

Sligro Food Group N.V.

Half-year figures 2015

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Belgium

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Revenue



amounts * € million	H1-2015	H1-2014	H1-2015	H1-2014
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Impairments	-	-2	0.0%	-0.2%
Depreciation	-19	-19	-1.5%	-1.5%
EBITA	46	44	3.6%	3.5%
Amortisation	-9	-9	-0.7%	-0.7%
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Revenue	+1.1%
Organic excluding tobacco	+0.5%
Organic	+0.6%



Revenue Sligro Food Group





H1 - 2015	SFG	FS	FR
Net sales	+ 1.1%	+ 1.8%	- 0.2%
Organic excluding tobacco	+ 0.5%	+ 0.8%	0.0%
Organic	+ 0.6%	+ 1.0%	- 0.2%

Revenue Foodservice



Revenue +1.8% Amounts* € mIn Organic excluding tobacco +0.8% €8 Organic +1.0% €7 Market growth +0.8% € 859 Sales acquired with Rooswinkel and HTS included in comparative figures from mid-Q2 € 844 onwards Sligro 3.0 format outlets doing well 2014 Acquisitions Other 2015

Revenue Food retail





LfL	Nielsen	IRI	Avg.	EMTÉ	Δ	GfK
Q1	2.5%	2.2%	2.4%	1.0%	-1.4%	1.6%
Q2	1.7%	1.6%	1.7%	0.3%	-1.3%	-0.1%
H1-2015	2.1%	1.9%	2.0%	0.7%	-1.3%	0.7%

Revenue	-0.2%
EMTÉ Like-for-Like	+0.7%
Average of market researchers	+2.0%

- EMTÉ growth lagging behind the market
- Enschede Brouwerijplein and Almelo stores closed in 2014
- Franchise stores in Hoek and Zoutelande opened in Q2 2015
- Customers really appreciating 'Fijnproevers' (Gourmet) label. Changes in points rewarded reflected in sales

Gross margin



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- Gross margin percentage down by 0.1%-point
- Cash & Carry / Delivery Service mix depressing gross margin somewhat for Foodservice
- Changes in mix and increasing share of special offers depress gross margin for Food retail

Expenses





- Total of expenses, depreciation, impairment
 losses and amortisation down by 0.4%-point at
 19.8%
- 'Kick the Costs' cost-cutting programme kicks in
- Relatively large amount of incidental items last year (see next slide) – overall impact limited: gain of € 1 million in 2014

Incidental items



	Foodservice Food retail		То	tal			
amounts * € million	H1-2015	H1-2014	H1-2015	H1-2014	H1-2015	H1-2014	
Other operating income							
Book profits	-	4	-	-1	-	3	
Expenses							
Pension gains	-	4	-	-	-	4	
Impairments	-	-	-	-2	-	-2	
Other incidentals	-	-1	-	-	-	-1	
Integration costs	-	PM	-	PM	-	PM	
Impact on EBITA	-	7	-	-3	-	4	
Tax effect					-	-1	
					-	3	
Write-down participation Superdirect					-	-1	
Impact on net profit					-	2	

EBITA



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EBITA up by € 2 million

- Foodservice EBITA down by € 3 million but, eliminating incidental items (H1 - 2014), underlying improvement of € 4 million
- Food retail EBITA up by € 5 million but, eliminating incidental items (H1 - 2014), underlying improvement of € 2 million

Depreciation, amortisation and interest



amounts * € million	H1-2015	H1-2014
Depreciation / Impairments		
Impairments	-	-2
Depreciation	-19	-19
	-19	-21
amounts * € million	H1-2015	H1-2014
Amortisation		
Software	-2	-2
Customer contracts	-2	-1
Customers / store locations from acquisitions	-5	-6
	-9	-9
amounts * € million	H1-2015	H1-2014
Interest		
Share in results of associates	2	-
Net financing expense	-2	-2
	-	-2

- No store closures or property portfolio writedowns in 2015
- H1 2014: write-down of participation in Superdirect

Net profit



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Net profit up by € 2 million, with an underlying improvement of € 4 million

	H1-2015	H1-2014	increase
Profit for the half year (€ million)	29	27	7.4%
Basic earnings per share (€)	0.66	0.61	8.2%

