

2023 COMMERCIAL PLAN

AGENDA

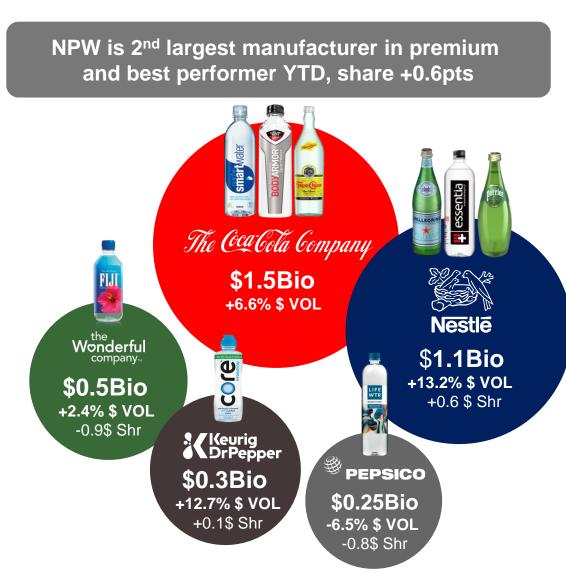
+Vision

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NESTLE IS DRIVING HIGHEST GROWTH RATE WITHIN TOP VENDORS AND 2ND LARGEST IN PREMIUM

BOTTLED WATER YTD GROWTH





2022 CHALLENGES & CHANGES

Inflation



+ Inflation is at a 40yr high, costing households \$341 more per month for the same goods and services as LY!

Rising Fuel Prices



+ Gas prices are at a 14yr high, up +52% vs. LY!

Supply Chain Challenges



- + Truck Driver Shortages (80k in 2021)
- + Rising Costs & Hard to Find Raw Materials

Nestle Integration & Price increase



- + New systems, new teams and new process.
- + First price increase since 2019.



Growing at +61% CAGR since 2014, Essentia Continues to Overachieve Results in 2021

- #1 Driver of Premium Still Growth (+25.2%)
- #1 Market Share Growth (+2.3; 15.8 shr)
- Growing 2.7X faster than category in dollars and 7.4X faster than category in units YTD
- +2.6% HH Penetration YTD in 2022!

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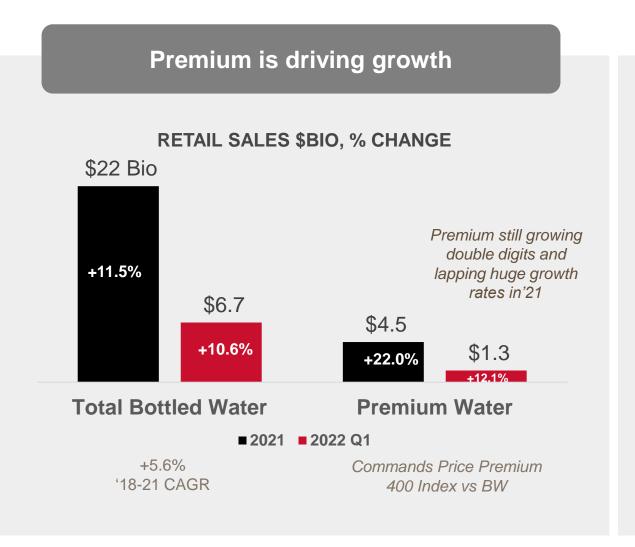
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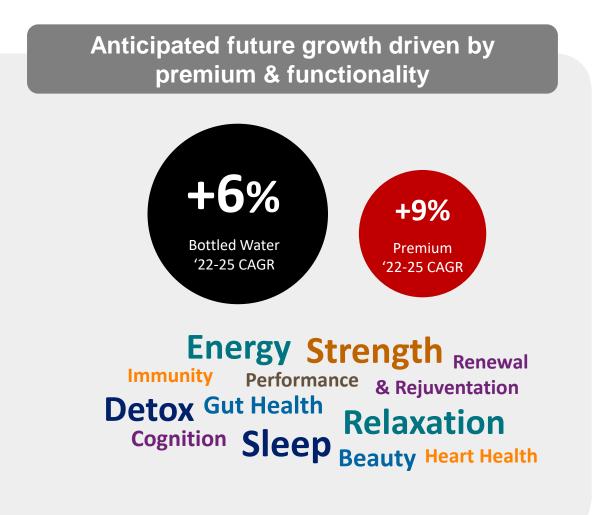
CATEGORY LANDSCAPE SUMMARY



