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Valsoia at a glance



COMPANY

Valsoia is the pioneer for non-dairy, plant-based products in the Italian market.

MISSION

Valsoia's mission is to provide **healthy, functional, nutritionally-balanced** products that are **tasty and enjoyable**, drawing on traditional Italian expertise and culinary culture. Valsoia's **from-breakfast-to-dinner** range.

BRANDS















FIGURES





Over 7 million families



9 product categories



€82.3m turnover in FY 2018



R&D for Product innovation

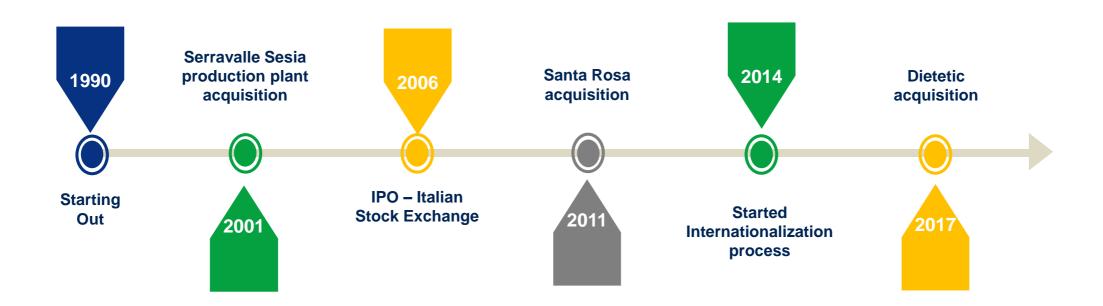
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History



Founded in 1990 by neurologist Lorenzo Sassoli and listed on the Italian stock market since 2006.

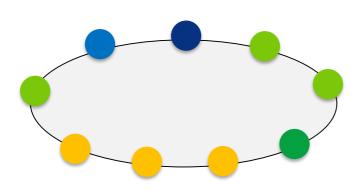
Today Valsoia is expanding in the domestic and international markets, through product innovation and acquisitions