Interim dividend for 2015 of € 0.40 per share payable 1 October 2015

Segment results



	Foodservice Food retail		retail		
amounts * € million	H1-2015	H1-2014	H1-2015	H1-2014	Foodservice
Revenue	859	844	415	416	Sales outperforming the market
Other operating income	-	4	1	-	
EBITDA	51	53	14	12	H1 - 2014 incidental items: € 7 million gain
ЕВІТА	37	40	9	4	
ЕВП	32	35	5	-	
EBITDA as % of revenue	5.9%	6.3%	3.4%	3.0%	Food retail
EBITA as % of revenue	4.3%	4.7%	2.2%	1.0%	H1 - 2015 sales lagging behind the market
EBIT as % of revenue	3.7%	4.2%	1.2%	0.1%	Gross margin down slightly due to
Net capital expenditure	33	47	4	5	
Depreciation and amortisation	-19	-18	-9	-12	changes in mix + increase in share of
Net capital employed (mid-year)	481	481	140	165	special offers
EBITDA as % of average CE	24.8%	25.7%	19.3%	14.4%	H1 - 2014 incidental items: € 3 million loss
EBITA as % of average CE	18.7%	19.9%	12.1%	5.9%	
EBIT as % of average CE	16.5%	18.4%	7.2%	1.4%	

Cash flow statement



amounts * € million	H1-2015	H1-2014
Net cash generated from operations	67	57
Interest etc.	-1	-
Corporate income tax paid	-21	-21
From operating activities	45	36
Acquisitions / divestments	-	-16
Investments in associates	-	-
Net capital expenditure	-34	-47
From investing activities	-34	-63
Changes in debt	-	-
Dividend paid / changes own shares	-28	-46
From financing activities	-28	-46
Movement in cash and short-term bank borrowings	-17	-73
Balance at start of year	74	135
Balance mid-year	57	62
Free cash flow	11	-6

- € 10 million improvement in cash flow from operating activities
- Year-end day has impact on working capital at close of 2014 offset by SU and SFG working capital programmes
- Entire amount of 2015 corporation tax liability paid in advance
- 2014 cash flow from investing activities high due to Berkel & Rodenrijs Delivery Service Centre investment + investment in customer accounts
- Dividend represents final dividend for 2014 (€ 0.70 per share)

Changes own shares: € 3 million gain

H1-2015	H1-2014
10	-6
20	9
-29	-3
1	-
	10 20 -29

Segment cash flow



	Foods	ervice	Food	retail	
amounts * € million	H1-2015	H1-2014	H1-2015	H1-2014	Foodservice
ЕВІТ	32	35	5	-	Improved
Depreciation and amortisation of software	16	16	5	8	•
Amortisation of other intangible assets	3	2	4	4	non-cash
Other operating income in CAPEX	-	-4	1	-	Investmer
Changes in working capital and pensions	2	-6	-1	2	purchase
Financial income and expense	-	-	-1	-	•
Corporate income tax paid	-19	-19	-2	-2	online 3.0
Kasstroom operationele activiteiten	34	24	11	12	Last year
Net capital expenditure	-30	-37	-4	-5	and inves
Free cash flow	4	-13	7	7	
Acquisitions / divestments	-	-16	-		Food retail

- ed profits, last year: € 4 million sh gain on pensions
- nent: two cash & carry premises sed, Sligro 3.0 conversions and 3.0
- ear: Maastricht site sale proceeds estments in property
- Improved profits
- Capex limited



Food retail

Market trends

Sligro Food Group Food retail operations

Plans for H2 - 2015 and beyond



- Food retail market growth H1 2015: 2.0% *
- Sales growth in market primarily driven by hard discount
- Economic recovery seen in sales figures
- Consumers still keen on special offers: +0.3%-point to almost 20% of total sales
- Basic price level relatively stable

GfK Summer Report 2015





Source: GfK Nederland

Customer perceptions of EMTÉ in Dutch top 3





Sligro Food Group Food retail

- Like-for-like sales growth: +0.7%, lagging behind the market
- More of an upward trend in the course of Q2
- Voted 'Best Meat Department' for 5th time
- Voted 'Best Cheese Department' for the 3rd time
- In 5th position overall in GfK Summer Report
 - Customer rating again high (No. 3)
 - Ranked 13th for performance, but limited weighing factor
- 2 new franchise stores added to the network:
 - EMTÉ Zoutelande
 - EMTÉ Hoek







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- Loyalty programme (Fijnproevers) continues to grow
 - Number of cards issued
 - Number of cards registered
 - Number of new Fijnproevers signups/day (June 2015)
 - Percentage of sales attributable to Fijnproevers
 - Initial tests with personalised offers begun
- Modular staffing plan implemented, cost savings visible
- Category management making good progress
- New EMTÉ 3.0 store format under development as 'tastiest supermarket' in the Netherlands