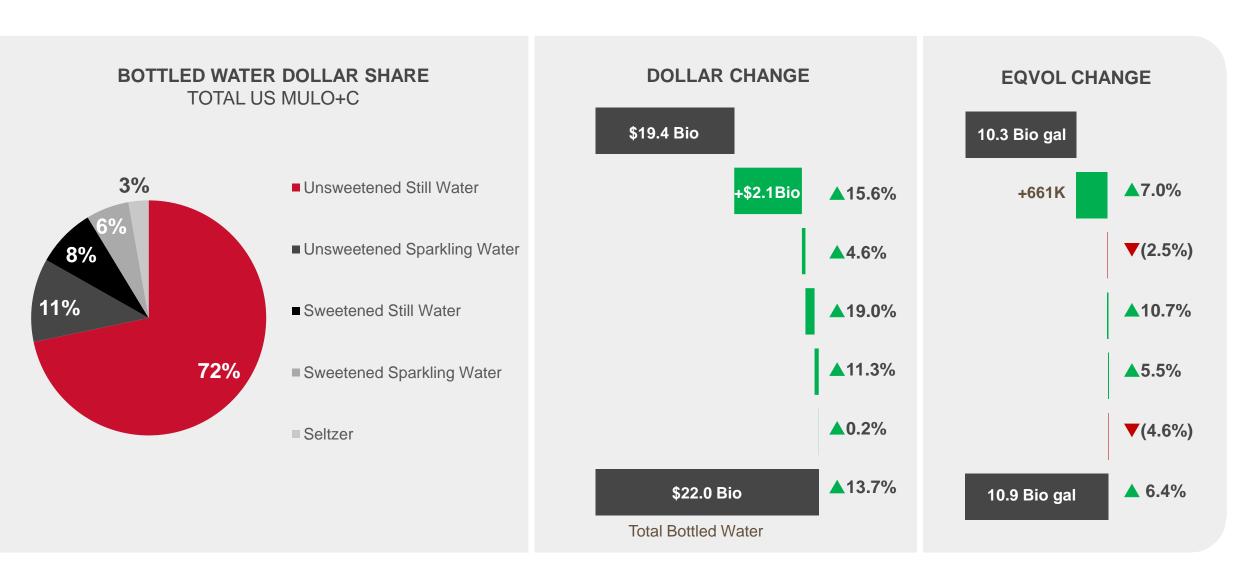
- Bottled water category is a large, growing, and attractive category
- Premium will continue to drive growth
- 71% Premium unsweetened still water are single bottles; multipacks drive fastest growth rate
- C-Store is the largest channel for premium still and closing distribution in C-Store is Essentia's #1 opportunity