Governance



Board of Directors



Lorenzo Sassoli

Chairman

Furio Burnelli

Deputy Chairman

Ruggero Ariotti

Deputy Chairman

Cesare Doria de Zuliani

Honorary Chairman

Andrea Panzani

Chief Executive Officer

Susanna Zucchelli

Independent Director

Francesca Postacchini

Independent Director

Camilla Chiusoli

Independent Director

Gregorio Sassoli

Director

Top Management



Chairman Lorenzo Sassoli

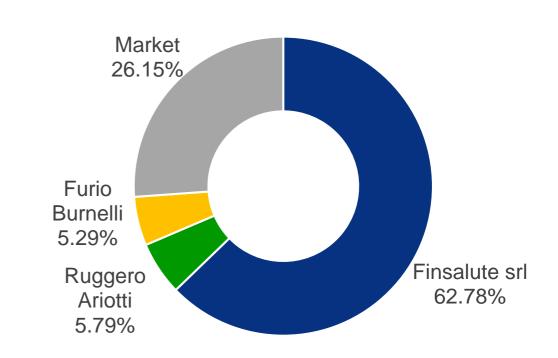


CEO Andrea Panzani



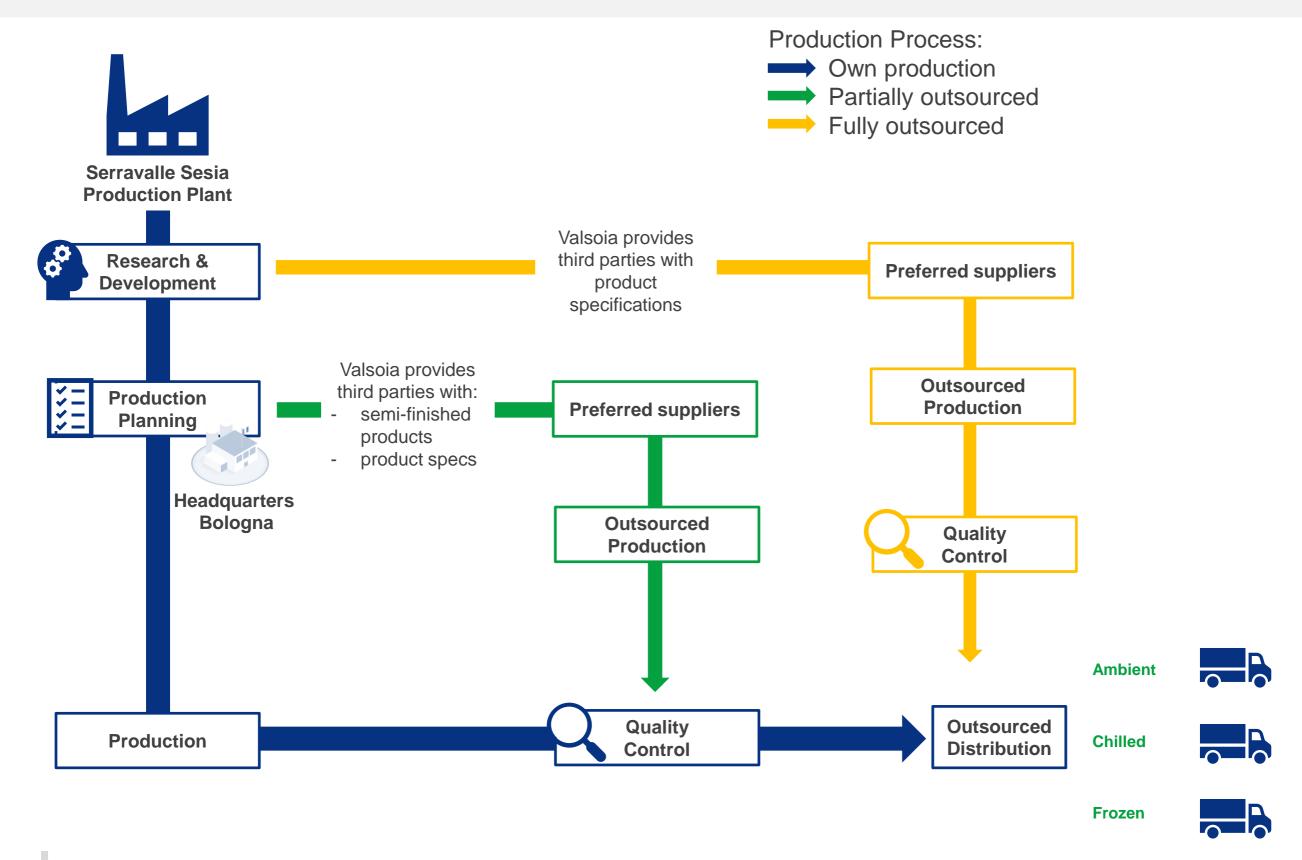
CFO Nicola Mastacchi

Shareholder Structure as at May 2018



Business Operation Model





Products



Revenues Breakdown 9M 2019



Healthy products

- The healthy products segment corresponds to Valsoia Bontà e Salute, Vitasoya and Naturattiva.
- It accounts for about 60% of sales

Food

- Our food segment products include Santa Rosa, Diete.Tic, and Weetabix distribution
- Food products account for 27% of sales

Healthy products





Valsoia Bontà & Salute offers a wide variety of tasty, natural and healthy products. Valsoia's from-breakfast-to-dinner offer is ideal for every age group

Non-dairy drink

Non-dairy yogurt

Non-dairy Ice cream

Non-dairy dessert

Non-dairy cheese

Meat Alternatives

















Vegan meals And pizza Non-dairy spread

Vegan snacks

Vegan dressing

Others













Other Brands



High quality soyadrink



Organic products

Food Segment & Other





Santa Rosa, purchased in 2011, is a historic brand in the Italian food tradition, offers high quality standard jams, choosing only the highest quality fruit through strict purchasing specifications.





Diete.Tic, purchased in 2017, is a liquid sweetener, sugar substitute, with a unique and patented process. Completely calorie-free, it does not alter the taste of food or drinks and is highly soluble.





Valsoia distributes
Weetabix in Italy. A
range of whole grains
for a wellness
breakfast. Produced by
the Weetabix Food
Company. They are
unique, loved and
appreciated all over
the world.





Valsoia is the brand licensee for BlueNyx. It is a dietary supplement with an exclusive MGTS 3 ACTION formula that promotes the natural and regenerating path of one's sleep. Thanks to the presence of vitamins and mineral salts, it contributes positively to the energy metabolism, to reduce the sense of tiredness and to maintain the functionality of the immune system.





