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## 6M 2021 Earnings Presentation

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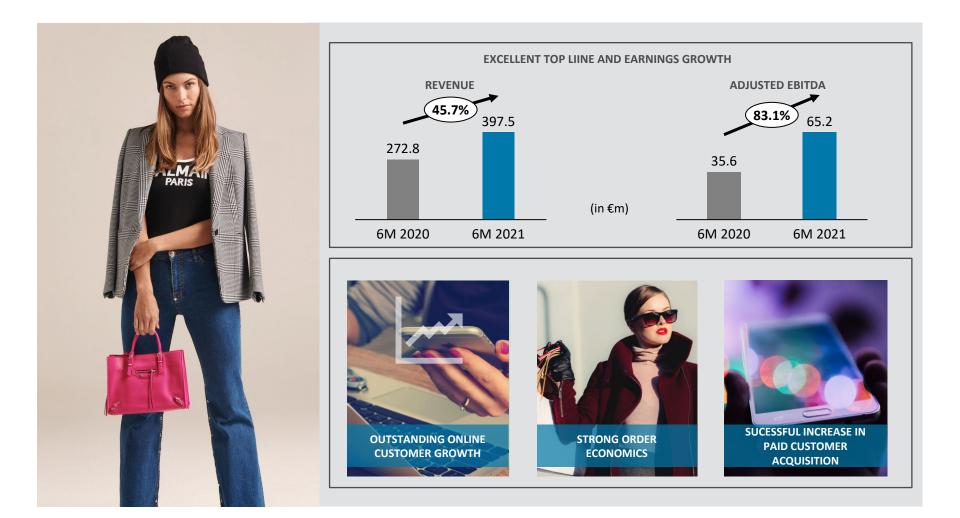
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# Key Highlights 6M 2021



# Substantial and profitable growth in 6M 2021

€m	6M 2020	6M 2021	Change
Revenue	272.8	397.5	45.7%
Gross profit	123.4	183.5	48.7%
Margin	45.2%	46.2%	1.0%pt
Adjusted EBITDA	35.6	65.2	83.2%
Margin	13.0%	16.4%	3.4%pt
CAPEX <sup>(1)</sup>	18.4	7.3	-60.2%
Free cash flow	29.9	-1.3	n.a.
Operating net working capital <sup>(2)</sup>	95.8	149.8	56.4%
Cash and cash equivalents	117.4	87.7	-25.3%
Net leverage ratio IFRS	2.8x	2.0x	-0.8pt

#### COMMENTS

Revenue growth driven by outstanding online business.

Gross margin improvement vs. PY. 2020 margin was impacted by deliberate investment to support top line performance during CV-19.

Substantial Adjusted EBITDA increase due to strong top line growth, good order economics and operating leverage.

6M 2021 less CAPEX intensive due to absence of warehouse expansion investments of PY period.

Only slightly negative free cash flow, reflecting ability to finance seasonal increase in purchase volume from strong operations.

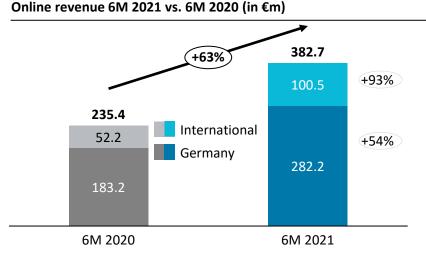
Undrawn RCF.

Leverage ratio further improved.

(1) Amounts may differ from cash flow statement due to payments that were not yet cash effective on cut-off date.

(2) Operating net working capital is the sum of the line items (i) inventory, (ii) prepayments for inventory, (iii) trade accounts receivable, (iv) trade accounts payable, (v) accruals for outstanding invoices (inventories), (vi) refund liabilities and assets for the right to recover possession for expected returns.

# Dynamic development of online business



### Stationary retail revenue 6M 2021 vs. 6M 2020 (in €m)



(1) Source: Bundesverband E-Commerce und Versandhandel Deutschland e.V. (Bevh)

#### COMMENTS

Continued strong online business growth with 63% increase in 6M 2021 due to sizeable new customer growth, good customer economics, outstanding international business development and a lower return rate.

