



# **Third Quarter Fiscal Year 2021 Earnings Conference Call & Webcast Presentation**

**July 1, 2021**

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# Today's Speakers and Agenda

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## Speakers

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## Agenda

- Introduction
- Q3 Highlights
- Business Update
- Financial Summary
- Q&A

# Third Quarter Fiscal 2021 Overview

- Q3 Simply Good Foods net sales increased +32.0%. Results greater than our estimate as consumer mobility improved faster than our expectations
  - Relaxing of movement restrictions and better shopper traffic, particularly in the mass retail channel
  - Increasing on-the-go usage occasions resulted in greater nutrition bar consumption
- Q3 Adjusted EBITDA of \$67.5 million, increased 55.6% versus last year
  - Strong sales growth, G&A cost control and Quest acquisition synergies more than offset higher marketing investment and incentive compensation
  - Favorable product form, driven by bars, and customer mix in brick and mortar retailers resulted in solid gross margin expansion
- Total U.S. Simply Good Foods Q3 IRI MULO + C-store retail takeaway +29.1%
  - Growth driven by both the Atkins and Quest brands across major channels
  - Performance solid across all forms, particularly bars due to increasing consumer mobility
- Executed well against our priorities and remain committed to doing the right thing for our brands, customers, and consumers
  - Announced a price increase in June, effective in September
    - ☐ Expect higher raw materials and distribution costs starting in Q4 and in fiscal 2022
  - Pricing, as well as productivity, is expected to enable continued investments in initiatives that drive growth

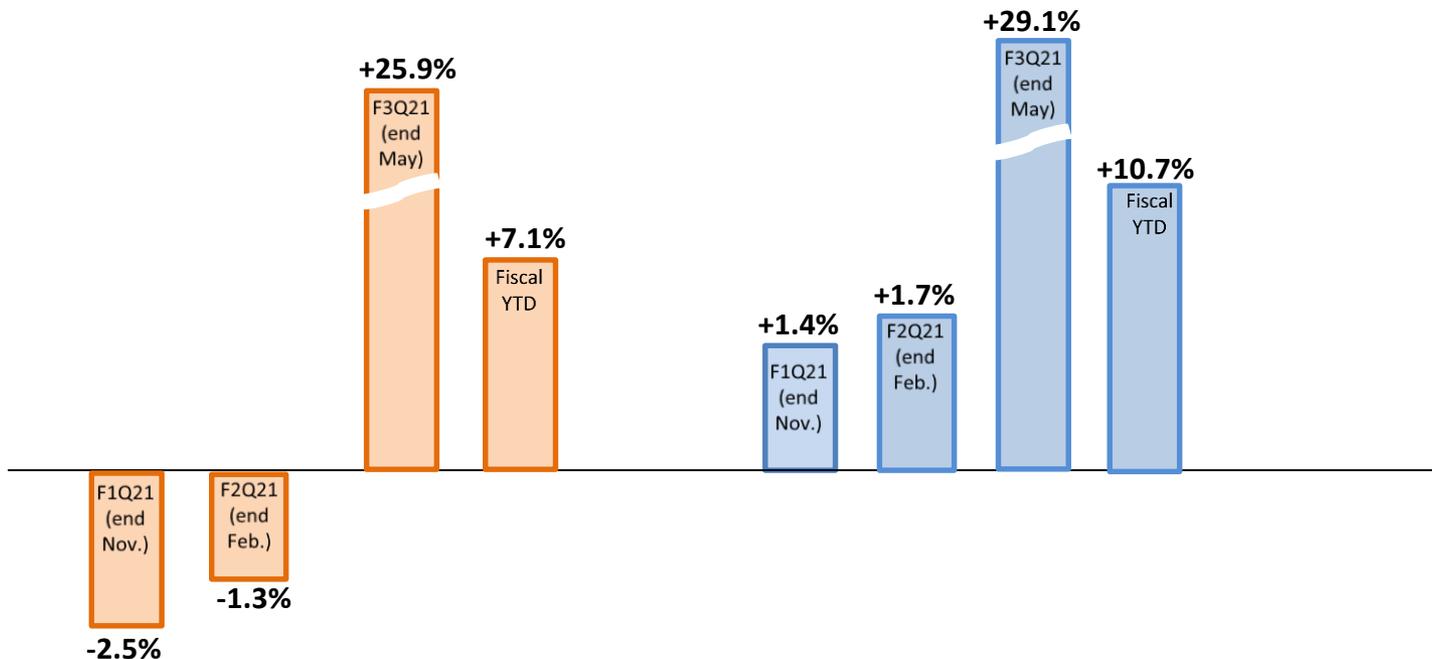
# Simply Good Foods Retail Takeaway Outpacing the Category