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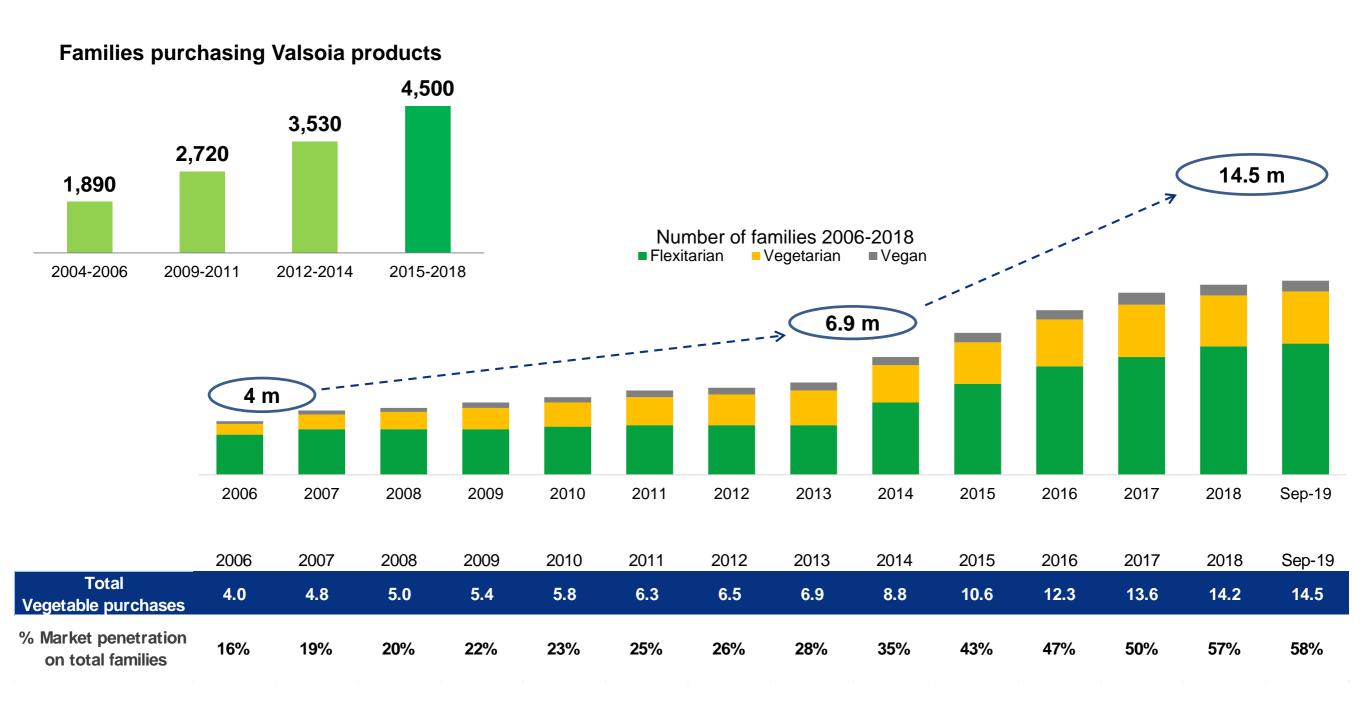
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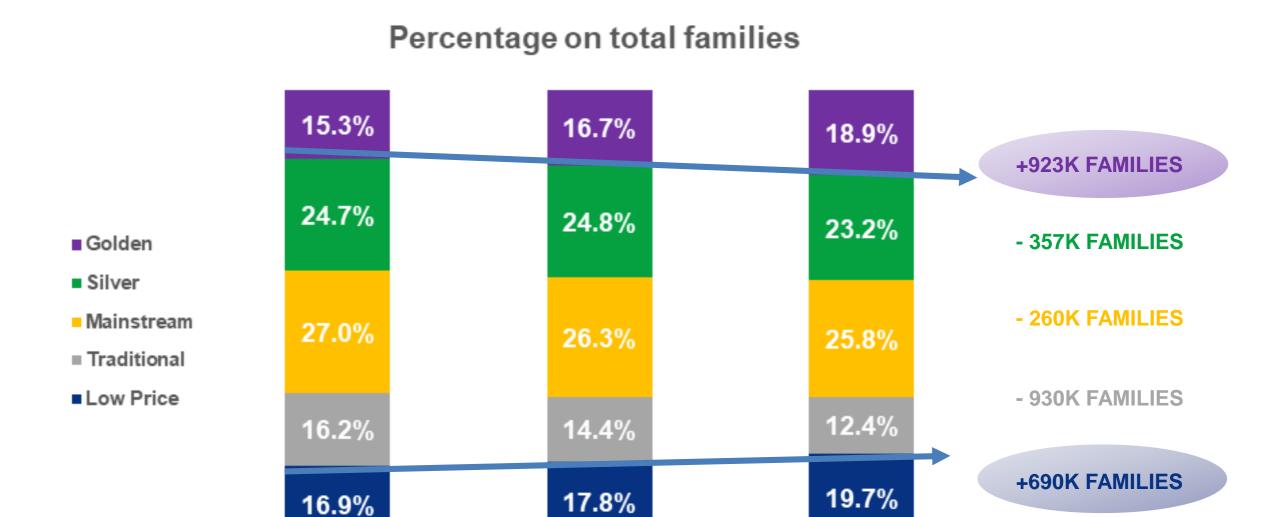
Non-dairy and plant-based alternatives market trend and number of families





The polarization of preferences: Favorable to the target of plant-based product markets





Purchase habits are changing, customers preferences are polarizing on the higher and lower range of price. It means that **Valsoia's target segment is growing** through the years.

2017

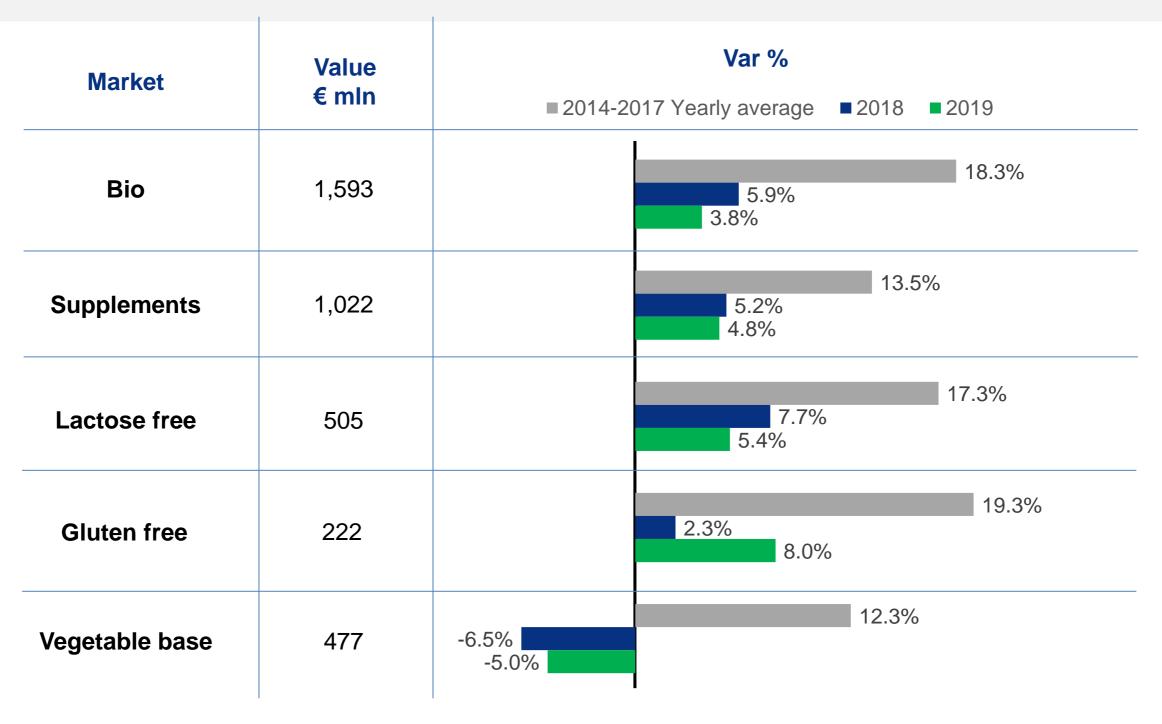
2018

"Golden consumers" are the most likely to spend on healthy eating habits.

