



## **2021 full year results**

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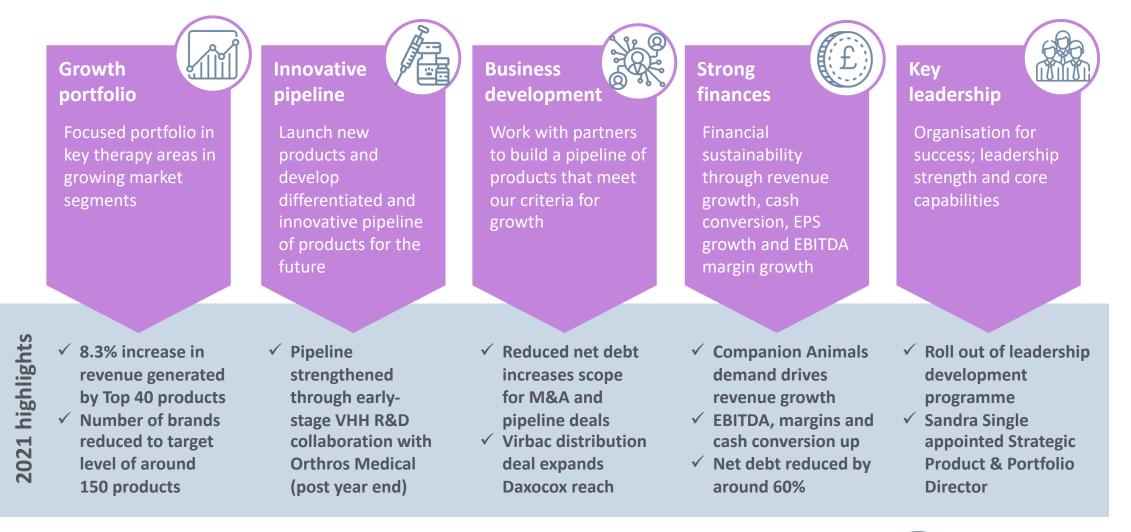
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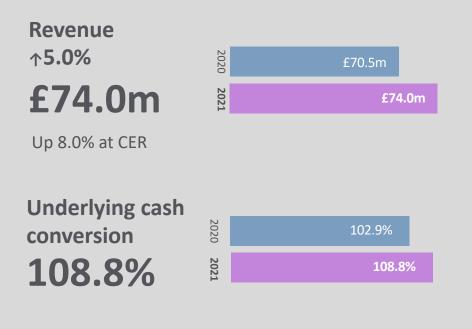


### Positive trading, strong finances and strategic progress





### **Financial highlights 2021**



| Underlying <sup>*</sup> EBITDA |        |                     |
|--------------------------------|--------|---------------------|
| <b>↑11.3%</b>                  | 2020   | £12.1m              |
| £13.5m                         | 2021   | £13.5m              |
| Underlying EBITDA margin       | 18.2%; | 17.2% for prior yea |

 Net debt\*\*

 ↓£8.3m
 20
 £13.6m

 €5.3m
 21
 £5.3m

Below target range for underlying EBITDA leverage ratio

#### 2021 final dividend

**Board proposes 2.4 pence** per share dividend payment reflecting positive trading performance, financial strength enabling investment in growth and confident outlook

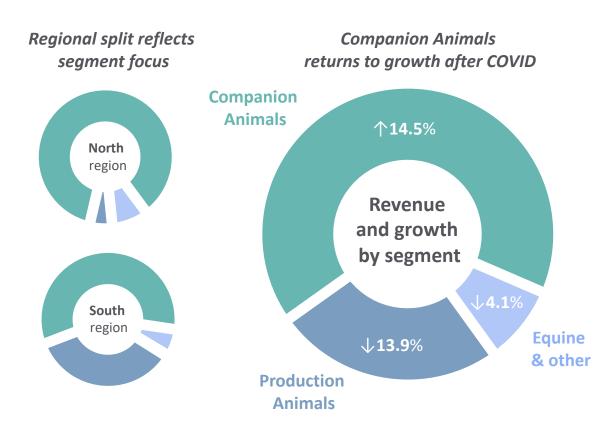
\* Underlying measures are before the effect of non-underlying items which excludes fair value adjustments on acquired inventory, amortisation of acquired intangibles and acquisition and integration costs.

