

# **Hindustan Unilever Limited**

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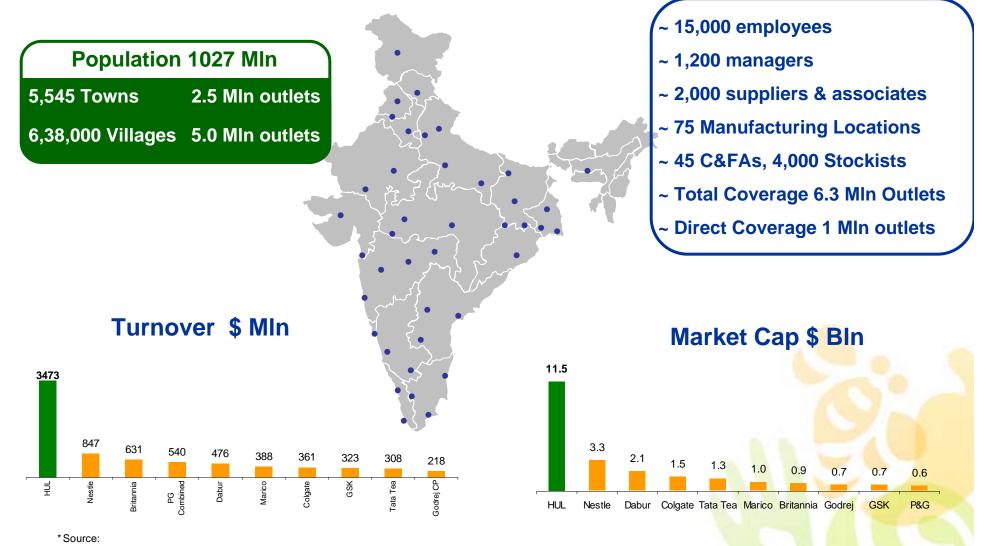
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#### Hindustan Unilever – a 75year history



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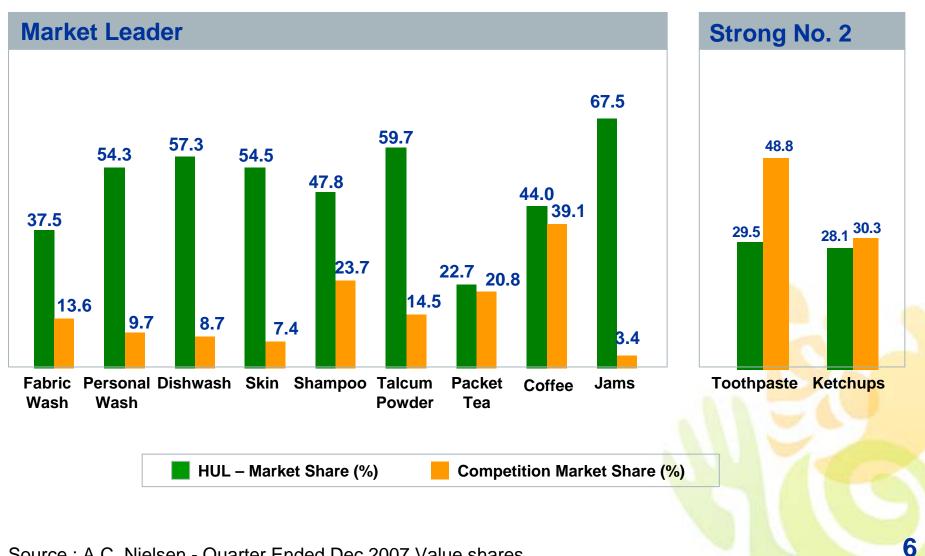
(1) Statistics on India, Total Coverage : AC Nielsen, Census of India 2001

(2) Statistics on Market reach : MRUC, Hansa Research - Guide to Indian Markets 2006

(3) P&G Turnover estimated turnover of PG HH, PG HP and Gillette

(4) Turnover 2007 for all companies as per published accounts, where available

## Leadership across Diverse FMCG Categories

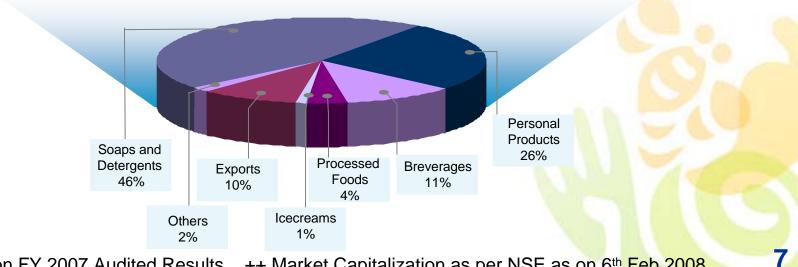


Source : A.C. Nielsen - Quarter Ended Dec 2007 Value shares

#### **Financial Overview 2007**



| Mn \$  |
|--------|
| 3473   |
| 499    |
| 14.4%  |
| 448    |
| 487    |
| 21c    |
| ~11500 |
|        |



