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Management believes that non-GAAP financial measures enhance investors' understanding and analysis of the company's performance. As such, results and outlook have been adjusted to exclude certain items as indicated in the non-GAAP reconciliations to the comparable GAAP financial measures included in previously published earnings releases (hyperlink available in appendix) and described in additional information posted on our website (www.kimberly-clark.com/investors). The non-GAAP financial measures exclude net benefit related to the acquisition of a controlling interest in Thinx and pension settlement charges in 2022. They exclude impairment charges, impact of the sale of Brazil tissue and professional business and pension settlement charges in 2023.

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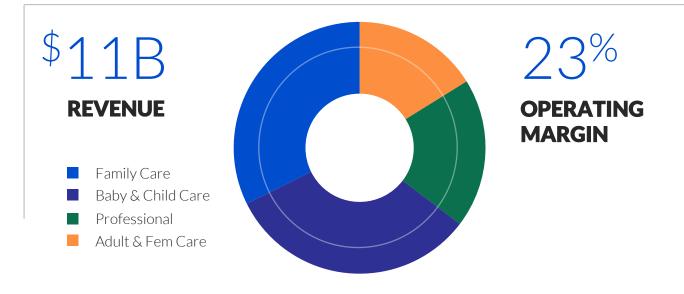
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### North America Is a Powerhouse Poised for Acceleration



