

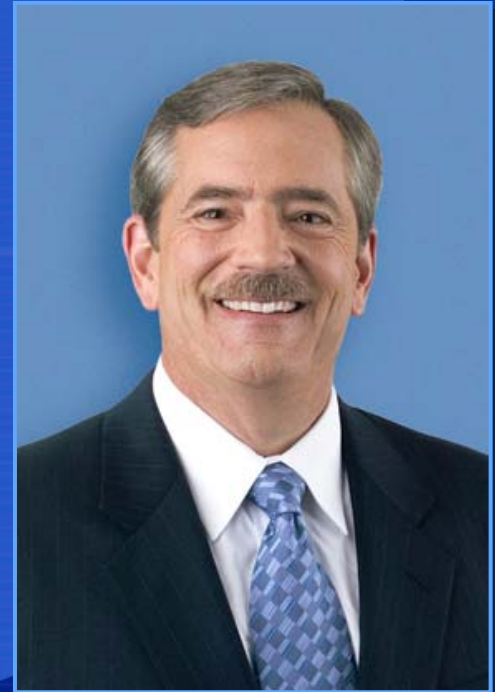


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2006 Review 2007 Outlook



Steve Sanger
*Chairman and
Chief Executive Officer*

NEW PHASE OF GROWTH LONG-TERM MODEL

	CGR
Net Sales Growth Rate	Low Single Digit
Segment Operating Profit Growth Rate	Mid Single Digit
Diluted EPS Growth Rate	High Single Digit

NEW CORPORATE INCENTIVE GRID TARGETS GROWTH & RETURN

Key Metrics

Net Sales

Operating Profit

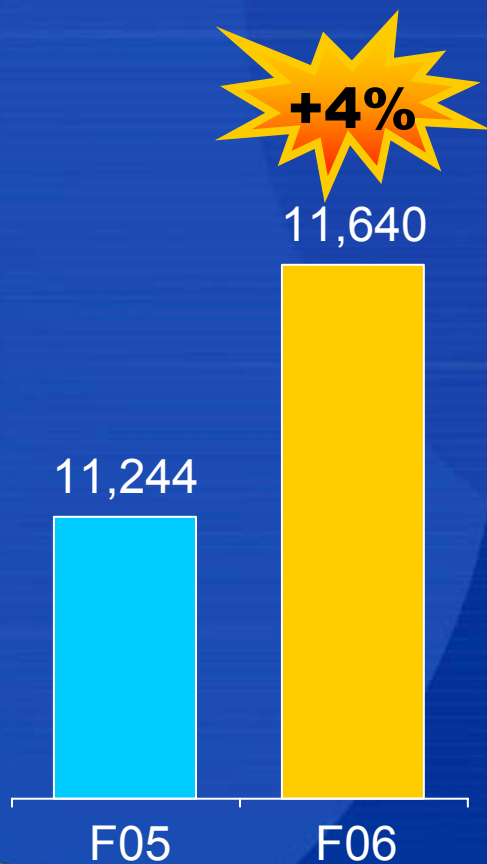
Diluted Earnings Per Share

Improvement in Return on Capital

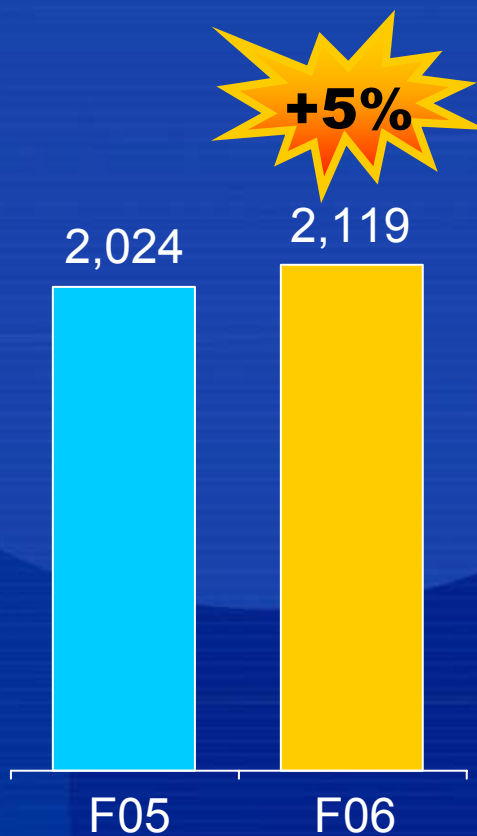


GROWTH IN FISCAL 2006

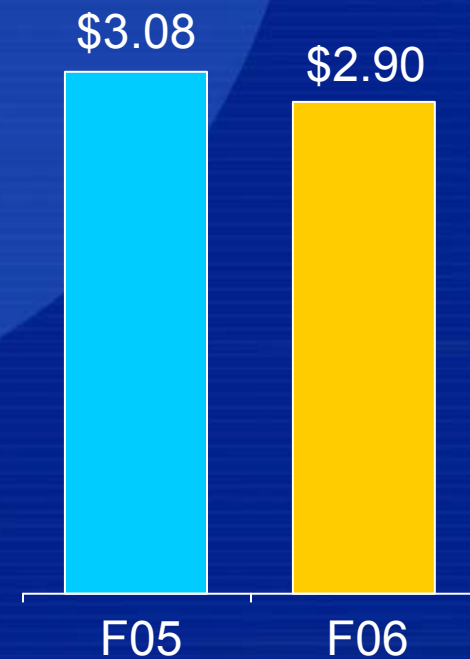
Net Sales



Segment Operating Profits

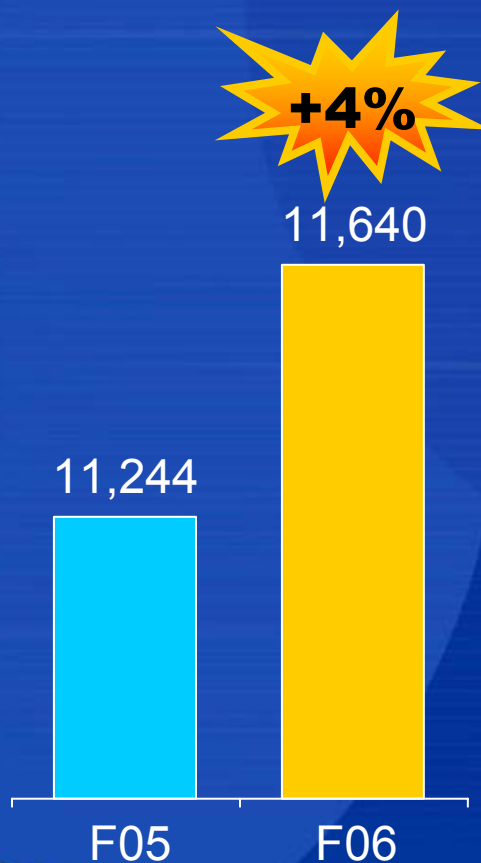


Diluted EPS

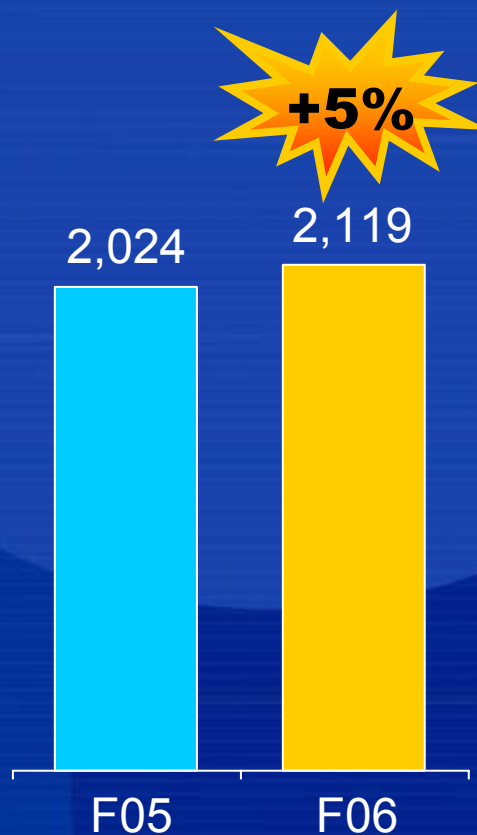


GROWTH IN FISCAL 2006

Net Sales



Segment Operating Profits

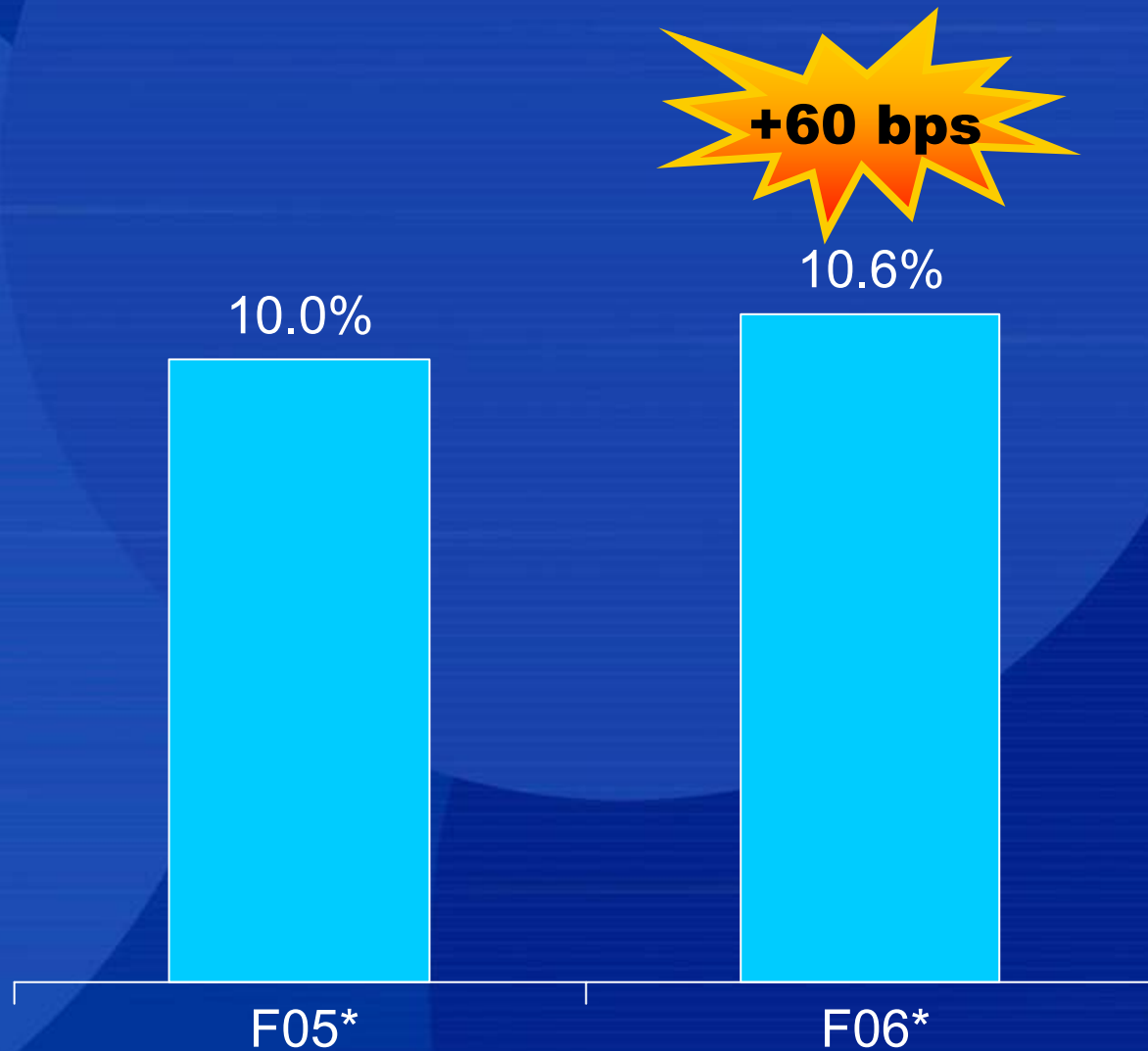


Diluted EPS (Non GAAP)*



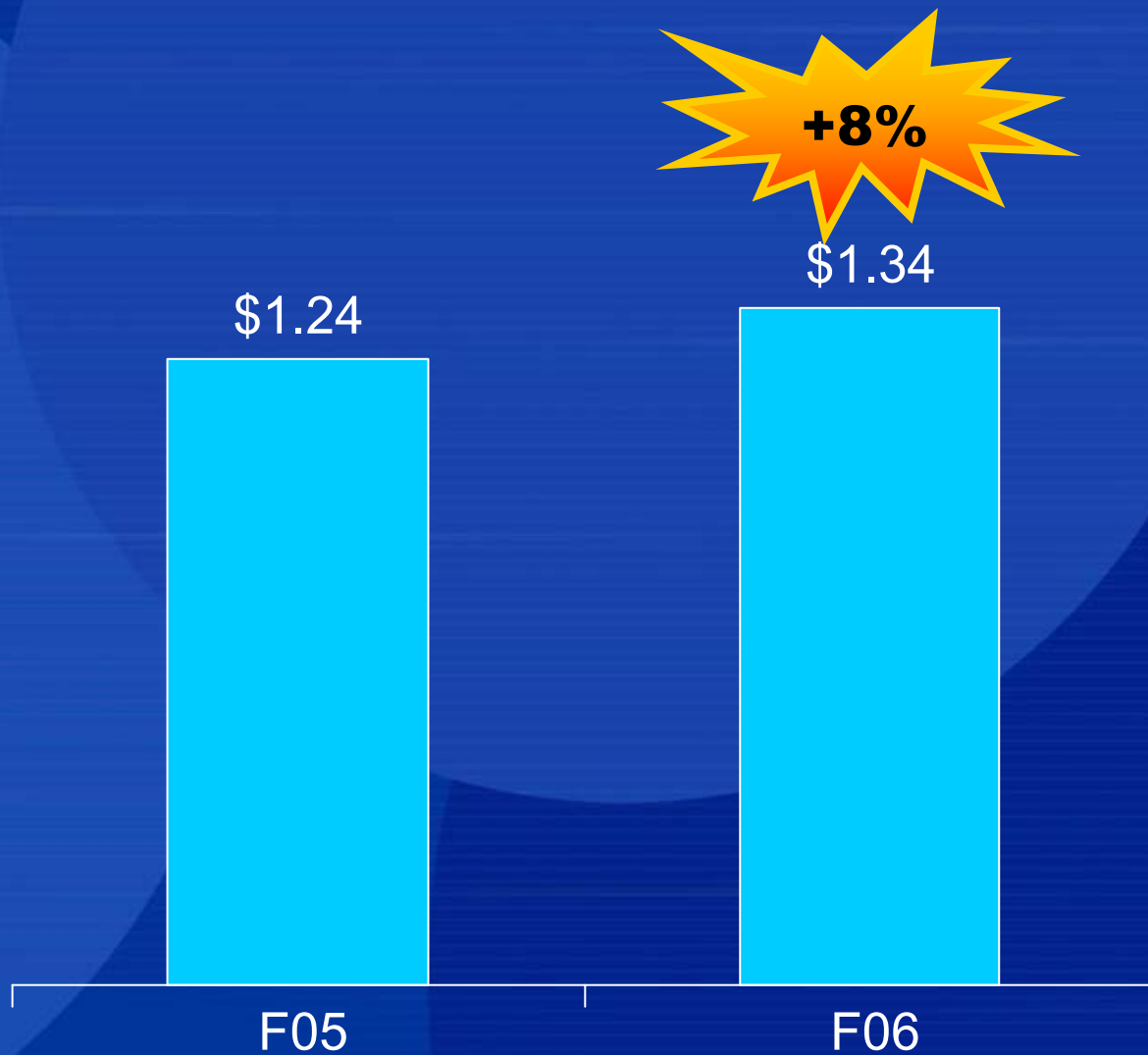
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See slide 95 for reconciliation