\* Figures based on FY 2007 Audited Results ++ Market Capitalization as per NSE as on 6<sup>th</sup> Feb 2008

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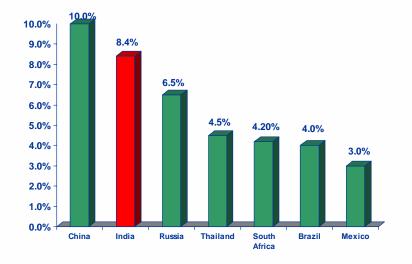
## **Opportunities & Challenges**

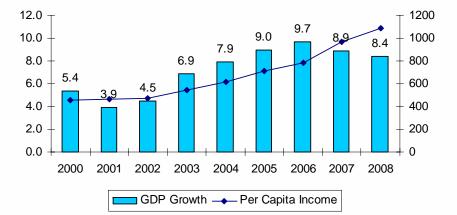


- India and its consuming class
- Increasing per capita income drives FMCG growth
- Opportunity to grow consumption and penetration
- Large scale potential to grow Foods
- Evolving trade structure

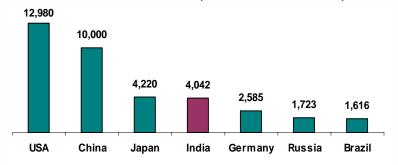


# India: Leading Emerging market Economy





Leading Economies in the World USD Billion (PPP basis, 2006)

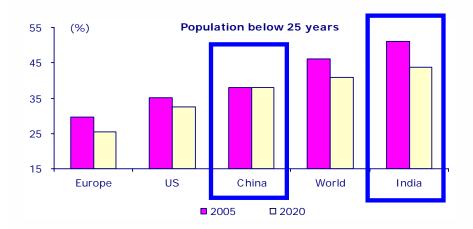


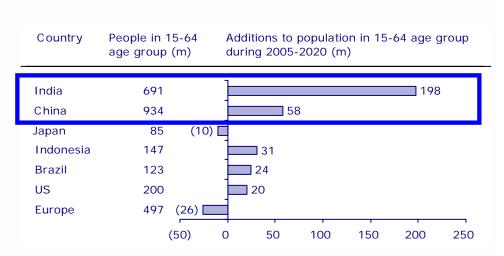
#### Per capita Disposable Income (\$)

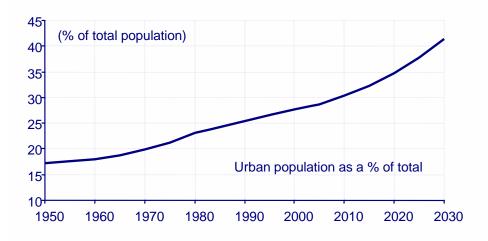
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\* Source Euromonitor