#### **POWERHOUSE BRANDS**























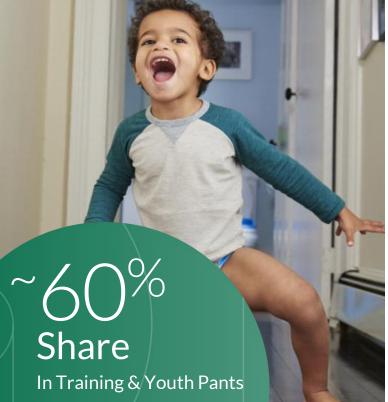


#### Strong and Growing Personal Care Business

#### **HUGGIES**













Source: 2023 U.S. All Outlet estimates



#### Differentiated Family Care Business With a Stable Core

**Balanced portfolio of strong brands with proprietary technology** 

#### Cottonelle<sup>®</sup>















Source: 2023 U.S. All Outlet estimates



### Competitively Advantaged Professional Care

Scale route to market, differentiated products, and installed base of customers











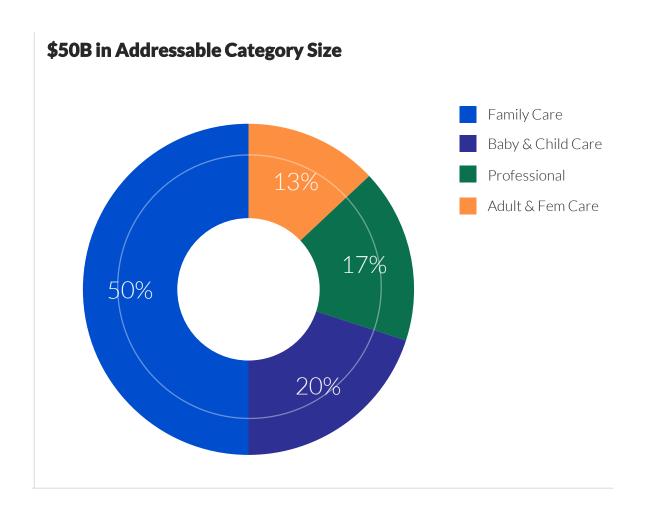


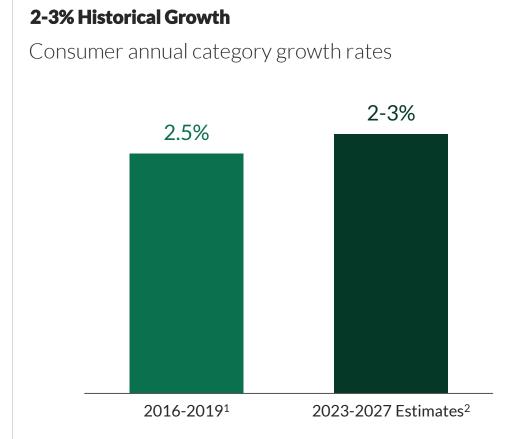


Source: 2023 U.S. Professional estimates



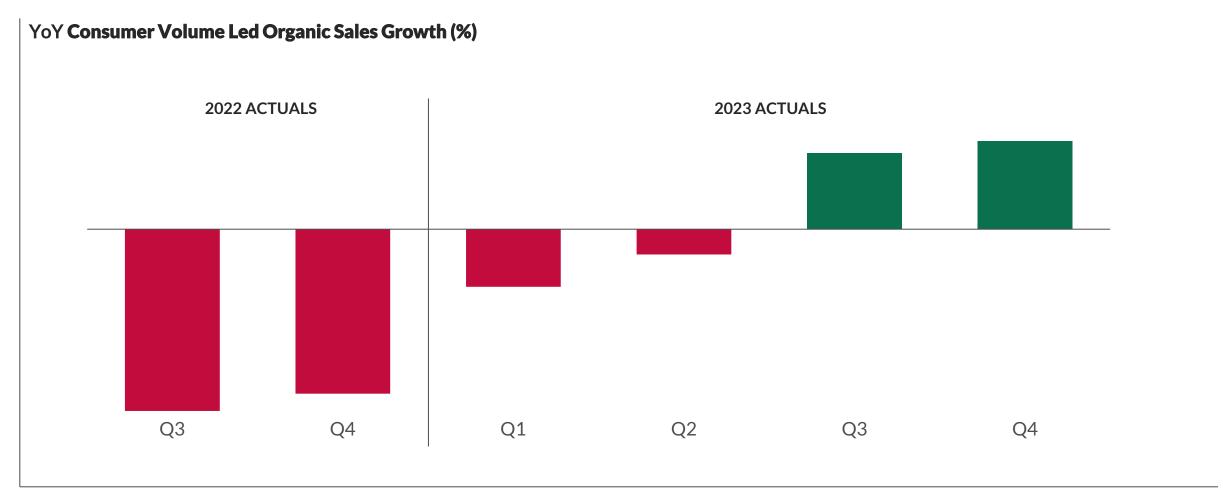
#### Large, Structurally Attractive Categories with Room to Grow







### Volume Trajectory Normalizing Post-Pricing





## North America Growth Drivers



Leveraging Tailwinds



Unleashing Commercial Execution

- Best in Class Marketing
- Genius Execution



Market Growth at Low-Single Digits



Pioneering Innovation



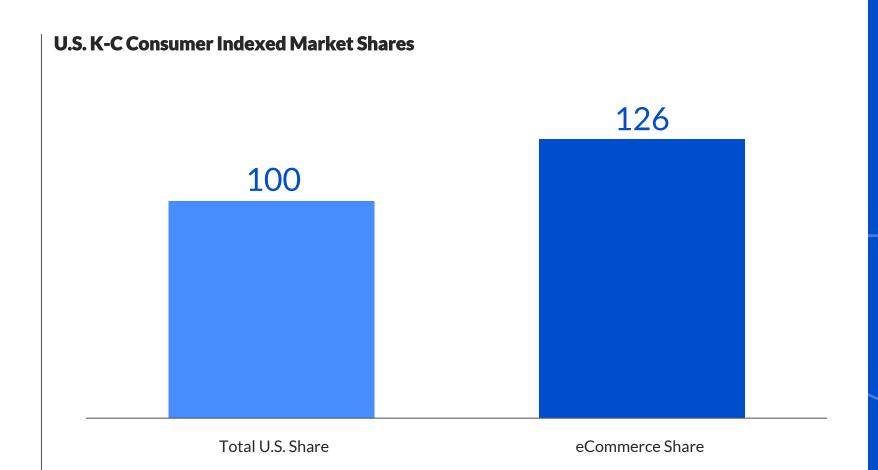
### Leveraging Structural Growth Tailwinds in Sub-Categories

		K-C POSITION	SEGMENT SIZE	ANNUAL \$ GROWTH (2019-2023)	ANNUAL VOLUME GROWTH (2019-2023)
	ADULT CARE	#1	\$3.1B	8%	3%
<u>.w.</u>	BABY WIPES	#1	\$2.5B	9%	4%
<b>V</b>	TRAINING & YOUTH PANTS	#1	\$1.8B	7%	3%
<u></u>	FLUSHABLE WIPES	#1	\$0.9B	10%	7%
	DRY WIPERS	#1	\$1.2B	3%	N/A

