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Important drug information

- Victoza[®] is approved for the management of type 2 diabetes only
- Saxenda® is approved in the USA and the EU for the treatment of obesity only

Note: All notes, sources and abbreviations for this presentation are found in the appendix.





The mission for Product Supply is to be a strategic partner from R&D to commercial



Product Supply is delivering increased agility and expanding possibilities within Novo Nordisk





Global manufacturing setup strengthened with significant investments in the US and Denmark for diabetes and biopharm



Rybelsus® supply chain for the US and rest of world in place

Kalundborg, Denmark



- Production of API
- Already in operation

Måløv, Denmark



- Tableting and packaging
- Already in operation

Clayton, North Carolina, USA



- Production of API
- Expected start operation in 2021

Durham, North Carolina, USA



- Tableting and packaging
- Acquired in August 2019



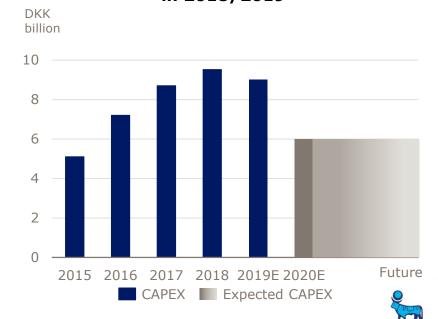


Product Supply is ready to match business aspirations

Ready to deliver on future more complex demands and late-stage clinical trials



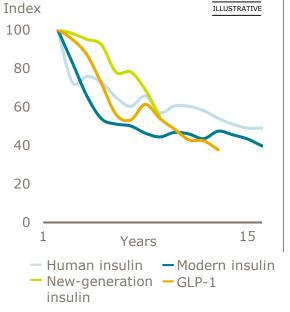
CAPEX investments have peaked in 2018/2019



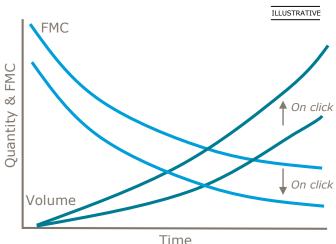


Product Supply is ready to deliver on increasingly complex demands

Continuously lowered unit costs



Next up is optimisation of Rybelsus®



Well-positioned today and in the future

- High manufacturing capacity
- Agile manufacturing setup in a more complex environment
- Reduced manufacturing risk and improved safety
- Drive efficiency gains and lower unit costs



The corporate strategy is the guiding principle for Novo Nordisk's approach to resource allocation

Corporate strategy is focusing on four therapeutic areas





Focus on driving sustained sales growth



Production focused on **improving unit costs**



R&D investments in future growth assets



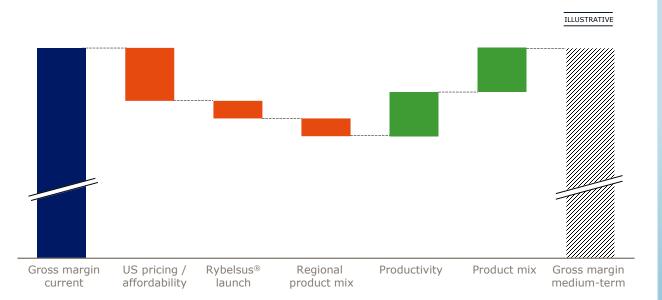
Commercial investments in growth markets and products





Gross margin to be broadly stable driven by continuously driving productivity improvements

Gross margin remains competitive



Gross margin development

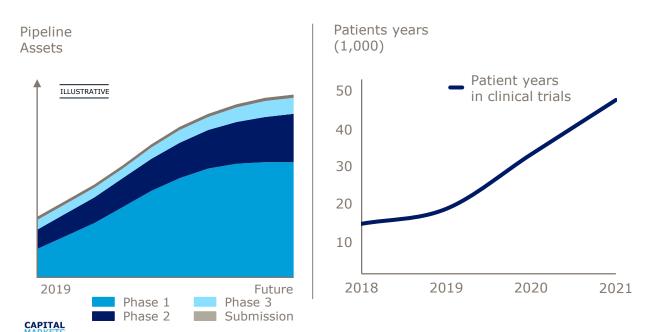
- Negatively impacted by US pricing and affordability initiatives
- Rybelsus[®] unit costs initially impacting gross margin negatively
- Positively impacted by productivity and higher GLP-1 sales and newgeneration insulin





Over time, Research & Development cost ratio is expected to gradually increase

The activity level in R&D is expected to increase driven by an increase in number of pipeline assets and patients enrolled

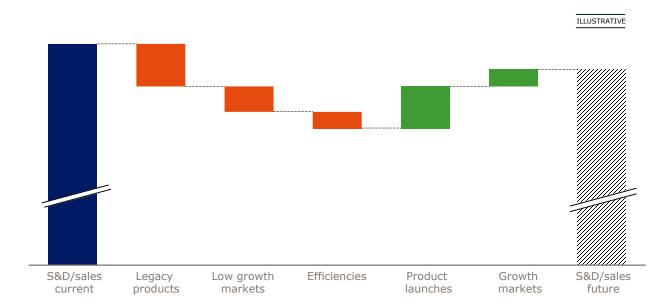


R&D costs development

- Over time, gradual increase in R&D cost ratio driven by innovation opportunities and early-stage research
- Solid balance sheet allows investments in external R&D assets
- Efficiency focus reduces cost per patient