BOTTLED WATER IS LARGE, ATTRACTIVE AND EXPECTED TO GROW

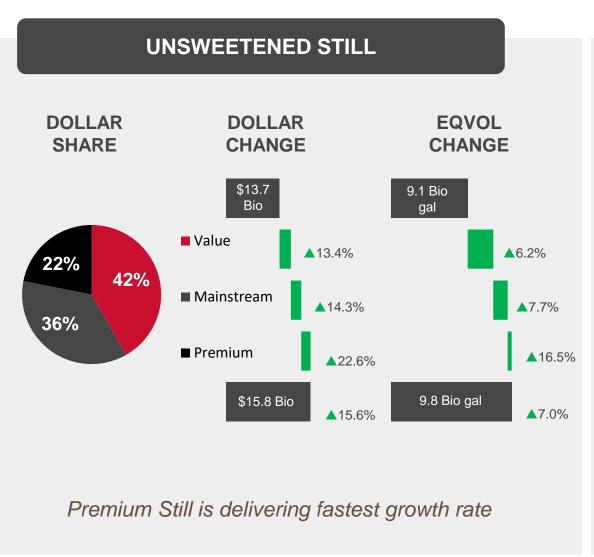


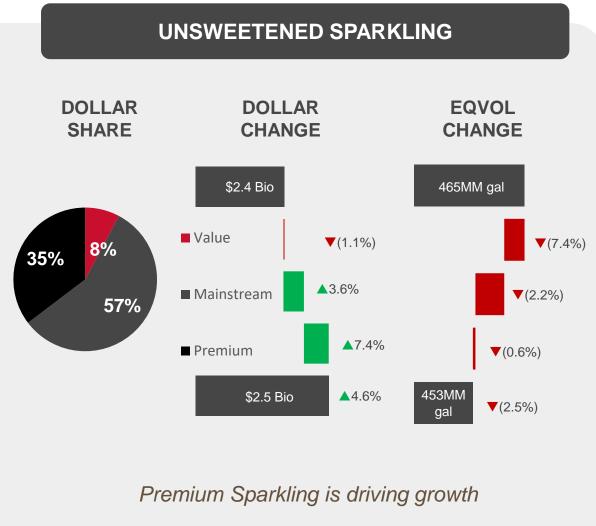


UNSWEETENED STILL WATER LEADS DOLLAR GROWTH



PREMIUM WATER DRIVES STILL AND SPARKLING GROWTH





PREMIUM WATER DRIVES



HIGHER BASKET



\$82.88

Basket with

Premium

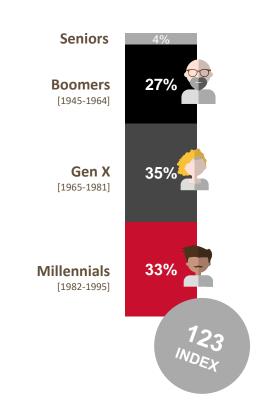
Water

HIGHER MARGIN

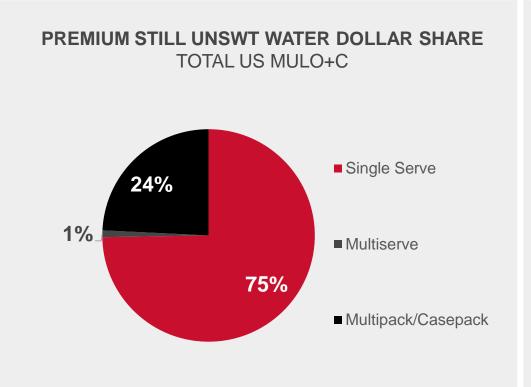


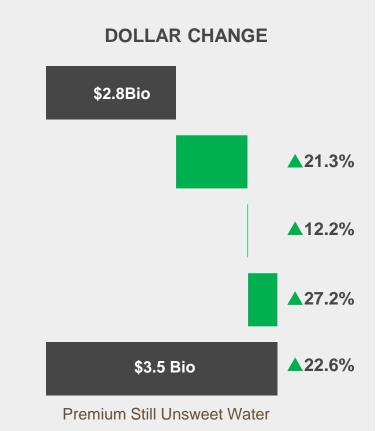
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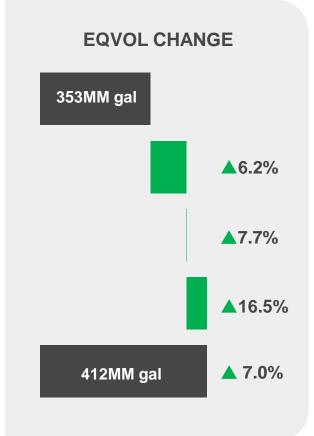
Category Gross margin ATTRACTS YOUNGER, AFFLUENT SHOPPERS



MULTIPACK GROWS THE FASTEST, BUT WINNING IN SINGLE SERVE IS CRITICAL







PREMIUM STILL WATER GROWTH IS DRIVEN BY AN INCREASE IN HOUSEHOLDS AND BUY RATE

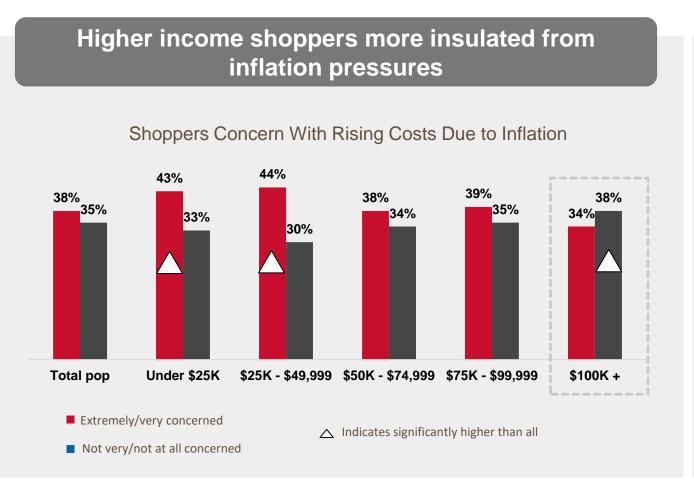


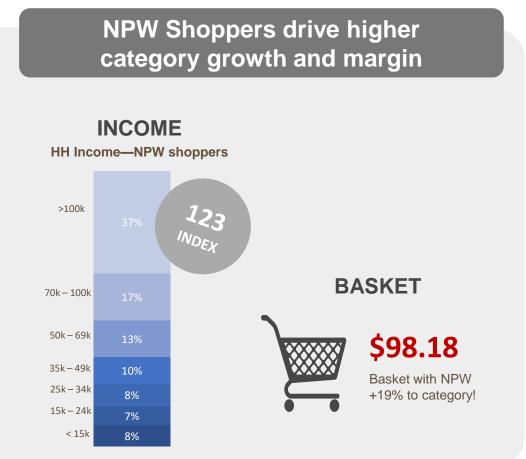






NESTLE PREMIYN WATER ATTRACTS HIGHER INCOME SHOPPERS LEADING TO EVEN BIGGER BASKETS





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Our brand purpose is informed by three foundational insights.

Today's world demands resilience, and resilience starts with self-care.

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The best beverage brands provide more than function; they evoke a feeling.

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A hydration ritual creates space to reset and re-center for the body and mind.