RETURN ON AVERAGE TOTAL CAPITAL



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DIVIDEND GROWTH



CASH RETURNED TO SHAREHOLDERS FISCAL 2006

Dividends	\$485 Million
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Share Repurchases	\$885 Million
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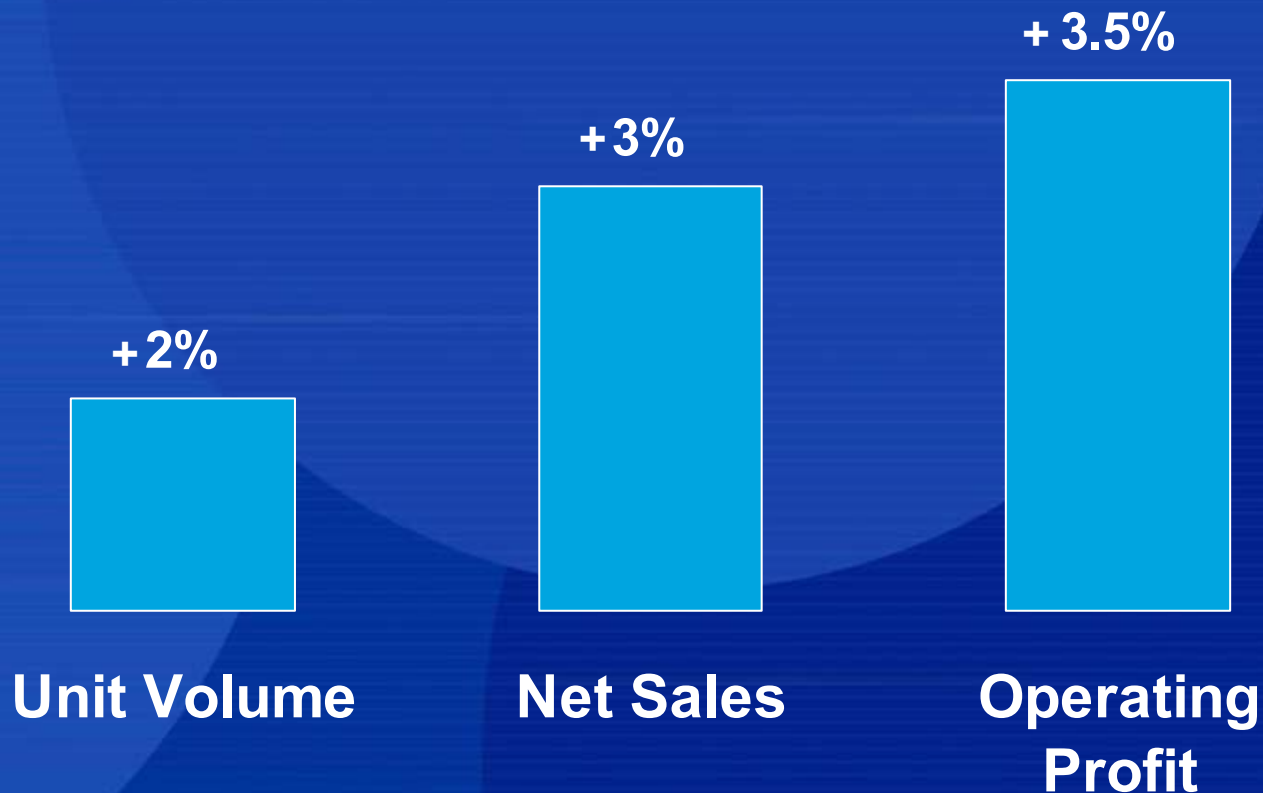
19MM Shares

\$47 Average Price

Total Cash	\$1,370 Million
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U.S. RETAIL SEGMENT 2006 OPERATING PERFORMANCE

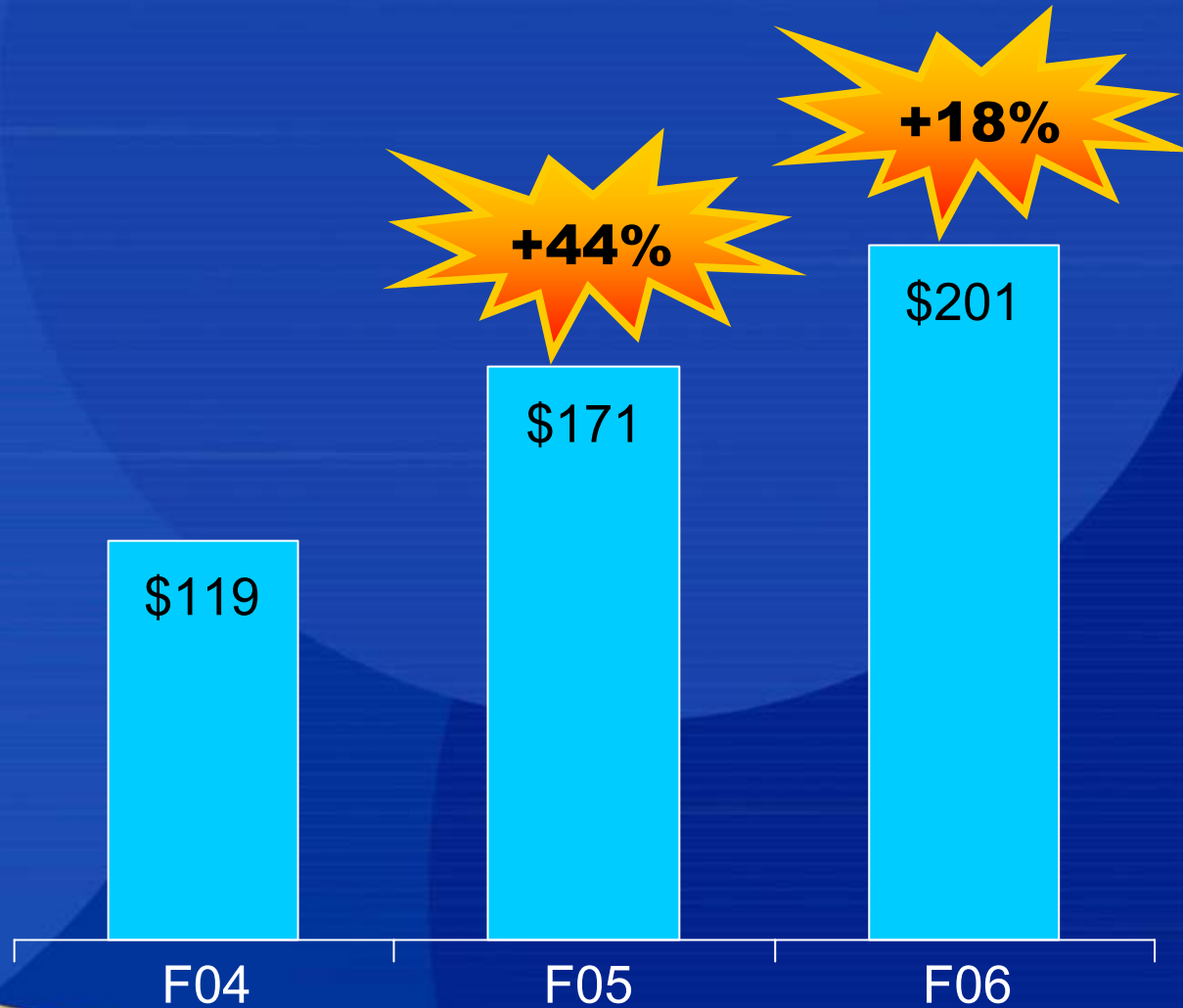


SHARE GAINS IN KEY RETAIL CATEGORIES

	<u>\$ Share</u>	<u>2006 Share Change</u>
Dessert Mixes	40%	+2.3 pts.
Ready-to-serve Soup	30%	+2.2 pts.
Refrigerated Yogurt	38%	+1.5 pts.
Dinner Mixes	72%	+1.2 pts.
Refrigerated Dough	69%	-0.6 pts.
Cereal	29%	-1.1 pts.

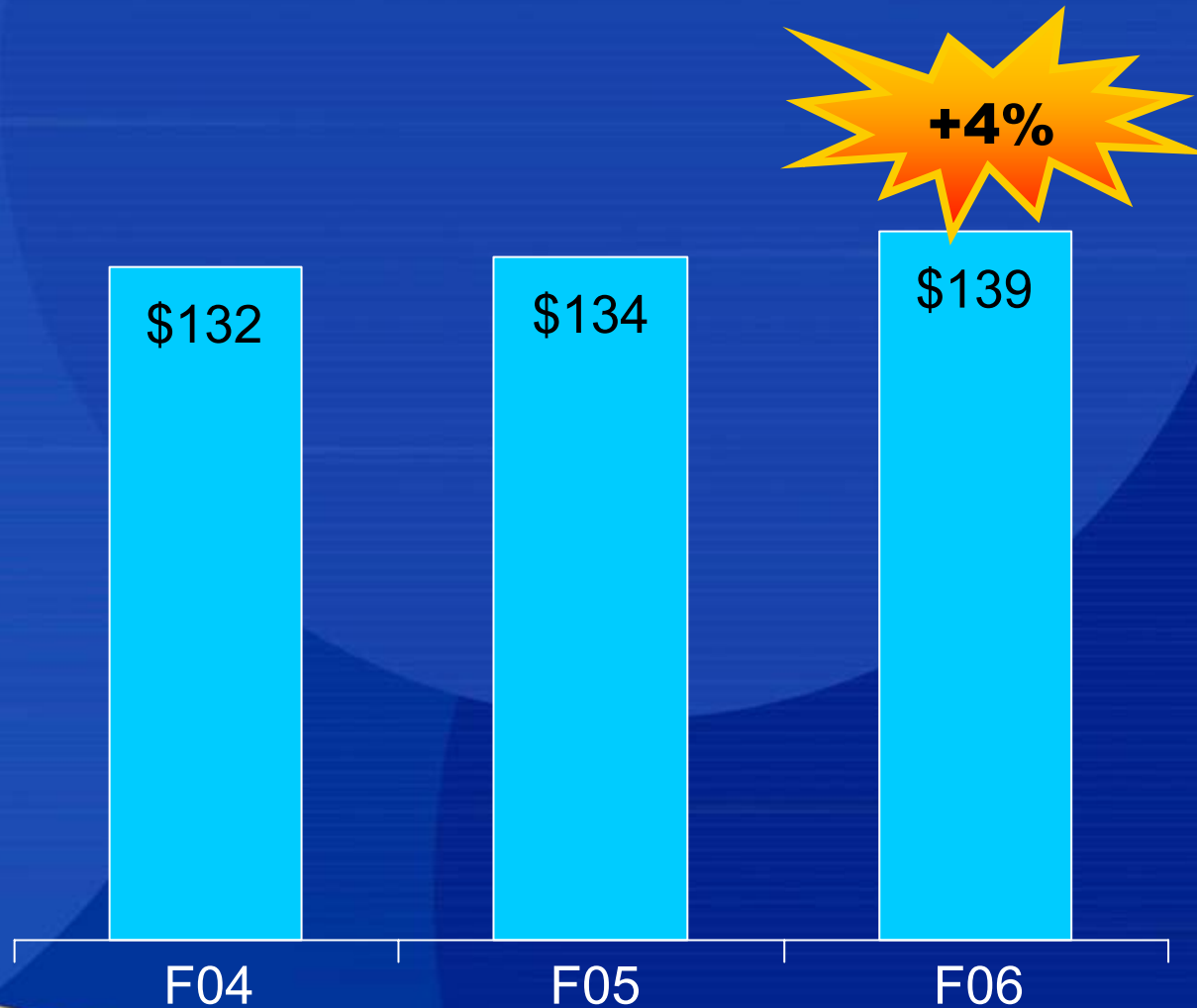
ANOTHER YEAR OF DOUBLE-DIGIT GROWTH IN INTERNATIONAL

(Operating Profit, \$ in Millions)



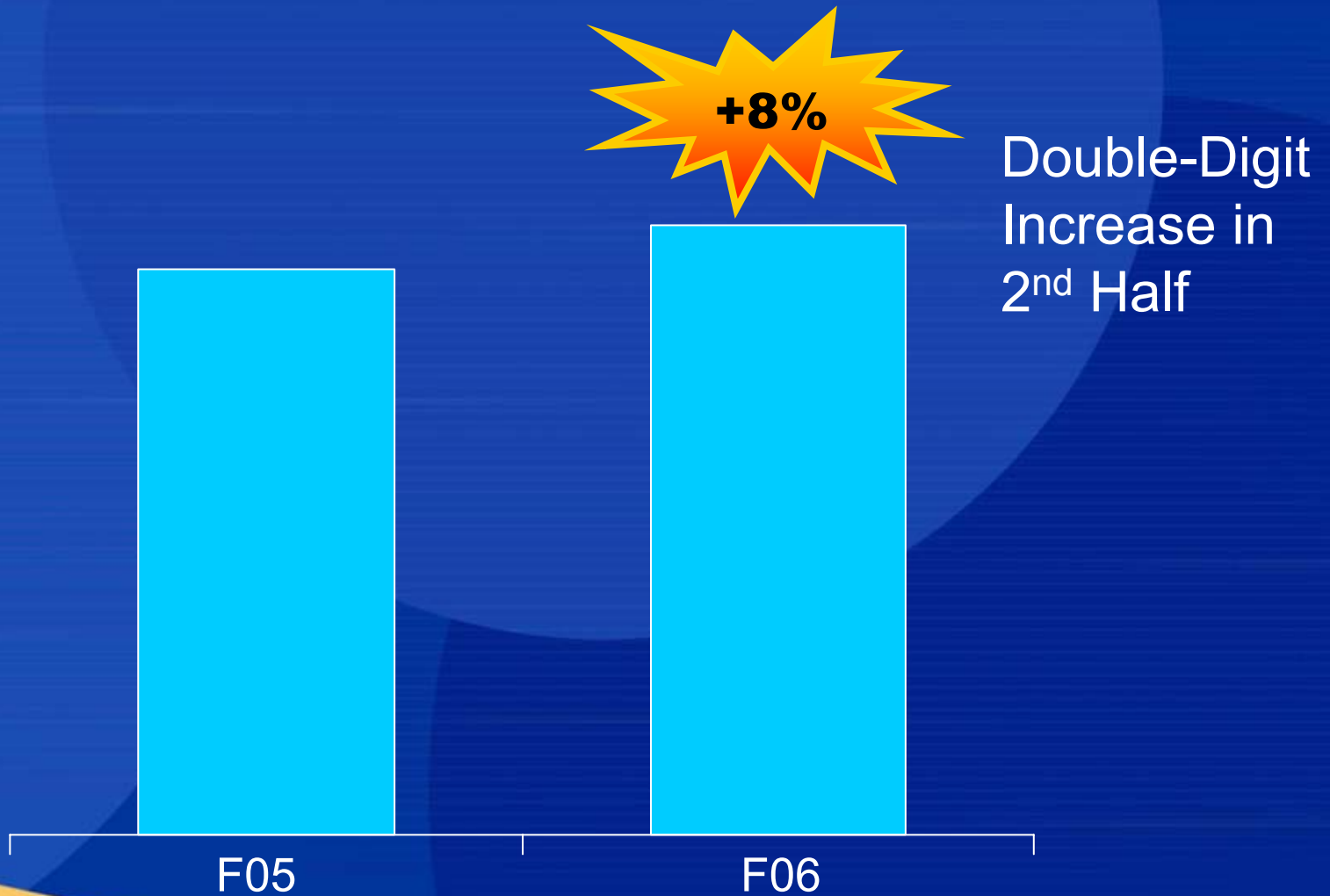
RENEWED PROFIT GROWTH FOR BAKERIES & FOODSERVICE

(Operating Profit, \$ in Millions)