Over time, Sales & Distribution cost ratio is expected to gradually decline



Sales & Distribution costs development

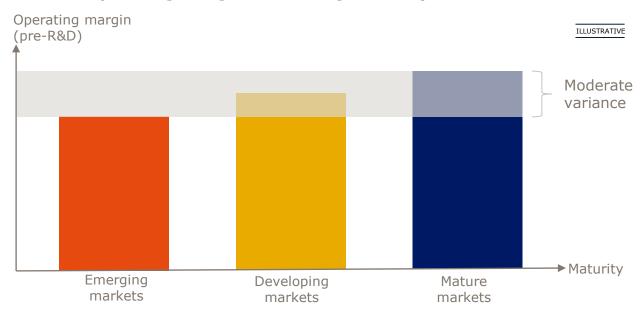
- Resource allocation shifting away from low growth products and markets to growth products and markets
- Short-term investments to launch Ozempic[®] and Rybelsus[®] successfully
- Efficiency focus to drive operational leverage





Regional operating margins reflect moderate variance

Operating margins reflecting maturity and investments



Moderate margin differences across regions

Differences driven by:

- Pricing
- Product mix
- Cost of operations
- · Economies of scale
- Growth potential





Focus on driving solid sales growth and investing to build future growth assets

Corporate strategy focusing on four therapeutic areas





Focus on driving solid sales growth



Gross margin to remain broadly stable



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Over time, Sales & Distribution cost ratio to gradually decline



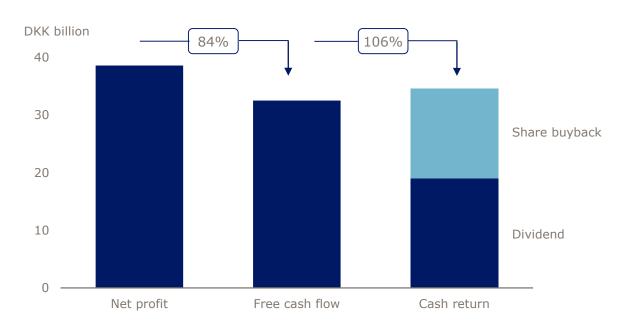
Administration cost ratio to decline





Net profit has consistently been converted to cash and returned to shareholders

Cash conversion and cash allocation, FY2018





Solid cash conversion and return of cash to shareholders

- Cash conversion historically above 90%
- Novo Nordisk has returned DKK 109 billion to shareholders over the last three years
- 23 years of increasing dividends
- Very solid balance sheet
- M&A up to USD 5 billion



Novo Nordisk is on-track to achieve current long-term financial targets

Cash conversion (3-year average)

Target: 85%

2019 status1: 93%

OPAT/NOA

Target: 80%

2019 status¹: 120%

Average operating profit growth

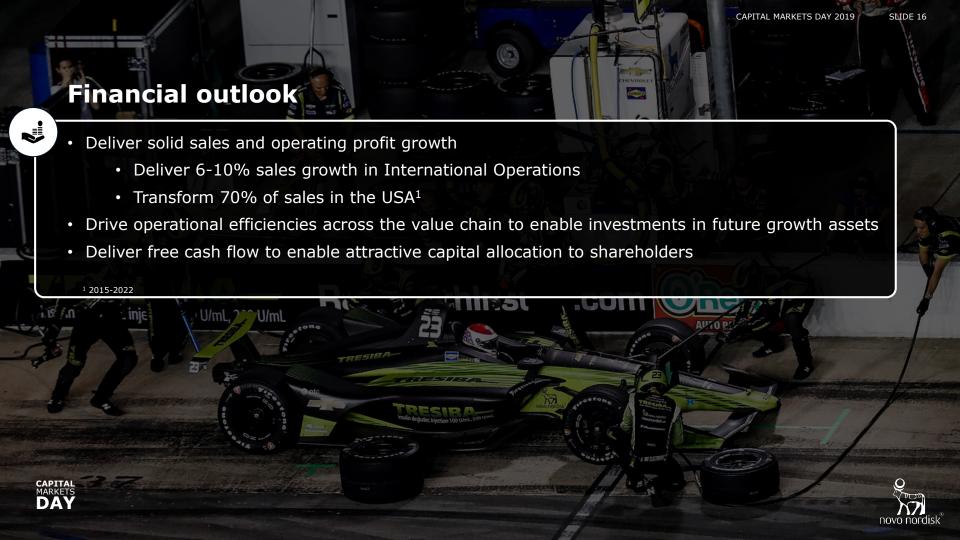
Target: 5%

2019 status²: 4.7%



¹ Based on YTD 2019 performance provided in connection with 9M 2019 report

² Based on FY 2019 guidance provided in connection with 9M 2019 report and with 2015 as the base year



Sources, notes and abbreviations – PS and Financials

- Slide 2: API: Active pharmaceutical ingredients
- Slide 15: OPAT: Operating profit after tax; NOA: Net operating assets