2016

Italy healthy food consumer trends (Sell out value)



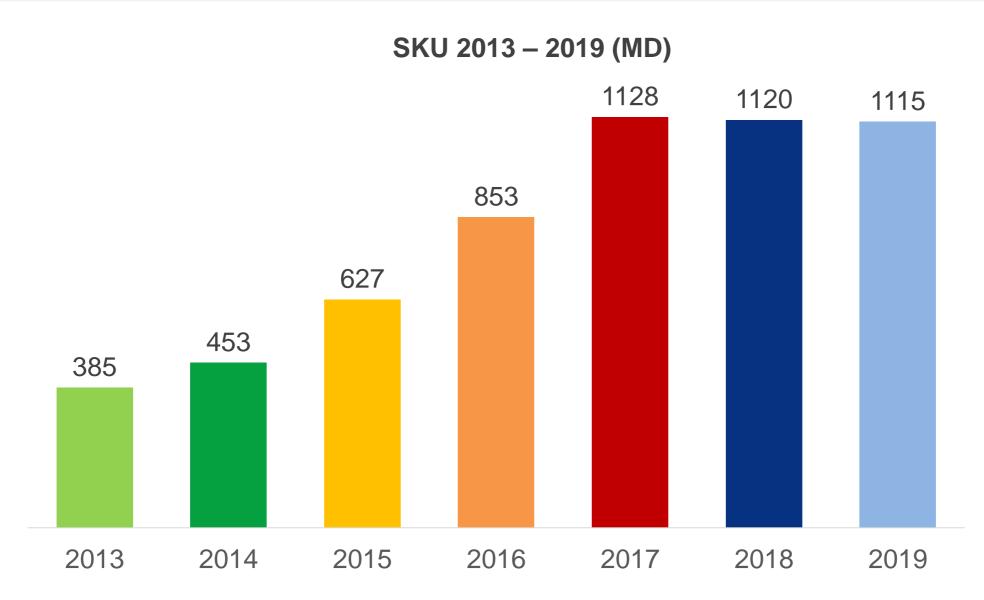


The trend setters that have characterized growth in recent years are slowing down their dynamism and, in some cases, they are marking the pace

Market Source: IRI

Italian plant-based alternatives shelves: Overcrowded





The market is becoming increasingly competitive with a growing number of SKU's on shelves leading to a risk of overcrowding. Starting in 2018 a small dip can be identified with the beginnings of a rationalization process

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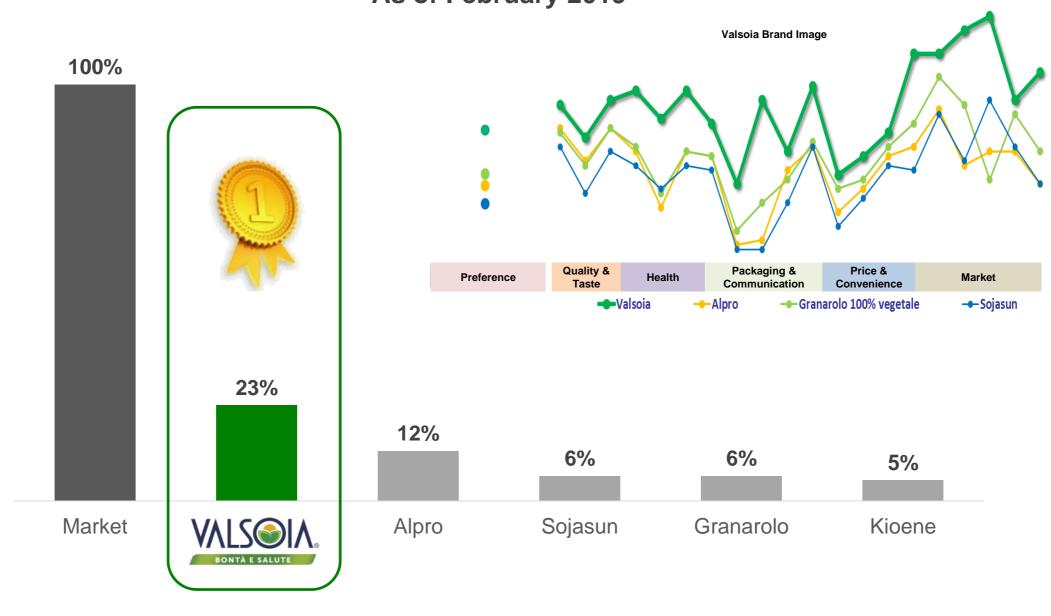
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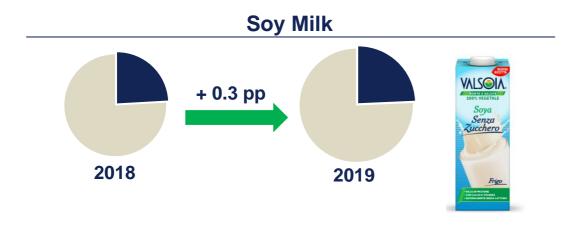
Plant-based products Market share in Italy As of February 2019

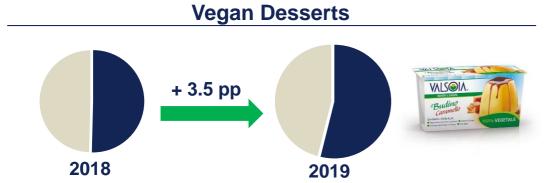


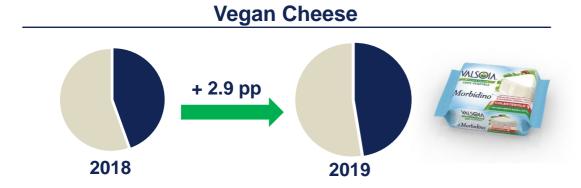
Valsoia continues to hold the largest market share in Italy.