#### **Favourable Demographics**

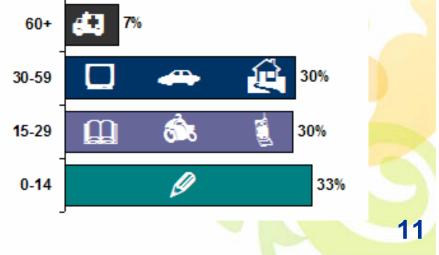






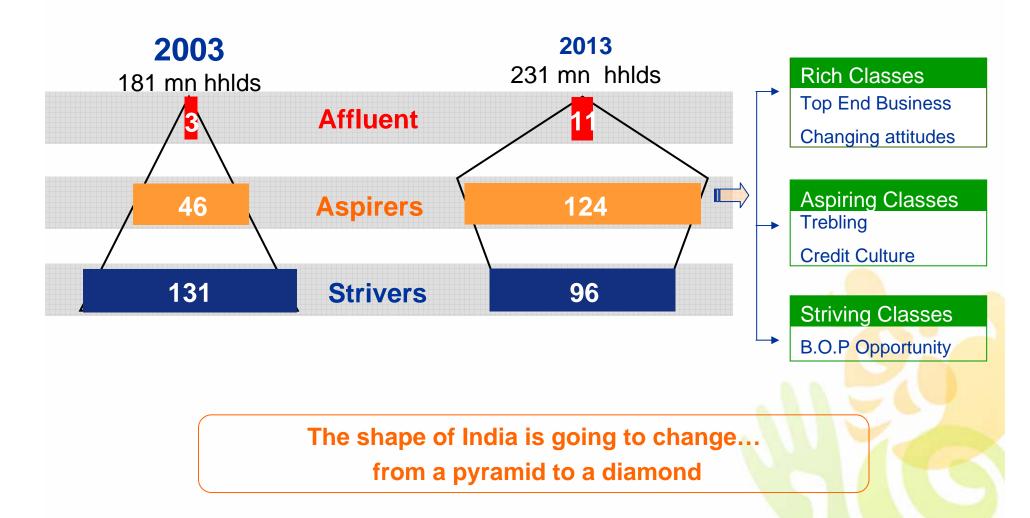
\* Family Budget Study

Age-wise Population Distribution



India - 2013



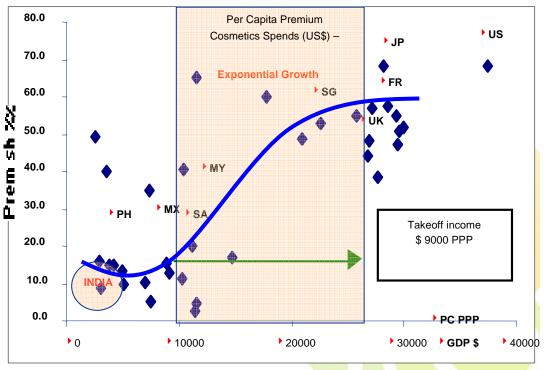


Source : National Council of Agriculture & Economic Research

## Changing consumer attitudes



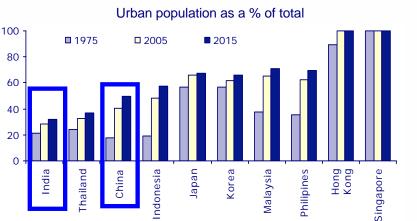
- These 11 MIn consumers have a purchasing power that is equal to that of Belgium
- Today's top-end consumer
  - grew up post the introduction of mass television(80's) and
  - started earning post liberalisation
- Today their aspirations are being driven by
  - Growing media sector (182 channels)
  - Freer import regime: presence of global manufacturers/brands
- Per Capita consumption increases significantly as income increases



#### A market waiting to take off !

# Rural : The Big Indian Romance

- Rural population larger than Europe (800 million)
- Low growth in agriculture; However rural incomes are growing faster With 70% of the population here, income growth is critical
- Structural changes in the economy which are affecting this are
  - Disintermediation in the agricultural market Price discovery mechanism has benefited farmers.
  - Govt. Grants and subsidies. Employment grants Rs 40000 crs



Rural potential – \$ 500 Bln

- McKinsey report

It's a big opportunity- how does one exploit it ?



| Rural | India |  |
|-------|-------|--|
|       |       |  |

| Population     | No. of villages | %   |
|----------------|-----------------|-----|
| ≺200           | 140341          | 22  |
| 200-500        | 127054          | 20  |
| 501-1000       | 144817          | 23  |
| 1001-2000      | 129662          | 20  |
| 2001-5000      | 80313           | 13  |
| ≻5000          | 15875           | 2   |
| Total villages | 638062          | 100 |
|                |                 |     |

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#### Evolving trade structure...

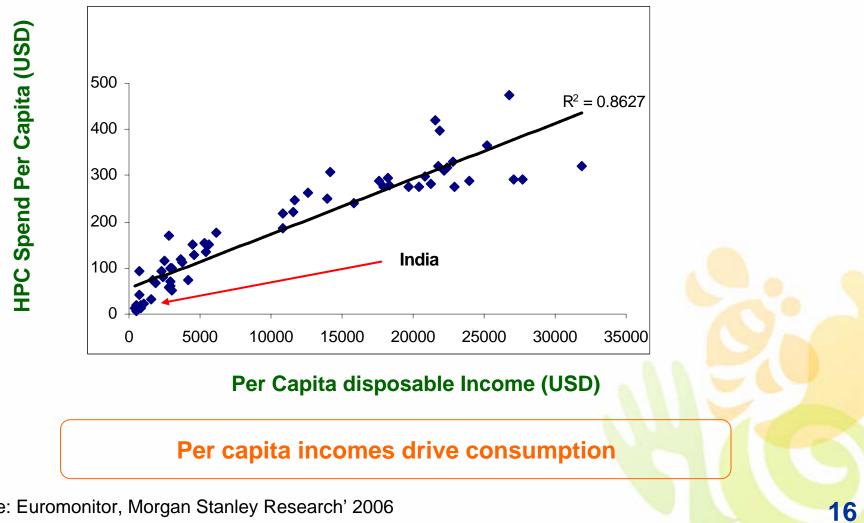




| Year | Modern Trade | General Trade |  |
|------|--------------|---------------|--|
| 2007 | 5%           | 95%           |  |
| 2010 | 10%          | 90%           |  |
| 2025 | 25%          | 75%           |  |