Source: 2019-2023 U.S. All Outlet and Professional estimates



## Increasing Exposure to Fast-Growing eCommerce



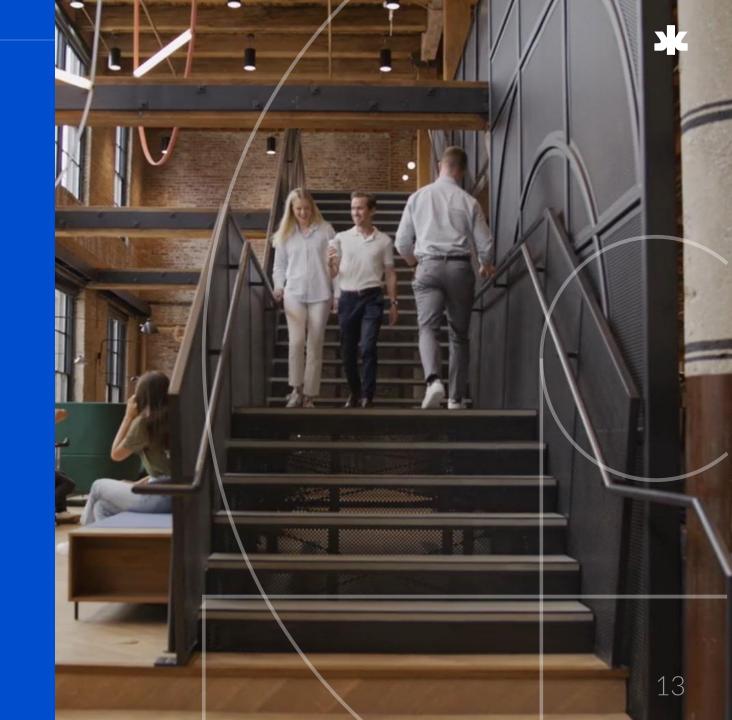
K-C is meaningfully over indexed in eCommerce, which is growing over 2x faster than the total market

Source: 2023 U.S. All Outlet estimates

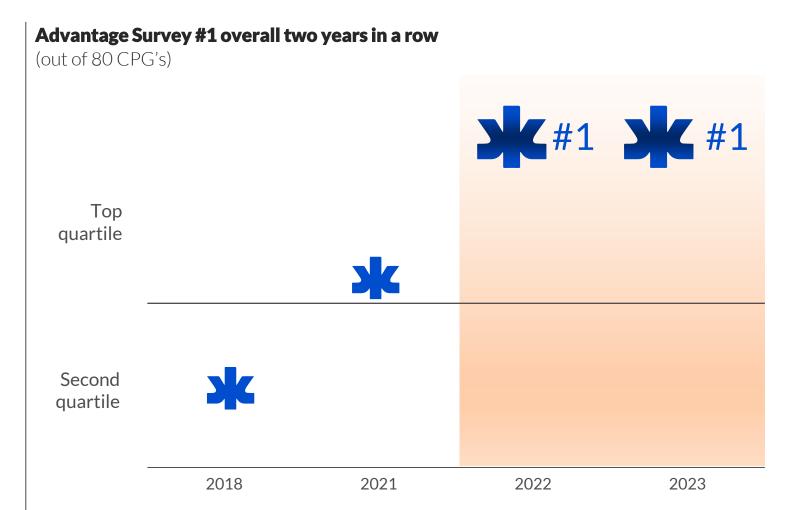
Unleashing Commercial Execution: Chicago Commercial Center

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New roles filled in Chicago since 2022