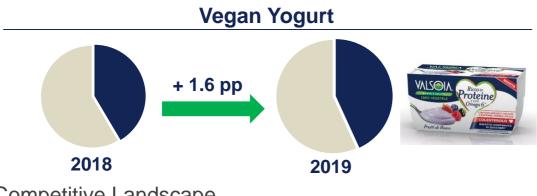
Market Shares

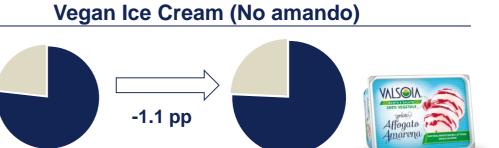




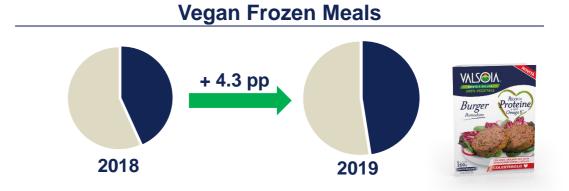


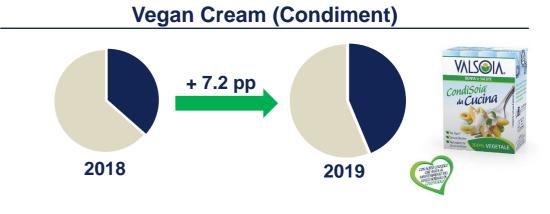


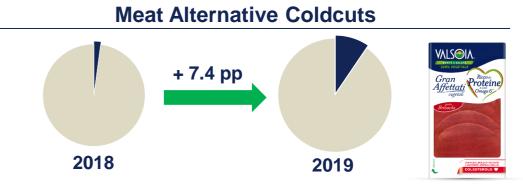




2019







2018

Reputation Institute Analysis (1/3)



The **Reputation Institute** analysis is based on:

- An annual study since 2006
- A sample of 30,000 subjects in Italy
- The perimeter studied regards 388 companies operating in Italy

7 rational dimensions explain reputation and tell you where to focus your actions

1. Products/Services

Offers high quality products and services, which are excellent and reliable

2. Innovation

Is an innovative company, offers innovative products/services or is innovative in the way it acts

3. Workplace

Has an attractive workplace, offers equal opportunities, fairly rewards its employees

4. Governance

Is fair in the way it operates, behaves ethically, is open and transparent

5. <u>Citizenship</u>

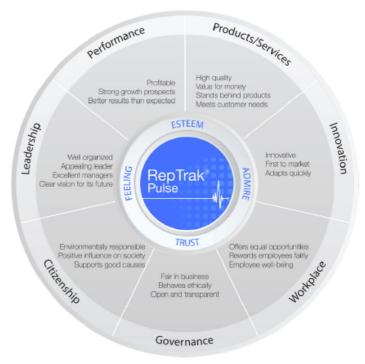
Has a positive influence on society, support good causes and protect the environment

6. <u>Leadership</u>

Has a strong leadership, has a clear vision of its future, is a well organized company

7. Performance

Deliver better than expected financial results, is a profitable company, shows strong prospects for future growth

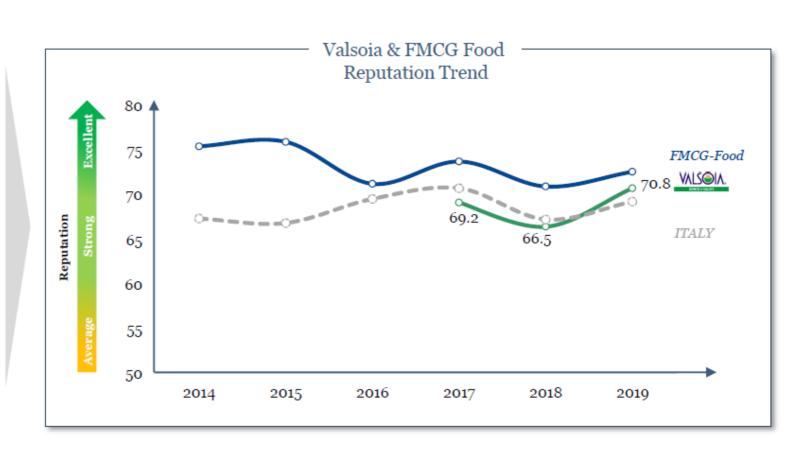


Reputation Institute Analysis (2/3)



Valsoia and the industry trend in Italy

Rank	Industries	Reputation
1	Luxury Products	74,63
2	Electrical & Electronics	72,67
3	FMCG – Food	72,65
4	Automotive	72,56
5	Streetwear	72,39
6	Industrial	71,53
7	FMCG - Home & Personal Care	71,50
8	FMCG – Beverage	71,31
9	Financial – Diversified	70,96
10	Entertainment – Media	70,43
11	Retail	69,38
12	Logistic	68,66
13	Pharmaceutical	67,91
14	Tourism	64,11
15	Financial – Insurance	63,96
16	Telco	61,70
17	Energy & Utilities	60,51
18	Financial – Bank	59,14
19	Entertainment – Gambling	58,08