INVESTED IN OUR BRANDS

(U.S. Retail Media Spending)



INVESTED IN OUR PEOPLE



- **Training Magazine**
"Top 100 Companies for Training"
- **Fortune**
"100 Best Companies to Work for"
- **Working Mother Magazine**
"100 Best Companies"
- **Latina Style Magazine**
"50 Best Companies in U.S. for Latinas"
- **Business Ethics**
"100 Best Corporate Citizens"



FISCAL 2007 OUTLOOK

- Strong New Product Line-up
- Established Business Momentum
- Lower Rate of Input Cost Inflation



- Low Single-digit Net Sales Growth
- Mid Single-digit Operating Profit Growth



FISCAL 2007 OUTLOOK

- EPS Growth Will Reflect:
 - Higher Interest Expense
 - Higher Tax Rate
 - Option Expense

Guidance: \$3.03 - \$3.08
including 11¢ to 12¢
incremental expense for
stock-based compensation



TODAY'S AGENDA

- Fiscal 2006 Results
- Fiscal 2007 Financial Plans
- 2007 Business Update
- Questions



2006 Financial Review 2007 Plan Highlights



Jim Lawrence
*Vice Chairman,
Chief Financial Officer*

FOURTH QUARTER 2006 FINANCIAL SUMMARY

(\$ in Millions, except per share)

Change vs. LY

Net Sales	\$2,845	+5%
Segment Operating Profit	493	+5%
Net Earnings	222	-52%
Diluted EPS	.61	-46%
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Diluted EPS	.61	+5%
excluding CoCos, 2005 Divestiture Gain and Bond Buyback		



FOURTH QUARTER 2006 TOPLINE PERFORMANCE

	<u>Unit Volume</u>	<u>Net Sales</u>
U.S. Retail	+3%	+5%
International	+1%	+4%
Bakeries & Foodservice	+1%	+5%
Total Operations	<u>+3%</u>	<u>+5%</u>



FOURTH QUARTER 2006 SEGMENT OPERATING PROFIT

(\$ in Millions)

	\$	<u>% Change vs. LY</u>
U.S. Retail	\$408	+8%
International	47	-13%
Bakeries & Foodservice	38	-5%
Total Operations	<u>\$493</u>	<u>+5%</u>



FOURTH QUARTER 2006 OTHER INCOME STATEMENT ITEMS

	<u>\$ in MM</u>
Restructuring Expense (Pre-tax)	(14)
Corporate Unallocated Expense (Pre-Tax)	(65)
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Tax Adjustment	11
CPW Restructuring (in JV line)	(8)

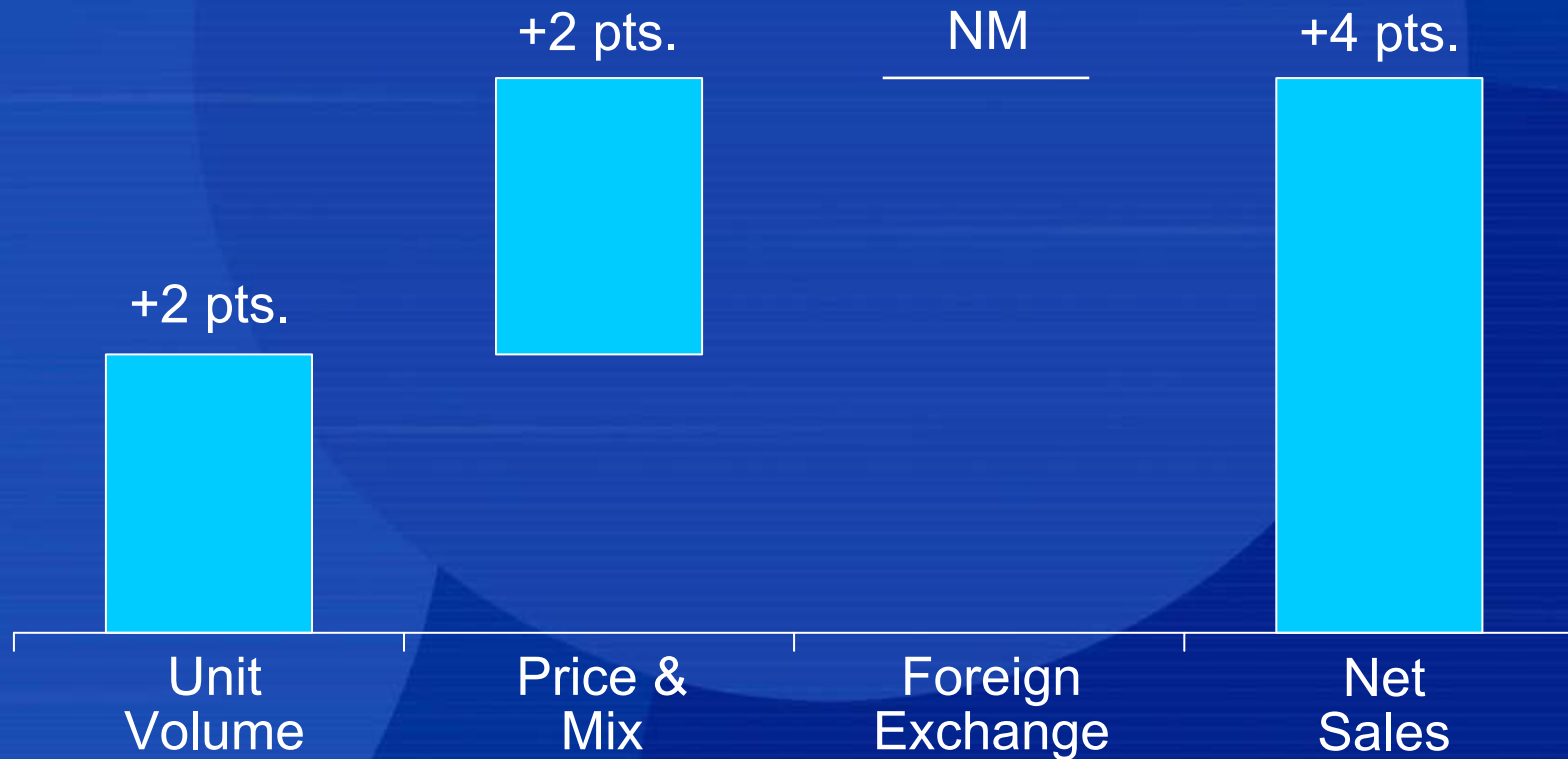
FISCAL 2006 RESULTS

(\$ in Millions, except per share data)

	\$	<u>Change vs. LY</u>
Net Sales	\$11,640	+4%
Segment Operating Profit	2,119	+5%
Earnings After Tax	1,090	-12%
Diluted EPS	2.90	-6%
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Diluted EPS	2.98	+8%
excluding CoCos, 2005 Divestiture Gain, and Bond Buyback		



COMPONENTS OF NET SALES GROWTH



✓ **All 3 Operating Segments
Recorded Net Sales Gains**



U.S. RETAIL DIVISIONS NET SALES GROWTH

(\$ in Millions)

	<u>2006 Net Sales</u>	<u>% Change</u>
Big G Cereals	\$1,854	-1%
Meals	1,794	+7%
Pillsbury	1,538	-1%
Yoplait	1,096	+14%
Snacks	956	+5%
Baking Products	643	+6%
Other	143	NM
Total U.S. Retail	<u>\$8,024</u>	<u>+3%</u>



RETAIL TAKE-AWAY

Dollar Sales, ACNielsen plus Wal★Mart

	<u>F06 % Change</u>
Composite Retail Sales	+4%
Grain Snacks	+15%
Salty Snacks	+14
Refrigerated Yogurt	+14
Ready-to-serve Soup	+12
Dessert Mixes	+7
Refrigerated Baked Goods	+3
Cereal	Flat
Dinner Mixes	-1
Fruit Snacks	-6

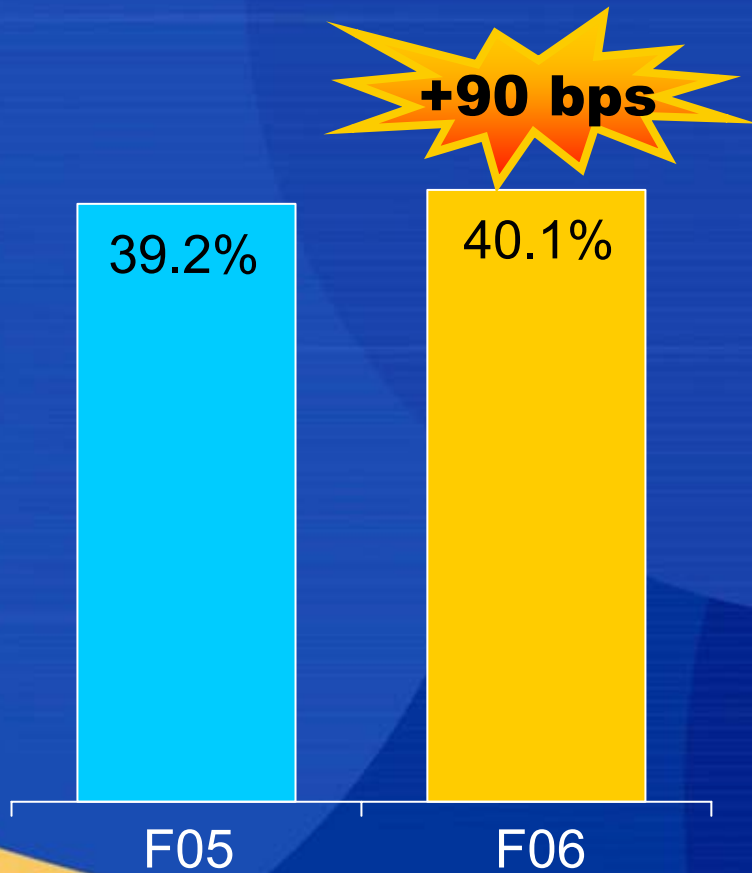
NET SALES HIGHLIGHTS FOR INTERNATIONAL AND B&FS

- B&FS Net Sales Up 2% in 2006
 - Foodservice distributor volume gains on cereal, snacks and yogurt
 - Convenience store volume up double-digit
- International Sales Up 6% in 2006
 - Foreign exchange contributed 1 pt. of growth
 - 4% unit volume increase included gains in all regions

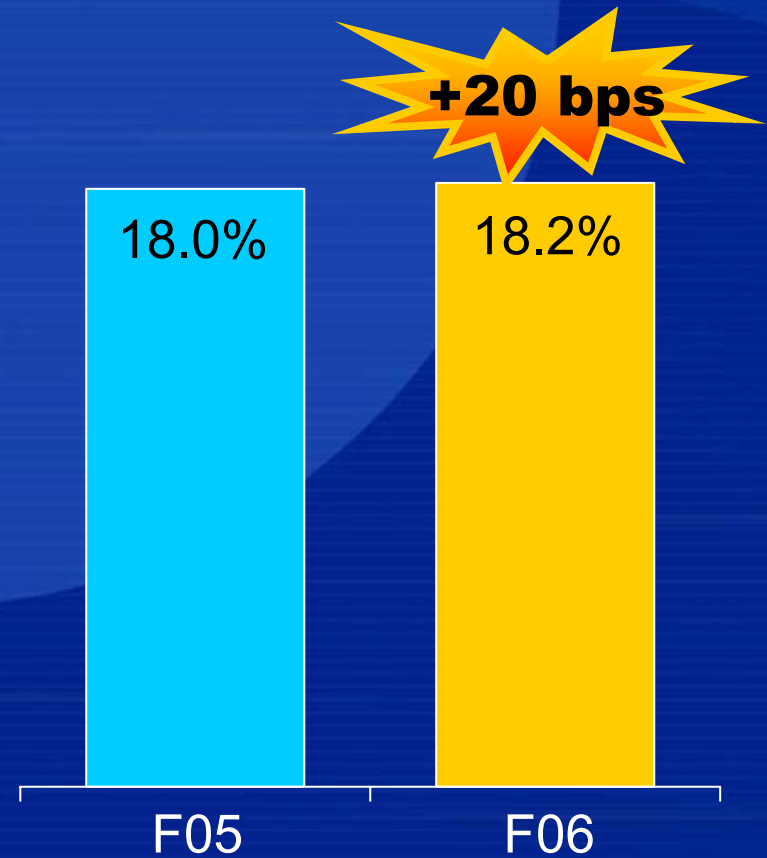


MARGIN EXPANSION IN 2006

Gross Margin



Segment Operating Margin



WHAT DROVE CORPORATE UNALLOCATED EXPENSE INCREASE?