#### Increasing per capita income drives FMCG growth

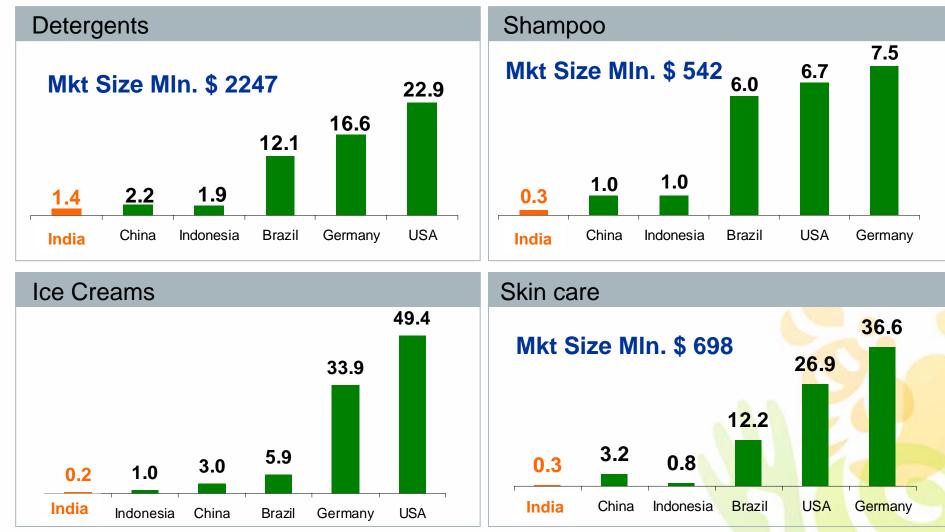
Disposable income per capita vs HPC spend per capita



Source: Euromonitor, Morgan Stanley Research' 2006

#### Opportunity to grow consumption

#### Per Capita Consumption (US \$ )



Source : Euromonitor, 2006

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#### Opportunity to grow penetration

#### **Penetration %\***

| Category        | All India % | Urban % | Rural % |
|-----------------|-------------|---------|---------|
| Deodorants      | 2.1         | 5.5     | 0.6     |
| Toothpaste      | 48.6        | 74.9    | 37.6    |
| Skin Cream      | 22.0        | 31.5    | 17.8    |
| Shampoo         | 38.0        | 52.1    | 31.9    |
| Utensil Cleaner | 28.0        | 59.9    | 14.6    |
| Instant Coffee  | 6.6         | 15.5    | 2.8     |
| Washing Powder  | 86.1        | 90.7    | 84.1    |
| Detergent Bar   | 88.6        | 91.4    | 87.4    |
| Toilet Soap     | 91.5        | 97.4    | 88.9    |

Source : MRUC, Hansa Research - Guide to Indian Markets 2006

\*Penetration numbers based on study conducted by Indian Readership Survey, on a sample size of ~250,000 based on usage in 6 months

## Foods Opportunity...



#### Bln. \$

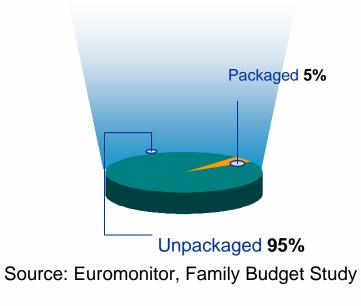
- Packaged Food Market \$14 Billion
- Largely Urban (80%), rapid historical growth: 13%
- Poised to accelerate: Income Elasticity of 1.33



Eastern Europe

Africa and West Asia

India



#### But bulk of food is still consumed fresh....unpackaged

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## HUL – Uniquely Positioned to Create Value

- Our Strategy
- Competitive Strengths
- Innovation and R&D capabilities to straddle the pyramid
- Versatile distribution network
- Strong Corporate Responsibility and Governance
- Strong Local talent base







# To earn the love and respect of India, by making a real difference to every Indian.



## **Our Strategy**



- Grow ahead of the market by leading market development activities
- Leverage positive impact of growing Indian economy on consumer spending
- Grow a profitable foods and Top end business
- Grow the bottom-line ahead of top line
- Strong commitment to sustainable development





# Portfolio straddling the pyramid across categories

| Particulars          | Laundry | Soaps | Shampoo | Skin  | Toothpaste | Теа   | Coffee |
|----------------------|---------|-------|---------|-------|------------|-------|--------|
| Market Size - \$ mln | 2247    | 1658  | 542     | 698   | 691        | 1113  | 177    |
| HUL Share            | 37.5%   | 54.3% | 47.8%   | 54.5% | 29.5%      | 22.7% | 44.0%  |
| Nearest Competitor   | 13.6%   | 9.7%  | 23.7%   | 7.4%  | 48.8%      | 20.8% | 39.1%  |



## Category Leadership: Laundry









Q1-06 Q2-06 Q3-06 Q4-06 Q1-07 Q2-07 Q3-07 Q4-07







# Strong Global Brands: Dove Hair Core







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DOVE DAILY

Conditioner

#### THE RESULTS.... Varsha Jathwani, Homen

G Dow Daily Therapy is perfect for me because I wash my hair frequently in summer. It's gentle on the hair and gives a soft feel even while washing. The conditioner also makes the hair smooth. Together they nourisk the hair and give it a healthy shims. I really love it."

