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EBITDA increased +43% in 1Q20 fuelled by sales (+26%) and a higher EBITDA margin

Key data at 12 th May 2020,	17:35h						
Price (€) 2.70	N° shares (m) 76.						
Ticker Bloomberg RJF SM	Ν	1. Cap. (€m)	205.4			
Free-float (%) 37.3		aily vol. (€	m)	0.1			
(€mn)	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e			
Net group profit	4.9	11.3	15.7	25.2			
% inc.	-46.7	129.5	38.8	60.6			
EBITDA	19.7	29.9	35.5	46.7			
% inc.	20.1	51.8	18.7	31.5			
EPS (€)	0.06 0.15 0.21 0.3						
% inc.	-46.7	129.5	38.8	60.6			
DPS (€)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00			
% inc.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.			
P/E (x)	39.0	18.2	13.1	8.2			
EV/EBITDA	12.3	8.5	6.6	4.5			
Div. Yield (%)	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0						
P/BV (x)	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.9			
Price performance (€)							



Growth in sales and EBITDA accelerated in 1Q20 fuelled by the COVID-19 effect

Sales in 1Q20 were €62.1mn (+25.8%, +9.6% organic, a rate of growth unusually high in the pharma sector), the breakdown per divisions is: Antibiotics and injectables €27.1mn (+11.5%) this favoured by demand of products to combat the COVID-19, consumer healthcare €16.4mn (+6.5%), specialty pharma €18.5mn (+90.7%, organic +6%), fuelled by a product portfolio acquired in 3Q19. EBITDA €8.0mn (+43.3%) and 13.0% EBITDA margin (from 11.4%). EBIT €4.0mn (+30.4%), PBT 3.9mn (+35.2%), net profit €3.3mn (+35.3%), net cash flow €5.9mn (+60.4%). NFD increased to €55.7mn (+5.9% from 4Q19). NFD/EBITDA is 2.5x, not a concern. The qoq growth rates are: Sales +16.9%, EBITDA +10.6%, EBIT +38.3%, PBT +47.2%, net profit +23.3% and net cash flow +9.7%.

The key features are organic growth of +10%, a higher EBITDA margin and lower capex

The increase in sales reflects a combination of product launches, demand related to the COVID-19 and the acquisition of a range of products from Bioibérica in 3Q19. The boost in sales linked to the COVID-19 crisis should reverse when the pandemic is controlled but ought to be compensated with sales to countries where the virus spread later. The higher EBITDA margin results from the product mix, cost efficiencies and lower marketing expenses. Capex declines to €5.5mn (-21%), the investment of the antibiotics line in the Toledo factory was completed in 2019. The only sizeable ongoing investment is a new lyophilized and liquid vials plant in Barcelona that should come on-stream in 2021. The prospects for the free cash-flow are enticing, we forecast a 10% FCF yield in 2021e.

Valuation: Our target price is unchanged at €3.80/share

Our target price is unchanged at €3.80/share. Our valuation considers the possibility that Spain may stop subsidizing drugs used for the relief of osteoarthritis, as it happened in most of the EU. Reig Jofre leads a clinical study of a nutrition supplement as a treatment against COVID-19.

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Sales growth of +26% and an increase in the EBITDA and EBIT margins drive the net profit up +35%

Figure 1. Summary results

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€mn	1Q19	2Q19	3Q19	4Q19	1 Q20	yoy %	qoq %
Antibiotics & Injectables	24.3	24.4	23.9	26.9	27.1	11.5	0.7
Specialty pharma	9.7	8.7	16.7	16.6	18.5	90.7	11.4
Consumer healthcare	15.4	10.3	13.7	9.6	16.4	6.5	70.8
Sales	49.3	43.4	54.3	53.1	62.1	25.8	16.9
Gross profit	31.8	28.2	30.9	35.4	37.5	17.8	5.9
% of sales	64.5	64.9	56.9	66.6	60.4		
Other income	1.3	1.5	1.1	1.8	1.4		
Operating expenses	-27.5	-26.1	-28.8	-29.9	-30.9		
EBITDA	5.6	3.6	3.2	7.3	8.0	43.3	10.6
% of sales	11.4	8.4	5.8	13.7	13.0		
Depreciation	-2.5	-2.7	-3.9	-4.1	-4.0	58.9	-2.0
Impairment & Others	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.3	0.0		
EBIT	3.1	1.0	-0.7	2.9	4.0	30.4	38.3
% of sales	6.3	2.3	-1.3	5.5	6.5		
Net financial expenses	-0.2	-0.3	-0.2	-0.4	-0.2		
Equity income	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0		
Profit before taxes	2.9	0.7	-0.9	2.6	3.9	35.2	47.2
Taxes	-0.4	-0.1	0.1	0.0	-0.6		
Net group profit	2.4	0.6	-0.8	2.7	3.3	35.3	23.3
Net cash flow (NP+D+I-Capitalized exp.)	3.7	1.7	2.0	5.4	5.9	60.4	9.7
Net financial debt	30.2	7.6	46.4	52.6	55.7	84.4	5.9
NFD/LTM EBITDA (x)	1.7	0.4	2.6	2.7	2.5		
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Source: Company and Bankinter Research