(\$ in Millions)

<u>F05</u>	<u>F06</u>	<u>Change</u>
\$32	\$123	\$91
Employee Benefits, including Incentives		\$61
Environmental Reserve		\$23
Low-income Housing Write-off		\$10

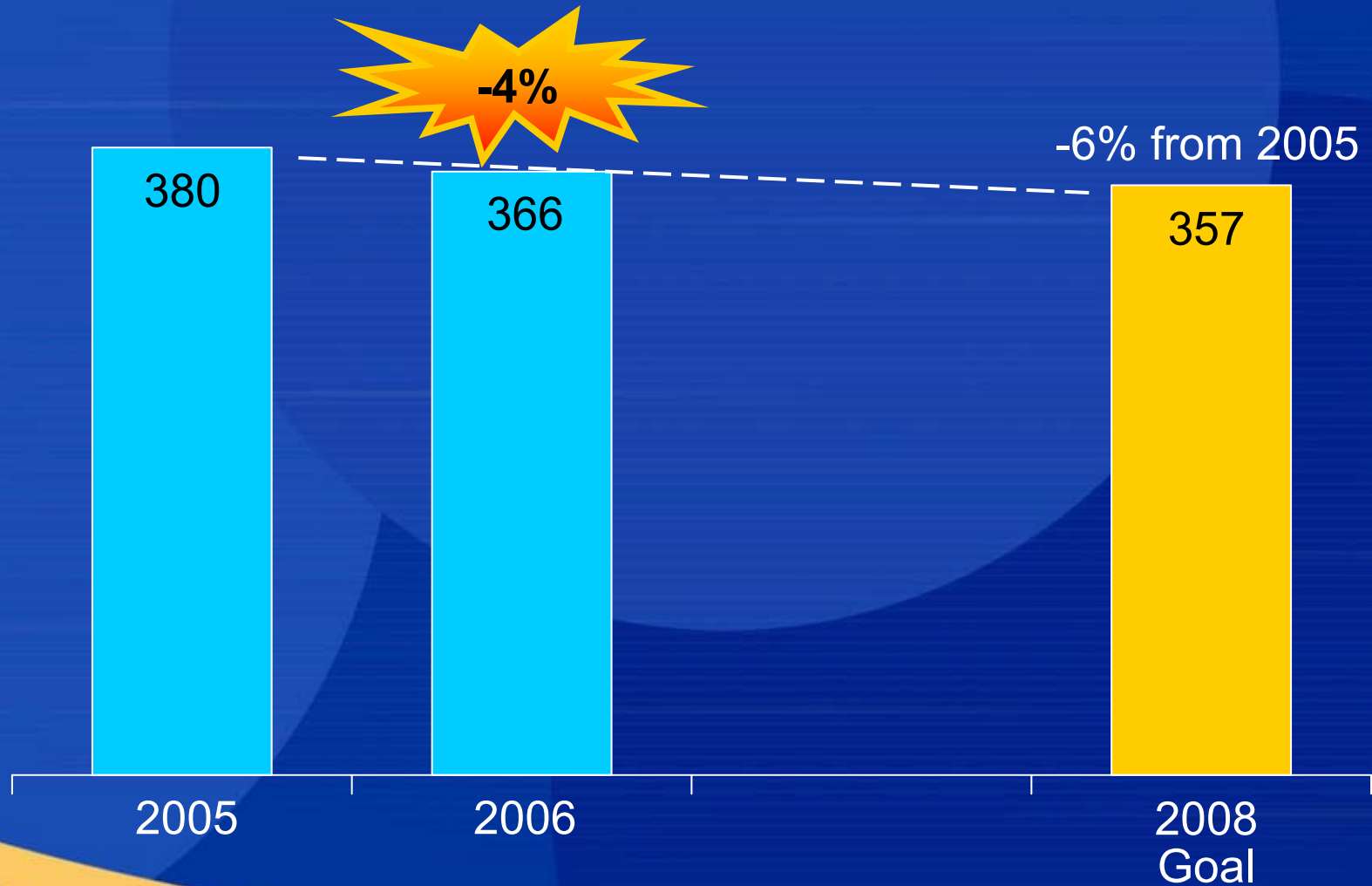


JOINT VENTURE RESULTS



- After Tax Earnings of \$64MM
 - CPW results include restructuring expenses of \$8MM after tax
 - Ongoing JV earnings grew 18 percent before restructuring expense

AVERAGE SHARES OUTSTANDING*



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CGR

Net Sales Growth Rate

Low Single Digit

Operating Profit Growth Rate

Mid Single Digit

Diluted EPS Growth Rate

High Single Digit

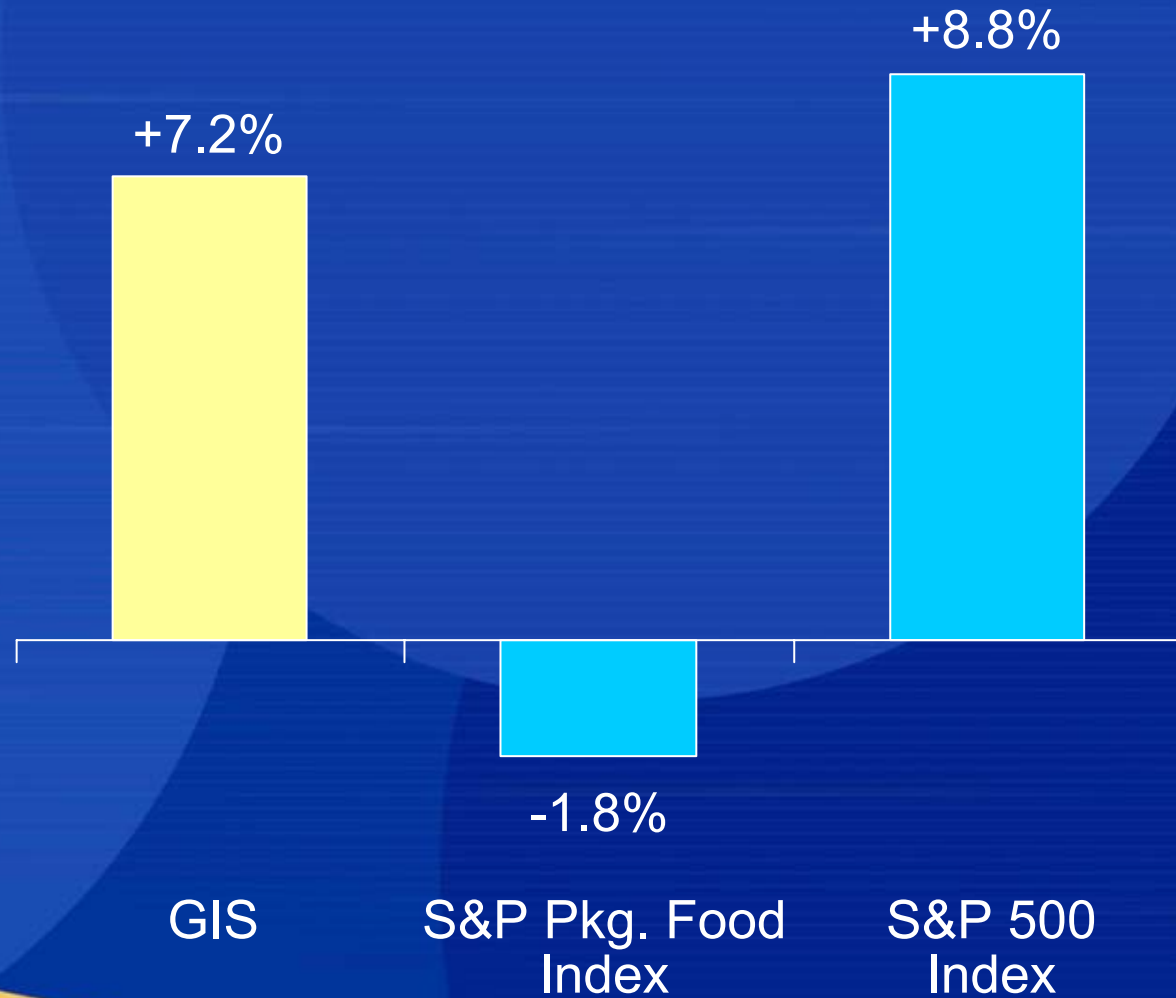
+ Dividend Yield

Total Shareholder Return

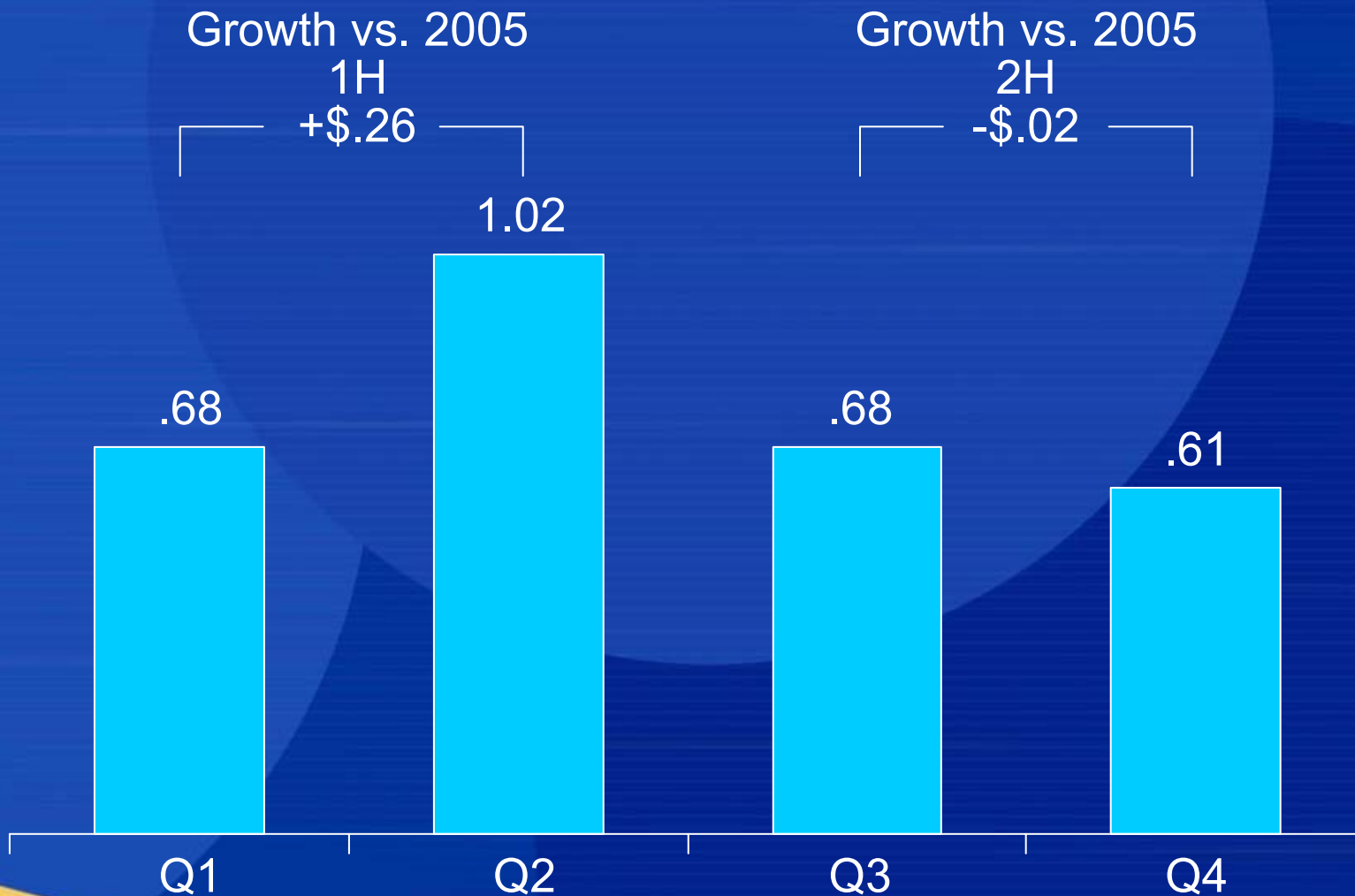
Double Digit



FISCAL 2006 TOTAL RETURN TO SHAREHOLDERS



FISCAL 2006 EPS GROWTH (Non-GAAP)*



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See slide 96 for reconciliation

FISCAL 2006

COST PRESSURES: A TALE OF TWO HALVES

(\$ in Millions)

	<u>Increase vs. Prior Year</u>	
	<u>1st Half</u>	<u>2nd Half</u>
Commodities	+30	+40
Fuel-related Costs	+45	+55
Employee Benefits, Including Incentives	+30	+65



FISCAL 2007 OUTLOOK

- Commodity and Fuel Inflation of \$145 Million
 - Greater Increase in First Half
- Benefits Expense Up Again, But Well Below F06 Increase
- Stock Options Expense Beginning in Q1
 - Half in First Quarter



2007 GUIDANCE SUMMARY

(\$ in Millions, Except per Share)

	<u>2006 Results</u>		<u>2007 Guidance</u>
Net Sales	\$11,640	————→	Up Low Single Digit
Segment Op Profits	\$2,119	————→	Up Mid Single Digit
Restructuring Expense	\$(30)	————→	Less
Corp. Unallocated Expense	\$(123)	————→	Flattish
Stock Option Expense	None	————→	11 to 12 cents per share
Interest Expense	\$(399)	————→	\$(439)
Tax Rate	34.5%	————→	35.3 – 35.8%
JV Income (A/T)	\$64	————→	Up, including CPW restructuring costs
Avg. Diluted Shares	379	————→	Down from 366MM excl. CoCos
EPS	\$2.90	————→	\$3.03 – 3.08
EPS, excluding CoCos	\$2.98	————→	\$3.03 – 3.08



PENSION/RETIREE MEDICAL EXPENSE

(\$ in Millions)

F06 Actual \$22

- Benefit of Strong Asset Returns
- Return on Plan Assets: 16%
- Funded Status of Pensions: 125%

F07 Estimate \$10

- Union Benefits Increase
- Increasing Health Care Costs

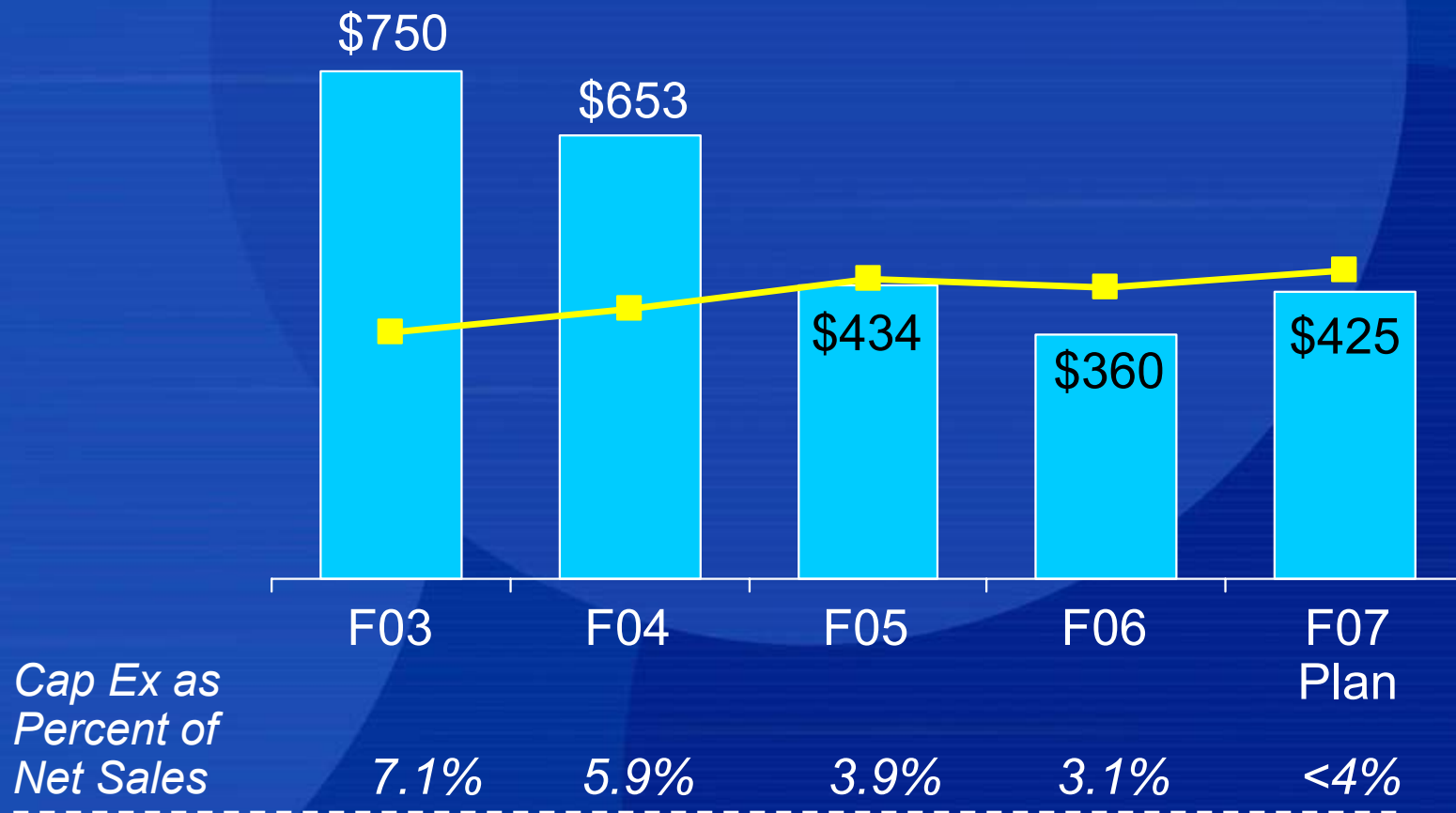
FISCAL 2007 FINANCIAL PLAN HIGHLIGHTS

- Continue Disciplined Use of Cash
 - CapEx Target in Line with D&A
 - Dividend Increase
 - Ongoing Share Repurchase
- Further Improve Return on Capital