### #1 Go To Market Organization in North America Consumer Products



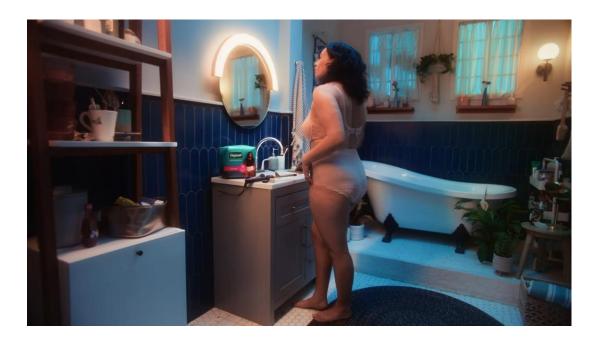


Source: Advantage annual CPG survey



### Elevating to World-Class Creative and Storytelling That Drives Emotional Connection











## Driving Growth and Strengthening Product Differentiation With Compelling Benefit Claims

#### **HUGGIES**°









\*Among leading national diaper brands, across all offered variants



\*Across all offered sizes, among national brands. Three 8oz. water bottles, 24oz. total



\* Weight of super absorbent material

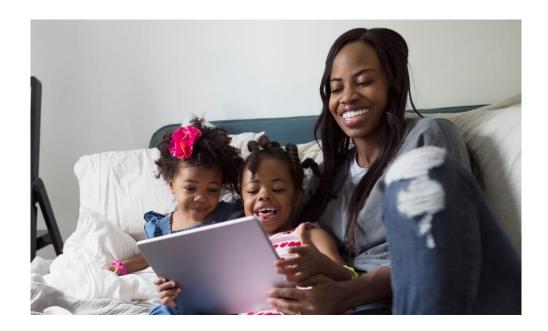


\*When wet vs. nationally branded towels



## Accelerating Our Personalized Digital Marketing Ecosystem for Consumer Brands...

### Audience First = Precision Meets Scale reaching consumers in 'moment of receptivity'



#### **Relevant = creative excellence + brand in culture**

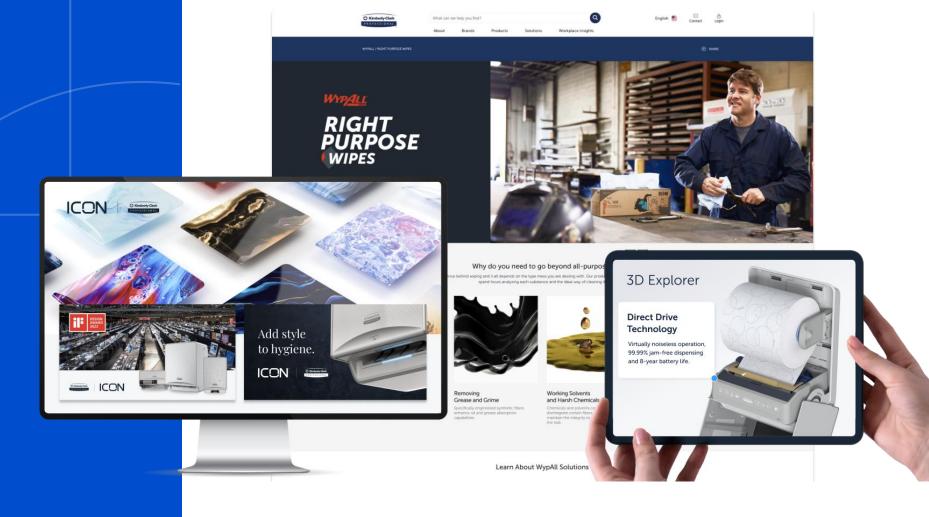




... And Digitizing Our Business in Professional

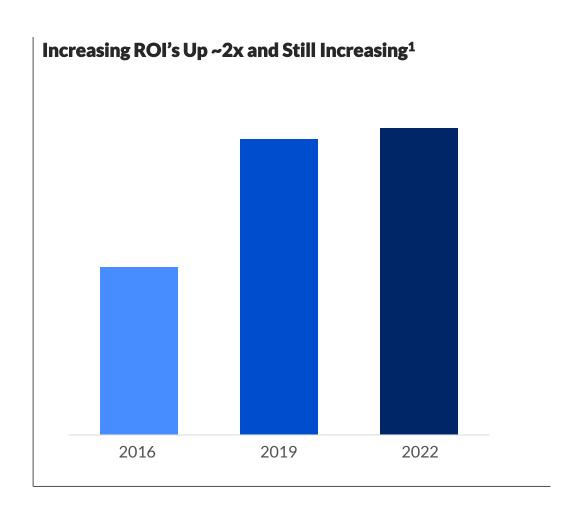
World-class B2B digital marketing

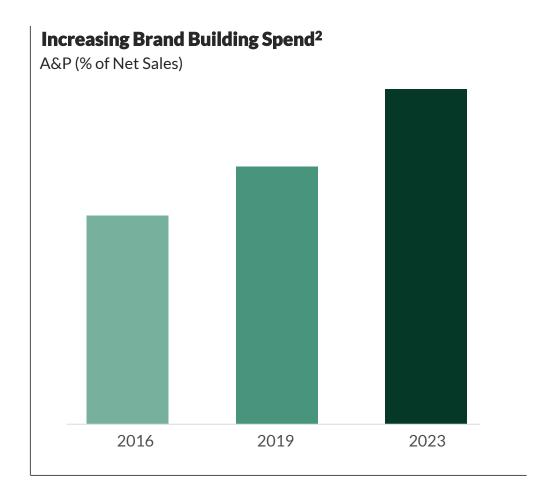
Agile Go-to-Market execution





### Driving Marketing Virtuous Cycle





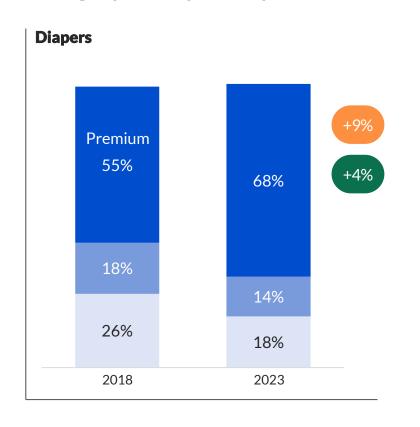
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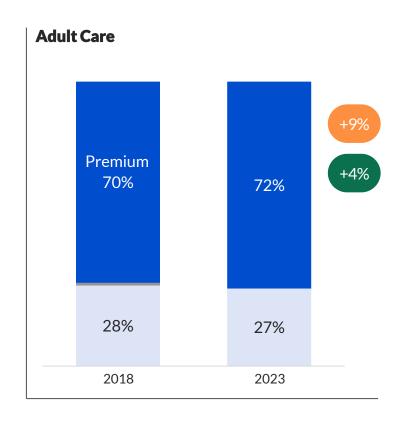