#### Binal K Shathia, Homemakar

Gove Dry Therapy Shampoo offers an excellent father and has a greet scent. The best thing is that the hair remains smooth for a couple of days offer the wash. It has worked wonders on my dry hair and given it an anazing shine. My mom-in-haw has started using it too, seeing the results on my trasses."

DOVE BREAKAGE THERAPY

AND CALL REAL COLOR ROAD DECOL

Conditioner

**Modern Trade** 

#### Monica Sharms Petrovkar, Assistant Brand Managor

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# Building Category: Ponds Top End

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POND'S

#### Superior

#### Product

- Well trained Beauty Advisors
- Product

#### Knowledge

- Skin Analysis methodology
- Creating Awareness among the target consumer

•98+% feel Ponds Age Miracle has made a visible difference to them

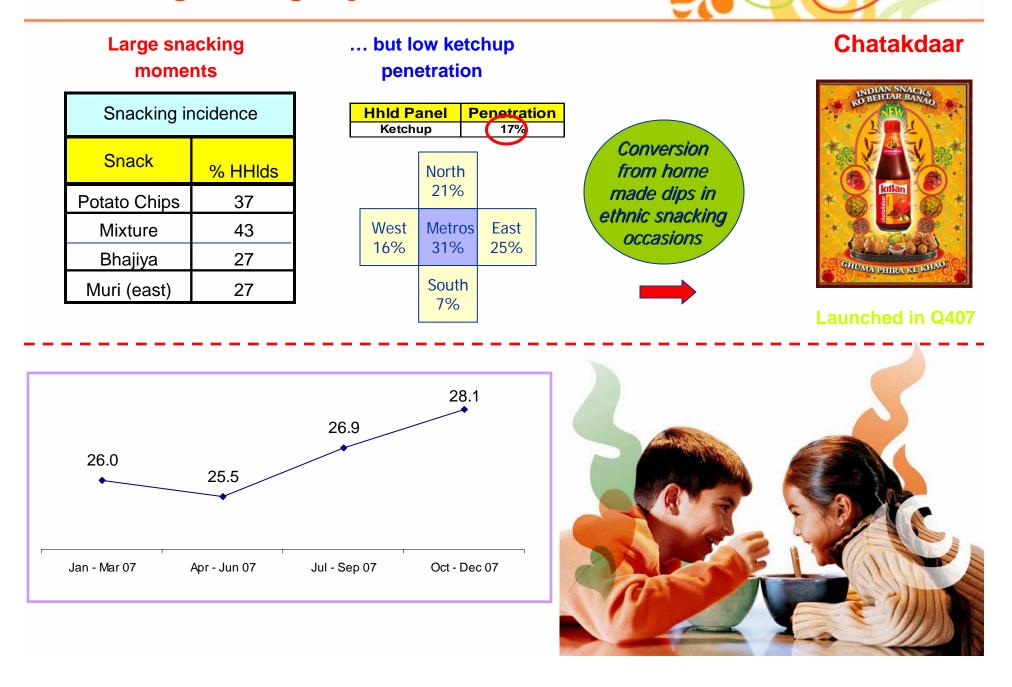
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•Gained ~1.5% market share in 6 months post launch **Building category- Processed Food** 



# Growing 'Out of Home' Opportunity

#### Growing incidence of Out of Home consumption Creating a Large & Growing Market

- 58% LSM 8+ consumers work between 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- Market in Premium channel estimated at 1500 cr. Growing at 23% p.a.

HUL uniquely poised to unlock the opportunity

- Dominant presence in both tea coffee & soup
- Currently serve 1.7 bill cups per annum

Appropriate customer/ consumer solutions to unlock value





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Leverage key relationships for accelerated growth:





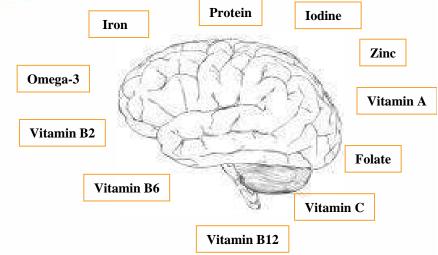


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## **Amaze: Brain Food**

- What Scientist say:
  - The school-going period is a critical period for a child's brain development
  - Functions like reasoning, problem solving, planning, memory develop at this age.





Why Amaze:

Each serving provides the right type of brain nutrients, in the right combination, giving children 33% of the daily required dosage for their mental development."

- Iron Vitamin C Vitamin A Calcium Vitamin B6 Folate
- = half Kg of spinach
- = 1 orange
- = 2 mangoes
- = 4 boiled eggs
- = 4 tomatoes

= 1 cup of cooked rice

Every product also includes Omega 3&6, which are building blocks of the brain.