- Simply Good Foods IRI MULO + C-store market share increased
- Atkins and Quest outpaced the sub-segments of weight management and active nutrition
- Simply Good Foods e-commerce retail takeaway about the same as measured channels

*U.S. IRI MULO + C-store Retail Takeaway % Change vs. Year Ago*

*Nutritional Snacking Category*

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- Atkins Q3 IRI MULO + C-store retail takeaway increased 15.6%<sup>1</sup>, with growth across all forms and major retail channels
  - Increasing mobility, improving shopper trips in brick and mortar retailers and buyer growth resulted in solid retail takeaway
  - Bars and shakes increased +4.9% and +20.5% in Q3, respectively; a meaningful improvement versus F1H21
  - Atkins Endulge confections momentum continues, up +26.7% in Q3
- Improving shopper traffic in the mass channel was strong and combined with increased levels of distribution and display, resulted in Q3 POS growth of about 25% in this channel
- Growing relevance in weight management resulted in continued growth of total buyers
  - Buy rate lower than historical average, particularly for bars, as “return to the office” and pre pandemic routines are still evolving
- In the fourth quarter of fiscal 2021:
  - Anticipate continued improvement in consumer mobility, although, as we enter Q4 the POS growth rate is affected by more difficult year ago comparisons. As such, we expect overall Q4 retail dollar sales to be somewhat similar to Q3
  - E-commerce growth rate expected to moderate given the strong year ago comparison
  - Innovation in place and should enable us to build on year-to-date buyer trends:

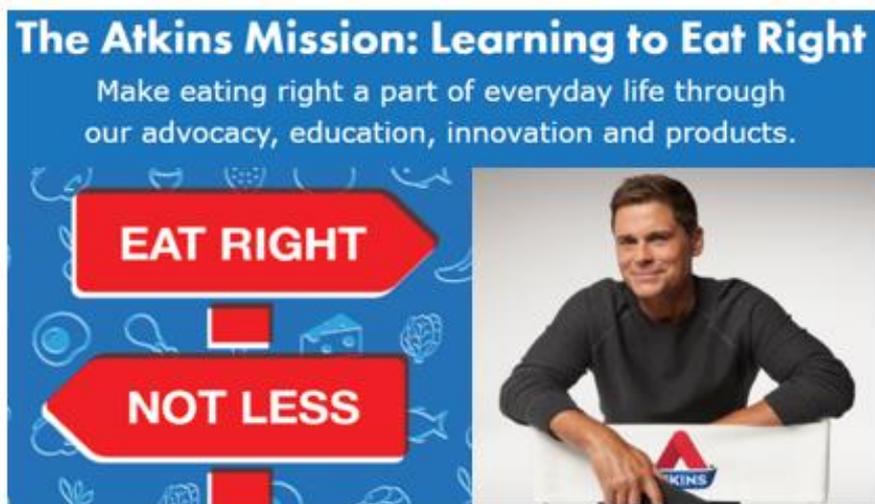


- Quest Q3 measured channel retail takeaway increased +56.2%<sup>1</sup>, significantly outpacing the category
  - Growth driven by improving shopper traffic in the mass channel, an increase in consumer mobility and greater on-the-go consumption
  - Bars, about ~60% of total retail sales, returned to growth. Q3 retail takeaway increased +38.0%, more than double the segment growth rate
  - Cookies, chips and confections momentum continued, up a combined 146% in Q3
- Strong growth across all channels and major customers
  - Improving traffic in the mass and C-store channels was strong and, combined with increased distribution and display, resulted in Q3 retail takeaway of 65.4% and 77.5%, respectively, in these channels
  - E-commerce momentum continues; more than 20% of total Quest retail sales
  - Specialty channel, while small as a percent of total Quest sales, returned to growth
- In the fourth quarter of fiscal 2021:
  - In Q4 we anticipate trends by form will continue and will result in total Quest retail dollar sales similar to Q3
  - Lower level of trade promotions of protein chips and peanut buttercups as we manage demand within our available supply
  - Solid pipeline of innovation and variety:



# Summary

- Third quarter results better than expected driven by improving mobility and increasing shopper traffic in the mass channel
- Anticipate Q4 retail dollar sales to be similar to Q3
- Expect higher raw materials and distribution costs in Q4 to be offset by continued improved mix
- Productivity and pricing action should offset fiscal 2022 supply chain inflation and enable us to maintain gross margins and continue to invest in initiatives that drive growth
- Executing well against our plan and delivering on our financial objectives with flexibility to invest in the business as a path to increasing shareholder value



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**CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER**

# Net Sales Performance

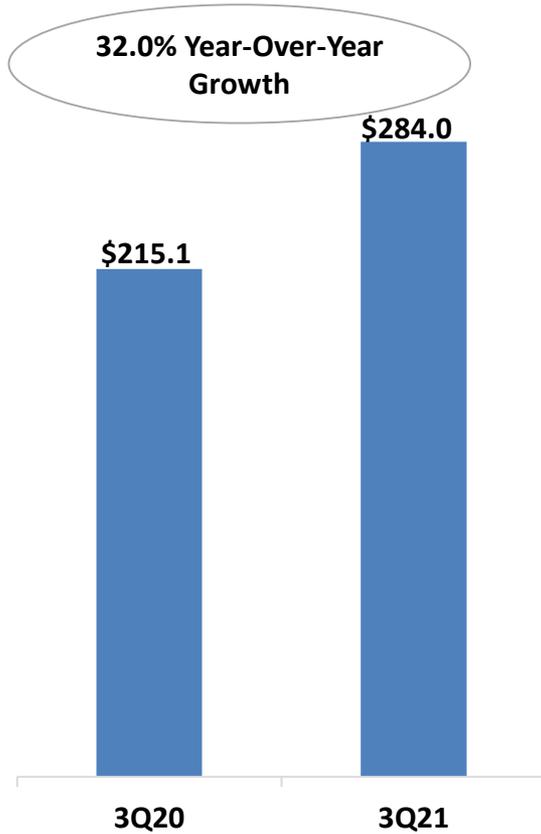
## Net Sales Drivers of Growth

	<u>Q3</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Core North America	30.7%	24.2%
Core International	<u>2.3%</u>	<u>2.4%</u>
	33.0%	26.6%
SimplyProtein Divestiture and Europe Exit	<u>-0.9%</u>	<u>-1.1%</u>
Total Simply Good Foods	32.0%	25.5%

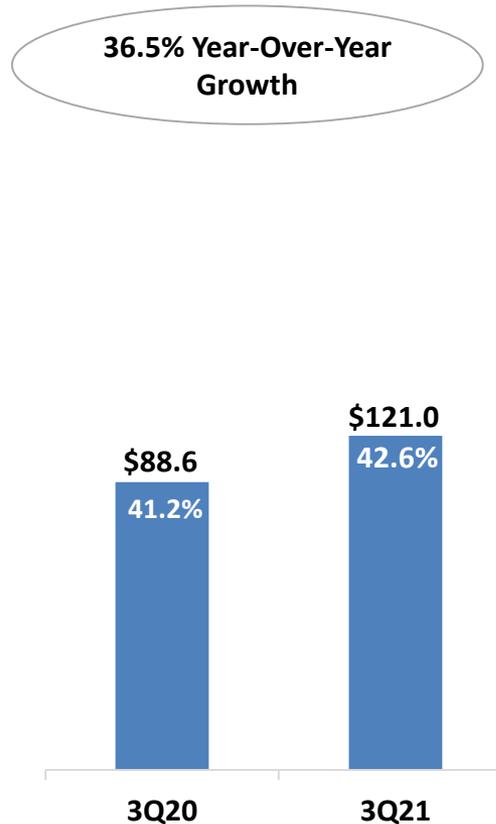
# 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Net Sales and Profit