OUR BRAND PURPOSE

ESSENTIA HELPS REPLENISH YOUR RESILIENCE

ESSENTIA IS A DIFFERENT KIND OF PREMIUM WATER.



Source Water Water in its natural state from a spring or other natural

source (rivers, lakes, glaciers).



Purified Water Water that is filtered or cleaned for consumption.



Enhanced Water
Purified or source water with additional ingredients
(minerals) that promotes functionality or supplemental benefits.



Alkaline Water
Purified or source water
that has a pH of 8 or
higher.

SUPERCHARGED IONIZED
ALKALINE WATER TO RAISE
THE PH, DIFFERENT THAN
OTHER ALKALINE WATERS



CLINICAL REHYDRATION STUDY SHOWS ESSENTIA REHYDRATES BETTER THAN OTHER BOTTLED WATERS

Essentia has invested in peer reviewed clinical research to understand Essentia product difference Vs Other Waters



Determine Essentia's hydration effectiveness compared to a leading bottled water.



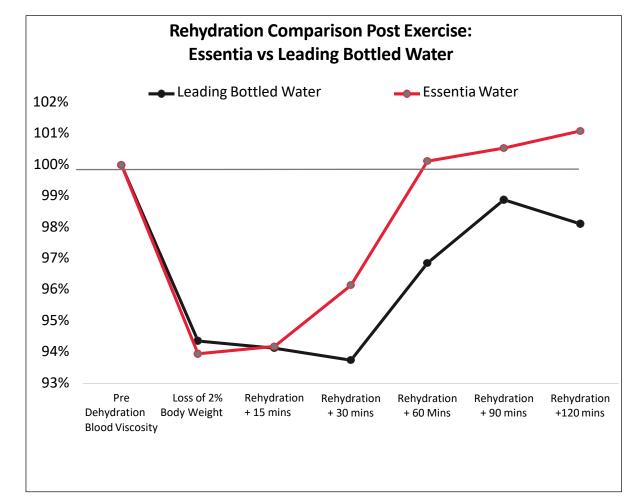
Randomized, double-blind study, 100 healthy adults, 50 male/50 female, ages 25-49 were mildly dehydrated by aerobic exercise by 2% body weight, rehydrated, and observed for two hours.

Published Date

December 2016 in the <u>Journal of the International Society of Sports</u> Nutrition.

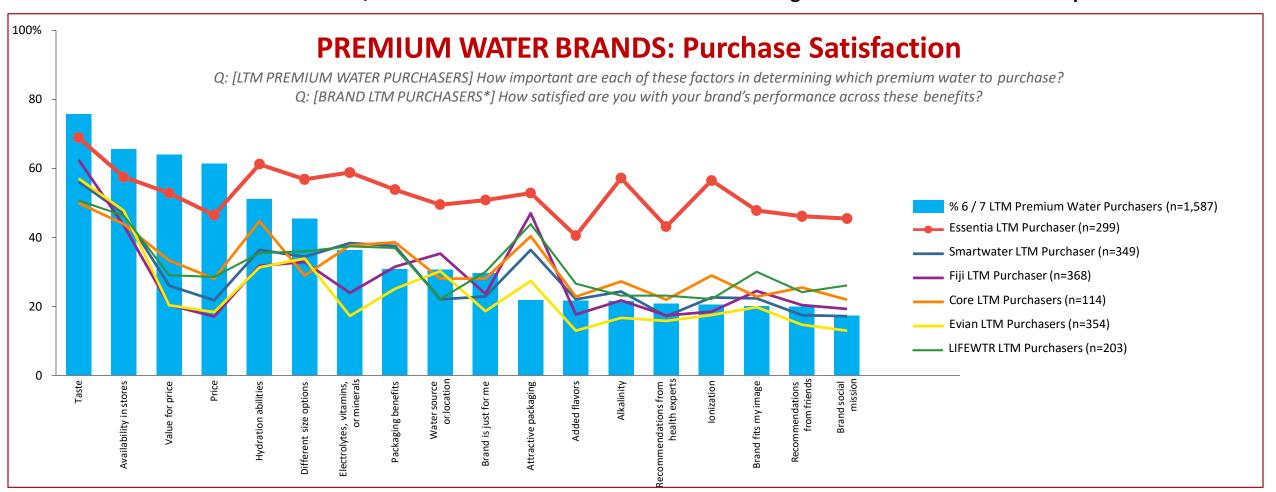
The Result

Rehydrating with Essentia supercharged ionized alkaline water was significantly more effective than hydrating with a leading purified bottled water