740,000 350,000 600 more than 60%









- Completion of EMTÉ long-term plan
- Design of new generation EMTÉ format (EMTÉ 3.0)
 - Pilot in 3 stores
 - Roll-out as part of normal maintenance programme, following evaluation
- New franchise store in Vessem opens in week 29
- Further 2 new franchise stores to open in week 4 and week 6 of 2016



Foodservice

Market trends

- Sligro Food Group Foodservice
- Plans for H2 2015 and beyond
- CaterTech acquisition and integration

Developments in Belgium

Foodservice market trends 2015







Foodservice

- Market + 0.8%
 - Growth in line with inflation
 - Volume flatlined
- Economic recovery in foodservice market slow and gradual
- Healthcare services decline faster than company catering



Data based on the first 24 weeks of 2015

Sligro Food Group Foodservice



- Foodservice sales growth again above market
- 2014 acquisitions produced additional sales of € 7 million in H1 2015
- Sligro 3.0 format outlets doing well
- Strong basis of comparison, especially in Q2 2014
- Loss of two relatively large customer accounts in Q4 2014
- Preparations for Sligro online 3.0 launch early 2016

Plans for H2 - 2015 and beyond



- New outlets in Sligro 3.0 format:
 - Type III Almere [August]
 - Type III Utrecht [November]
- Sligro 3.0 conversions and expansions:
 - C&C The Hague Forepark (Type IV) [August]
 - C&C Rotterdam SP (from Type III to Type IV)
 - C&C Amsterdam (Type IV)
 - C&C Veghel (Type III)
 - C&C Bergen op Zoom (Type III)







Acquisition and integration of CaterTech



- Specialist in professional kitchen installations and equipment + refrigeration equipment
- Consultancy, design, installation, supply and maintenance
- 2014 revenue from goods/projects (75%) and services (25%)
- Sites in Zoetermeer (head office and operations), Assen and Helmond, 121 employees
- Specialised range with strong own brands and licences (some exclusive)
- Supplying hotels (top segment), company restaurants, healthcare institutions, educational institutions and shipping industry
- 2014: Revenue of € 22 million, EBIT 3%









- Specialist consultancy, design, supply, installation and maintenance services for professional kitchens, company restaurants, food plazas, educational establishments and the hospitality sector
- Supplier of a complete line of serving buffets, free-flow systems, wall refrigeration and front cooking systems
- Professional kitchen equipment consultancy and supply, including brands such as Catertech, Küppersbusch, Ambach, Rational and Groku.
- Customers : Hyatt hotels and resorts, Hilton hotels, COA (central body for asylum seekers reception)



2 sites in Zoetermeer, approx. 62 FTEs



- Specialists at national level in preventive and corrective maintenance of equipment in the professional kitchen and foodservice markets
- Installation and maintenance, from repair to replacement, and sales of equipment
- Veld Service B.V. provides independent installation and consultancy services using inhouse inspectors and fully accredited fitters
- 1 site Assen, approx. 28 FTEs







- Specialist refrigeration equipment services, including corrective and preventative maintenance for the professional kitchen and foodservice markets
- W.K.E. also acts as distributor for the Catertech refrigeration equipment range
- National operations, from office in Helmond
- Approx. 9 FTEs







- In terms of size, a fairly large player in the market; in terms of quality a leading player service and maintenance – attractive revenue
- Complementing each other: CaterTech professional kitchens; Sligro plug and play + glassware & tableware
- Customer base overlap plenty of opportunity for synergy with complementary / reciprocal supplies
 - Leads for CaterTech from SFG hospitality sector contacts in middle / upper part of market
 - CaterTech leads for SFG food and non-food product groups
 - Own brand plug and play sales to CaterTech + publicity in Cash & Carry outlets
 - Purchase for own use by SFG (production / outlets)
 - Staff savings / back-office synergies, optimisation of CaterTech organisation
 - New business opportunities / pooling of resources
- No integration but largely allowed to continue stand-alone existence + tied in where it makes sense
- Managers prepared to commit themselves for a lengthy period following acquisition



Developments in Belgium

Why international expansion



- Active in the Netherlands for 80 years and built up a leading position in foodservice market
- Ambition to grow to 30% market share in the Netherlands, followed by gradual growth up to a natural limit
- Following attempts in Denmark, now entirely focused on Belgium





- Developed Western economy, relatively small country
- Existing experience with Belgium: visitors to Dutch Cash & Carry outlets and Belgian Delivery Service customers served from the Netherlands (currently accounting for sales of approximately € 40 million)
- New Belgian government regulations provide trigger for professionalisation in the market ('white checkouts' mandatory from 01-01-2016)
- Attractive foodservice market