## Fiscal Q3 2021 vs. Year Ago Period

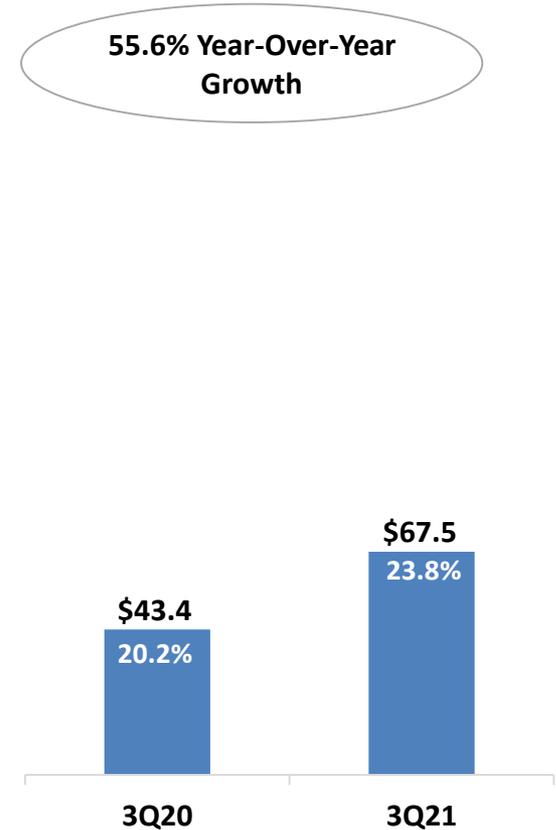
### Net Sales<sup>1</sup>



### Gross Profit (and % Margin)<sup>1</sup>



### Adjusted EBITDA (and % Margin)<sup>1,2</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Dollars in millions. Unaudited financial information for the 13-weeks ended May 30, 2020 and 13 weeks ended May 29, 2021

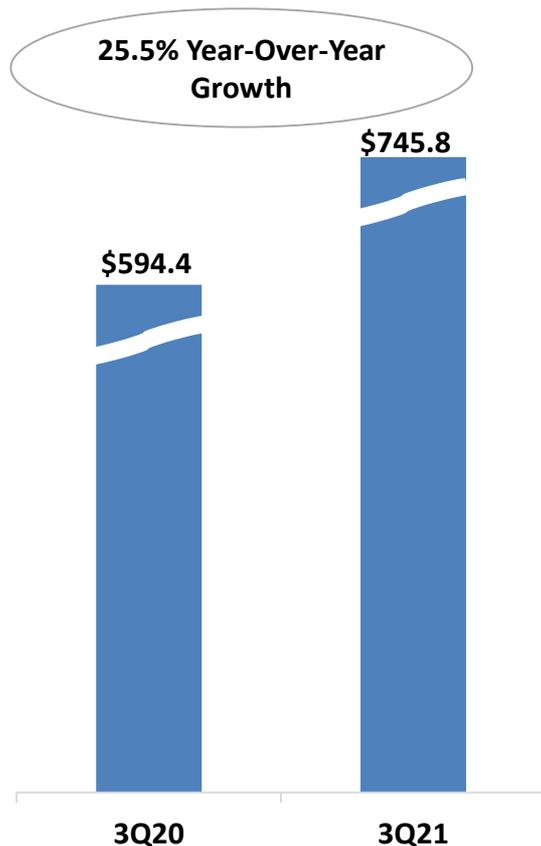
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Note: Dollar amounts in millions; Bars/graphs not to scale