Sales growth of +25.8% is driven by specialty pharma and consumer healthcare

Sales increased in 1Q20 to €62.0mn (+25.8%, organic +9.6% a rate of growth that is unusually high in the pharma sector). Sales per division are: Antibiotics and injectables €27.1mn (+11.5%), Specialty pharma €18.5mn€ (+90.7%, organic +6%) and Consumer healthcare €16.4mn (+6.5%). Specialty pharma was fuelled by the €48mn acquisition of licenses for prescription products primarily for treating arthritis joint pain from Bioibérica in July 2019 that added €8mn to sales in 1Q20. Sales growth versus 4Q19 is 16.9%. The COVID-19 has a positive effect on sales of antibiotics and pain killers. All divisions reported higher sales:

- Antibiotics and injectable sales of €27.1mn (+11.5%) benefited from a higher demand related to COVID-19. A new Sodium Oxybate Solution (this is indicated for the treatment of cataplexy in narcolepsy) is being manufactured and sold to clients in Europe.
- > Specialty pharma sales of €18.5mn (+90.7%. +6% organic) rose strongly following the acquisition of licenses from Bioibérica.
- > Consumer healthcare sales of €16.4mn (+6.5%) continued to increase sales although this is activity is likely to suffer from the lockdown during the COVID-19 crisis.



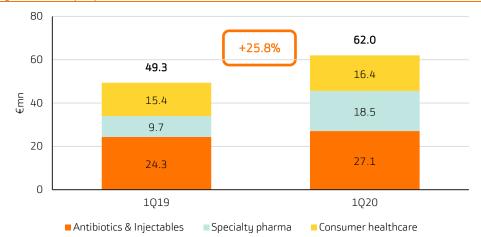
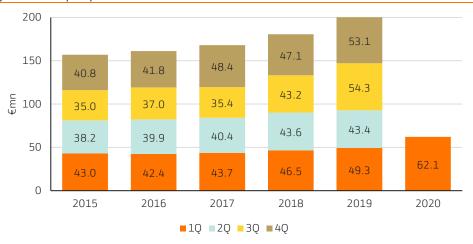


Figure 3. Sales per quarter

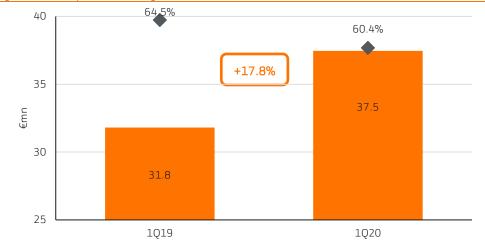


Source: Company and Bankinter Research

Gross profit increased +17.8%

- > The gross profit increased in 1Q20 to €37.5mn (+17.8% yoy), and +5.9% goq.
- The gross margin declined in 1Q20 to 60.4% from 64.5% in 1Q19 (and 66.6% in 4Q20, this was a five-year high). This reflects a combination of a less favourable sales mix and the effect of the costs associated to the portfolio acquired from Bioibérica whose manufacturing is subcontracted.

Figure 4. Gross profit and margin



Source: Company and Bankinter Research

Figure 5. Gross margin per quarter



The EBITDA increased +43.3%

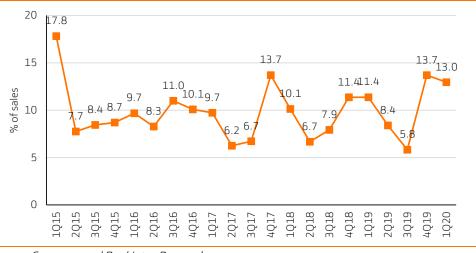
- > The **EBITDA in 1Q20** was €8.0mn (+43.3%).
- The **EBITDA margin** increased in to 13.0% from 11.4% in 1Q19 (13.7% in 4Q19) fuelled by a combination of sales growth and cost efficiencies.

