

### Acquisition of Barbero 1891 S.p.A.



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## Executive summary

- > Campari announces today the signing of an agreement for the purchase of 100% of Barbero 1891 S.p.A. ("Barbero")
- The acquired brand portfolio includes Aperol, Aperol Soda and Barbieri liqueurs in the spirits segment, and Asti Mondoro and Serafino in the wines segment (sparkling wine brand Conte di Cavour not included as well as Frangelico brand)
- > Based in Canale, North-western Italy, Barbero was a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Irish Cantrell & Cochrane Group controlled by the UK private equity fund BC Partners
- > The enterprise consideration is €150 million (a net cash position of €70 million will be included in the equity consideration)
- > The acquisition will be paid in cash and will be financed with part of the proceeds from the senior notes issued in July 2003



## Barbero history

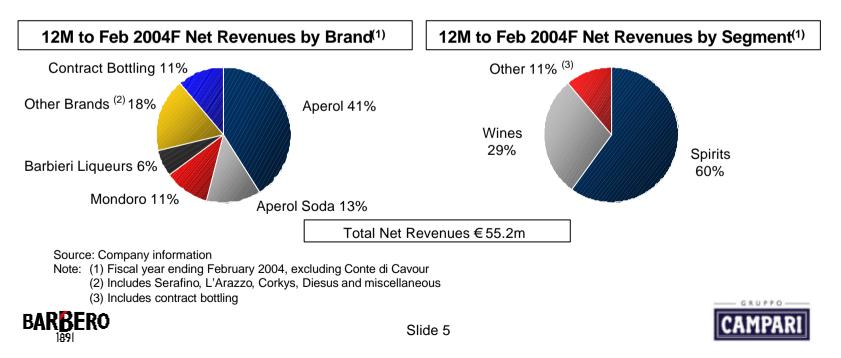
- > 1891: Barbero established as a wine company by the Barbero family
- > 1950: Production of sparkling wines and vermouth begins
- > 1960: Production of liqueurs begins
- > 1988: Serafino winery acquired
- > 1990: Sale to Cantrell & Cochrane
- > 1991: Acquisition of Barbieri S.p.A. (owner of Aperol)
- > 1995: Aperol Soda launched
- > 1999: Cantrell & Cochrane acquired by BC Partners from Allied Domecq





## **Overview of Barbero**

- > A complete portfolio led by the key strategic brands Aperol, Aperol Soda and Barbieri liqueurs in the spirits segment and Asti Mondoro and Serafino in the wines segment
- > Contract bottling refers to Frangelico brand
- > Spirits account for 60% of net turnover
- > Italy contributes 67% of net turnover



# Aperol, a consolidated brand in a growing category



Brand highlights



- > Launched in Padova, North-eastern Italy, in 1919
- > Aperol's unique flavour and colour is achieved through a blend of bitter orange and herbs using a secret recipe that has been unchanged since its first creation
- > Significant brand growth at the end of the 1960's as a result of successful television campaigns
- > Advertising campaign launched in 1987 highlighting the social nature of the brand
- > Export contributes to 6% of brand's current net revenues
- > Achieved sales growth (CAGR) of 16.5% in 2001-2003
- > 2004F volume of 534k 9-ltr cases





# Aperol, a consolidated brand in a growing category (cont.)



- > Increasing market share in on and off-trade
- > Happy hour moment has shown strong growth... expected to continue
- > Aperol is perfectly positioned to take full advantage
  - low in alcohol (11% by volume)
  - mixable
  - new, young consumers
  - the "Spritz" occasion
- > Aperol integrates Campari's offer in the medium alcoholic content spirits segment which is experiencing a strong growth in Italy and internationally
- > High growth potential in Germany with increased marketing support





**Positioning and** 

PERO

growth drivers

## **Aperol Soda**



#### Brand highlights

- > Bitter-sweet single serve product mirroring the Aperol taste
- > Launched in 1995 proving immediately successful due to national distribution, unique positioning and Aperol heritage
- > New 125ml format launched in 2001
- > Sales and consumption trend consolidated
- > 2004F volume of 286k 9-ltr cases

#### Positioning

- EARBERO
- > Unique positioning in the low alcohol beverage segment at 3% alcohol content
  - > Typical consumer is younger than segment average



## **Barbieri liqueurs**



Brand highlights	
PUNCH	> Spirit consumed mostly in winter
<b>RUM</b> des antilles	<ul> <li>Imported from the Caribbean</li> <li>Strong volume growth and potential</li> </ul>
JUNIPER	<ul> <li>Exclusively distributed through traditional channel</li> <li>Stable volume and highly profitable</li> </ul>
GRAPPA	> Growing volumes





## Mondoro, "The world's finest Asti"



#### Brand highlights

- > Launched internationally in 1996
  - Highly successful in Russia with a 40% market share
  - Also successful in other international markets (Asia Pacific)
- > Fast growing brand: +18.5% volume CAGR in 2001-2004F
- > 2004F volume of 139k 9-ltr cases

#### Positioning

> Premium Asti

#### Strategy

Mondoro strengthens the Campari Group's offer in the premium Asti segment together with Cinzano and the newly acquired Riccadonna







