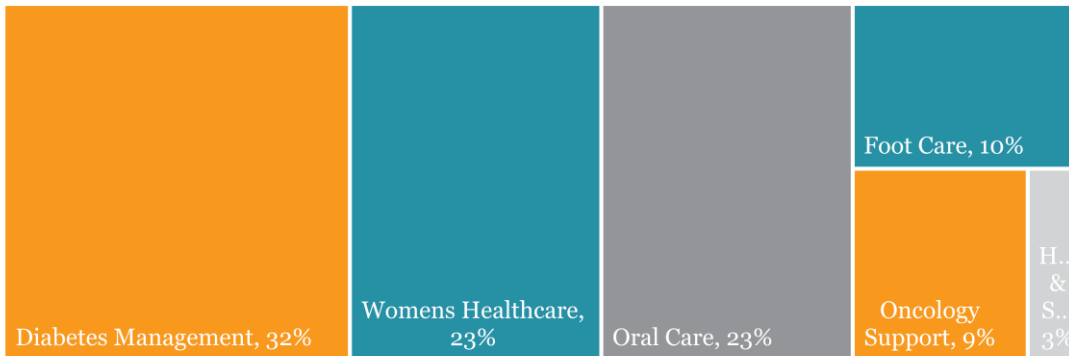
Product portfolio - *VLG Brands Overview*

VLG Brands Contribution %



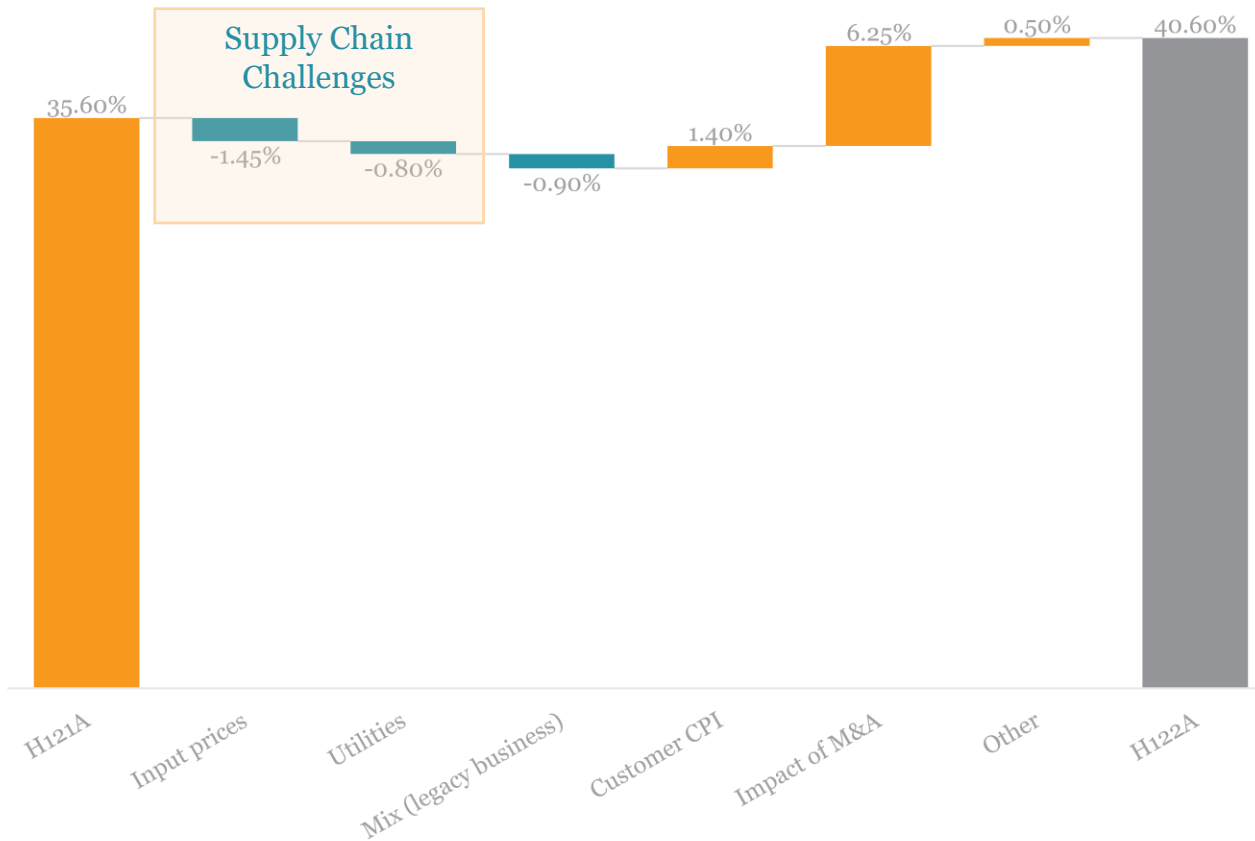
- Long standing Group expertise in oral care and skincare and recent additions of key brands in women’s health, diabetes and oncology support through acquisition
- Establishing our own brands in key areas – concise portfolio
- Continued focus products registered as Medical Devices and Cosmetics
- Continued utilisation of our R&D capabilities