## North American Consumers Respond to Innovation in Our Categories, Creating Growth and Positive Mix

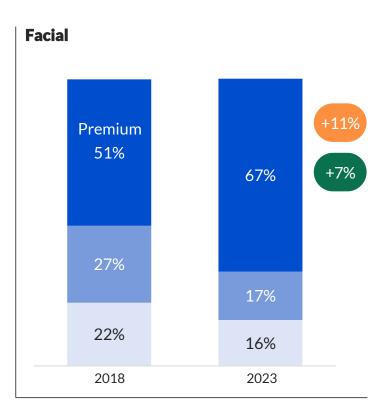
#### **Category mix by quality tier**



Mainstream Value

Premium





% 5-year \$ CAGR

% 5-year Volume CAGR

Source: 2018-2023 U.S. All Outlet estimates



### Example: Our Overnight Platform Has Grown 2x vs. Category

**Example: 'Sleep Soundly' Benefit Platform** 



~ 1 0 % sales CAGR since 2018<sup>1</sup>

#1 Share in 5 of 6 segments<sup>2</sup>



# HUGGIES

Driving Growth and Mix with Solutions to Unmet Needs

**Protection** 



Keeps Baby's Skin Clean & Dry Stays in Place on My Active Baby's Curves Sleep



Long Lasting
Absorbency for a
Good Night's Sleep

Skin Health



Protects Baby's Skin from Rash and Irritation





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# APPENDIX







### Press Releases - Previous Quarters

Title	Hyperlink
Kimberly-Clark Announces Year-End 2019 Results And 2020 Outlook	Q4 & FY 2019
Kimberly-Clark Announces Year-End 2020 Results And 2021 Outlook	Q4 & FY 2020
Kimberly-Clark Announces Year-End 2021 Results And 2022 Outlook	Q4 & FY 2021
Kimberly-Clark Announces First Quarter 2022 Results	Q1 2022
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