

# Ferrero & related parties in Snacks

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In 2023, Ferrero expands into chocolate tablets with the Kinder tablet in Germany Global leading snacks brands are set to maintain their positions over the forecast period

### COMPETITIVE POSITIONING

Ferrero acquisitions Fulfil and Eat Natural compete with PepsiCo's cereal brand Quaker Mondelez and Mars are Ferrero's main competitors as they all play in chocolate confectionery Key categories and markets

Key brands and markets

Ferrero's top three chocolate confectionery markets see SKU increase during seasonal period

### CONFECTIONERY

Ferrero opens a plant in Turkey to supply the country and other north African countries In China, Ferrero focuses on emerging sales channels such as livestreaming as habits shift In both chocolate and sugar confectionery, the US shows high forecast growth potential

## SWEET BISCUITS, SNACK BARS AND FRUIT SNACKS

Nutella biscuits are offered in multiple formats to increase visibility on retail shelves

Ferrero's plain biscuit, Kjeldsens, sees its sales picking up in China and Hong Kong in 2023

In two years, Ferrero invests in snack bars with the purchase of a factory and two companies

# ICE CREAM

North America becomes Ferrero's first ice cream market in 2023 following Wells acquisition Ferrero expands its ice cream portfolio via historical brands and targets all eating occasions Halo Top, Ferrero newly acquired brand offers both indulgent and low calory ice cream

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