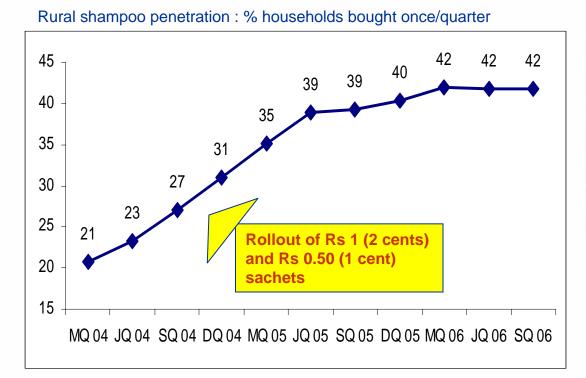
#### Water



~ 220 Mln Households, where safe drinking water in short Context supply **Proposition:** 'as safe as boiled water' without hassles of boiling no harmful virus, bacteria, parasites, pesticides Works without electricity & piped water Business model based on sale of consumables Affordable price: Cost of Unit - ~\$ 45; Cost of battery - \$ 7 Being Rolled out across key towns and urban areas COST 220 liters of pure water for \$ 1 Build brand image leadership & strong consumer relationship Our through effective communication; secure ongoing sale of Strategy consumables

Opportunity from increased penetration

#### Unique innovations & promotions to drive category penetration





Low price shampoo sachets have helped drive category penetration

## Innovation and R&D capabilities

- HUL leads global research in Oral, Skin and Laundry
- Some achievements:
  - Single Shot Soap making process
  - Skin Lightening Cream
  - Non Soap Detergent Bars
  - Poly coated Dish Wash Bar
  - Drinking water purifier (Pure-It)



Amaze









# Winning with "Go to Market Approach"

| Total population<br>(In Bln.)                | 1.1   |
|--|-------|
| Number of Retail<br>Stores (MIns)            | 7.74  |
| FMCG Market<br>(Annual, \$ MIn)*             | 16448 |
| Urban : Rural Ratio                          | 67:33 |
| FMCG Growth<br>(Value %)                     | 11    |
| Store Density<br>(Stores Per 1000<br>People) | 6.8   |
| Per Capita FMCG<br>Spend (Annual,\$)         | 14.5  |

#### **Distribution Strength**

Direct coverage – 1million outlets Brands reach – 6.3 million outlets

Strong IT capability, end to end connectivity

Unique channel Initiatives to Win at "Point of Purchase"

Portfolio of category and Brands give unique reach in Modern Trade

Project Shakti, a competitive advantage in Rural India

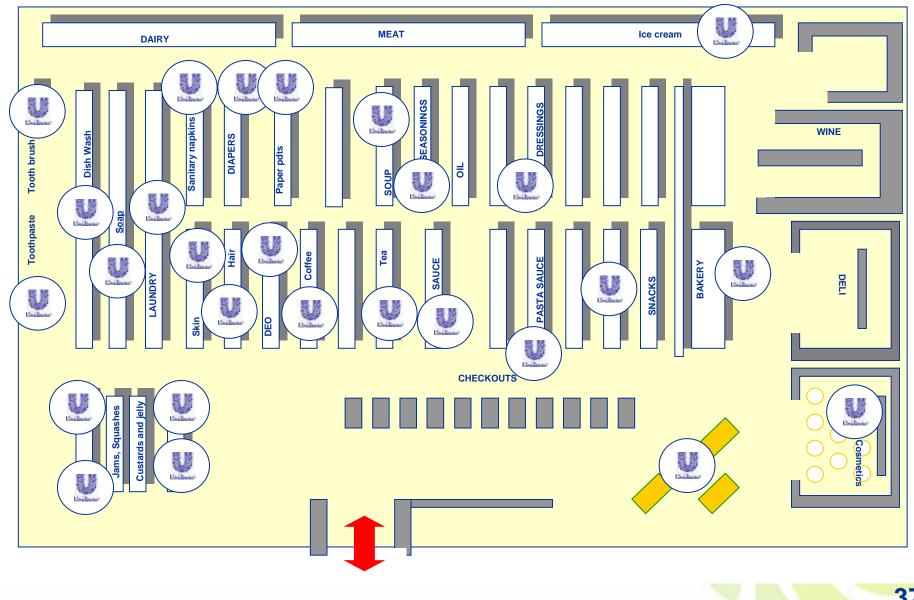
HIGHEST STORE DENSITY IN THE WORLD !