Figure 6. EBITDA and margin



Source: Company and Bankinter Research

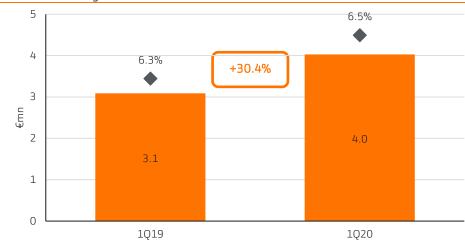
Figure 7. EBITDA margin per quarter



A +59% hike in depreciation slows down the growth rate of EBIT to +30.4%

- **EBIT** increased in **1Q20** to €4.0mn (+30.4%). A +59% hike in depreciation related primarily to the incorporation of manufacturing assets (the main investment is a new antibiotics line in Toledo that was started up in 2019) and intangibles related to the products acquired from Bioibérica offset the growth in EBITDA.
- The **EBIT margin** increased in **1Q20** to 6.5% of sales from 6.3% in 1Q19 (5.5% in 4Q19).

Figure 8. EBIT and margin



Source: Company and Bankinter Research

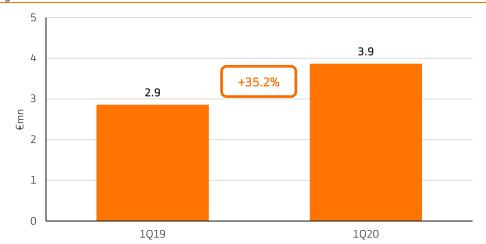
Figure 9. EBIT margin per quarter



Profit before taxes and net profit increase +35%, the net cash flow +60%

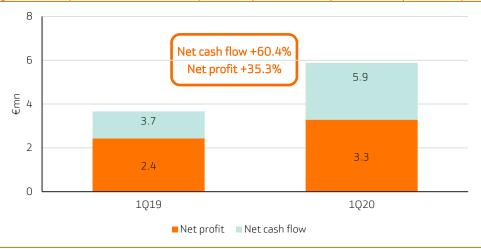
- In 1Q20, the profit before taxes increased to €3.9mn (+35.2%) and the net profit to €3.3mn (+35.3%). Financial expenses remained broadly in-line with those of a year ago and contributed to push thee rate of growth of the PBT above that of EBIT.
- > In 1Q20, the net profit increased at a similar rate as the PBT.
- > The **net cash flow** (net profit + depreciation + impairment on fixed assets capitalized R&D expenses) increased in **1Q20** to €5.9mn (+60.4%). In our opinion, this is a key indicator to assess the evolution of Reig Jofre's results.

Figure 10. Profit before taxes



Source: Company and Bankinter Research

Figure 11. Net profit and cash flow (net profit + depreciation + impairment – Capitalized exp.)



Capex and net financial debt

- ➤ Capex in 1Q20 was lower at €5.5mn than the 7.0Mn of 1Q19. The completion and start-up of a new antibiotics line in the Toledo plant entailed a reduction in capex.
- > The investment in a new injectables plant in Barcelona accounts for the bulk of capex: €4.8mn in 1Q20.
- Fight against the COVID-19: Reig Jofre leads a clinical study to determine the potential of the nutrition supplement Manremyc to treat health professionals infected with COVID-19.
- The net financial debt increased to €55.7mn from €52.6 in December 2019 (+5.9%).
- ➤ The current and non-current liabilities include €26mn of **pending payments** related to the Bioibérica acquisition, due in 2020 and 2021.
- NFD/ LTM EBITDA is 2.5x, not a concern.

Figure 12. Capex breakdown (in €mn)

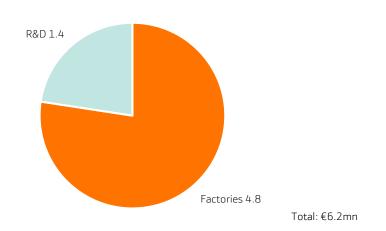
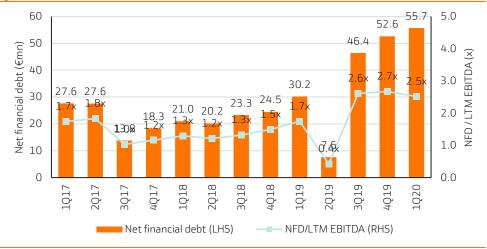


Figure 13. Net financial debt



Source: Company and Bankinter Research

Our target price is unchanged at €3.80 per share

In recent reports, we valued Reig Jofre using a **sum-of-the parts** model that revolved around a **DCF-model**. We valued separately (1) the company excluding the portfolio recently acquired from Bioibérica (at €3.63 per share) and (2) this portfolio at €0.17 €/share. The company will not report separately the acquired licenses from the existing businesses, in our last report we changed our method to a DCF model.