German online retail market (fashion & shoes) up 22% in 6M 2021<sup>(1)</sup>. BestSecret Group's German online business +54%, clearly outperforming market development.

Online revenue 96% of total Group revenue in 6M 2021 (6M 2020: 86%).

International growth rate of 93%. 26% of 6M 2021 online revenue generated in international markets (6M 2020: 22%).

#### COMMENTS

BestSecret retail with €14.8m revenue in 6M 2021 due to prolonged store closures.

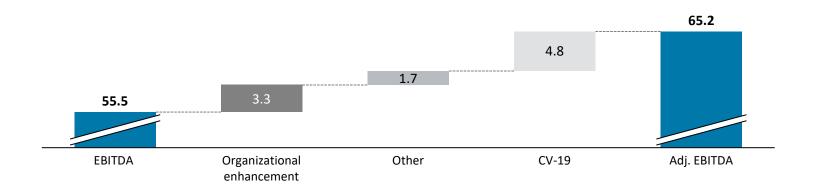
2 Munich stores were closed in January and February; partial reopening of Second Season and F&F stores (c50%) from March 8 to April 21 and again from May 11 onwards.

Frankfurt store remained closed in 6M 2021. Decision reached on permanent closure due to lasting Covid-19 pandemic impact on the location.

Vienna store reopened on May 3.

# Adjusted EBITDA bridge

### EBITDA to Adjusted EBITDA 6M 2021 (in €m)



#### COMMENTS

Total Adjustments amounted to €9.7m in €6M 2021 (6M 2020: 2.3m).

Largest position were costs relating to COVID-19, including bonus payment, hazard pay, increased health and safety measures, regular tests, as well as other costs for our stationary retail business during closing periods.

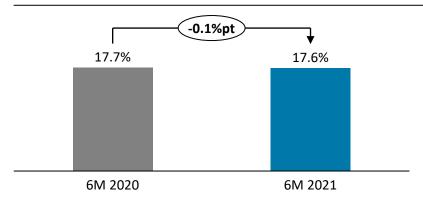
Costs for organizational enhancement / changes were mainly for payments in relation to C-Level changes and consulting fees for strategy and governance projects.

"Other" mainly for optimizations to the IT system backbone.



## Cost ratios 6M 2021

### Fulfilment costs (as % of revenue)

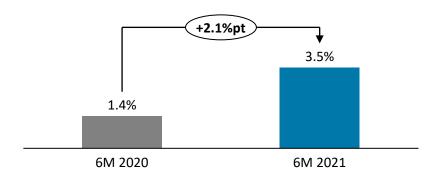


#### COMMENTS

Logistics cost ratio almost on PY level.

Significantly improved online fulfilment cost ratio offset by low stationary retail revenue share.

### Marketing costs (as % of revenue)

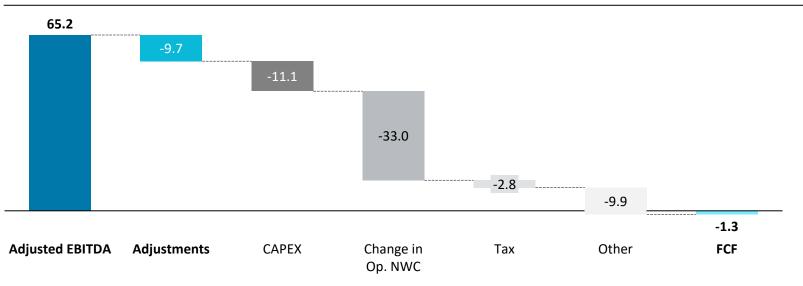


#### COMMENTS

Continued low marketing cost ratio thanks to strong viral customer growth.

Low baseline in 2020 due to CV-19. Increase of marketing activities in 6M 2021 successfully boosting non-virial customer growth.