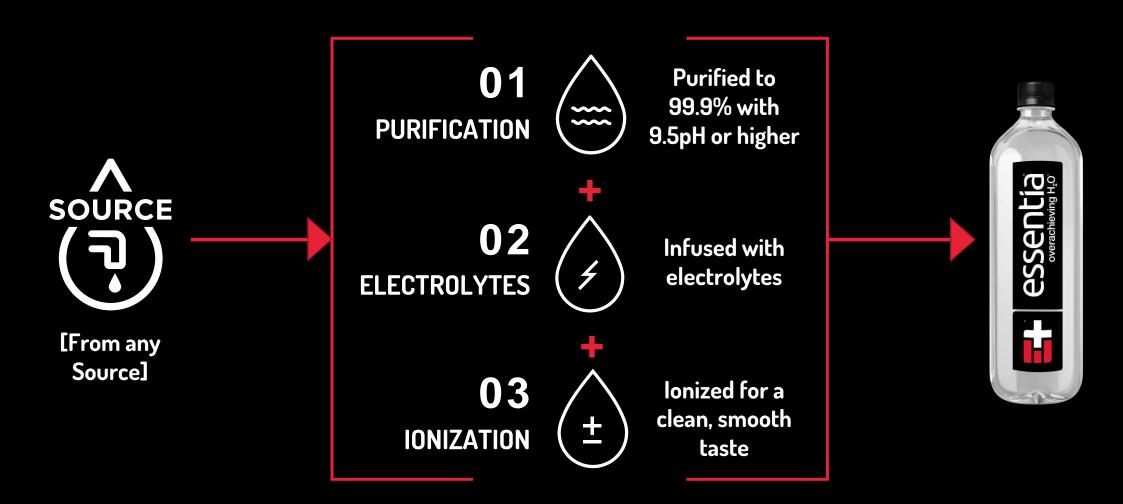
ESSENTIA HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL BY DELIVERING WHAT PREMIUM WATER DRINKERS ARE LOOKING FOR...

** In Consumer Research, we discovered that our drinkers' rate Essentia higher than other brands on multiple measures



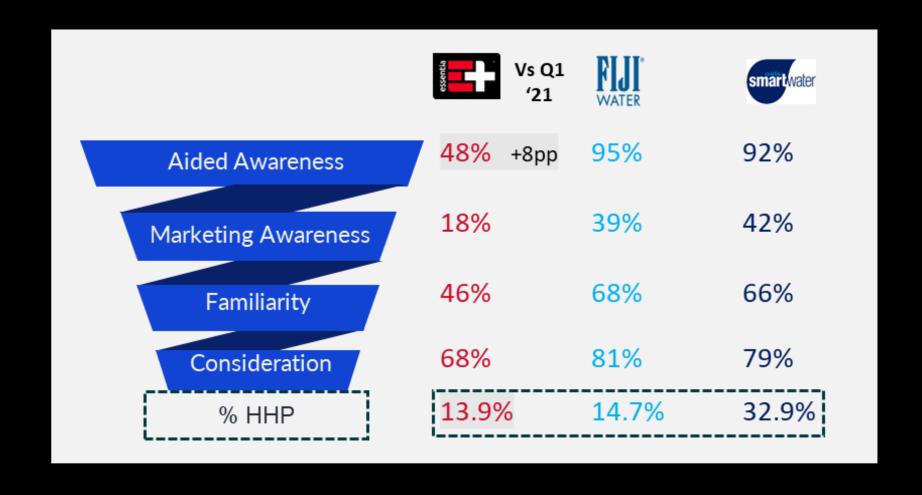
WHAT MAKES ESSENTIA DIFFERENT?

TasteIonizationRehydration



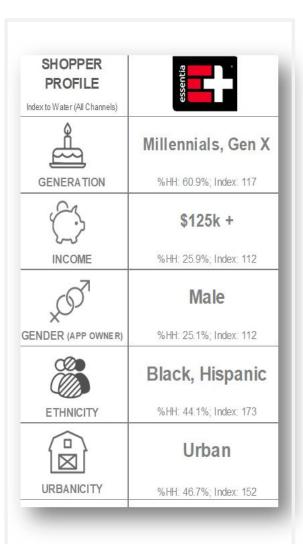
ESSENTIA GROWING BRAND AWARENESS & HOUSEHOLD PENETRATION

HUGE Opportunity to Bring More Consumer to Essentia!



ATTRACT OPEN MINDED STRIVERS (OMS)

Our Consumers are Younger (A18-49), Affluent, Diverse, and Live in Urban Areas



WHAT WE KNOW ABOUT THEM

They value brands that offer quality products and social purpose. And are willing to pay more.

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Influencer endorsements are more likely to drive them to consider or buy a product. Their shopping decisions are emotionally-made and rationally-verified i.e. reviews, food labels

Internet, especially social media, primary source of information, connection & trends Word of mouth, advice of others, peer and community approval influence their purchase decisions.

While they prefer online shopping, they visit a wide variety of retailers in-person too.