#### **New Channel Initiatives**

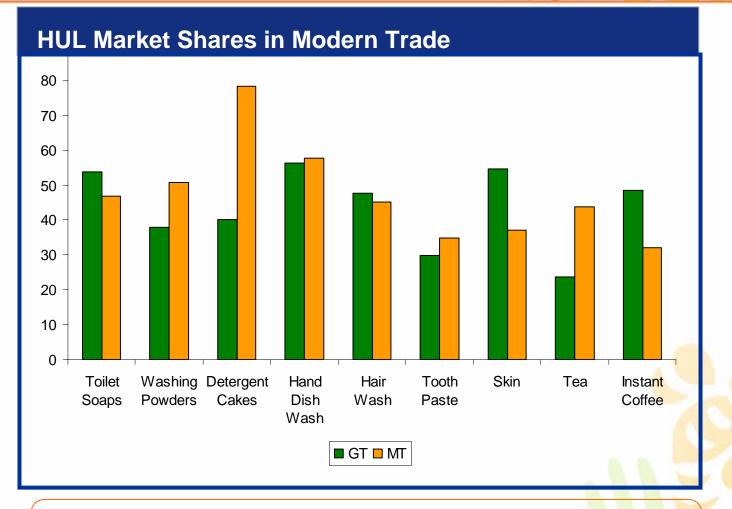




### What sets us apart - Reaching Shoppers



Organized retail - A source of competitive advantage



HUL Modern Trade (MT) Shares are higher than its General Trade (GT) shares in many categories

### Project Shakti- Enabling direct rural reach

- To Reach:
  - Small, scattered settlements and poor infrastructure make distribution difficult
  - Over 500,000 villages not reached directly by HUL
- To Communicate:

To Influence:

- Low literacy hampers effectiveness of print media
- Poor media-reach: 500 million Indians lack TV and radio



Turnover per market

- Low category penetration, consumption, brand awareness
- Per capita consumption in Unilever categories is 33% of urban levels



#### Shakti

#### **Three Shakti initiatives**

- Shakti entrepreneur; currently ~ 44000 women cover 1,25,000 villages
- Shakti Vani: one-to-many communication for category growth
- iShakti: customized interaction with remote consumers

#### Impact on community

- Business and social impact can go together
- Partnerships with diverse stakeholders



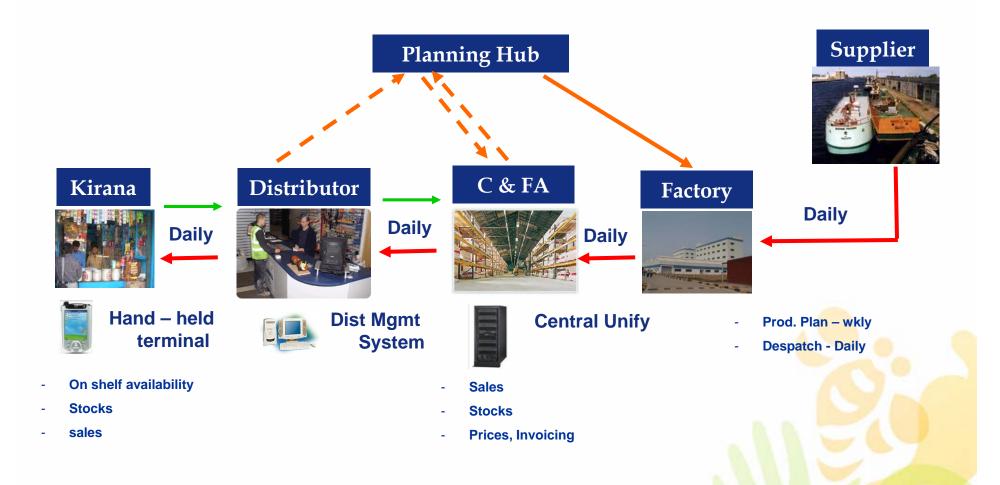








Capabilities : Leveraging IT for Growth



#### 35 Brands, 1500 skus 45 Depots, 4000 stockist

Corporate Responsibility – Aiding in the Development of the Country

- Lifebouy Swasthya Chetana Health & Hygiene
- Shakti Empowerment of women through micro-enterprise Opportunity
- Yashodadham Relief and Reconstruction in Gujarat's Kutch district
- Asha Daan Happy Home actively supported by Unilever

Combining corporate responsibility and business strategies to aid development of rural India



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# **Key Financials**



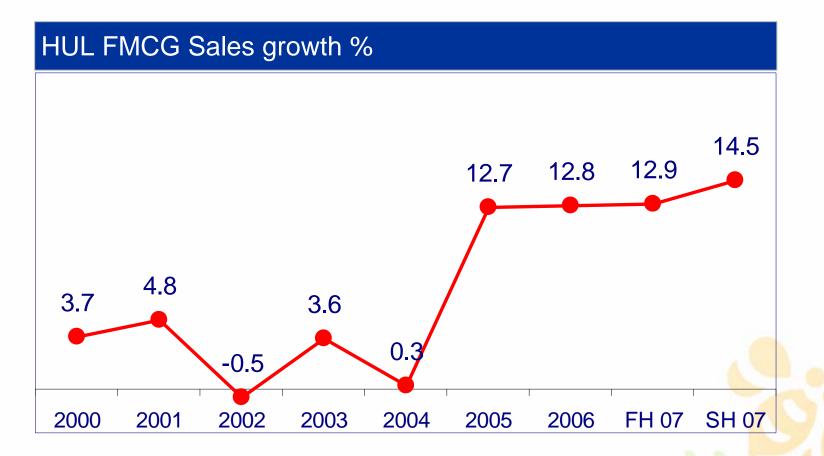
|                          | 2007  | 2006     | 2005     |
|--------------------------|-------|----------|----------|
| Reported Growth          | 13.3% | 9.4%     | 11.4%    |
| Continuing sales growth* | 13.5% | 10.0%    | 11.5%    |
| EBIT/ Sales %            | 14.4% | 14.1%    | 13.3%    |
| EBIT Growth              | 15.4% | 16.2%    | 1.1%     |
| Operating cash flow*     |       | \$365 Mn | \$489 Mn |

