

Acquisition of Naturepak Beverage Packaging – accelerating growth in the attractive MENA region The natural solution

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#### **Elopak At A Glance**





A Leading Global Player in Fresh Liquid Carton Packaging



14 Billion Cartons Produced Across 9 Manufacturing Sites in 2020



Product Suite With More Than 400 SKUs



Sales to 80+ Markets With ~2,600 Employees



Revenues of €909m in 2020



Adjusted EBITDA Margin of 13.5% in 2020



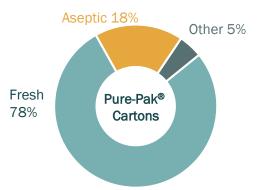
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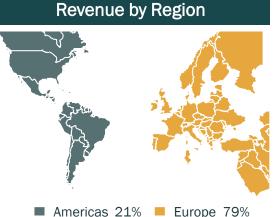












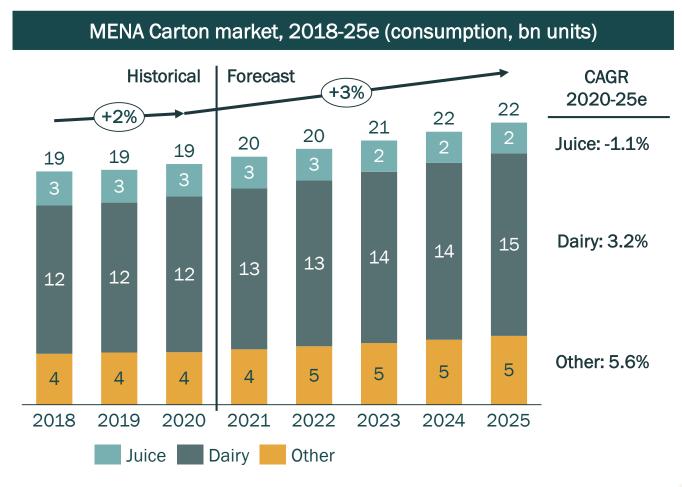
Elopak Has a Leading Position in Fresh and a Strong & Growing Position in Aseptic

Source: Company information, management accounts. Note: 14 billion cartons sold annually includes 100% volumes from JVs. 9 manufacturing sites exclude Speyer. 2,600 employees include 100% of JVs. Revenue by end markets based on 2020A management accounts. Revenue breakdown by geographies excludes JV contributions and corporate eliminations and is based on audited financials.



## Accelerating Elopak growth in MENA

- Attractive market fundamentals, driven by population growth, demographics, income growth and urbanization
- Dairy consumption in cartons expected to grow by 3.2% (CAGR) from 2020-25e
- Local production capabilities in the region is a key enabler to grow





# Transaction highlights

Elopak to acquire Naturepak Beverage Packaging ("NBP"), the MENA region's leading provider of fresh liquid cartons and packaging

\$96 million<sup>(1)</sup> cash and debt free consideration

Expected to be accretive to Elopak's growth, margins and earnings per share

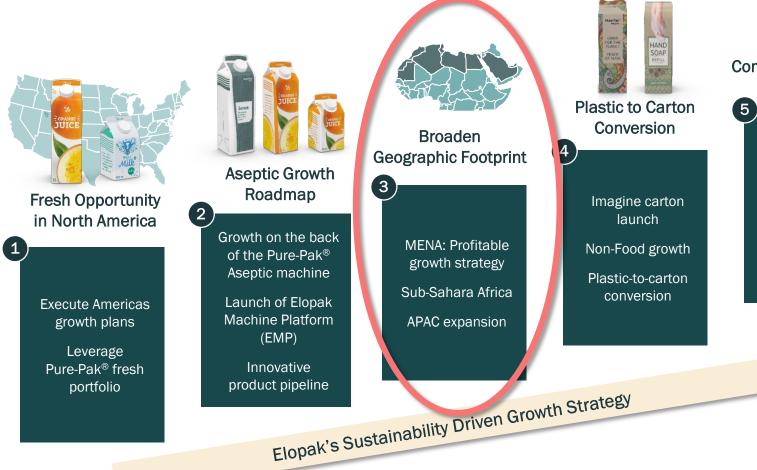
In line with Elopak's strategy to act on attractive inorganic growth opportunities and enter new geographies

NBP will be rebranded and incorporated under the Elopak name

Completion subject to antitrust approvals in Saudi Arabia and Morocco

#### **Elopak's Profitable Growth Drivers**







Margin optimization
Purchasing and
value engineering
Operational
Improvement



Mid to Long Term Goal

Global Liquid Food Packaging Company with a Diverse Product Portfolio and Footprint

**ELOPAK** 

Today

Global Fresh

Liquid Carton

Packaging Company



# Strategic rationale for acquisition

#### Transaction is fully in line with Elopak's sustainability-driven strategy:

## Access to high growth markets

- Attractive market fundamentals in terms of demographics, income growth and urbanization
- Underlying consumption growth approx. 3% in key markets across fresh and aseptic segments
- NBP present in 16 countries

## Strong strategic fit

- Strong complementary product offering
- Customer base consisting of global blue chip FMCG companies and regional champions
- ▶ In-market production capacity of 2.7 billion cartons

# Attractive standalone profile

- Delivered significant revenue growth 2015-2020
- Margin accretive for Elopak
- Strong management team and competent employees

## Upsides for Elopak

- Potential to further invest in line with Elopak standard and product portfolio
- A platform for further aseptic growth for Elopak in the MENA region
- Leverage Elopak's technical expertise to drive growth across products, segments and markets

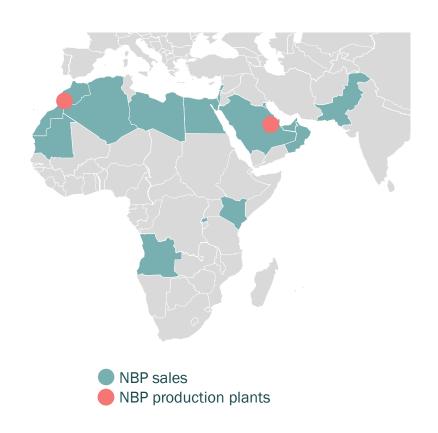


# Naturepak Beverage Packaging - overview

#### Company overview

- Naturepak Beverage Packaging is the leading gable top fresh liquid carton and packaging systems supplier in the MENA region
- Total revenue in 2020 ~40mUSD
- Main market segment is Morocco and fresh dairy
- High quality production facilities, close to key markets
  - Casablanca, Morocco
  - Dammam, Saudi Arabia
  - Total production capacity of 2.7 billion cartons
- NBP employs approx. 140 FTEs
- Main product lines
  - Gable top cartons and closures
  - Gable top filling machines
  - Technical service

#### Geographical presence





# Concluding remarks

▶ The acquisition of Naturepak Beverage Packaging highly complementary to Elopak's long-term strategy in terms of growth ambitions and profitability

An important platform for further growth in both fresh and aseptic segments

Completion expected during Q1 2022 following antitrust approvals

# Q&A