H1-22 Revenue by Therapy Area



H1 2022 *Gross margin %*

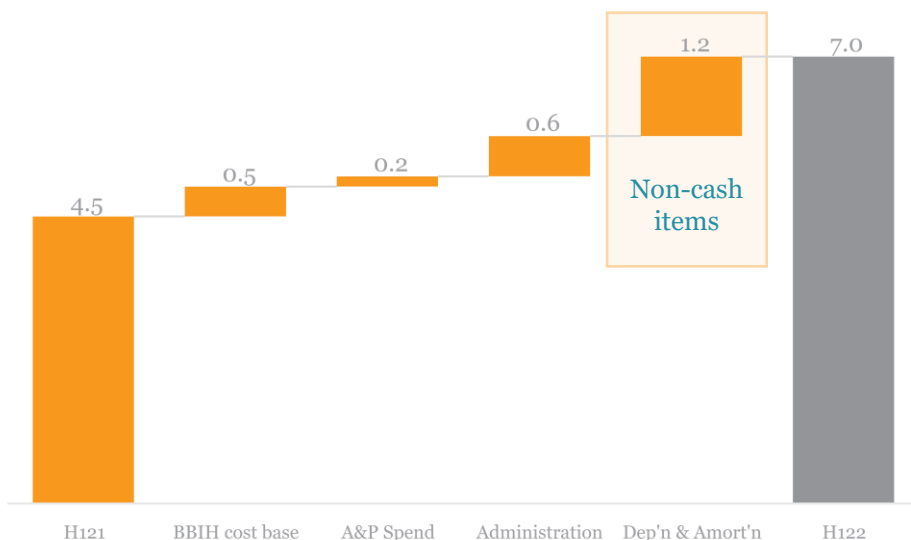
Gross Margin H1 21 – H1 22



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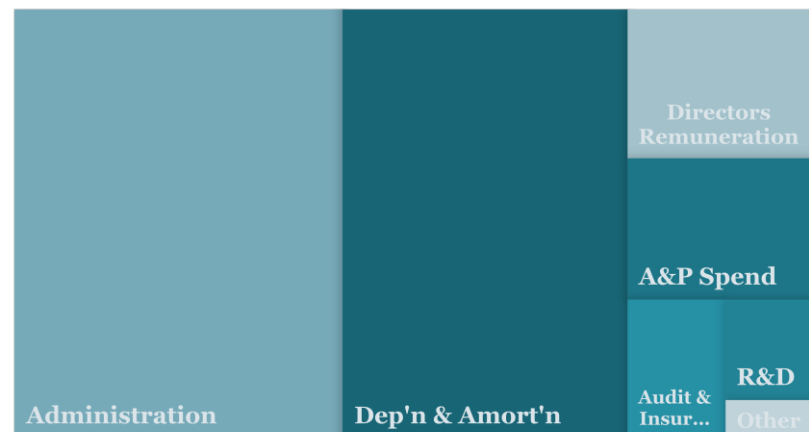
1. Overall Gross margin improvement of **5.0%** between 2021 and 2022
2. Anticipated supply chain challenges adversely impacted H1-22 by **2.5ppts**
3. Mix impact of **0.9ppts** from legacy brand revenues which were weighted towards customer brands
4. Partial mitigation through CPI of **1.4ppts to date** which continues in H2 2022 (further CPI to be done if req'd)
5. Growth from recent M&A driving significant improvement of **6.3ppts**
6. Other improvements relate to warehousing efficiencies

H1 2022 *Administrative expenses*



Comments:

- Overall administrative expenses increased **£2.5m** between 2021 and 2022
- The main contributors were:
 - **£0.5m** from inclusion of the BBI Healthcare operation
 - **£1.2m** additional non-cash costs of amortisation and depreciation
 - **£0.6m** investment in administration (commercial team, IT infrastructure, supply chain)



2022 *profit and loss account*

£ million	2022	2021	Change
Revenue	18.9	13.9	+36.0%
Gross Profit	7.7	4.9	+55.0%
Gross Margin	40.6%	35.6%	+5.0ppts
Administrative Expenses (excl. dep'n, amortization and SBP)	4.4	3.3	+33.3%
Adjusted EBITDA ¹	3.3	1.9	+71.4%
Adjusted EBITDA ¹ as % Revenue	17.6%	14.0%	+3.6ppts
Depreciation & Amortization	2.5	1.2	208%
Exceptional Costs	0.3	0.7	-0.4
Operating Profit	0.4	(0.2)	+0.6
Profit / (loss) before Tax	(0.2)	-	-0.2
Profit / (loss) after Tax	(0.2)	(0.5)	+0.3

Comments:

- 1) Significant revenue, gross margin & Adj. EBITDA growth
- 2) Improvement in gross margin and Adj. EBITDA percentages
- 3) Administrative increase reflects inclusion of BBIH cost base full year impact plus investment in teams (headcount)
- 4) Dep'n & Amort'n increased charges due to prior year M&A
- 5) Exceptional costs reduction (costs relate to prior year M&A warranties, final integration and associated restructure)
- 6) Return to operating profit and improved PAT (using deferred tax asset)

(1) Before exceptional items and share based payments

Balance sheet *30 June 2022*

£ million	June 2022	June 2021	Movement
Intangible non-current assets	64.3	61.7	+2.6
Tangible non-current assets	9.7	10.6	-0.9
Deferred tax asset	2.5	-	+2.1
Cash	5.4	7.8	-2.4
Inventory	11.5	9.8	+1.7
Other current assets	12.6	10.1	+2.5
Total assets	106.0	100.1	+5.5
Interest bearing debt	(8.5)	(9.2)	-0.7
Finance Leases	(4.5)	(4.7)	-0.2
Other liabilities	(19.0)	(15.7)	+3.3
Total equity	74.0	70.6	+3.4
Net debt (excl. Finance Leases)	(3.1)	(1.3)	+1.8
Net debt (incl. Finance Leases)	(7.6)	(6.0)	+1.6

Comments:

- 1) Intangibles increase driven by acquisition of HICP (Aug-21)
- 2) Tangibles reduction reflects dep'n and FX from Gnesta plant
- 3) DT asset recognised in H2-21 due to ability to utilise UK tax losses against newly acquired profit making entities
- 4) Other current assets increase reflected inventory build and strong H1 customer billing
- 5) Other liabilities increase included deferred consideration on HICP acquisition
- 6) Net debt increase due to first stage payment of HICP acquired Aug-21 using RCF



Commercial highlights

Women's Intimate Healthcare & Diabetes

H1 2022 highlights

- +10%/+£0.5m growth in H1 22 to £5.4m (FY20: £4.9m) of 'ex-BBI business'

UK Market

- **Lift** driving growth across most channels
 - Increased usage post COVID
 - New partner in Ireland
- **Balance Activ** – increased distribution in major grocery retailer - all other retail accounts stable

International Markets

- Bayer – 3 new market launches and strong H2 order book, including Brazil
- ORION and SPD – lost revenue
- Balance Activ launched on Amazon/Germany – gaining traction

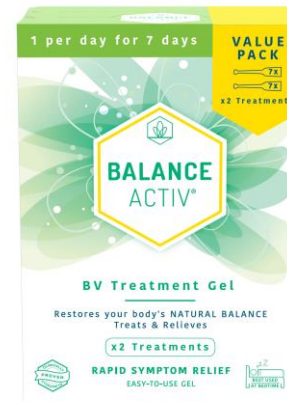
Post period end

- Leading retailer launch of Balance Activ NPD into UK market
- Balance Activ five year distribution agreement signed in Austria



Amazon's Choice

✓ 1,078 ratings



Oral Care brands

H1 2022 highlights

- **-8%/-£0.2m** decrease in total oral care brands to £2.2m in H1 22 (H1 21: £2.4m) due to sluggish market