Poor 40-59 Weak 60-69 Average 70-79 Strong 80+ Excellent Source:

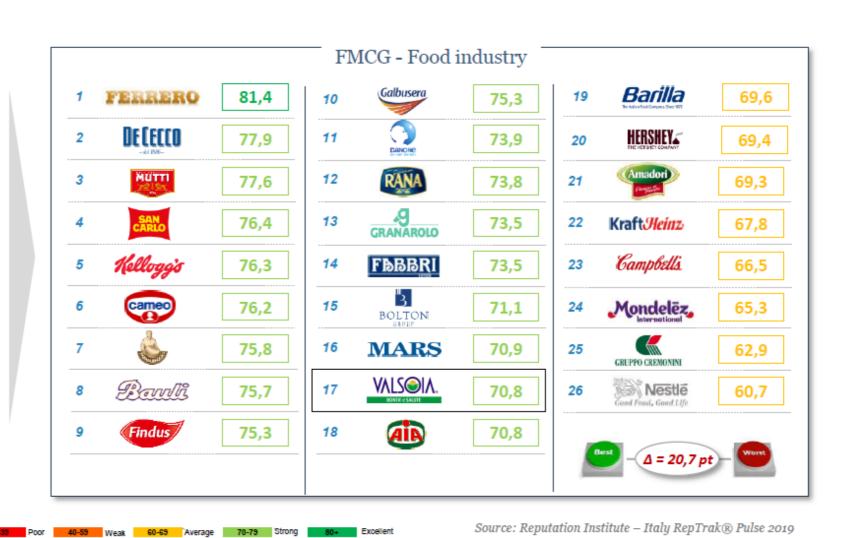
Reputation Institute Analysis (3/3)



Within the FMCG - Food Category Valsoia ranks 17th

What's your Reputation context?

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Vegetable Alternatives





THE WORLD IS BECOMING VEGETARIAN AND SUSTAINABLE

Valsoia is at the center of some of the most heavily discussed issues of the 21st century.

The New York Times

Opinion

TURNING POINTS

Six Ways We Can Adapt to Climate Change

THE NEW AGE OF MEAT: NO ANIMAL REQUIRED



Il business è in crescita esponenziale: gli analisti di Barclays stimano che il mercato delle carni alternative a base vegetale – quelle, per intenderci, totalmente uguali alla carne vera, con tanto di effetto sangue e crosticina - potrebbe crescere, nei prossimi 10 anni, del 1.000 per cento, toccando i 140 miliardi di dollari. Numeri giganteschi ma verosimili, se si pensa che ai primi di

la Repubblica

2050, tutti vegetariani ecco la dieta del futuro

Entro quarant'anni la popolazione mondiale aumenterà di due miliardi e le risorse idriche scarseggeranno. Secondo un team di studiosi svedesi, per evitare carestie dovremo mangiare frutta e verdura anziché bistecche



New York City to Phase out Processed Meat and Slash Beef Consumption by 50%



by Roxanne Libatique + 04/23/2019

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Vegani, carnivori o onnivori? Ecco il futuro dell'alimentazione

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Strategy



	Head	Valsoia top-level brand image
	Mouth	Leadership in perceived quality (80% of products have been successfully tested, and are successful compared to competitors)
Q In	novation	Highly focused on innovation through R&D: 75% of new products are still on the shelves after 3 years
O E	xecution	A strengthened and highly qualified sales force, improve collaboration with retailers
	nternational expansion	In progress, largely successful
	M&A	Targeting companies in Italy and abroad

Focus on Advertising





- Valsoia is market leader with consolidated strong brand image and brand awareness due to high investments in advertising and consumer marketing
- 2019 has seen several new marketing campaigns focusing on contests promoting the consumption of healthy products



Key Messages:

- 100% vegetable, tasty, natural, non-dairy
- Respect for animals and the environment
- A healthy diet for the whole family
- A brand you can trust



Key Messages:

 Through the "Lezioni di Etichetta" campaign Valsoia teaches the general public how to identify products with greater ease

2020 Kick off

February: SANREMO



"The Italian Super Bowl"

Summer



Valsoia leader, with a share of voice of over 45%







Consumer evolution

NATIVE 1.0

Lactose Intolerance Vegetarians Vegans

Looking for:

- Solutions / benefits (health driven purchase)
- No Cholesterol
- Proteins

2.0

Flexitarians
Vegetarians
Vegans
No Soy

Looking for:

- **Good Taste**
- Not looking for a conventional protein alternative

3.0

Lactose Intolerance
Vegetarians
Flexitarians / Vegans
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Looking for:

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- No cholesterol
- **Good Taste**







Focus on 3.0







New Valsoia line:

From Valsoia's own research facilities:

A complete line of exclusive products to offer consumers the maximum benefits in terms of Goodness and Health.

- Proteins
- Omega 6
- Low sugar
- No cholesterol













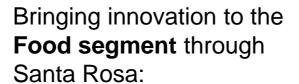






In line with the current world trends, Valsoia is the first player in Italy to present a Sugar-free rice-based and oat-based milk.