Our assumed WACC is 7.4% and the terminal growth "g" rate 0.0%. Our target price is unchanged at €3.80 per share. This is for December 2020.

Figure 14. DCF model

€mn	2021e	2022e	2023e	2024e
EBIT	18.6	29.1	32.1	31.5
Tax rate on EBIT	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
NOPLAT	16.7	26.2	27.3	26.8
Depreciation	16.9	17.6	18.4	19.3
OWC	-2.2	-4.6	-1.5	-0.7
Capex	-10.6	-12.0	-13.6	-18.4
Free cash flow	20.8	27.2	30.6	27.0
Terminal value				363.9
EV/EBITDA terminal value				7.2
Flow to discount	20.8	27.2	30.6	390.8
Discount factor (x)	0.93	0.87	0.81	0.75
NPV of flow	19.4	23.5	24.7	293.7
EV	361.3			

Source: Bankinter Research

Figure 15. Sensitivity analysis

Terminal growth rate (%) -1.5 -1.0 -0.5 0.5 1.0 €/share 1.5 8.4 2.76 3.23 2.90 3.05 3.42 3.64 3.89 WACC (%) 2.97 7.9 3.12 3.30 3.49 3.72 3.97 4.27 3.80 3.19 3.37 3.57 4.06 4.36 4.71 6.9 3.44 3.65 3.88 4.14 4.45 4.81 5.23 6.4 3.72 4.23 4.54 3.96 4.91 5.34 5.86

Source: Bankinter Research

	Mn€	€/share
EV	361.3	4.75
Other investments	5.1	0.07
Equity accounted subsidiaries	1.7	0.02
Less: NFD 2020e	-50.4	-0.66
Less: Acquisition debt 2020e	-28.0	-0.37
Less: Provisions 2020e	-1.0	-0.01
Equity value	288.7	3.80

Valuation methodology

Valuation method

We value Reig Jofre using a DCF-model. This considers flows for 2021e-2024e and a terminal value. Our valuation is for December 2020.

Key assumptions

We use a WACC of 7.4% and a terminal growth "g" rate of 0%.

Target price scenarios

Base €3.80

- Stable sales of the current portfolio after 2019e
- New capacity at 95% of utilization in the 4th year of operation
- EBITDA margin increases to 18% in 2023e, from 10% in 2019

Bull €4.75

- > Sales of the current portfolio as in base
- New capacity at 95% of utilization in 2nd year of operation
- EBITDA margin peaks at 18% in 2023e

Bear €2.85

- > Sales of the current portfolio as in base
- New capacity at 50% of utilization in the 4th year of operation
- ➤ EBITDA margin peaks at 14% in 2023e

Key drivers

- > Sales growth driven by new capacity and product launches
- Increasing margins as more efficient capacity is added

Catalysts

- New license agreements
- Corporate acquisitions
- Roll out of the capex programme

Risk factors

- Spain stopping subsidizing Sysadoa drugs (Symptomatic Slow Action Drugs for Osteoarthritis) used to treat arthrosis (marketed by Bioibérica).
- Pipeline risks

Figure 16. Profit and loss account and cash flow statement

(€mn)	2017	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Profit and loss account						
Sales	168.0	180.5	200.2	230.0	243.8	273.0
% inc.	4.3	7.4	10.9	14.9	6.0	12.0
Cost of goods sold	-64.1	-67.6	-73.9	-82.8	-85.3	-95.6
Gross margin	103.9	112.8	126.3	147.2	158.5	177.5
Operating costs	-88.1	-96.5	-106.6	-117.3	-123.0	-130.8
EBITDA	15.8	16.4	19.7	29.9	35.5	46.7
% inc.	0.6	3.8	20.1	51.8	18.7	31.5
Depreciation	-6.8	-6.4	-13.4	-16.2	-16.9	-17.6
EBIT	8.9	10.0	6.3	13.7	18.6	29.1
% inc.	-23.6	11.5	-36.9	117.9	35.3	56.6
Net financial result	-1.0	-0.7	-1.1	-1.3	-1.3	-1.3
Equity accounted earnings	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Other results	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Profit before taxes	7.9	9.4	5.3	12.5	17.4	27.9
Corporate tax	8.0	-0.2	-0.4	-1.3	-1.7	-2.8
Discontinued operations	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Minority interests	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net group profit	8.8	9.2	4.9	11.3	15.7	25.2
% inc.	14.8	5.3	-46.7	129.5	38.8	60.6
EPS (€)	0.12	0.12	0.06	0.15	0.21	0.33
% inc.	14.8	5.3	-46.7	129.5	38.8	60.6
DPS (€)	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
% inc.	-2.2	-3.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Cash flow statement						
Net cash flow	15.6	15.6	18.3	27.5	32.6	42.8
% inc.	34.3	0.2	17.1	50.0	18.7	31.2
OWC change	14.6	1.3	8.2	-4.7	-2.2	-4.6
Capex	-9.2	-21.0	-50.4	-20.3	-10.6	-12.0
Free cash flow	21.0	-4.0	-23.9	2.4	19.8	26.1
Dividends paid	-0.1	-0.4	-0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other variations	-9.9	-1.8	-3.9	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
Change in net cash/(net financial debt)	11.0	-6.2	-28.2	2.3	19.6	26.0