\* Before restructuring, disposal

As per audited financial statements of the company; accounting as per Indian GAAP

### Robust FMCG growth





As per audited financial statements of the company; accounting as per Indian GAAP; Sales growth is worked out on a continuing basis i.e. after adjusting the base for disposals etc.

### **EBIT Margins**





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## Earnings per Share

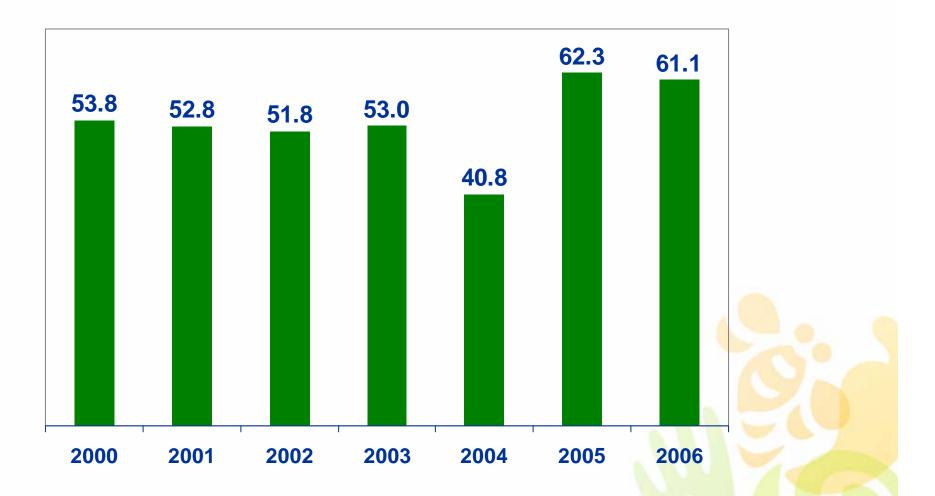


Figures in US \$ cents



As per audited financial statements of the company; accounting as per Indian GAAP Earnings per Share= Net Profit (aei) /No. of Shares; Calculations in constant turnover terms

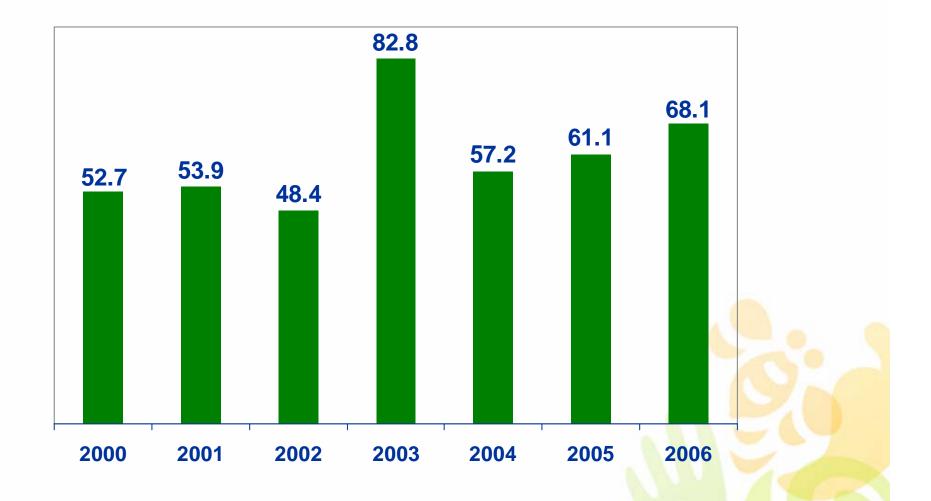
## **Return On Capital Employed**



As per audited financial statements of the company; accounting as per Indian GAAP ROCE= EBIT/Closing Capital Employed

### Return On Net Worth





As per audited financial statements of the company; accounting as per Indian GAAP ROCE= Net Profit (aei) / Closing Net Worth

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# Summary



- 3<sup>rd</sup> consecutive year of accelerated growth in FMCG portfolio. Growth broad based and across all categories
- FMCG markets expected to maintain current growth levels
- Successfully implement the Foods strategy
- Build momentum to the Water Business
- Build on competitive capabilities across business system
- Manage Cost inflation effectively to improve margins through pricing, cost savings and better mix
- Strong commitment to governance and CSR

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