## Serafino, The Return of a Classic Cellar



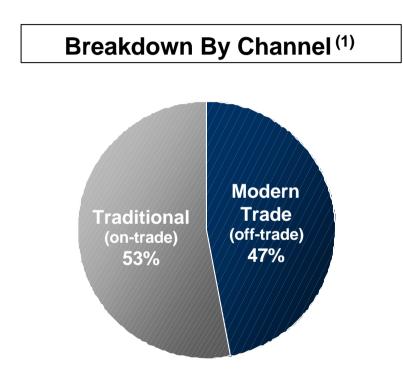
Brand highlights	>	Classic Piedmont wines, local Roero and neighbouring Langhe and Monferrato (Barolo, Barbaresco, Barbera, Roero, Arneis, Dolcetto, Chardonnay, Grignolino)
	>	Sparkling wines (Metodo Classico, Brachetto)
	>	Domestic 2004F volume of 55k 9-ltr cases up from 51k in 2002
Positioning	> >	Complete range High quality standards



> National distribution



## Balanced and strong distribution



Note:

(1) Based on domestic net turnover

- Strong presence in the on-trade channel
- Complementary distribution offers opportunity for reallocation of brands within different sales forces aiming at exploiting their strengths



## **Production facilities**

- > Total area of 102,476 sq.m., of which 30,147 sq.m. is covered
- > Canale (Piedmont)
  - Production of spirits and wines
    - Factory: 16,648 sq.m.
    - Warehouse: 6,159 sq.m.









## **Financial Performance**

- > Sales mix improvement driven by Aperol performance
- > Gross margin improvements and leverage of fixed costs

Fiscal year ending Februar (€ million)	<sup>y</sup> 2001	2002	2003	2004F	CAGR 01-04F	Pro-forma 2004F <sup>(2)</sup>
Net Turnover <sup>(1)</sup>	49.5	53.2	58.1	64.5	9.2%	55.2
Gross Profit	24.1	26.4	30.1	35.3	13.6%	
% Margin	48.6%	49.6%	51.8%	54.7%		
Net Brand Margin	11.0	12.2	16.1	19.3	20.8%	18.7
% Margin	22.2%	22.9%	27.7%	30.0%		33.9%
EBIT	5.1	6.0	9.6	12.5	34.8%	
% Margin	10.3%	11.3%	16.5%	19.4%		
EBITDA	6.0	6.8	10.4	13.3	30.7%	12.7
% Margin	12.0%	12.7%	17.8%	20.6%		23.0%

Source: Company information

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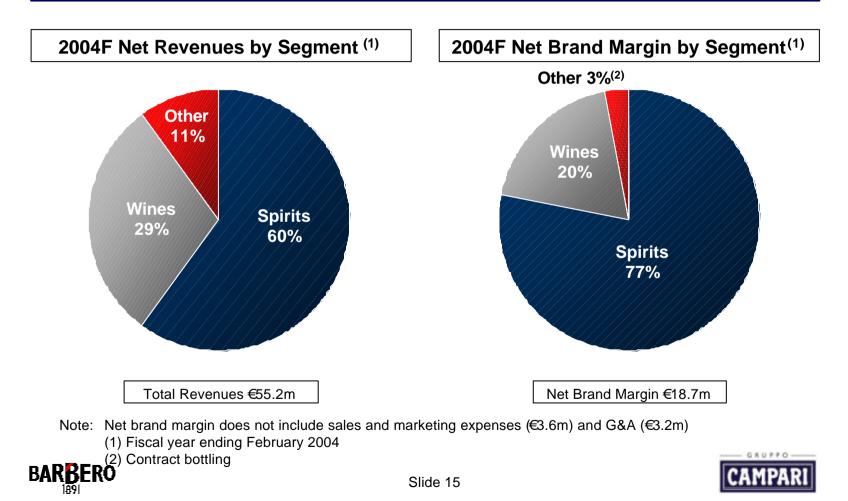
(1) Defined as gross turnover minus price support and duty

(2) Excluding Conte di Cavour brands

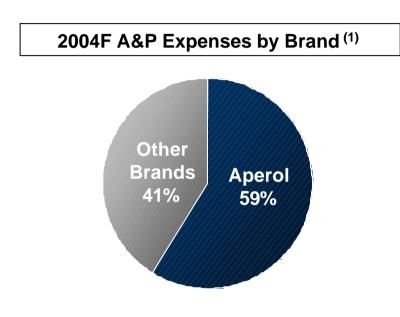




## Analysis of net turnover and net brand margin



## Advertising and promotion



Note: (1) Excluding Conte di Cavour brands

- > Total A&P spending on Aperol of €5.9 mllion in 2004F
  - +12% CAGR in 2001-2004F
  - Represents 26% of brand turnover in 2004F





## Acquisition rationale and conclusions

- > This acquisition represents a further strengthening in the spirits and wines markets
  - Aperol integrates Campari's offer in the medium-alcoholic content spirits segment which is experiencing a strong growth in Italy and internationally
  - Mondoro strengthens the strong position in the premium Asti segment on international markets together with Cinzano and the recently acquired Riccadonna

