

# Acquisition of Constantia Flexibles

## Transaction overview

 On December 23, Wendel signed a share purchase agreement to acquire Constantia Flexibles, a global leader in Flexible packaging

In recent years Constantia Flexibles has developed from a supplier with a strong European regional focus into a group which is active on a global basis in the world's most attractive and fastest-growing markets for flexible packaging.

Constantia Flexibles group supplies its products to numerous multinational corporations and local market leaders in the food, pet food, pharmaceuticals and beverage industries.

Constantia Flexibles stands for premium positioning, leading technology, customer proximity and highly efficient production facilities.

## Deal's key figures

- Enterprise value of €2.3 billion i.e. ca. 9x 2014e EBITDA
- Debt leverage of ca. 5x 2014e EBITDA

## Timing

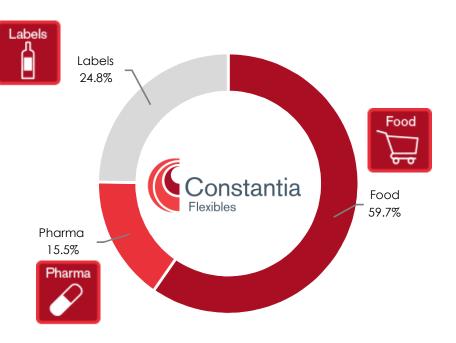
 The transaction is expected to close in the first half of 2015, subject to necessary consultations and authorizations

## Company snapshot

## Constantia Flexibles in figures

- #2 market position in Europe
- #4 market position globally
- leading (#1 or 2) market positions in key segments
- FY2013 revenues over €1.6bn
- FY2013 EBITDA €233m i.e. 14.3% margin
- >8,000 employees
- 43 production facilities in 18 countries worldwide
- The company serves global customers in over 115 countries

2013 FY sales by segment



# The vast product portfolio is grouped into 3 divisions



## Innovation driven by customer needs

## **Customer needs**

#### Sustainability

Child resistance

#### Cost saving

Barrier

#### Brand differentiation

#### High functionality

Convenience

### **Innovation examples**



room temperature

cooled

## Investment thesis

Large and growing market

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Global player with leading positions in segments on which it competes

Strong and resilient financial performance

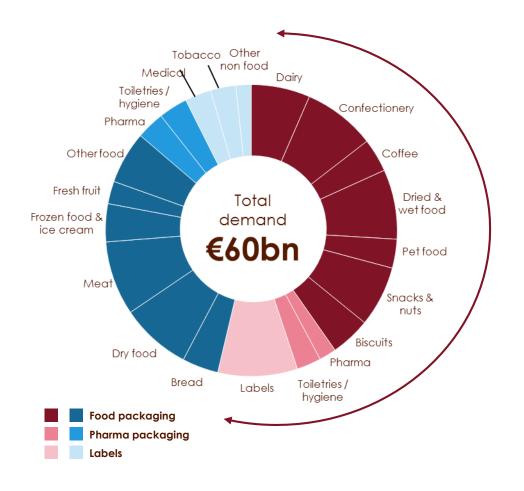
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Development strategy & outlook

# Large and growing market



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Constantia Flexibles addresses **more** than 50% of a total relevant market worth €60bn

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Source: PCI films consulting

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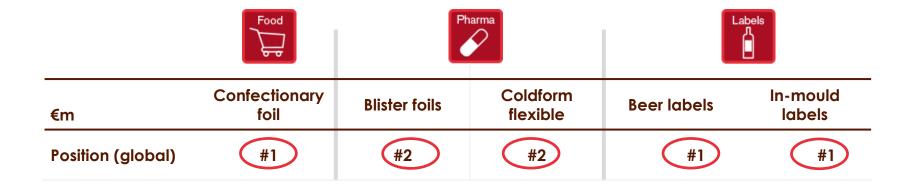
Secular trends drive demand for flexible packaging applications

Global trend	Demand drivers	Flexible packaging solutions
Urbanisation	<ul> <li>Transition from unpacked to packed food</li> <li>Large families to small families</li> <li>Increased shelf life due to longer supply chains</li> </ul>	Packaged food
Growing middle class	<ul><li>Aspirational buying</li><li>Smaller packaging</li></ul>	Premium brand packaging c.8x packaging material for capsules compared to traditional vacuum packs
Premiumisation	<ul> <li>Demand for better quality packaging</li> <li>Focus on convenience and functionality</li> <li>Importance of marketing to drive branding</li> </ul>	Convenient packaging
Health	<ul> <li>Ageing societies consuming more pharmaceuticals</li> <li>Emerging market healthcare standards rising</li> </ul>	Cold-form blister
Sustainability	<ul> <li>Lower carbon footprint</li> <li>Down-gauging and material engineering</li> </ul>	Flexible packaging

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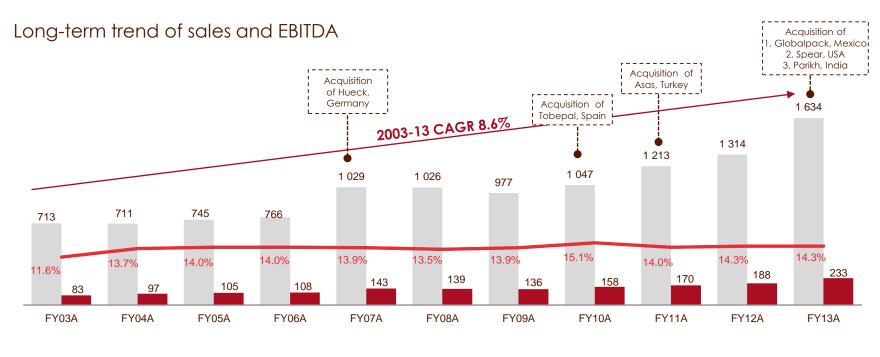
# <sup>2</sup> Global player with leading positions in segments in which it operates

- European #2
- Global #4
- ~60% of 2012 sales were generated in market segments where Constantia Flexibles is #1 or #2



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## <sup>3</sup> Strong and resilient financial performance



Sales, €m EBITDA - management adjusted, €m EBITDA margin - Management adjusted, % of sales

Source: Constantia Flexibles

Amounts disclosed for 2003-2009 relate to the flexible packaging business and do not necessarily include an appropriate share of central overhead costs incurred by Constantia Packaging AG (then holding company), or any adjustments which may have been appropriate relating to non-recurring items.

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# Ability to drive market consolidation suggested by M&A track-record



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Tobepal, Spain

**Revenues**: ~€100m

Employees: 407

Rationale: Entry into Spanish flexible packaging market and expansion of presence in both the HPC and dried food business



Globalpack, Mexico /USA

**Revenues**: ~€180m



Employees: 1,500

Rationale: Consolidation of presence in North and Central America and establishment of a low cost manufacturing base close to the US market



Parikh, India

Revenues: ~€20m

#### Employees: 500

Rationale: Entry into the fast growing Indian market through one of the top 10 local producers of flexible packaging



## Growth drivers, development strategy & outlook

- Market consolidation
  - Opportunities to be seized via acquisitions, strong pipeline and M&A track-record
- Enter new emerging markets through acquisitions
  - Exposure to emerging markets increase already on track: >30% of 2014e sales vs.<20% in 2011
- Clear commercial roadmap, with division-specific strategies
- Well-identified priority focus areas for additional operational improvements
  - Portfolio and footprint optimization
  - Implementation of a strong group Operational Excellence unit
  - Set-up of value engineering program

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