UK - Dentyl

- Difficult market conditions – mouthwash market in decline
- Implemented a 14% CPI without losing distribution
- Retail expansion – new discounters launching
- Amazon multi-packs launched

UK - UltraDEX

- Recovery underway with increased usage post COVID
- Defended space & distribution across all accounts

International markets

- China – launch delayed by 3 months due to widespread lockdowns in H1

Post period end

- Leading retailer expected to launch Q4 – both Dentyl and UltraDEX



International business

H1 2022 highlights

Oncology Support

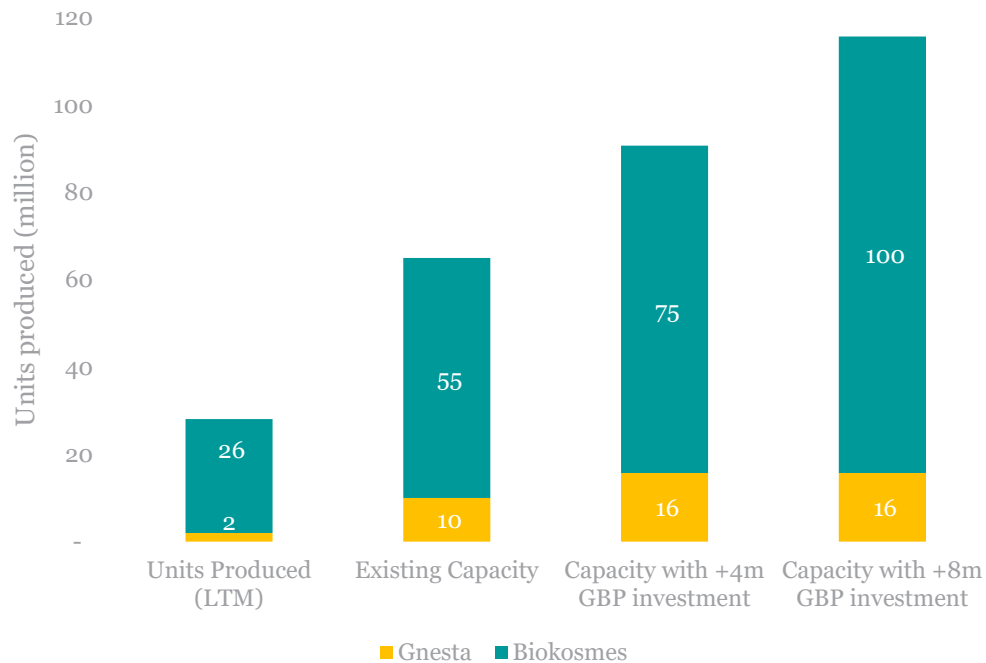
- +5%/£0.05m increase in H1 22 to £0.9m (FY20: £0.8m)
- Pomi-T – now partnered in Germany, The Netherlands & Singapore
- Good interest in Gelclair in USA, Brazil and Canada – advanced discussions ongoing

Customer Brands Business

- 3%/+£0.6m increase in H1 22 to £8.8m (H1 21: £8.2m)
 - Good performance with key existing partners
 - New business gaining good traction – Alfasigma, Accord
 - Leveraging opportunities where other 3rd party manufacturers have failed to deliver



VLG's Manufacturing *Scalability*



Item	Group
Units produced LTM	28m units
Existing capacity	65m units
Utilisation (% of capacity)	43.1%
Capacity with £4.0m capex investment	91m units
Capacity with further £8.0m capex investment	116m units



Sustainable Life – *to be a Trusted, Responsible and Sustainable Business*

Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

- The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, was adopted by all United Nations Member States in 2015, and provides a shared blueprint for peace and prosperity for people and the planet, now and in the future
- We believe the 17 SDGs is a clear framework for creating an effective ESG strategy and our commitments will therefore be aligned against the relevant SDGs.