Source: Company and Bankinter Research

Figure 17. Balance sheet and margins

(€mn)	2017	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
Balance sheet						
Net fixed assets	107.0	121.4	199.5	203.7	197.4	191.8
Net financial assets	0.0	0.3	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.6
Operating working capital (OWC)	41.9	40.5	32.3	37.1	39.3	43.9
Other assets/(liabilities) net	11.0	11.9	-2.3	-2.3	-2.3	-2.3
Capital employed (CE)	159.9	174.2	230.8	239.8	235.8	234.9
Shareholders' equity	141.6	149.8	178.2	189.5	205.2	230.3
Minority interests	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
Net financial debt	18.3	24.5	52.6	50.4	30.7	4.7
Margins (%)						
Gross margin/Sales	61.9	62.5	63.1	64.0	65.0	65.0
EBITDA/Sales	9.4	9.1	9.8	13.0	14.6	17.1
EBIT/Sales	5.3	5.5	3.1	6.0	7.6	10.7
Sales/Capital employed	105.1	103.6	86.8	95.9	103.4	116.2
EBITDA/Capital employed	9.9	9.4	8.5	12.5	15.1	19.9
ROCE	5.6	5.7	2.7	5.7	7.9	12.4
ROE	6.2	6.2	2.8	6.0	7.6	10.9
Gearing (x)						
Net financial debt/Capital employed	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0
Net financial debt/EBITDA	1.2	1.5	2.7	1.7	0.9	0.1
EBIT/Net financial result	8.9	14.4	5.6	10.5	14.4	23.0

Source: Company and Bankinter Research

Figure 18. Main shareholders

Family Reig Jofre:	62.7%
Kaizaharra:	10.1%
Onchena:	5.5%
Treasury stock:	0.5%

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Figure	20.	Market	ratios
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(€)	2017	2018	2019	2020e	2021e	2022e
EPS (€)	0.12	0.12	0.06	0.15	0.21	0.33
% inc.	14.8	<i>5.3</i>	-46.7	129.5	38.8	60.6
CFPS (€)	0.21	0.21	0.24	0.36	0.43	0.56
% inc.	34.3	0.2	17.1	50.0	18.7	31.2
DPS (€)	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
% inc.	-2.2	<i>-3.5</i>	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
BVPS (€)	1.86	1.97	2.34	2.49	2.70	3.03
% inc.	6.3	5.8	19.0	6.3	8.3	12.3
ROE (%)	6.2	6.2	2.8	6.0	7.6	10.9
Price (€)						
Max.	3.90	3.19	2.76	3.15	-	-
Min.	2.24	2.12	2.21	1.87	-	-
Last	2.34	2.28	2.52	2.70	2.70	2.70
P/E (x)						
Max.	33.8	26.3	42.7	-	-	-
Min.	19.4	17.5	34.2	-	-	-
Last	20.3	18.8	39.0	18.2	13.1	8.2
Relative	0.5	0.5	1.1	0.5	0.4	0.2
P/CF (x)						
Max.	19.0	15.5	11.5	-	-	-
Min.	10.9	10.3	9.2	-	-	-
Last	11.4	11.1	10.5	7.5	6.3	4.8
Relative	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2
Yield (%)						
Max.	2.1	2.1	0.0	-	-	-
Min.	1.2	1.4	0.0	-	-	-
Last	2.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Relative	2.5	2.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
P/BV (x)						
Max.	2.1	1.6	1.2	-	-	-
Min.	1.2	1.1	0.9	-	-	-
Last	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.9
Relative	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4

Source: Company and Bankinter Research

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