Belgian foodservice market breakdown by value:

Flanders 60%
Brussels 20%
Wallonia 20%



Positioning:

- Building on Sligro 3.0 brand strategy
- Making use of existing structure where possible, with adaptations where necessary
- Local Belgian partner in business
- Independent price strategy

USPs:

- Extensive range
- Cash & Carry + Delivery Service
- Information, inspiration, innovation



Geographic overview Belgian competition









- Landscape still highly fragmented, with more than 400 suppliers
- Top 15–20 players good for € 4 billion of sales at wholesale value

Playing Field					
Regional Players	National Players				
Assessment:	Assessment:				
- flexible	- rigid				
- personal	- distant				
 not very inspirational 	- competitively priced				
	 not very inspirational 				
Our proposition: Our proposition:					
- inspiration	- personal touch				
- quality	- inspiration				
- operational excellence	- operational excellence				
- price					



- Price level similar to the Netherlands overall but differences within product ranges (price strategy for Belgium independent of the Netherlands)
- Extensive range, full service supplier
- Sligro Netherlands product range 90% applicable
 - With specifically Belgian products added
 - Fresh produce proposition crucial to success





- Belgian customers 'embrace' the Sligro 3.0 format
- To secure a top-3 position in the Belgian foodservice market in due course
- To create a scalable Cash & Carry and Delivery Service business model for Belgium



- Safeguard Sligro Culture in Belgian context
- Management model NL → BE
- Employees and codetermination
- Legal and tax landscape
- ICT, data and logistics
- Dual-language issues (important for commercial success)



- Starting in two large cities with Type IV Cash & Carry outlets, also providing delivery services in their region
- If successful, roll-out across Flanders, possibly accelerated through acquisitions
- Later develop vision on Brussels and Wallonia
- First outlet start-up expected in H2 2016



- Investments of approximately € 30 million (capex + start-up losses)
- Outlets profitable in 3 to 4 years
- Ultimately the Belgian operation has the potential to grow to a profitability comparable to that in the Netherlands



Outlook



- Recovery continuing, but very gradual
- Consumers still looking for savings and special offers
- Continuing development of Sligro 3.0
- Introduction and testing of EMTÉ 3.0
- Belgium plan implementation
- Integration of CaterTech
- Week 53 will generate sales of approximately € 50 million and contribute to profits
- Week 53 will increase working capital by approximately € 20 million







Annexes

Profit and loss account



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Balance sheet



amounts * € million	27-6-2015	28-6-2014		27-6-2015	28-6-2014	
Non-currect assets			Shareholders' equity	573	545	
Intangible assets	194	203				
Property, plant and equipment	311	301	Provisions	31	34	
Investment property	15	15				
Financial assets	67	52	Long-term borrowings	134	121	
	587	571				
Current assets			Current liabilities			
Inventories	204	200	Current portion of long-term borrowings	-	53	
Receivables and other current assets	144	150	Trade and other payables	182	159	
Assets held for sale	7	7	Other current liabilities	79	78	
Cash and cash equivalents	57	62				
	412	419		261	290	
Total assets	999	990	Total equity and liabilities	999	990	

Total food market (2014 figures)









Foodservice Monitor



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Foodservice Monitor Waardeontwikkeling Catering YeartoDate 2014 2015 2014 2015 2014p1 tm p6 2015p1 tm p6 6,8% 6,2% 3,2% 2,7% Bedrijven* 0,7% Bedrijven* 0,1% 0,1% 0.6% -1.9% -0,3% -1,2% -1,7% -2,1% -2,3% -2,2% -3,0% -3,7% 3,4% 3,9% -4,8% 5,8% 1,5% 0,8% 0,5% Zorginstellingen Zorginstellingen -1,3% -1,7% -2,4% -3,7% -4,3% 2,9% -2,6% 2,6% -2,5% 2,7% -3,1% -3,6% 4,1% -3,9% 5,8% -8,5% -8,5% 8,8%

CATERING

Catering: uitbesteed + eigen beheer. Catering totaal is inclusief onderwijs en inflight (beide worden niet getoond als aparte subgrafiek) * Bedriiven: Inclusief overheidsbedriiven.

Note: De groeicijfers geven de ontwikkeling van de afzetwaarde aan foodservice outlets ten opzichte van dezelfde periode in het voorgaande jaar.

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De inkoop bij supermarkten en directe levering door slagers/bakkers valt buiten deze monitor.

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