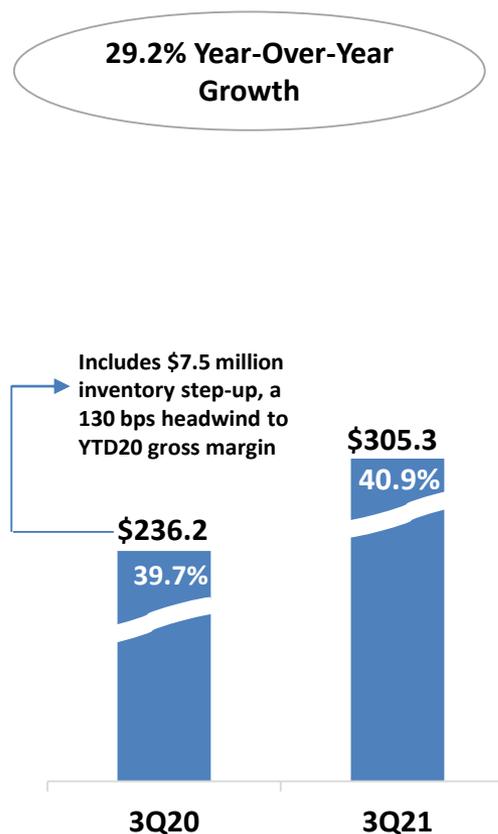
# Year-to-Date Q3 Net Sales and Profit

## YTD Q3 Fiscal 2021 vs. Year Ago Period

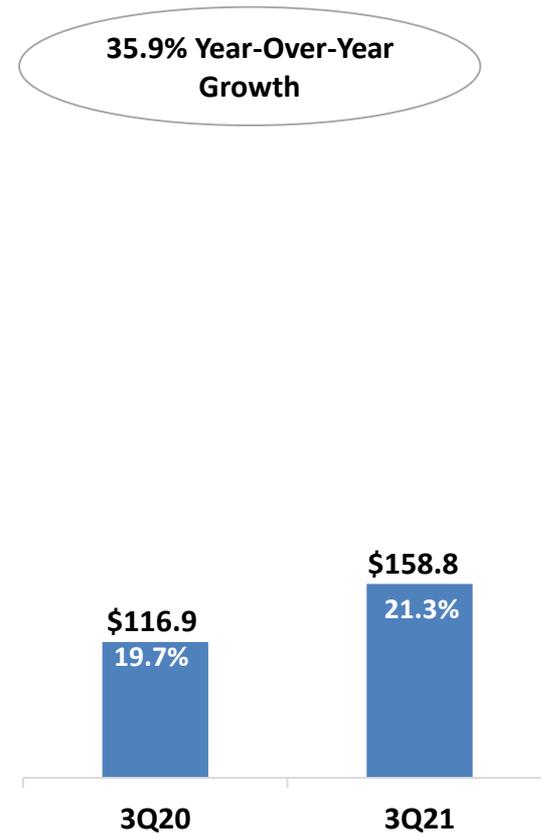
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### Adjusted EBITDA (and % Margin)<sup>1,2</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Dollars in millions. Unaudited financial information for the 39-weeks ended May 30, 2020 and 39 weeks ended May 29, 2021

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# Earnings Per Share-Diluted

## Reconciliation of Adjusted Diluted EPS

	3Q	YTD
GAAP Diluted EPS	\$0.06	\$0.23
Depreciation & Amortization	\$0.05	\$0.14
Stock Based Compensation	\$0.02	\$0.06
Integration of Quest	--	\$0.03
Restructuring	--	\$0.04
Gain on Legal Settlement	(\$0.05)	(\$0.05)
Other <sup>1</sup>	\$0.00	(\$0.01)
Tax Effects of Adjustments <sup>2</sup>	(\$0.01)	(\$0.06)
Loss in fair value change of warrant liability <sup>3</sup>	\$0.37	\$0.62
Dilution impact from Warrant Accounting Treatment <sup>3,5</sup>	(\$0.02)	(\$0.04)
Rounding <sup>4</sup>	\$0.01	\$0.01
<b>Adjusted Diluted EPS</b>	<b>\$0.43</b>	<b>\$0.97</b>

<sup>1</sup>Other items consist principally of exchange impact of foreign currency transactions and other expenses.