## Free cash flow 6M 2021



Free cash flow bridge (in €m)

#### COMMENTS

Only slightly negative free cash flow of €-1.3m, reflecting ability to finance seasonal increase in purchase volume from strong operations (6M 2020: €29.9m due to highly prudent merchandise purchasing during 1<sup>st</sup> CV-19 wave).

Majority of CAPEX for tech investments.

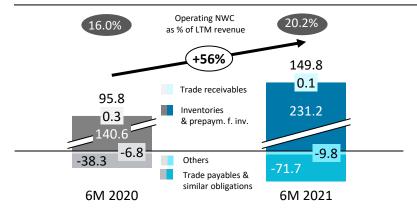
Positive cash flow from operating activities due to strong business performance offset by seasonal increase in purchasing volume resulting in a change in NWC of €-33.0m.

"Other" mainly consists of VAT paid for Q4 2020 business.

Cash on balance amounted to €87.7m on June 30, 2021 (June30, 2020: €117.4m). Undrawn RCF on June 30, 2021 (PY €24.5m drawdown).

## Operating net working capital and capital expenditure

### Operating NWC Expenditure 6M 2021 vs. 6M 2020 (in €m)



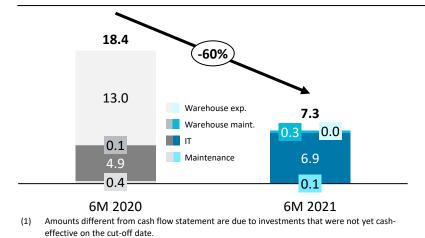
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Significantly increased inventory level due to growing business volume and lower baseline in 6M 2020 when a prudent purchasing policy was in place.

Increase in "Other" mainly due to higher obligations for returns because of business volume growth.

Increase in trade payables due to increased business volume and lower baseline in 6M 2020.

### Capital Expenditure 6M 2021 vs. 6M 2020 (in €m)<sup>(1)</sup>



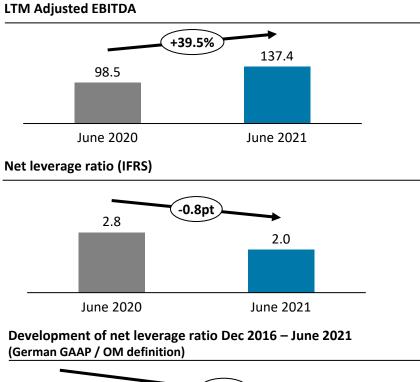
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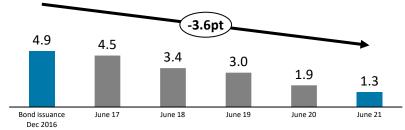
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IT CAPEX for enhancement of user experience and improvement of system backbone.

# Healthy capital structure with clear deleveraging

	30.06.2020	30.06.2021
Cash and equivalents	117.4	87.7
Senior Secured Notes <sup>(1)</sup>	256.0	257.0
RCF incl. accrued interest (total size €50m)	24.6	0.1
Lease liabilities <sup>(2)</sup>	114.3	111.0
Total net financial debt <sup>(3)</sup>	277.5	280.4
LTM Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(4)</sup>	98.5	137.4
Ratio of net debt to LTM Adj. EBITDA <sup>(5)</sup>	2.8x	2.0x





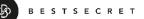
(1) Including interest.

(2) According to IFRS 16.

(3) Net financial debt according to OM definition (German GAAP) is €173.2m on June 30, 2021.

(4) LTM Adjusted EBITDA according to OM definition (German GAAP) is €131.9m on June 30, 2021.

(5) Ratio of net debt to LTM Adjusted EBITDA acc. to OM definition (German GAAP) is 1.3x on June 30, 2021.



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## Investor Relations calendar 2021

Date	Event
September 14	Goldman Sachs EMEA Credit and Leveraged Finance Conference
November 12	Press release on key financial figures 9M 2021
November 26	Publication of 9M 2021 bond report with conference call for analysts and investors