TOTAL SHOPPER METRICS

Essentia super heavy buyers spend 23x as much as medium buyers, and 88x as much as light buyers

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Shopper Groups	Penetration	Frequency	Spend per Trip	Buy Rate
Super Heavy	0.6%	16.0	\$13.58	\$217.96 +
Heavy	1.6%	6.0	\$6.33	\$37.76 (5.8x)
Medium	6.6%	2.2	\$4.22	\$9.35 (23x)
Light	4.0%	1.2	\$2.13	\$2.49 (88x)
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"Drinking Essentia makes me feel healthier...like I'm proactively making a choice to do something that's going to prove a difference in my body." - Heavy User



GROW BRAND AWARENESS & HOUSEHOLD PENETRATION

Leverage Full Funnel Approach to Drive Awareness, Consideration & Trial Among OMS

TARGET AUDIENCE 60MM

Ages 18 – 49, PW drinkers & intenders (OMS)













Awareness & **Familiarity**

& Trial

PRIORITY RETAIL PARTNERS & Drive-To-Retail PLATFORMS















KEY MARKETS GETTING EXTRA

MARKETING & FIELD MARKETING

NY, LA, SF, Boston, Miami, Dallas, Atlanta, Las Vegas, Phoenix









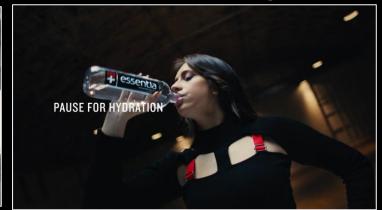
NEW IN 2023: DIGITAL VIDEO IS GOING NATIONAL!

Heavy up spend in NY and LA + add another high opportunity market

DIGITAL: Reach +70 Mio Consumers & +30% Increase in Ad Exposure



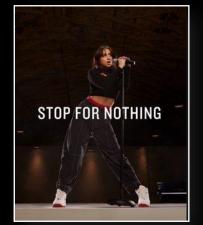




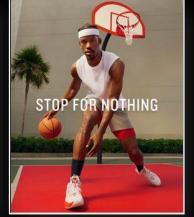


NBCUniversal

NATIONAL PAID SOCIAL: Reach 40 Mio Consumers Monthly



















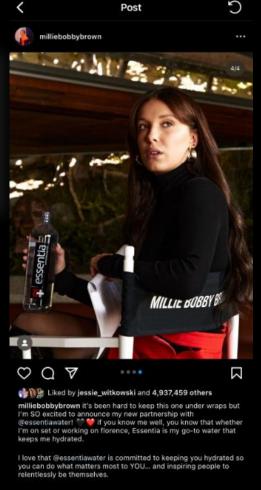
NEW IN 2023: EXPAND INFLUENCERS & PARTNERSHIPS

+1 top tier celebrity influencer

- +1 affinity partner while continuing music partnership
- +2 brand partnerships in addition to Ethika & Clmbr

INFLUENCERS





PARTNERHIPS





SENTIA WATER

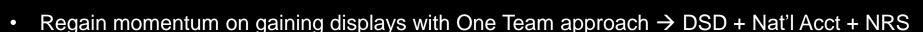
NEW IN 2023: UP-LEVELING IN-STORE

IN-STORE DISPLAYS & DEALER LOADERS



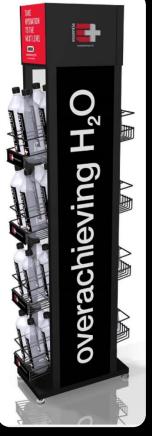






- Expanded focus up & down the street, winning at C-Store. Place 2.5K racks
- Integrate influencers in 3 Metro Markets at retail to drive excitement, sales & displays
- Additional investment in dealer loader / hard & soft POS to support larger sales force
- Update 2G POS ,educate consumers at shelf
- Spring Fed Branded Glides- Test and learn at WM/Target, these optimize POG & increase velocity