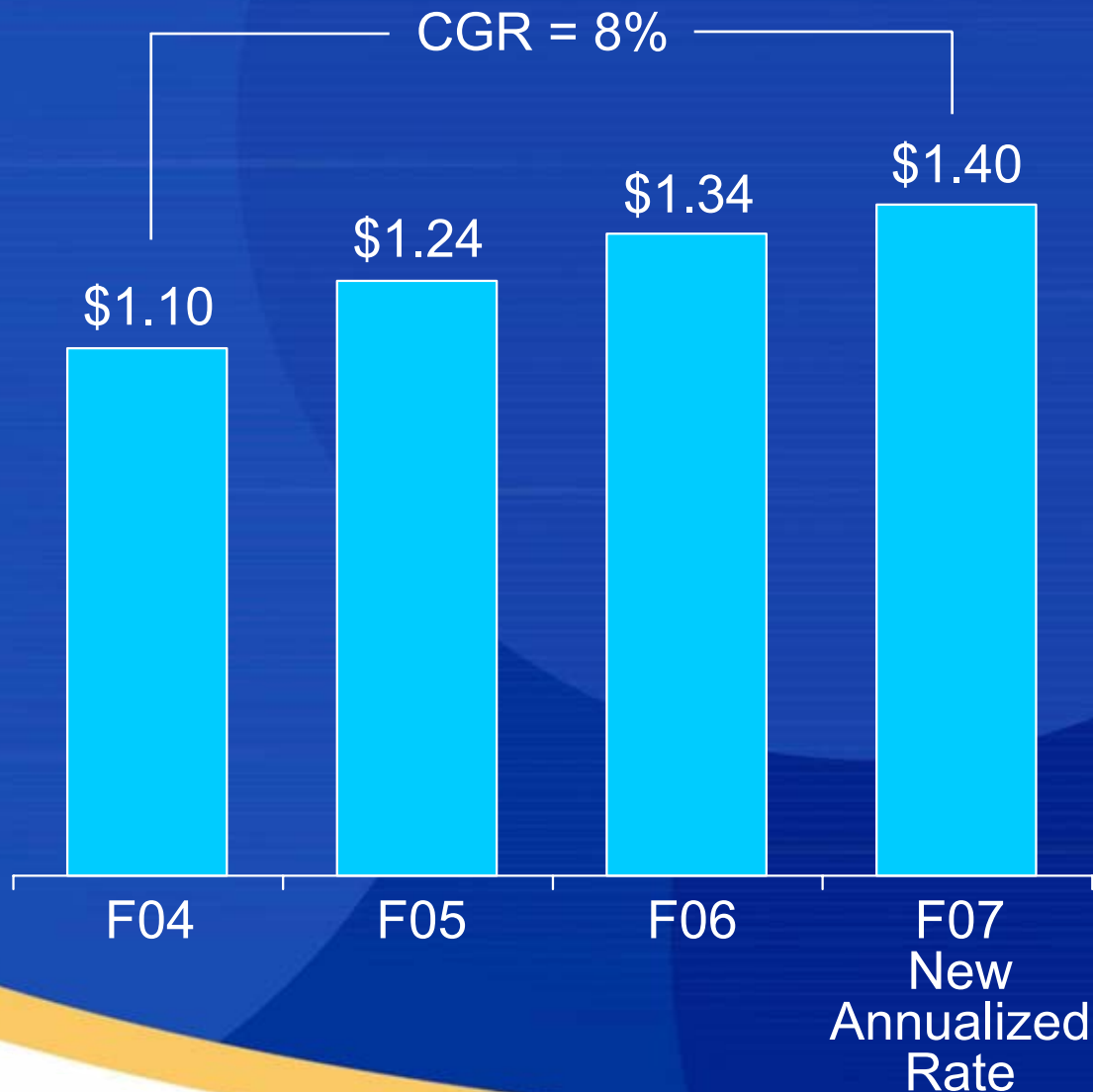


CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

—■— = Depreciation & Amortization



DIVIDEND INCREASE



F06 Dividend
Payout = 45%

Current Yield
= 2.7%

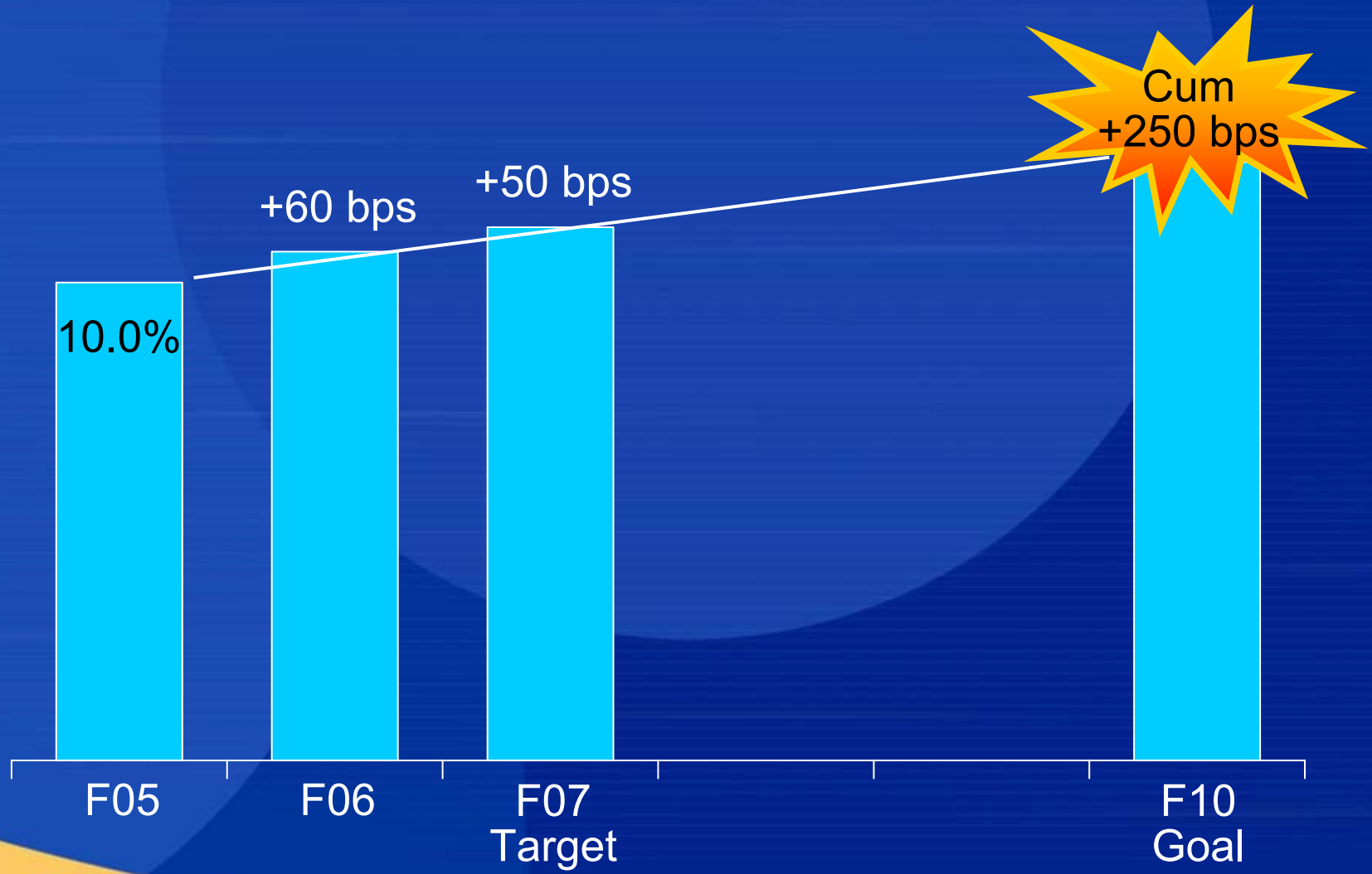


ONGOING SHARE REPURCHASES

- On Average, Target is 2% Annual Reduction in Net Shares Outstanding
 - Includes shares issued via option exercises
 - Includes Fiscal 2008 Lehman notes transaction



RETURN ON CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT



FINANCIAL SUMMARY

- Solid 2006 Fourth Quarter Results
- Annual Growth and Returns Consistent with Long-term Model
- 2007 Financial Plan Targets Continued Growth and Disciplined Cash Use



2007 Business Update



NEW!



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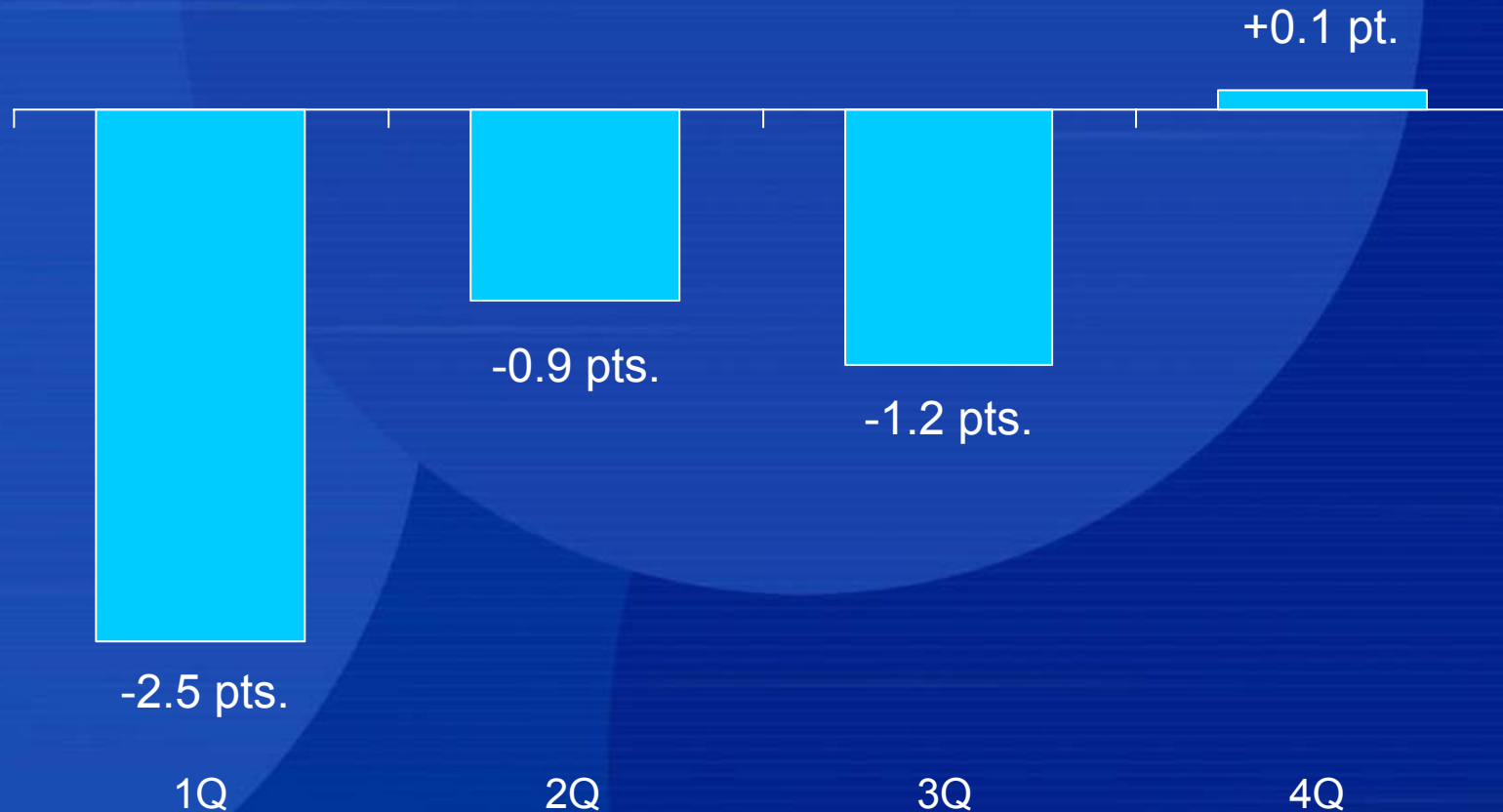
2007 OPERATING PERFORMANCE KEY OBJECTIVES

- Renew Net Sales Growth for Big G and Pillsbury
- Achieve Stronger Contribution from New Products
- Capitalize on Opportunities in New Channels and International Markets
- Continue to Expand Margins

BIG G CEREALS

FISCAL 2006 SHARE PROGRESS

(Change vs. Fiscal 2005)



BIG G CEREALS FISCAL 2006 RESULTS

	<u>Change vs. LY</u>
Net Sales	-1%
Retail Takeaway Sales	Flat
Dollar Share	-1 Point

MERCHANDISED PRICES UP AND IN LINE

Half of RTE Category Volume is Sold
with Merchandising

	F06 Avg. Merchandised <u>Price per Unit</u>	<u>+/- Year Ago</u>
RTE Category	\$2.43	\$.09
Branded Players	2.49	.09
Big G	2.61	.10