- · Only fruit sugars
- · Only natural ingredients
- Less sugar than the Jams market average: -50%
- Less kcal than the Jams market average (from -49% to -54% depending on the reference)
- Made 65% of fruit



Expanding R&D beyond the Food and Healthy segments through **BlueNyx**:

- New supplement that promotes the natural and regenerating path of sleep.
- Born from Valsoia research, tested in Italy, Germany, UK and USA for an International launch that will take place at the beginning of 2019.







New ice-cream flavors, for a wide audience as well Flexitarian



the large cup of ice-cream, drowned with exotic fruit cream

the ice-cream cone, based on cashew-nuts with black cherry flavor









The Irresistible Super Burger:

A new 100% Vegetable Burger characterized by few and simple ingredients and does not compromise taste or health.





2019 Launches & 2020 Pipeline







1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	2020 Pipeline
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Sep Mar May Jun Jul Oct Nov Dec **Feb Apr** Aug Jan



Coming soon













































Execution







Development and improvement of Trade Marketing (sales policies and marketing at POS) by structure, tools and working methods



Subdivision of the sales force focused on healthy food and regular food



Restructuring of sales force in 2018 with the entry of sales key account with experience in multinational companies

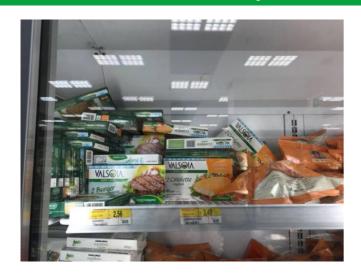
The execution capacity includes POS management through a dedicated Team monitored with KPIs

Execution example





Shelves in Italy





Our Benchmark Abroad







Coming soon to Italy





Focus on export



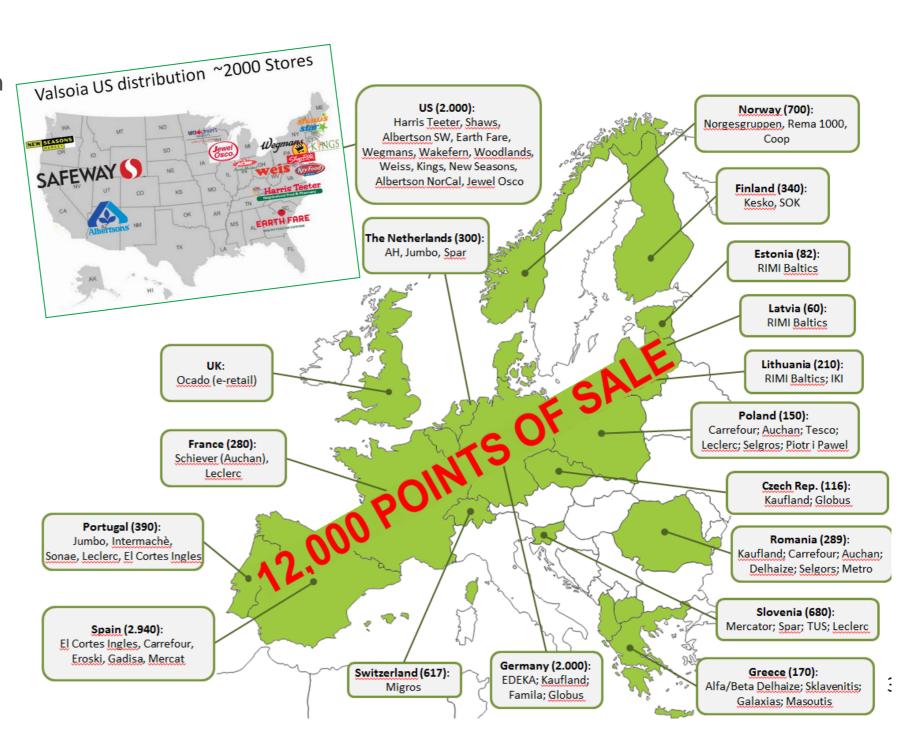


- Currently present in 19 countries (Europe and United States) with an eye on China and Russia
- Turnover from exports, excluding Germany, continue to grow
- Ice cream is the main export product:

Dairy-free ice cream



- Company's main expansion drive currently focused on:
 - USA
 - Germany
 - Spain



More than 25% of Gelato and Chocolate Spread Revenues come from Exports

Investment Opportunity



Pioneers in health-food market

Established strong brands

Leader in quality and taste in a high-growth worldwide market

Proven and highly skilled management team

Excellent track record for innovation

Strong cash generation and positive NFP

Dividend Distribution with a payout ratio of ~40%

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H1 2019 Highlights



Italian Sales Revenues

€ 34.6

Foreign Sales Revenues

€ 2.5

Sales Revenues

€ 37.1

EBITDA

€ 5.4

Net Profit

€ 3.0

EBITDA margin

14.4%

Net Profit Margin

8.1%

Net Cash Position

€ 20.4 *

Shareholders' Equity

€ 66.4

Profit & Loss



C 000	114 0040	114 0040 (*)	
€ 000	H1 2019	H1 2018 (*)	
Sales Revenues (Like for like)	37,074	39,709	
Sales Revenues (Pomodorissimo Santa Rosa) (**)	(3)	2,918	Like for like sales revenues
Total Sales Revenues	37,071	42,627	decreased 6.6% vs. the same
Changes in inventories of finished products	998	(236)	period of 2018 due to a negative
Other Revenue and income	582	195	performance in the vegetable
TOTAL VALUE OF PRODUCTION	38,651	42,586	alternatives market
			 Despite the negative scenario
Purchases	(19,466)	(21,899)	"Valsoia Bontà e Salute" continues
Services	(8,652)	(9,489)	to gain market share with a
Other Operating Costs	(5,178)	(5,291)	sustained growth in the number of
EBITDA	5,355	5,908	families.
EBITDA margin	14.4%	13.9%	- Desitive Food Division cales
			 Positive Food Division sales
Amortisation and depreciation	(1,172)	(1,040)	performance. Consumption remains
EBIT	4,183	4,867	stable
EBIT margin	11.3%	11.4%	Exports, excluding Germany,
	(2.2)	(5.1)	continue to increase
Net financial income/(charges)	(80)	(94)	■ EDITOA margin ingregoed from
EBT	4,103	4,773	 EBITDA margin increased from 13.9% to 14.4%
Taxes	(1,101)	(1,298)	
NET PROFIT/(LOSS)	3,002	3,475	
Net Profit margin	8.1%	8.2%	