RACKS





POS





ELEVATE OUR OMNI CAPABILITIES TO CAPTURE THE DIGITAL SHOPPER AND DRIVE CONVERSION

WIN THE DIGITAL SHELF

Improve Category Placement

* Create rotating seasonal assets for PDPs





Tracking and optimize
 Digital Shelf
 performance via EDGE
 digital scorecard

Increase Brand Visibility

A/B Test Online Creative with lifestyle vs. product renderings



 Increase Test and Learn on search display banners



CAPTURE THE OMNI SHOPPER

Drive Time Basket building

* Win the summer season through consistent creative and strategic geo-targeting



 Execute T&L with shoppable Media and expand to print offerings



Expand Strategic eComm Partnerships

Increase our Channel
Coverage within
convenience, club and
natural





Explore "more for more" in support of distribution sell-in





Increase Usage Occasions

 Expand our Brand partnerships on the digital shelf





 Increase presence in last-mile delivery players to capture the eConvenience



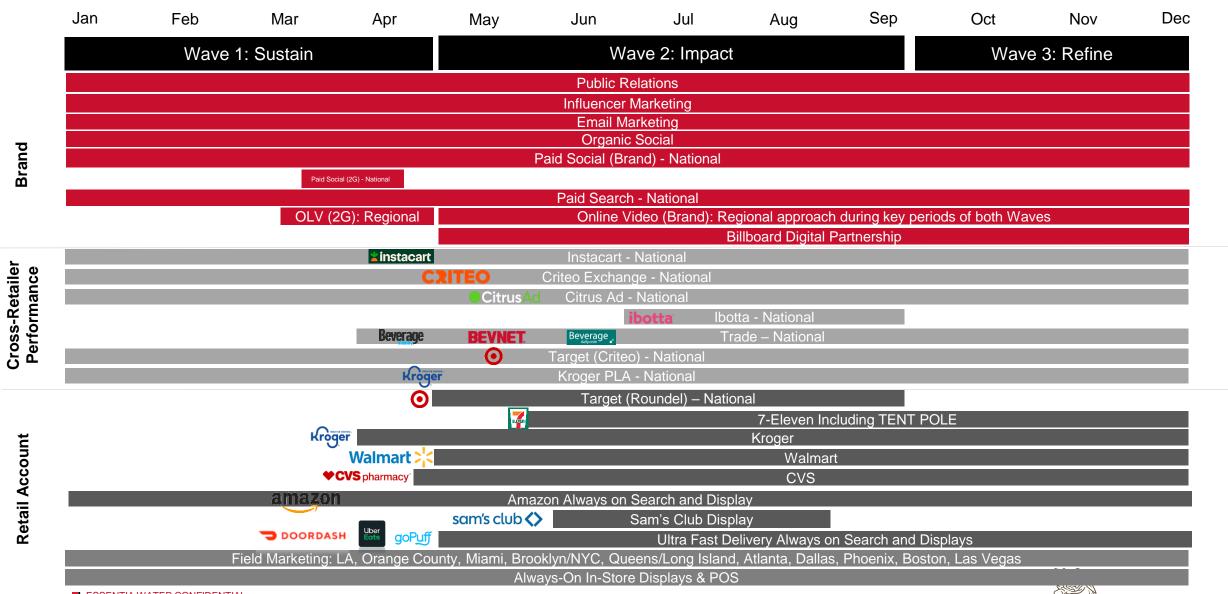


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ESSENTIA WILL ENSURE CONTINUOUS BRAND PRESENCE IN 2023 WITH INCREASED PRESSURE IN KEY SELLING SEASON



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^{*}FY Impressions are heavily estimated; FY est Imps for Organic Social are based on 'net new followers', FY est Imps for Email Marketing are based on 'emails opened', FY est total Imps do not include in-store display Nestie Good food, Good life?7

^{**}Retail account programing in development

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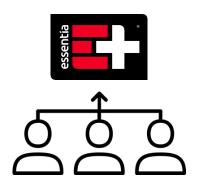
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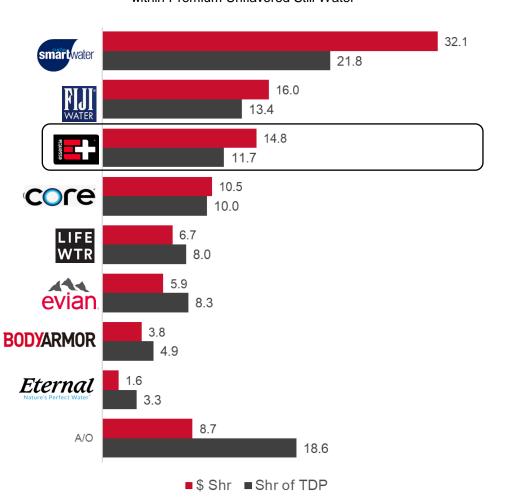
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INCREASE TDPS IN ALL CHANNELS IN 2023!



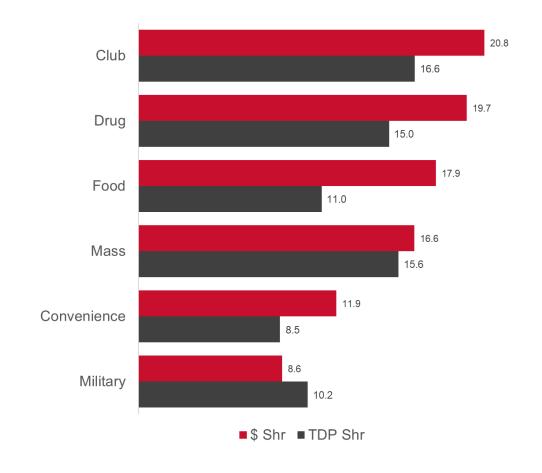
Share of \$ vs. Share of TDP

within Premium Unflavored Still Water



Essentia Share of \$ vs. Share of TDP by Channel

within Premium Unflavored Still Water



2G & 500ML 6PK ARE INCREMENTAL TO THE ASSORTMENT





500ML 6PKMay 2021 launch

- Contributing to 31.7% of growth to Essentia's cases in L13W
- Highly incremental to Essentia:
 - ➤ 41% of sales is coming from new buyer to Essentia
 - > strong 34% repeat rate, opportunity with trial at 0.6%