PRICE GAPS CORRECTED



- Higher Targeted Price Points
- Lower Merchandising Frequency



- Competitive Price Points



- Mix of Price Points and Merchandising Strategies

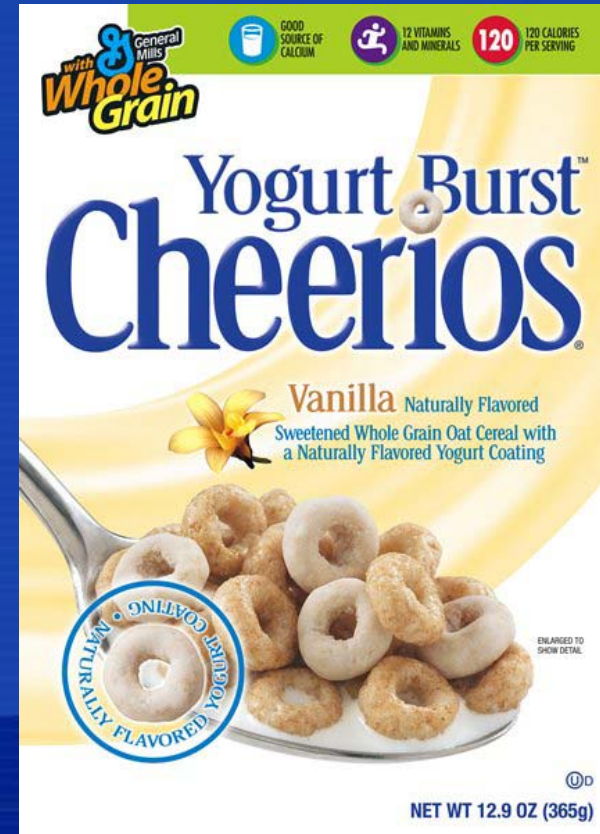
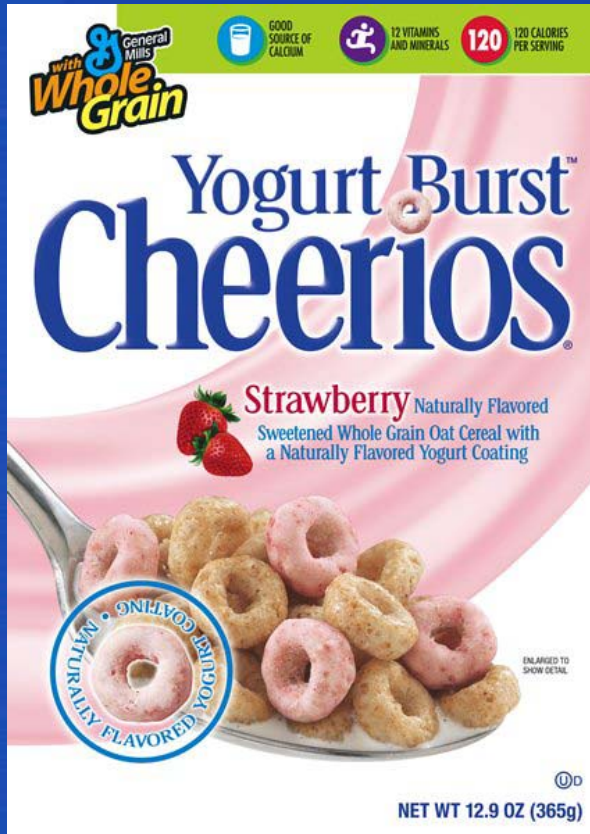


CHEERIOS FRANCHISE FISCAL 2006 RESULTS



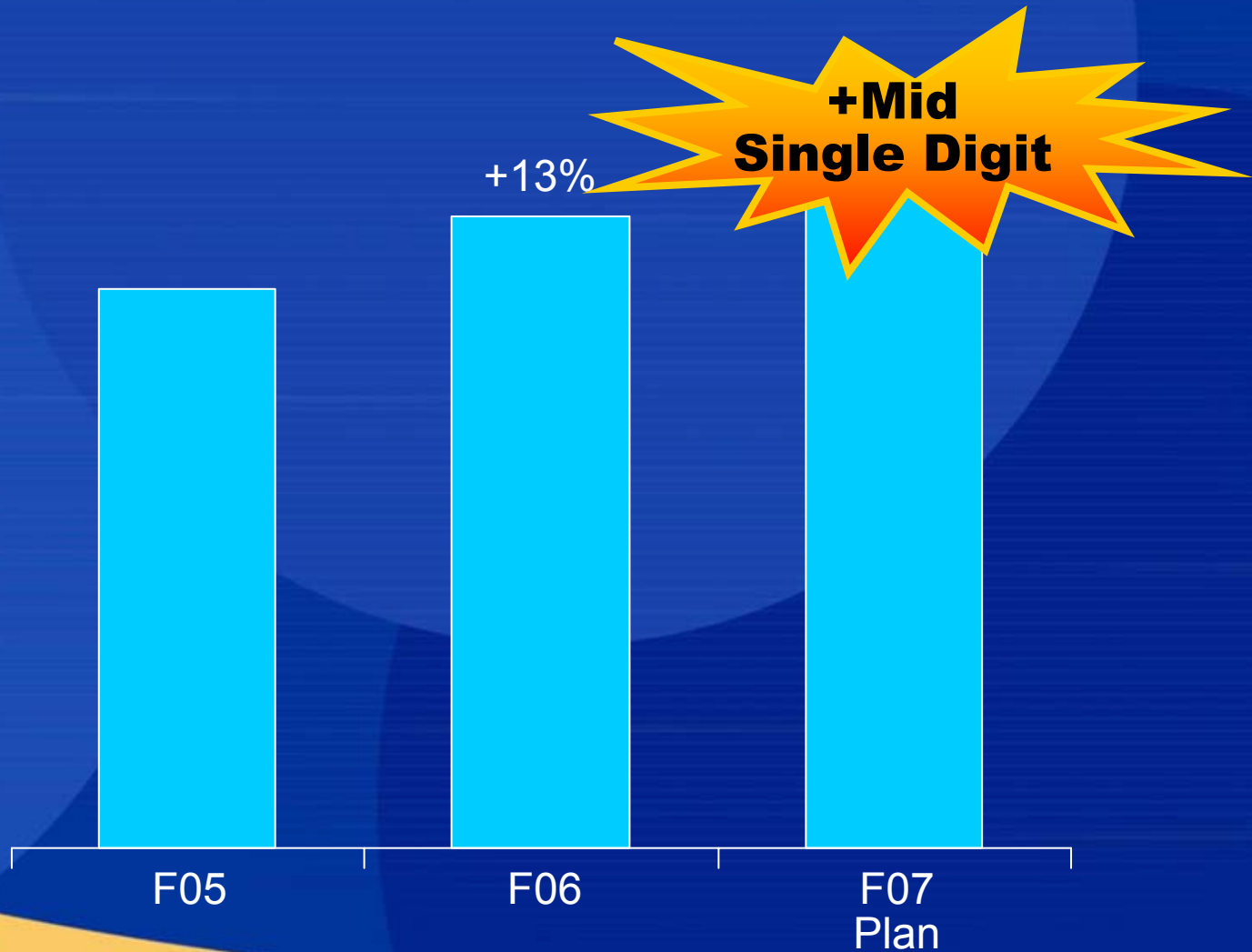
- Retail Takeaway Sales +5%
- Baseline Sales +3%
- Franchise Dollar Share = 11 pts.

YOGURT BURST CHEERIOS YEAR ONE PERFORMANCE



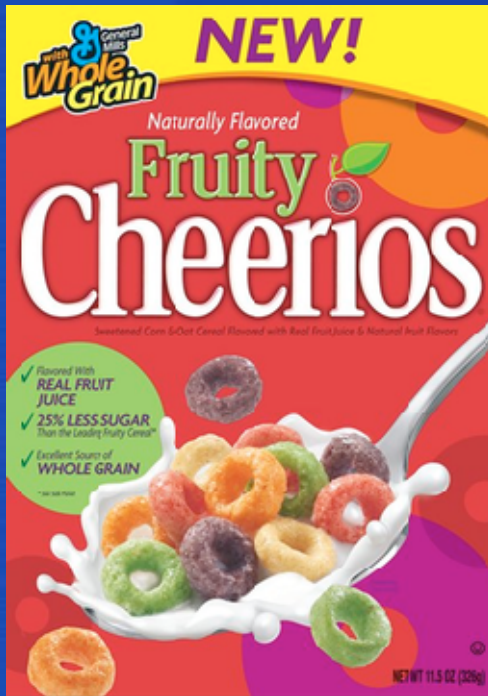
Retail Sales: \$60 Million

BIG G ADVERTISING SUPPORT INCREASED



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Brand Extensions

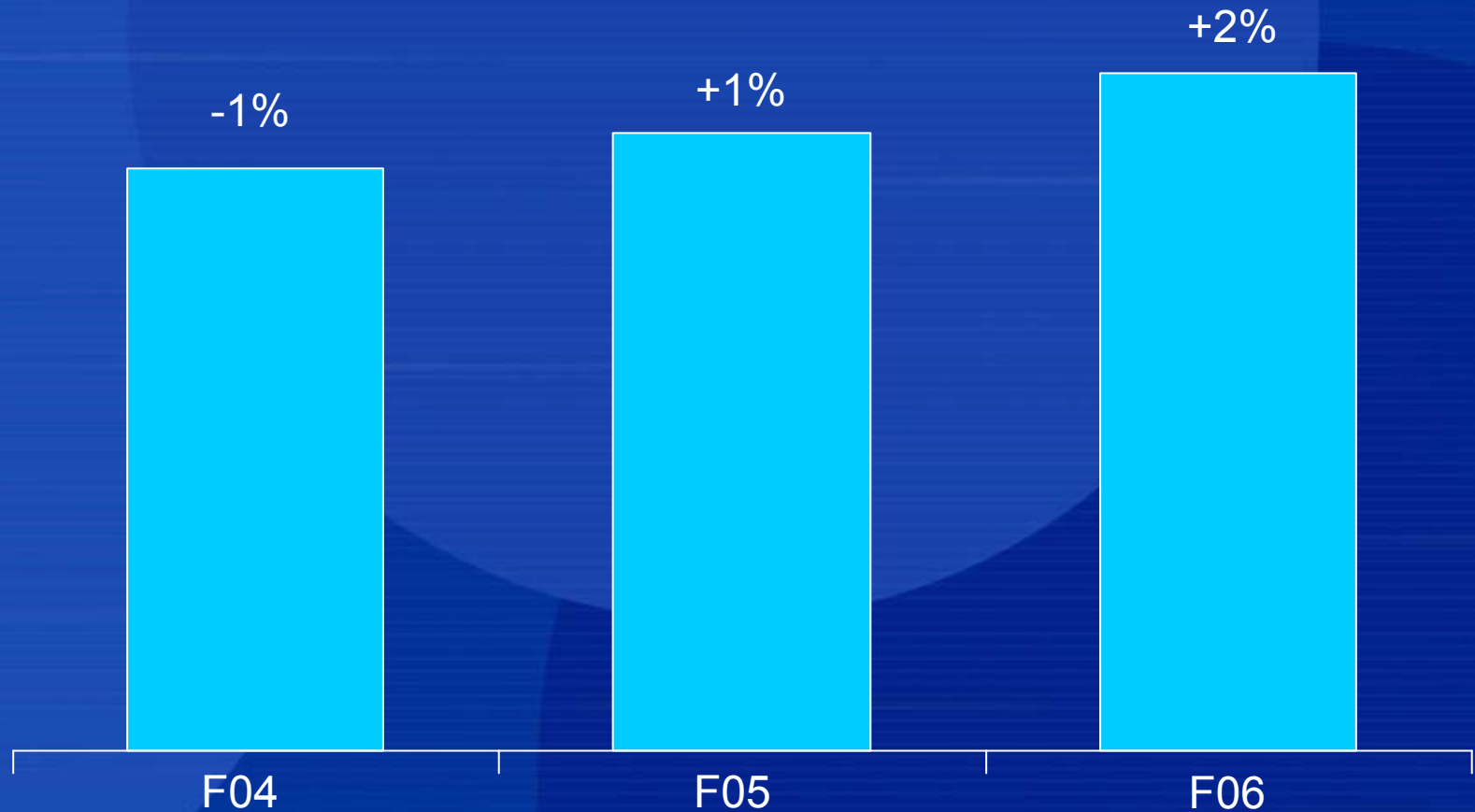


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New Brands



U.S. RTE CEREAL CATEGORY DOLLAR SALES GROWTH



PILLSBURY USA FISCAL 2006 RESULTS

Net Sales	-1%
Retail Takeaway Sales	Flat
Dollar Share Change	
Frozen Bkfst/Baked Goods	-3 pts
Refrigerated Dough	-1 pt
Frozen Pizza & Hot Snacks	Flat

REFRIGERATED BAKED GOODS 2006 RETAIL TAKEAWAY TRENDS



Source: ACNielsen Plus Wal★Mart



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Sweet Rolls



Cookies



Crescent Rolls



Breadsticks



Pizza Rolls

U.S. SOUP CATEGORY READY-TO-SERVE STILL DRIVING THE MARKET

	<u>Household Penetration</u>		<u>Units / Buyer</u>	
	<u>2006</u>	<u>vs. 2003</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>vs. 2003</u>
Ready-to-Serve Soup	67	+0.3	14	+0.3
Condensed	76	-4.1	17	-2.0

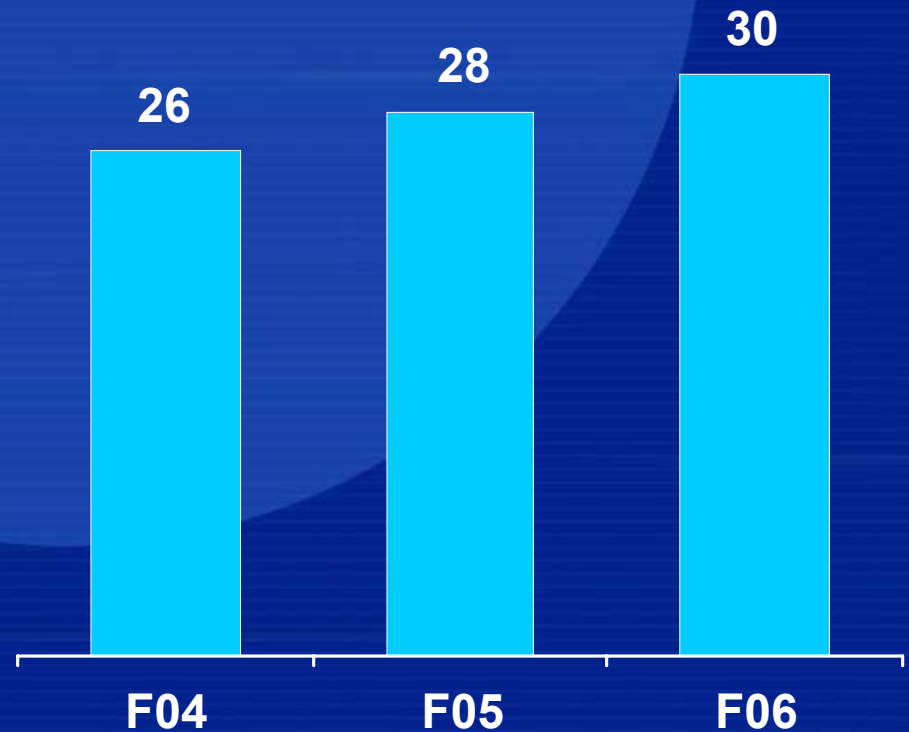


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Source: ACNielsen

PROGRESSO SHARE TREND

(\$ Share of Ready-to-Serve Soup)