Sustainable Life - Our 5 Step Approach

1. **ESG Leadership Team** - formed from a diverse and accurate representation of our stakeholders
2. **Stakeholder Consultation** - consult with our stakeholders to understand the expectations of us, in being a trusted, responsible, and sustainable business
3. **Priority Goals** - following stakeholder consultation, identify our priority goals and ensure alignment to the SDGs
4. **Measurement method** - the key to our ESG success will be creating clear baselines and a transparent measure of progress against each of our goals
5. **Reporting** - regular reporting and transparency of progress to our stakeholders

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Next steps & target timelines:

- Agree KPIs for measuring progress against each of the priority SDGs – December 2022
- Establish baseline measures for KPI's – March 2023
- Achieve Bcorp status - by end December 2023
- Report against KPI's – every 6 months at results presentations



ESG progress 2022

1. **Achievement of Bronze Sustainability Rating** – from Ecovadis for Biokosmes Srl
2. **Stakeholder Consultation** - with our key stakeholders was undertaken Q2 2022



Priority SDGs

SDG 3 – Good health and wellbeing

- Supporting our colleagues and consumers to lead healthier lives

SDG 7 – Affordable & clean energy

- Progressing towards sourcing more of our energy from renewable resources

SDG 8 – Decent work and economic growth

- Helping our colleagues to succeed by providing support, flexibility and rewards to help them grow

SDG 9 – Industry innovation and infrastructure

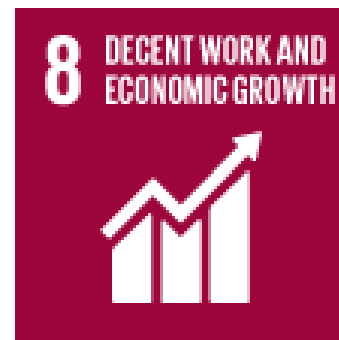
- Investing in innovation and technology to further support our drive to sustainability

SDG 12 – Responsible consumption & production

- Ambition to reduce waste and increase recycling and recyclability of products

SDG 13 – Climate action

- Reduce our carbon emissions



Continued growth in a challenging year

H1 Highlights

- Legacy business overall flat in H1, revenues **weighted much more to H2**
- Acquired businesses in **growth +9.5%**
- Gross margin improved **5 percentage points** vs H1 2021 due to acquired brands and margin protection
- Supply chain pressures remain **but not worsening**
- Good operating cash conversion, **but significant inventory investment to protect customer supply**
- Strong order book compared to same time last year

H2 Outlook

- Legacy business revenues **weighted much more to H2**
- High visibility of H2 revenue **through strong order book**
- Careful supply chain and margin pressure management **will continue**
- Close supply chain management **to protect margin**
- Inventory will remain high to ensure customer supply **to protect margin**
- Good operating cash conversion, **but significant inventory investment to protect customer supply**
- On target to **deliver market expectations for 2022**

Appendices

Net Cash position *remains stable*

£'million	June 2022	December 2021	June 2021	Comments
Italian term loans	-	-	5.0	Repaid in full during 2021 pursuant to the revolving credit facility
Revolving Credit Facility (RCF)	8.5	8.5	3.5	Maintained to support inventory build of £2.5m since 31/12/21
Invoice financing	-	-	0.7	Repaid in full during 2021 pursuant to the revolving credit facility
Cash	5.4	5.2	7.8	Optimal level to support operations in multiple geographies
Net Cash / (Debt)	(3.1)	(3.2)	(1.3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Net cash improvement of £0.1m since year end • Net debt at 30 June 2022 reflects inventory build of £2.5m since y/e.
Finance lease obligations	4.5	4.2	4.7	Increase at June 2022 due to extension of UK warehousing agreement

VLG loan position *30 June 2022*

	Loan €'million	Balance €'million	Planned Full Repayment	Interest rate
RIBA	2.5	nil	On demand	<1%
	Loan £'million	Balance £'million	Planned Full Repayment	Interest rate
RCF Santander Bank	15.0	4,26	18/06/24	SONIA + 2.5%
RCF Silicon Valley Bank	15.0	4.26	18/06/24	SONIA + 2.5%

Shareholder register 30 June 2022

Major Shareholders

The percentage of shares that are not in public hands is 21.4%.

Shareholder	Number of shares held	% issued share capital
Slater Investments	19,621,431	15.51%
J O Hambro Capital Management Limited	11,000,000	8.70%
River & Mercantile Asset Management LLP	10,385,695	8.21%
Hargreaves Lansdown, stockbrokers (EO)	9,598,603	7.59%
BGF	9,581,824	7.57%
Stonehage Fleming	7,433,893	5.88%
Directors	7,398,511	5.85%
Chelverton Asset Management	7,030,442	5.66%
Interactive Investor (EO)	5,889,779	4.66%
Close Brothers Asset Management	5,580,906	4.41%