^(*) The Company adopted IFRS 16 on 1 January 2019 using the modified retroactive application method, the comparative information has not been restated.

^(**) The company has stopped sales of the "Pomodorissimo Santa Rosa" Line starting from November 2018 following the Licensing concession to third parties of the relevant Brand

Revenues breakdown



€ 000	H1 2019	H1 2018
Health Division	21,867	24,273
Food Division	10,448	10,483
Other	2,301	2,213
Total Revenues Italy	34,616	36,969
Exports	2,458	2,740
Total Revenues *	37,074	39,709
Pomodorissimo Santa Rosa	(3)	2,918
Total Revenues	37,071	42,627



€ 000	9M 2019	9M 2018
Health Division	34,396	37,039
Food Division	15,578	15,354
Other	3,507	3,395
Total Revenues Italy	53,481	55,788
Exports	3,983	4,044
Total Revenues *	57,464	59,832
Pomodorissimo Santa Rosa	(3)	4,434
Total Revenues	57,461	64,266



Balance Sheet

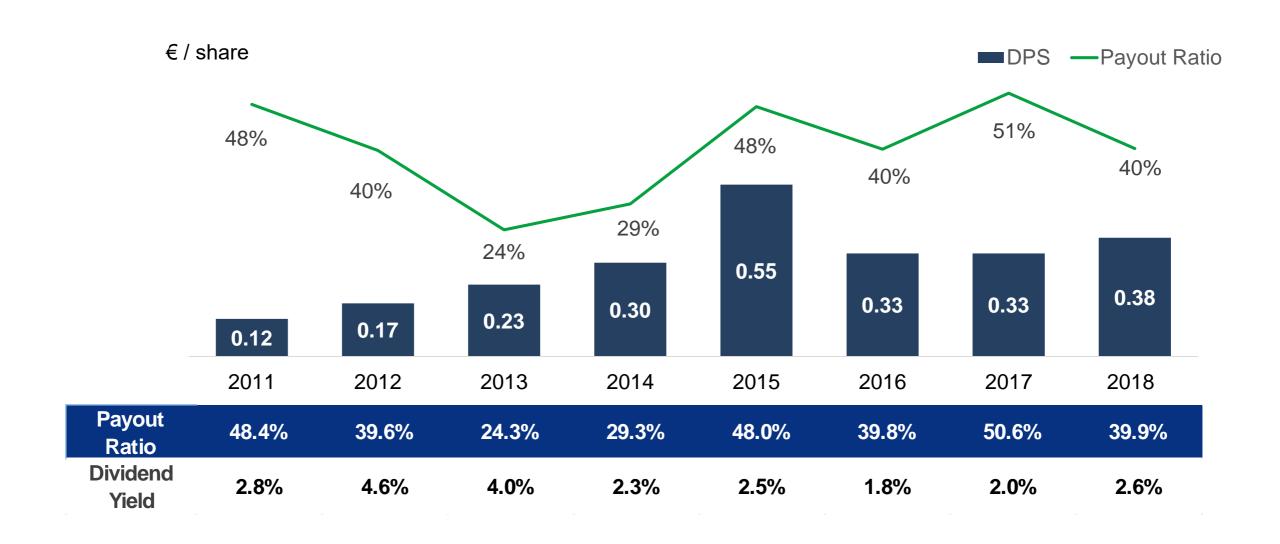


€ 000	30-06-19	31-12-18
Current Non-financial Assets	24,562	18,840
Current Non-financial Liabilities	(21,299)	(15,032)
Net Working Capital	3,263	3,808
Other Net Operating Assets/(Liabilities)	(222)	(94)
Total Non-current Assets	42,963	42,067
Total Investments	46,004	45,781
Shareholders' Equity	66,437	67,355
Current Net Financial Position (cash)	(28,357)	(30,319)
Non-current loans and borrowing	7,924	8,745
Net Financial Position (Cash)	(20,433)	(21,574)
Total Sources	46,004	45,781

- Valsoia boasts a strong cash generation and positive NFP
- At June 30, 2019, taking into account the € 956 thousand resulting from the application of IFRS 16, the NFP was in line with December 31, 2018
- Shareholders' Equity amounted to €66.4M
- At September 30, 2019 the NFP was €24.8M, a continuous improvement compared to 30 June 2019.

Dividend Payment





Dividends have consistently been distributed every year

Statement of Cash Flows



€ 000	H1 2019	H1 2018
Opening Short-term Net Cash	30,319	15,837
Cash Flow from Operating Activities	5,044	4,489
Taxes Paid	0	0
Cash Flow from Investment Activities	(1,115)	(817)
Cash Flow from Financial Activities	(5,356)	5,771
Cash Flow for the Period	(1,427)	9,442
Closing Short-term Net Cash	28,892	25,279

The primary operating cash flow in H1 2019 was €5.3M.

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