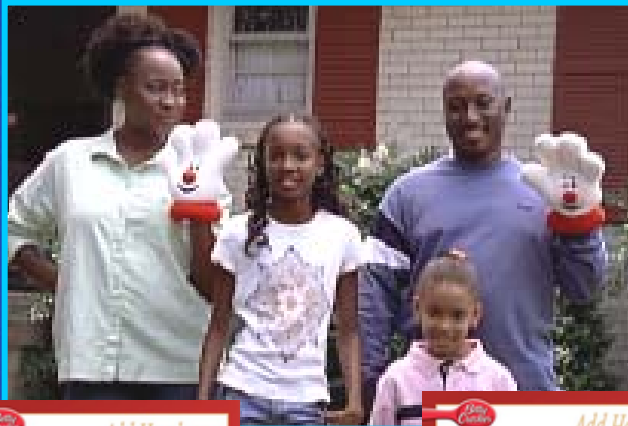


PROGRESSO SOUP FIRST QUARTER INTRODUCTIONS

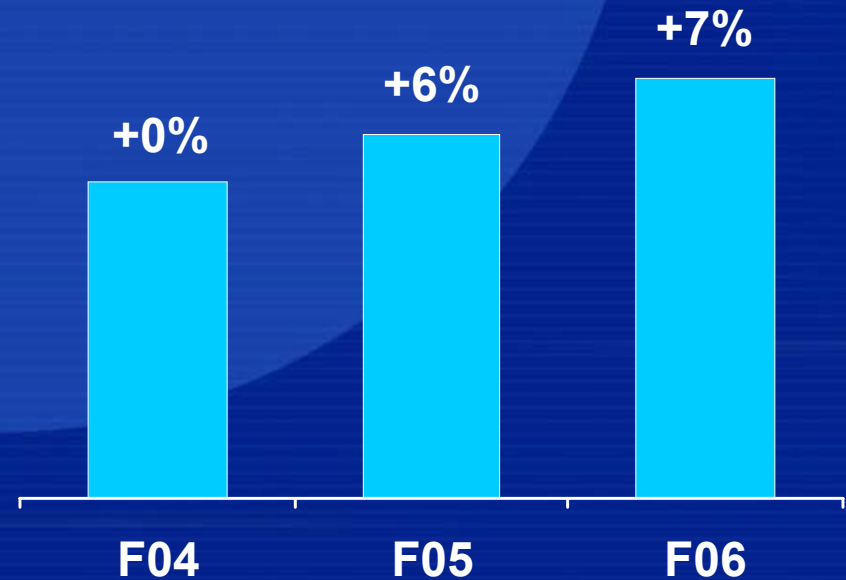


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HAMBURGER HELPER



Retail Dollar Sales Growth



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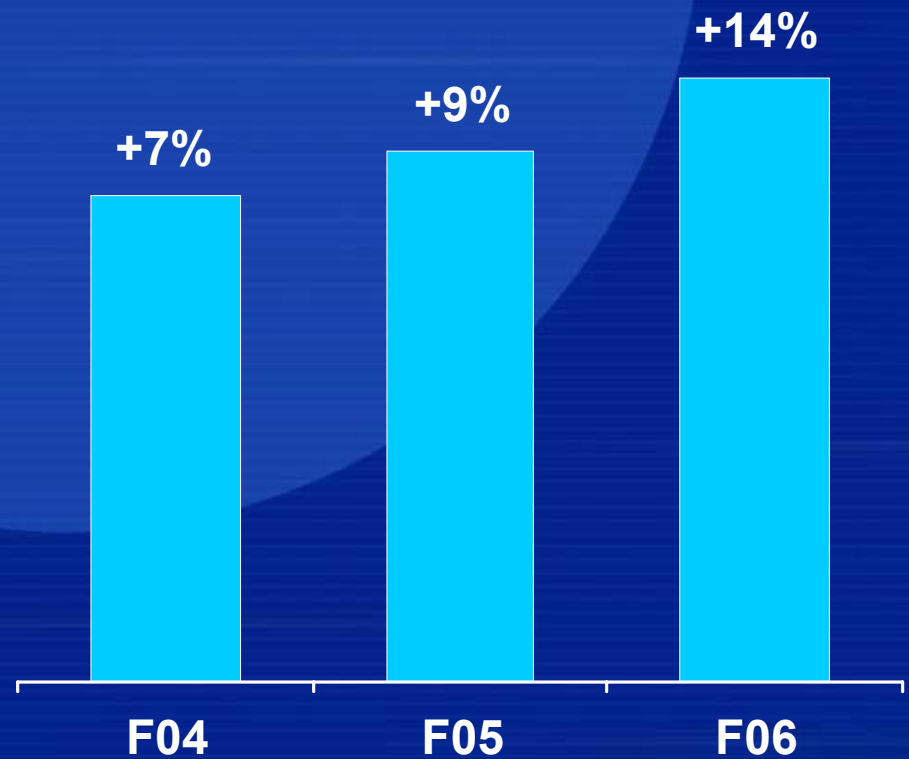
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Retail Dollar Sales Growth



WHIPS! FRANCHISE GROWTH

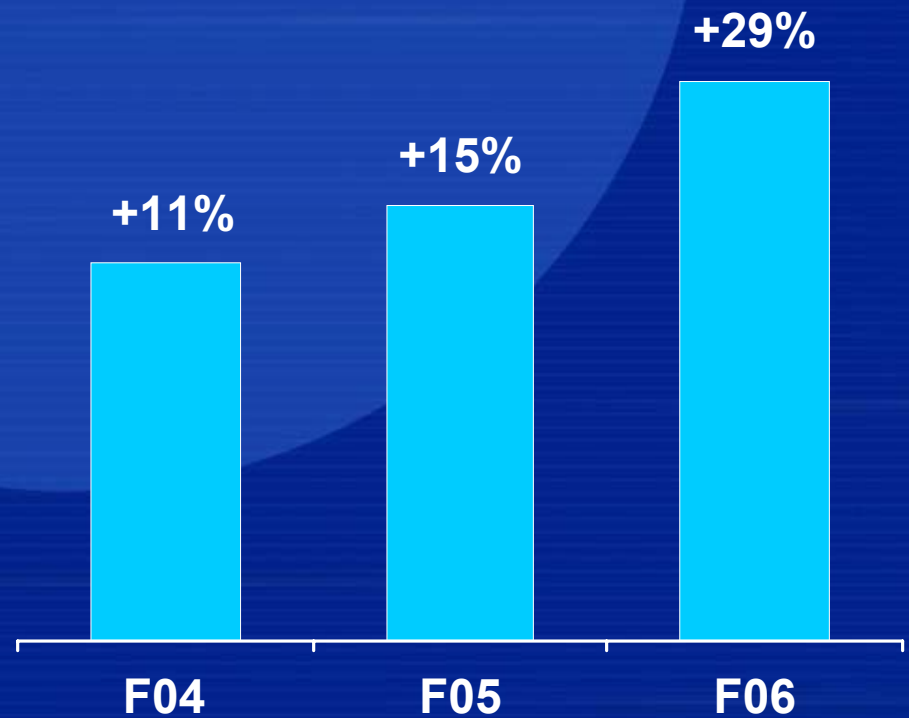


- 3 Chocolate varieties = \$30 million in retail sales
- Total line sales exceeded \$100 million

New Flavors for 2007

NATURE VALLEY

Retail Dollar Sales Growth



WHOLESOME SNACKS FIRST QUARTER INTRODUCTIONS



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CHEX MIX



Retail Dollar Sales Growth



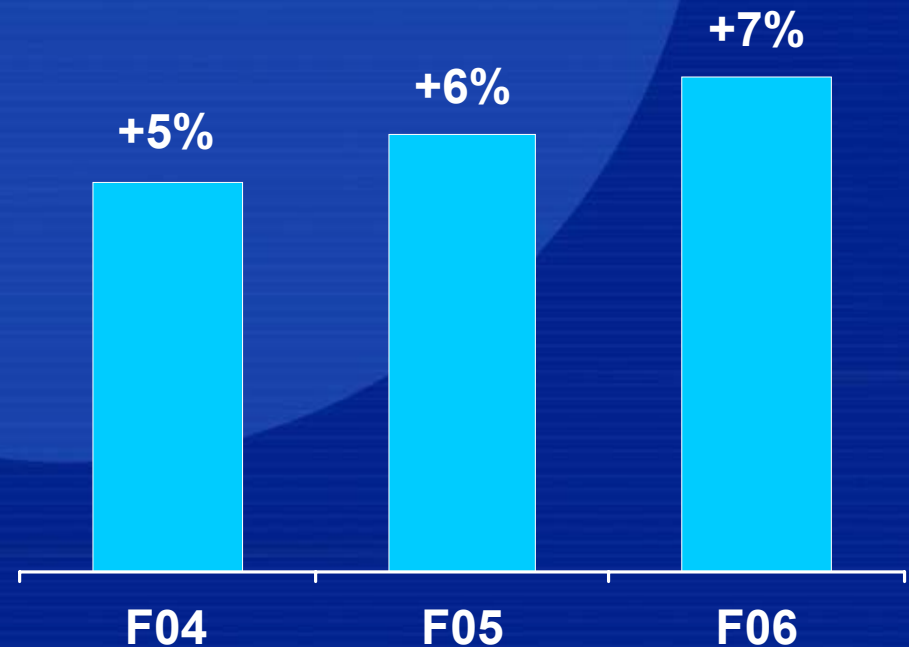
CHEX MIX FIRST QUARTER INTRODUCTIONS



BETTY CROCKER DESSERT MIXES



Retail Dollar Sales Growth



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Source: ACNielsen Plus Wal★Mart

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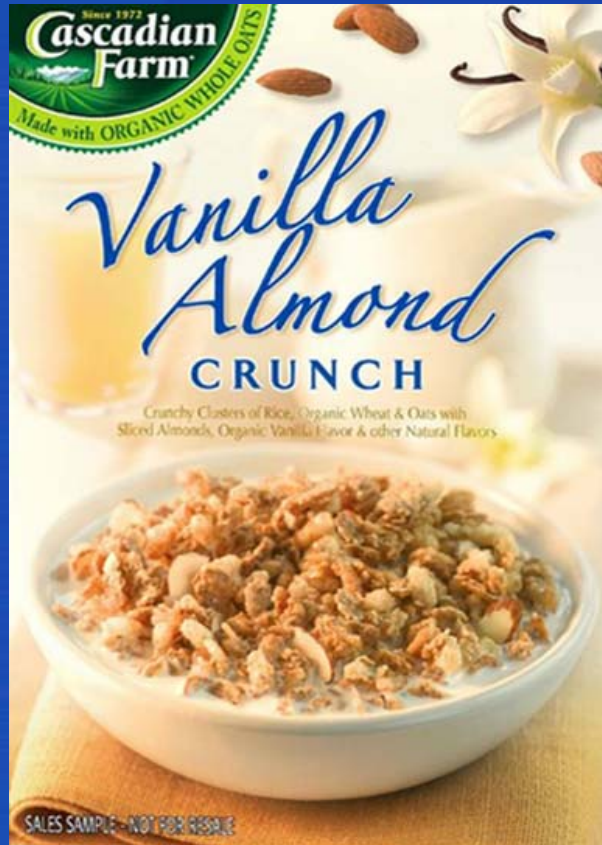
SMALL PLANET FOODS



Fiscal 2006

- Net Sales +27%
- Growth in all Channels
 - Grocery/Natural
 - Supercenter
 - Club

SMALL PLANET FOODS FIRST QUARTER INTRODUCTIONS



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CHANNEL EXPANSION



Natural/Organic Stores



Dollar Format Stores



Drug Stores



Club Stores

U.S. RETAIL 2007 OUTLOOK

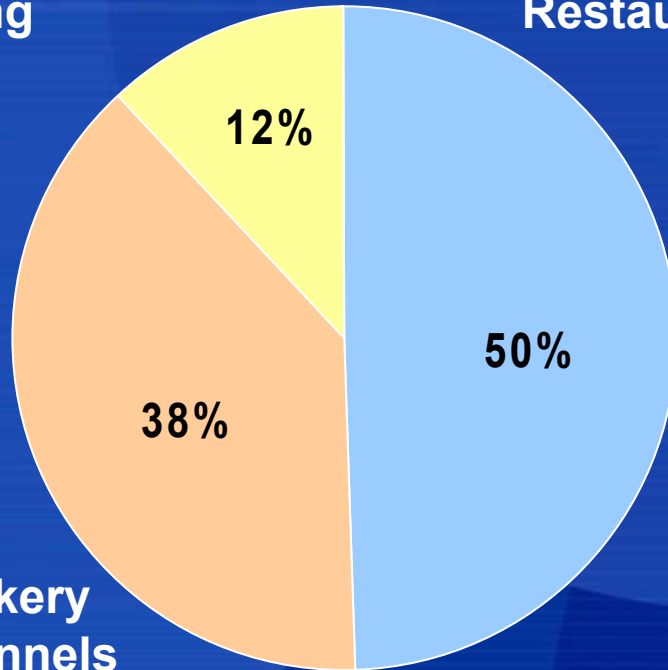
- Starting Year with Good Momentum
- Strong New Product Line-Up
- Expect Sales and Operating Profit Growth Again in '07



BAKERIES & FOODSERVICE SEGMENT

Convenience Stores /
Vending

Distributors /
Restaurants



Bakery
Channels

Fiscal 2006

- Net Sales +2%
- Operating Profit +4%

F06 Sales
\$1.8 Billion



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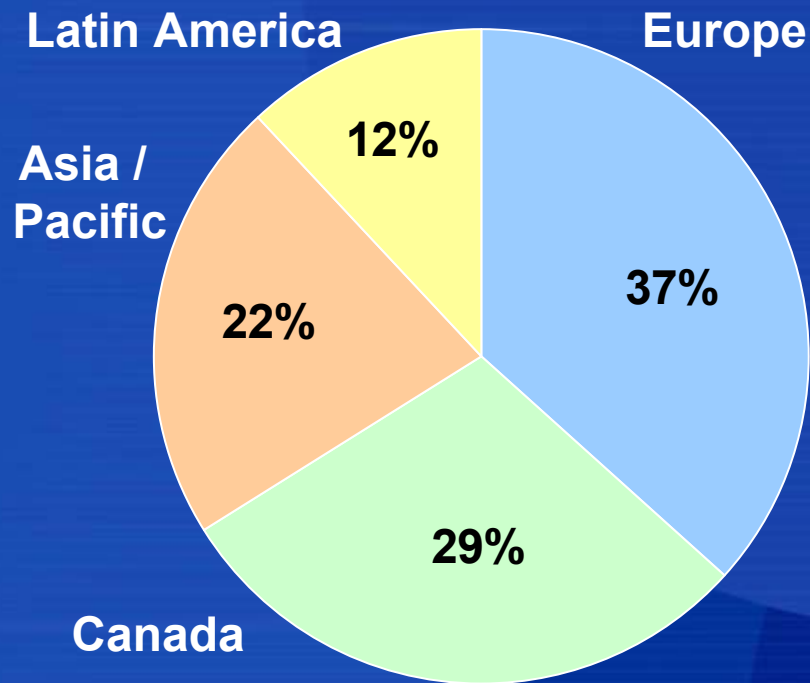
2007 PLANS CONVENIENCE STORE EXPANSION