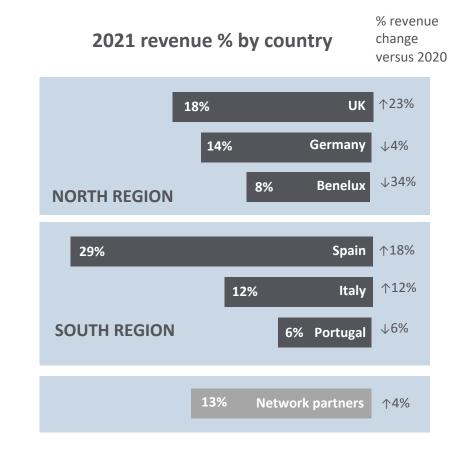


\*\* As at 31 December 2021

## **Resurgent Companion Animals demand drives growth**

Regional model leverages operational effectiveness







### Delivering value from portfolio through focus on Top 40

Smaller number of higher selling, higher margin products increases management focus and impact of sales and marketing activity





Increase in revenue generated by **top 40 selling brands** in 2021 – boosted by newly introduced products

Increase in gross margin in 2021 benefiting from continued focus on brands with higher growth and margin potential





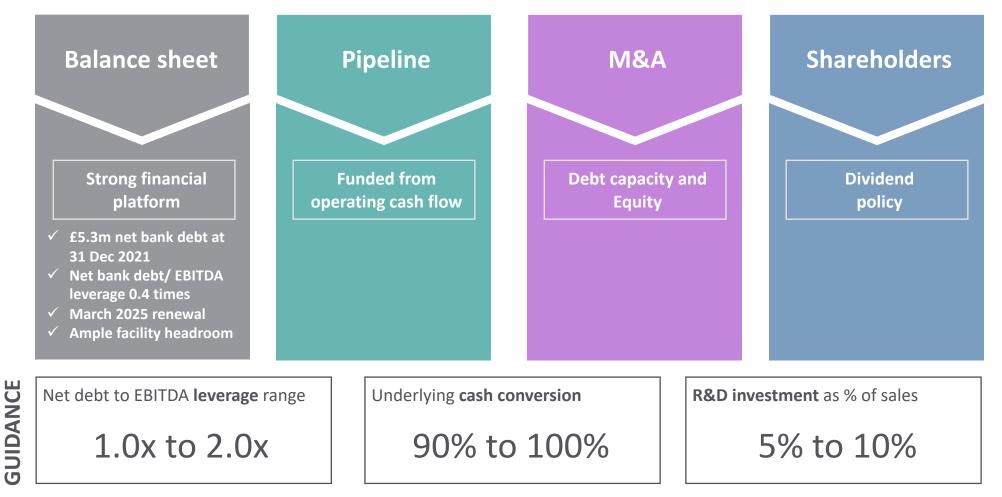
Reduction in number of smaller brands brings portfolio close to target of approximately 150 by year end





## **Capital allocation**

#### Balance sheet well positioned to execute strategy





### **VHH collaboration strengthens early pipeline**

Low-medium PTRS,

medium R&D

high M&P

costs, high sales,

#### Building a pipeline with a balance of risk and reward



#### New API

R&D costs,

M&P

high sales, high

Low PTRS, high R&D costs, high sales, high M&P

technology

New

Generics

High PTRS, low R&D costs, short-term sales, no M&P

**New delivery route** or improved convenience

Medium PTRS, medium R&D costs, medium-high sales, needs M&P



**PTRS** = probability of technical and regulatory success **M&P** = marketing and promotion

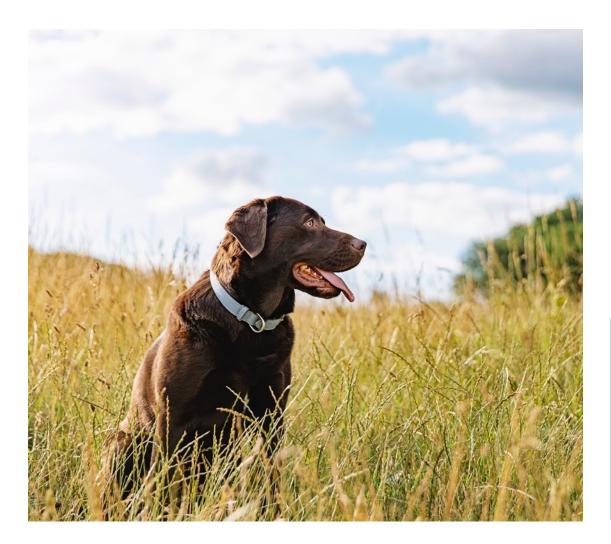
## Building organisation that can scale and flex as it grows

Investing in the capabilities of our people





#### **Summary and outlook**



#### **SUMMARY**

- Resurgent Companion Animals demand and new products drive revenue growth
- Positive cash generation helps reduce net debt by £8.3m
- Strong financial platform supports investment in growth
- Continuing investment in people to drive future success
- Pipeline strengthened through early-stage VHH-based R&D collaboration with Orthros Medical (March 2022)

#### OUTLOOK

- Early 2022 sales data in line with management expectations; anticipate more of a balance between H1 and H2 compared to 2021
- Expect revenue growth momentum to continue while facing inflation and foreign exchange headwinds



# **Full year results 2021**