<sup>2</sup>This line item reflects the aggregate tax effect of all non-tax adjustments reflected in the preceding line items of the table. The tax effect of each adjustment is computed (i) by dividing the gross amount of the adjustment, as shown in the Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation, by the number of diluted weighted average shares outstanding for the applicable fiscal period and (ii) applying an overall assumed statutory tax rate of 27% for the thirteen and thirty-nine weeks ended May 29, 2021 and 26% for the thirteen and thirty-nine weeks ended May 30, 2020.

<sup>3</sup>Diluted earnings per share includes the fair value loss and re resulting exclusion of anti-dilutive shares related to the Private Warrants. Fair value adjustments are a permanent tax difference and do not impact tax expense. The Company excludes the non-cash fair value loss and subsequently considers the dilutive share count effect of such adjustment in the non-GAAP measure. Note, mark to market gain adjustments are already excluded from the numerator, and dilutive shares are included, in calculating diluted earnings per share in accordance with GAAP.

<sup>4</sup>Adjusted Diluted Earnings Per Share amounts are computed independently for each quarter. Therefore, the sum of the quarterly Adjusted Diluted Earnings Per Share amounts may not equal the year to date Adjusted Diluted Earnings Per Share amounts due to rounding.

<sup>5</sup>Adjusted Diluted EPS for the 13 and 39 weeks ended May 29, 2021 reflects fully diluted shares outstanding of 101.9 million and 101.1 million which includes 4.3 million and 3.9 million shares to reverse the exclusion of the private warrants in fully diluted shares outstanding under GAAP due to the private warrants being classified as a liability on our balance sheet.

# Balance Sheet & Cash Flow

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- Fiscal 3Q21 term loan debt pay-down of \$50 million; term loan debt balance at May 30, 2021, \$506.5 million (LIBOR<sup>1</sup>+375 bps)
- Fiscal third quarter year-to-date cash flow from operations of \$91.8 million
  - Cash and cash equivalents balance at May 30, 2021 of \$90.2 million
  - Trailing twelve month Net Debt to Adjusted EBITDA<sup>2</sup> ratio 2.1x
- Year-to-date capital expenditures of \$3.2 million. Fiscal 2021 capital expenditures expected to be \$5-6 million driven by equipment purchases at our new warehouse
- Anticipate fiscal 2021 GAAP interest expense, including amortization of debt issuance costs, of approximately \$31 million

<sup>1</sup> LIBOR minimum floor 1.00%

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# Fiscal 2021

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- As consumer mobility increased our business accelerated. We are confident in our short and long-term growth prospects as our business and Company have emerged from COVID-19 challenges stronger and more capable
- Full Fiscal Year 2021 Outlook:
  - Assuming no significant COVID-19 disruptions in the U.S. our marketplace momentum should continue
  - Increased full year fiscal 2021 outlook and anticipate:
    - ❑ Net sales to be in the \$995-1,005 million range; includes divestiture of SimplyProtein business and the European business exit, about a combined 1.5 percentage point headwind
    - ❑ Adjusted EBITDA to be in the \$200-205 million range
    - ❑ Adjusted Diluted Earnings Per Share to in \$1.20 to \$1.25 range
- Full fiscal year 2021 gross margin outlook increased; apart from the non-cash inventory step in the year ago period, it is now expected to be about the same as last year; the Company continues to anticipate Adjusted EBITDA margin expansion
- Asset-light business model with lean infrastructure enables strong cash flow from operations and flexibility to invest in organic opportunities and participate in M&A
- We will continue to execute against our plans that position us well to deliver on our financial objectives and increase shareholder value over the long term

# Q&A