2007 PLANS FOODSERVICE DISTRIBUTORS



INTERNATIONAL SEGMENT



F06 Sales
\$1.8 Billion

Fiscal 2006

- Net Sales +6%
- Operating Profit +18%

NET SALES GROWTH BY REGION*

Fiscal 2006



Canada +5%



Latin America +8%



Europe +5%



Asia/Pacific +9%

* At constant foreign exchange rates

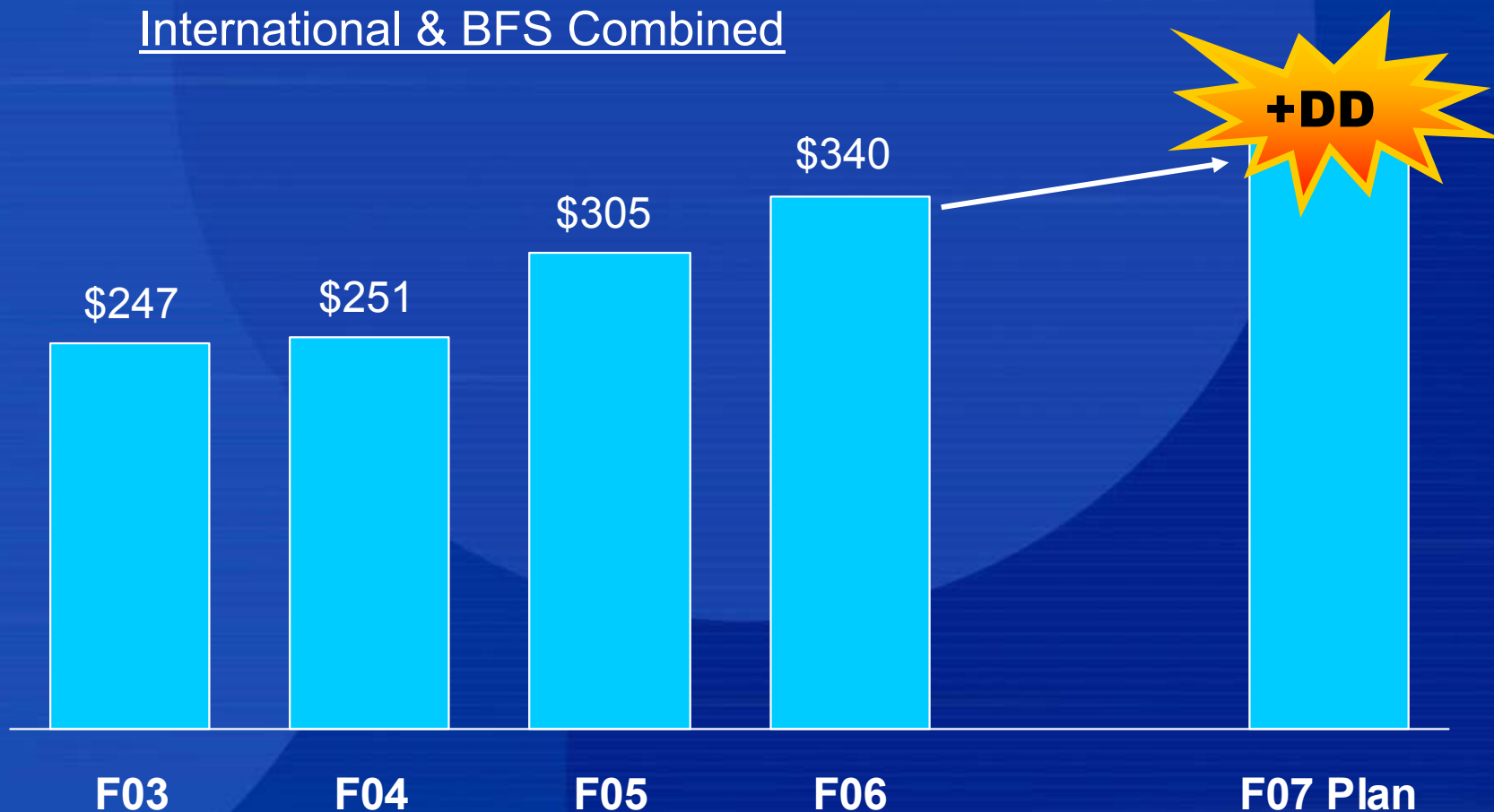


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GROWING SOURCES OF OPERATING PROFIT

(\$ in Millions)

International & BFS Combined



CEREAL PARTNERS WORLDWIDE



Fiscal 2006

- 4% Net Sales Growth
- 6% Volume Growth

6 New Products Launched
in Calendar 2006 to Date

CEREAL PARTNERS WORLDWIDE

UNCLE TOBYS ACQUISITION



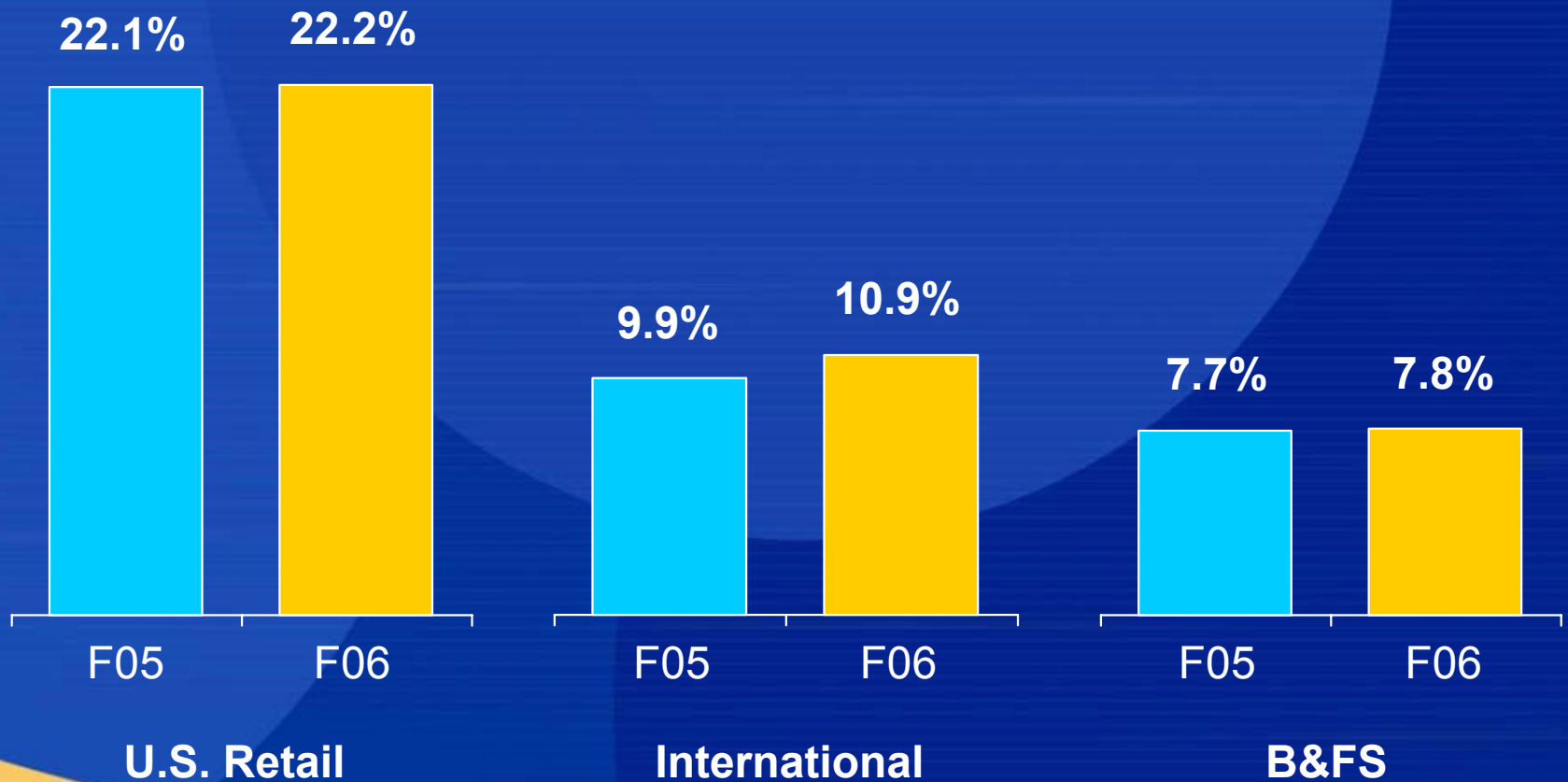
- > \$100 Million in Retail Sales
- 19% Share of Australian Cereal Market



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MARGIN EXPANSION

Operating Profit Margins

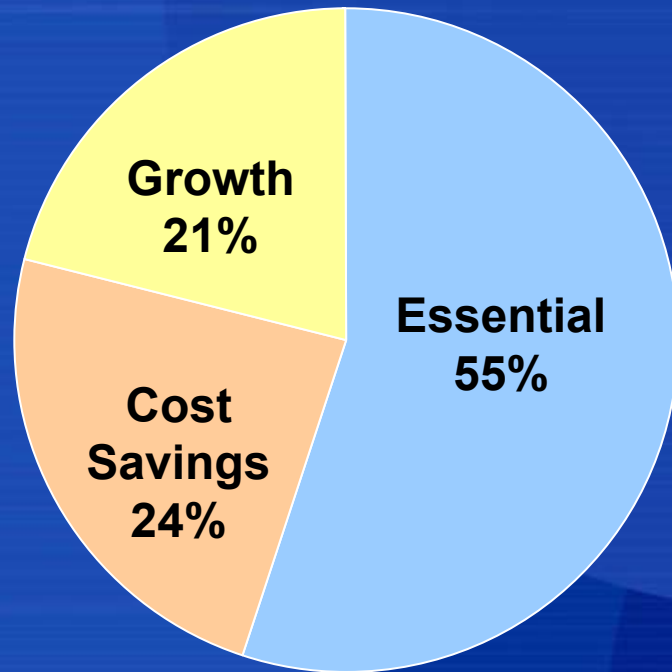


MARGIN EXPANSION LEVERS

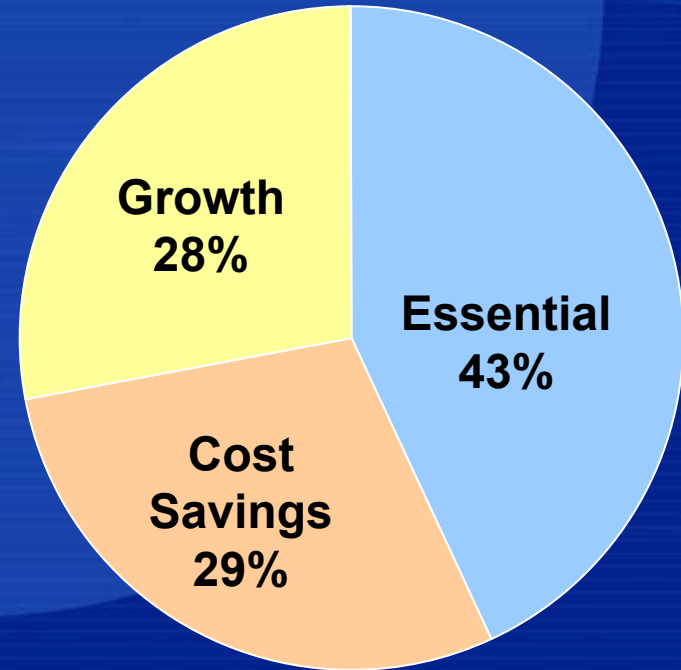
- Price Realization
- Mix Management
- Unit Volume Leverage
- Plant Operating Performance
- Productivity Initiatives



INCREASED INVESTMENT FOR COST SAVINGS & GROWTH



F06
\$360 Million



F07 Plan
\$425 Million



2007 OPERATING PERFORMANCE KEY OBJECTIVES

- Renew Net Sales Growth for Big G and Pillsbury
- Increase Contribution from New Products
- Capitalize on Opportunities in New Channels and International Markets
- Continue to Expand Margins

CORPORATE RATING GRID FOR 2007

- Net Sales
- Segment Operating Profit
- Diluted EPS
- Improvement in ROC



GENERAL MILLS SUMMARY

- 2006 A Good Start to New Phase of Growth
- Results Exceeded Company's Target
- Expect Continued Sales, Operating Profit and Margin Progress in 2007

RECONCILIATION OF SEGMENT OPERATING PROFIT

(\$ in Millions)

	4 th Quarter		Annual	
	2006	2005	2006	2005
Segment Operating Profit:				
U.S. Retail	\$ 408	\$ 377	\$ 1,779	\$ 1,719
International	47	54	201	171
Bakeries & Foodservice	38	40	139	134
Total Segment Operating Profit	493	471	2,119	2,024
Unallocated corporate items	(65)	(11)	(123)	(32)
Interest, net	(105)	(110)	(399)	(455)
Restructuring and other exit costs	(14)	(38)	(30)	(84)
Divestitures – gain	–	499	–	499
Debt repurchase costs	–	(137)	–	(137)
Earnings before income taxes and earnings from joint ventures	\$ 309	\$ 674	\$ 1,567	\$ 1,815



RECONCILIATION OF NON-GAAP EPS TO DILUTED EPS

	Annual	
	2006	2005
Diluted EPS	\$ 2.90	\$ 3.08
Effect of Accounting for Contingent Convertible Debt	(.08)	(.19)
EPS excluding CoCo Accounting	2.98	3.27
Divestitures – gain	–	.75
Debt repurchase costs	–	(.23)
Diluted EPS excluding CoCos, 2005 divestiture gain and bond buyback	\$ 2.98	\$ 2.75



RECONCILIATION OF NON-GAAP EPS TO DILUTED EPS

	1st Quarter		2nd Quarter		3rd Quarter		4th Quarter	
	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005
Diluted EPS	\$.64	\$.45	\$.97	\$.92	\$.68	\$.58	\$.61	\$ 1.14
Effect of Accounting for Contingent Convertible Debt	(.04)	(.02)	(.05)	(.05)	—	(.03)	—	(.08)
EPS excluding CoCo Accounting	.68	.47	1.02	.97	.68	.61	.61	1.22
Divestitures:								
SVE Partial Tax	—	—	—	—	—	(.12)	—	.12
Gain	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	.75
Debt repurchase costs	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	(.23)
Diluted EPS excluding CoCos, 2005 divestiture gain and bond buyback	\$.68	\$.47	\$ 1.02	\$.97	\$.68	\$.73	\$.61	\$.58



RETURN ON INVESTED CAPITAL

(\$ in Millions)

	2006	2005	2004
Net earnings	\$ 1,090	\$ 1,240	
Interest, net, after-tax	261	289	
Divestitures gain, after-tax	—	(284)	
Debt repurchase cost, after-tax	—	87	
Earnings before interest after tax (adjusted)	1,351	1,332	
Current portion of long-term debt	2,131	1,638	233
Notes payable	1,503	299	583
Long-term debt	2,415	4,255	7,410
Total debt	6,049	6,192	8,226
Minority interest	1,136	1,133	299
Stockholders' equity	5,772	5,676	5,248
Total capital	12,957	12,796	13,917
2005 divestiture gain, net of debt repurchase cost	(197)	(197)	—
Accumulated other comprehensive income	(125)	(8)	144
Adjusted total capital	12,635	12,796	13,917
Average adjusted total capital	12,716	13,356	
Return on capital	10.6%	10.0%	



RECONCILIATION OF JOINT VENTURE EARNINGS

(\$ in Millions)

	Annual		
	2006	2005	% Change
Earnings from joint ventures	\$ 64	\$ 89	-28%
SVE earnings	—	28	
Earnings from ongoing joint ventures	64	61	5%
CPW restructuring charge	(8)	—	
Earnings from ongoing joint ventures, excluding CPW restructuring charge	\$ 72	\$ 61	18%