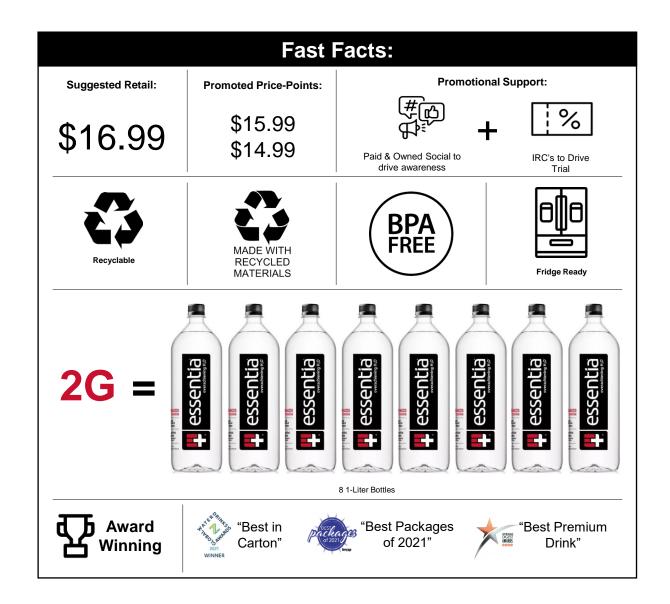
2G Sep 2021 launch

- Contributing to 4.4% of growth to Essentia's cases in L13W
- Moderately incremental to Essentia:
 - > 3.3% of sales is coming from new buyer to Essentia
 - > only 17% repeat rate, opportunity with trial at 0.02%

2G SUPPORTS OUR CUSTOMERS SUSTAINABILITY GOALS







IN 2023 RELAUNCH 2G OPTIMIZED PRODUCT OFFERING & COMMERCIAL STRATEGY

Improve consumer experience and drive velocities



Packaging:

- Clear product call out 2G Boxed Water
- Optimize packaging graphics for use & handling
- Communicate value on pack

Placement:

- + Target distribution (Channels/retailers & markets) based on state recycling guidelines & affluent consumer target
- + Aisle & Shelf Placement Guidance
- Seasonal Complementary Aisle Displays

Promotion:

- New item Support: Social Paid & Owned to drive awareness & education
- + IRCs to drive trial

Next Steps:

- Packing optimizations graphics and structural in Q1 2023
- + New sell in materials July 2022

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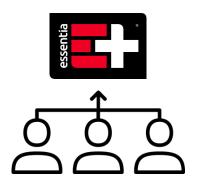
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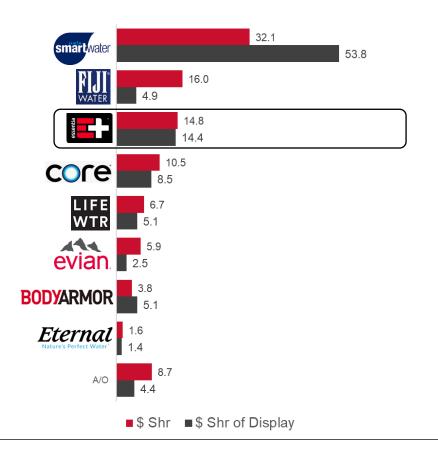
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DOUBLE DOWN ON DISPLAY IN 2023!!



Share of \$ vs. Share of Display

within Premium Unflavored Still Water



- ✓ Secure mandated displays with your customers
- ✓ Leverage Shopper Marketing Display Racks in Convenience
- ✓ Support displays year-round with Shopper Marketing POS
- ✓ Execute Always On Dealer Loader Strategy
- ✓ Execute Always On Shopper Marketing Coupon Support

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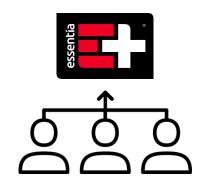
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THANK YOU!

ESSENTIA	POCARI SWEAT	
0 Cal	26 Kcal	
0 mg sodium	49 mg sodium	
0 Sugar	Contains Sugar	
9.5 pH or higher	Falls on the acid side of the pH scale	
Too pure to be tested by pH strips	NA	
Reverse osmosis process to purify water	Process not specified	
Cleaner - 5 ingredients total	12 ingredients total	
BPA, Fluoride, and Chlorine free	Non-chloride free	
Premium look and feel (packaging)	Mainstream look and feel (packaging)	

